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WEDDING BELLS

BOA—DOIG

The marriage of Miss Mamie Mary Boa, to Mr. Jas. Doig, took place quietly at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boa, on Wednesday last, May 28th. The marriage was performed by the Rev. J. L. George, of the Presbyterian Church, and the happy couple left the following day for their future home in California followed by the good wishes of their many friends.

READ—HAMMOND

A very quiet but pretty wedding took place in the Parsonage on Wednesday morning, the 4th inst, when Eliza Read, daughter of Mr. William Geo. Read, was united in marriage to Theodore W. Hammond, of Hill Head, Que. The bride was tastefully gowned in white embroidery and attended by Miss Katie Read, sister of the bride, while Mr. Russell Home supported the groom.

The happy couple left on the morning train for Ottawa and other points, the bride travelling in a navy blue tailored suit and black hat. The Rev. J. H. McConnell B.D. officiating.

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The even tenor of the transacting of routine business at the meeting of the Lachute School Commissioners last Tuesday evening, was pleasantly broken when Commissioner E. H. Wilson, after making inquiries about the furniture of the school, offered to place at the disposal of the Principal the sum of $200, with an invitation to call for more if needed, to secure modern up-to-date desks for the one room in which the old desks are still being used. It is needless to say that the offer was received with alacrity by the School Board. The new desks will be installed for the re-opening of school.

The expense of the seating of the entire school, with the exception of one small room, has been borne by Mr. Wilson and his father, the late J. C. Wilson, who in this and in many other ways have set an example of generous thoughtfullness for the welfare of their fellow townsmen that might well be followed by several other wealthy men of Lachute. Whether or not this generosity will be fully valued by the people generally, it will be certainly be gratefully appreciated by their children to whose comfort Mr. Wilson has so largely ministered.

The Ladies of the Methodist Church are having an afternoon tea in the Sunday School Hall on Thursday June 12.

DALESVILLE.

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Services will be held in the Dalesville Baptist Church, on Sunday next as follows:—S. S. at 10 a.m. Services at 11, conducted by the Rev. J. F. Forsythe of Lachute; Evening at 7 p.m. The afternoon service, will be held at Rousillon at 3 o'clock (in French) Evening service at 7.30 at Rousillon.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Sergt-Major Dee, wife and child are in town for a few weeks.

Miss Pearl Conlin, of Montreal, is home for the summer months.

Mr. Vincent McFaul, of Montreal, was in town the early part of this week.

Miss Molyneaux, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Worth.

Messrs. H. Moore and Lorne McArthur were the week-end guests of Mrs. R. McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McOuat left on Monday for a short visit with friends in Portland.

Messrs Jno H. Cameron and Allan McArthur, of Grenville, were in town on Wednesday last.

Mr. E. J. Sillick spent two weeks holidays with his mother Mrs. J. Sillick and his Aunt Mrs. Riddell.

Quite a number from town attended the Convention of L'Union St. Joseph held in Ottawa last Sunday.

Mrs. Stearns, of Coventry, England., is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Parris for a couple of weeks en route for the Pacific Coast.

PLEASE REMEMBER that your subscription is due.

Mr. Wylie, of Toronto, was the guest of his cousin Mrs J. Rice the early part of this week and left yesterday morning for a trip to Newfoundland.

The marriage of Miss Annie Helena Simon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Simon to Mr. Wilbur G. Walker is announced to take place on the 25th. inst.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. George, and J. A. McKenzie, Mr. Thos. McOuat and daughter Bessie are in Toronto this week attending the Presbyterian Congress.

Dr. Woods, of Aylmer, Que, Inspector of Government Offices, was in town for a couple of days this week, during which time he was the guest of Mr. J. H. Dumouchel.

Mr. Irwin, of Montreal, who conducted services in the outside stations of the Presbyterian Church, last Sunday, was the guest of Mrs. Robt. McFaul during his stay in town.

At the District Meeting of the Methodist Church, held recently in Montreal, Mr. C. Summerby was appointed to represent Lachute Church at the Conference meeting in Sherbrooke.

Mr E. Darlington has leased the property on Main St. now occupied by Dr. Murphy, who will shortly remove to his newly acquired property which he recently purchased from Miss Loynachan in the East Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Heathe, of Edgensburg, Que., announce the marriage of their daughter Miss Catherine McGibbon, to Mr. John Townsend, of Cypress River, Man., to take place at their home "Mountain Brook Cottage" on June 25th.

Up to the present time Mr. G. J. Walker, secretary of the Agricultural Society, has received no entries for competition in the ensilage corn class. Entries must be in by the 15th of this month so that intending competitors should hand in their names at once.

Mr. Robert A. Giles is attending the Canadian Press Association this week in Toronto, being accompanied by his mother Mrs. J. S. Giles, who will take in the excursion to Northern Ontario, visiting Cobalt, Porcupine and Lake Temagami districts, where a pleasing programme has been arranged.

The Windsor Hotel has for the past few weeks been undergoing extensive repairs and the proprietor Mr A. Lecroque is endeavouring to make his hostelry up-to-date in every particular. Travellers will be assured of good accommodation and good service which are two commodities that have been sadly lacking in our town for some time.

Services in the Methodist Church, Lachute, next Sabbath, as follows,—In the morning at 10.30, and in the evening at 7 o'clock, there will be a Union Service conducted by Dr. Erwin. Epworth League, Monday at 7.30 p.m. Subject, Missions, Leader, Mr. M. Jones. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7.30 p.m. Boys Club will meet in the Sunday School Hall on Friday afternoon at half past three.

Mr. John Hay has just sold to Mr. A. D. Soles, of West Brome Co. of Brome, his Clydesdale Stallion, Fvies Pride. This is a very promising young horse, and will certainly do some good in the district to which he has gone.

Mr. Hay received this week on the S. S. Athenia, from Glasgow, Scotland, a shipment of Clydesdale Fillies. They are a choice lot of young mares, confined direct from the Montgomery stables, Kirkcudbright, Scotland, and any Farmer wanting a good Brood Mare could do well to look these mares over at Mr. Hay's stables, where they are now being offered for sale at reasonable prices.

Beautify your own property all you can, then do all you can to beautify your streets. Be friendly with everybody and courteous to strangers. Your own civility will help make good impressions and will be carried away and cherished.

We are pleased to see many of our citizens taking active interest in improving their homes and grounds, and a little effort on the part of each, will give our town a prominent position on the map. Nature has done much for us in picturesque scenery, so let us do something for ourselves. Now that the road by-law is in force, we may look for better roads and it is pleasing to note that several new cement walks are being laid along Bethany and the Main.

News of Brownsburg.

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The Christian Endeavour met as usual on Wednesday night.

Mr. Erwin of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. R. Hardie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fletcher and family, were in Montreal for the week-end.

Quite a number from here took in the Orange Dance at Dalesville on Thursday evening last.

Mr. Jas. H. Hardie of Calgary returned to his home here last Friday on a three months visit.

Miss C. Clarke returned home from Montreal last Monday night where she spent the last few days.

Miss Myrtle Campbell of Montreal, spent the week-end here the guest of eer parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell.

Miss Laura Calder resigned her position in the factory here last Saturday, and is teaching school at Laurel.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church held their monthly meeting this week at the home of Miss N. Hensom.

Mr. Austin Boyd and Miss Annie Tompkins were the guests of Mrs. Willie Bigelow in Dalesville on Sunday.

Miss Katie Freith, who has been teaching school at Mount Maple, has returned to her home here for the summer.

Mr. Jack Martin returned to Montreal on Sunday evening last after spending the week here the guest of his parents.

Mrs. T. Denman, Mrs. S. Kilgour, Mrs. Robert Denman, of Montreal, Mrs. G. Aiken, of Dalesville, and Mr. George Graham, of Lachute, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Graham.

The Brownsburg Picture Hall is certainly becoming the favorite place of amusement as on Saturday night the hall was crowded to its full capacity and everybody present seemed to enjoy the interesting films

Invincibles Defeated!

On Friday night, May 30th, the Invincibles went down to defeat before the superior eleven of the Office Staff, being outclassed in every department. These Invincibles (?) are the same team as the Greenhorns—reinforced with the pick of the Quarry, Young Men's and St. Joseph's team—who were so badly defeated in last Winter's hockey game. The game was a hummer all through and kept the spectators on their toes all the time; the great work of the Office full backs (A. M. Campbell and W. McManus) being especially good and causing a great deal of trouble to the Invincible forwards, very often robbing them of what seemed sure goals. In this department the Invincibles were very weak, their star Full backs (Messrs McCuskey and Howell) backing out of the game at the last minute and throwing the entire team off its balance. There was very little scoring done—Offices 4, Invincibles 3—the game being anybodys until the last minute (the robber was operated as referee beat the Office out of another goal by declaring full time just as their lightning centre (M. C. Fletcher) was about to score. His escape from lynching at the hands of the indignant spectators was very close, in fact up to the time of going to press he is still in hiding.) The Office had it all over John Connolly's hired hands in the first half, and made them look like choice collection of missfits at a bargain sale, the Invincibles came back strong in the second period and—with the assistance of the referee, managed to score their goals in this session. Without a single exception, the Office played a good clean game throughout while the Invincibles seemed to be out for blood, as the cuts and bruises of the Office team show; this vicious attacks on Mr. Campbell, the great pull back being especially noticable, the great athlete is this morning barely able to sit up and drink weak tea. This kind of thing is too raw and should be cut out before someone is badly hurt.

Mr. Geo. R. Scott was the referee.

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CHAPTER II.—(Cont'd)

"Good Heavens, man! Are you blind? I'd like to take a bet that you've been in and out of the room at least half-a-dozen times this morning, and yet you have never once noticed that that blind is as crooked as a ram's horn. It's really extraordinary how people can be so unobservant."

Whereupon, Mr. Bousfield himself proceeded to draw the offending article carefully up, until it hung at precisely the same level as its companion. This operation took some time, but when, at length, it was satisfactorily concluded, he sat down at the end of the table, with his back to the light—or rather what ought to have been the light—and rinsed the cups and tea-pot with hot water. Then, very slowly and deliberately, he measured out three spoonfuls of tea, and laid his watch on the table just in front of him.

It was his invariable custom to wait for five minutes while the tea was drawing. During these five minutes, he took up the newspper, and ran his eye hastily over the foreign telegrams. When he returned his watch to his pocket, that was the signal for Harry to sit down likewise, and begin breakfast.

Every morning of his life he went through the same formula. Directly Harry was seated, he looked benignly across the table at him, and said:

"Well, my boy, and what is there to eat?"

Upon which, Harry, with due solemnity, removed the covers from the dishes. Their contents were always the same. Fish in one, a couple of poached eggs and bacon in the other. He was sick to death of the sight, and weary of the taste of them, but Mr. Bousfield's palate was apparently less fastidious. At any rate, he never seemed to consider any variety desirable. Even in the matter of food he was rigidly conservative. Conversation did not flourish much during breakfast; but when the meal was nearing completion, and Mr. Bousfield had poured out his second cup of tea, he again resorted to the newspaper, and for the next half hour kept up a running fire of commentaries on the news therein contained. The following may be taken as a specimen:

"H'm! I see the Government have gone into Committee on the Irish Land Bill. Lord Fitzstephen proposes to limit the operation of Clause three to such holders as might desire to be brought within its scope."

"Does he?" said Harry indifferently, stifling a yawn, for he hated the very mention of the Irish question, having regularly had it dinned into his ears for the last two years with the result of turning him almost into a Home Ruler, if only out of opposition to his esteemed relative.

"Yes! it appears the Clause was discussed with much animation until half-past eleven o'clock. By Jove! they make these fellows work now-a-days, but even then, the subsequent clauses were forced to be postponed until to-day."

"Oh! indeed. Were they?"

"A very good leading article on Russia," continued Mr. Bousfield, after a slight pause, during which, Harry gazed stolidly into the depths of his tea-cup, and wished himself far away.

"Quite a first-rate article, and one that ought certainly to attract attention."

"Really!" ejaculated Harry, battling with an increasing lethargy, and trying to take an interest in the matter, since he knew, from experience, that he was expected to make some reply to his uncle's observations.

"Yes. It is evidently by a man who knows what he is writing about, which is more than can be said for the majority of penny-a-liners."

"What is the gist of it?"

"The article is too long, also too important to be read out aloud. It requires digesting, but you can have a look at it later on. The sum and substance, however, is this.—First," and Mr. Bousfield pushed his spectacles up to his forehead, whilst his countenance assumed quite an animated expression, "the internal state of Russia, distracted by growing discontent, must be met, or temporised with by a policy which shall divert the popular mind, and check military disaffection."

"Oh! Ah! Just so. Precisely," put in Harry.

"Second—the rankling soreness, left by a series of blundering and abortive political measures in the Balkan, which have succeeded only in exposing the contemptible character of the Russian political agents to whose hands Russia ill-advisedly entrusted her crooked intrigues, demands a remedy."

"Of course, of course," said his nephew soothingly.

"Ah! I am glad you are of the same way of thinking. I must say my own convictions are entirely similar to the writer's. Something should be done against these unprincipled agents if only in the interests of Europe. Are we to be dragged into war and dictated to, simply because some low, ignorant, half-tamed Cossack chooses to bully and bluster? It's undignified for a country like England to brook being insulted." Here Mr. Bousfield stopped short, and stooping down, picked up a crumb, about the size of a pin's head, that had fallen to the carpet.

This action seemed slightly to confuse his thoughts. They were divided between Russia and the offending crumb.

"Let me see, where was I?" he resumed, looking to Harry to assist his memory. But Harry either could not, or would not, come to his aid.

"Ah! yes, I remember. We were talking of our political enemy, and I had got as far as the two first heads of the article. Now comes number three. Have you followed my remarks so far?"

"Yes, I think so. I have endeavored to do so, at any rate."

"That's right. You see, Harry, Russia is attentively watching every phase of England's difficulty with Ireland, and she believes that her opportunity of taking matters into her own hands is rapidly coming. These—as is self evident—constitute the major causes for anxiety with regard to the Afghan question."

"Ah! so I suppose," said Harry, who had scarcely heard a word.

"I'm delighted at your taking this view, my dear boy, since it conclusively proves to my mind that we shall make a politician of you yet. Nothing would give me greater pleasure than to see M.P. written after your name. I had thoughts of going into Parliament myself once, but somehow or other it never came off. Besides, politics were not so all-absorbing in those days as they are now. We are living in very critical times, Harry, and well-informed men of birth and position are sadly wanted to uphold the British Constitution; for if the gentlemen don't combine, you mark my words, they'll live to see themselves and the throne swept away by a crowd of socialistic demagogues." And having talked himself to a standstill, Mr. Bousfield brought his clenched fist down with a bang on the breakfast-table until the cups and saucers clattered.

"No doubt—no doubt!" said Harry, who always made a point of agreeing rather than be drawn into an argument. "By-the-way, uncle, is there any sporting news? What won the big steeplechase at Kempton yesterday? Lantern was favorite."

"I really don't know, Harry, and what's more, to be quite plain, I don't care. I never could see what it mattered whether a bay horse or a chestnut horse galloped first past the winning-post. And really when we are deep in a highly-interesting conversation—a conversation that embraces the most important problems of the day—it is peculiarly painful to me to find your mind running on such trivialities as racing and betting." And he shot a disapproving glance from behind the urn.

Harry colored up to the roots of his fair, flaxen hair, but had the good sense to make no reply. He had long ago discovered the value of silence. Nevertheless, he was unable always to curb his natural inclinations, and, sad to say, the results of the Kempton Park races interested him a very great deal more than all the politics of all the foreign nations put together. He found Mr. Bousfield's talk inexpressibly prosy and wearisome. In fact, it was with the greatest difficulty that he could concentrate his attention sufficiently to listen.

His thoughts insisted on wandering away from the Irish, and the Cossacks, and the House of Commons. They dwelt, alas! upon horses, and hunting, and racing, fishing, and similar frivolities quite unworthy of one of the future upholders of the British Constitution.

Fortunately, Mr. Bousfield's displeasure did not last long. It soon evaporated. He was choleric, but forgetful. Besides, nothing could divert him from his usual habits.

When the clock struck ten, he laid aside the newspaper and folded it neatly up. Then he rose from the table, looked out of the window, and said:

"Ahem! Harry. I am afraid we—er—shall not be able to take our accustomed walk—er. But if it clears up—er—I think I shall try and get as far as the Club. Whist is the only thing to do on such an abominable day, though I doubt if we shall make up a rubber. Folk fight shy of this pea-soup atmosphere as a rule."

"Shall you want me to go with you, uncle?" asked Harry; "because, if not, I promised to meet Mr. Ebor Smutch this morning."

"Eh! What? Meet Mr. Ebor Smutch! Be careful, my dear Harry, be careful. I have a very strong idea that this Mr. Ebor Smutch is not exactly a good companion for you."

"He may or may not be for all I know. At any rate, he is most excellent company."

"So much the worse. That only intensifies the danger."

"What danger?" said Harry, a trifle irritably, for it was not pleasant to feel himself treated like a baby, whose morals must not be exposed to temptation.

"The danger of wine, the danger of smoke, the danger of women," said Mr. Bousfield solemnly.

Harry gave a nervous laugh. As regarded the ladies, he had ideas of his own.

"Mr. Ebor Smutch and I are only very slightly acquainted," he responded. "I know next to nothing about him, except that he is an extremely amusing fellow."

"Ah! so he may be, so he may be; but all the same I doubt his proving a very desirable friend for you. He's far too fond of billiards and gambling for my taste."

Harry did not carry on the discussion, he merely asked again:

"Shall you want me to go to the club with you?"

The elder man looked at his nephew. He was fond of him at heart, and desirous of shielding him from all harm. Evidently he did not relish the notion of leaving him long in Mr. Ebor Smutch's company, and yet considered it injudicious to state his objections more plainly. Young men were like young colts, apt to turn restive if roughly handled.

"I think," he said, after a bit, "that you might walk down when you have had your luncheon, say between two and three o'clock. People may stay at home this weather, and if the worst comes to the worst, we can play double dummy."

Harry turned away in despair. Was it to be not only an evening of double dummy, but also an afternoon? He sickened at the prospect.

No wonder that the snug billiard room round the corner, and the lively, if somewhat shocking, sallies of Mr. Ebor Smutch possessed superior charms for his youthful mind.

He hankered after them with a longing all the greater because of the rare chances that were accorded him of indulging in their fascinations. Mr. Bousfield might keep his nephew from temptation, but he could not prevent him from desiring to be tempted, if only to ascertain what the sensation was like.

CHAPTER III.

When two o'clock arrived, the fog, instead of lifting, had, if possible, become even denser. A dull, yellow shroud hid every familiar object in the square from vision. Harry, reluctantly, put on his hat and great coat and commenced to grope his way along the dismal streets, rendered recognizable here and there by a glimmer of gas.

Several times he took a wrong turning, for one road looked so like another, when you could scarcely see half-a-dozen yards ahead of you. He plodded on, however, until at last he contrived to reach his destination, without either having lost his way entirely, or being run over by some unseen vehicle. It was with a sense of relief that he walked up the broad, marble steps of the club, on through the hall and into the reading-room.

He found it all but deserted. There were only two or three members present, who sat huddled together under the large centre chandelier, making a melancholy attempt at reading. Harry nodded to a gentleman of his acquaintance, who growled out by way of salutation:

"Vile day. We idle people are fools to put up with the English climate at this time of the year."

"I agree with you. But, unfortunately, English comforts are not to be obtained abroad. Have you seen my uncle? He told me to meet him between two and three."

"Yes, he was in here about an hour ago, looking rather miserable at all his usual allies having forsaken him. He tried to persuade me to sit down to double dummy, but that was really rather more than I could stand."

"I suppose he is in the card room," said Harry.

"Yes, I fancy so. He generally spends his afternoons there."

Harry passed on in search of Mr. Bousfield, and went straight to the apartment set aside for the whist players, and which usually contained some six or eight occupants. To-day, Mr. Bousfield was quite alone. His customary companions had failed him, and whilst awaiting their arrival, he was apparently indulging in a nap. At least, such was Harry's first impression as he glanced casually at his uncle's substantial form, comfortably resting in a large leather arm-chair, with the head drooping slightly forwards.

"Here I am," he said cheerily. "I hope I have not kept you waiting, but the streets were awfully dark, there really was no getting along, and I had all my work cut out to find the way."

He waited for a reply, but none came. Mr. Bousfield's sleep must be an uncommonly sound one. Perhaps it was better to let him slumber on.

Thus thinking, Harry advanced on tip-toe, endeavoring to make as little noise as possible.

All at once, something in the strange quiet of his uncle's pose, and the death-like pallor of his countenance, sent a chill of fear through the young man's heart. A suffocating suspicion seized him which made his blood turn to ice, and brought great beads of perspiration to his brow. No! It was but an idea. It could not be true.

He drew still nearer, this time thoroughly alarmed, and took hold of his uncle's hand, which hung listlessly over the arm of the chair. Oh, horror! it was quite cold. So cold that it made all the pulsations of his being stand still, and filled him with sickening apprehension.

"Wake up, wake up," he cried wildly. "I have come to play double dummy with you."

Alas! Mr. Bousfield's days of double dummy were over. Death had scored the odd trick.

Harry rushed to the bell and rang it vigorously until a servant appeared. A few minutes later, and all the club was roused. From the topmost story to the basement it soon became known that on this drear, foggy afternoon something mysterious had taken place. A messenger was immediately sent for the nearest doctor. He was not long in coming, though to Harry it seemed an age. He felt the patient's pulse and heart, and then with a shake of the head declared that he could do no good to one past human assistance.

"This gentleman has been dead some time," he said. "I cannot say exactly how long, but probably about an hour, since the body is already quite cold."

"Dead!" ejaculated Harry in awe-struck tones. "What of, what of? It seems impossible. He was quite well this morning—as well as ever he was in his life."

The doctor turned and looked at him. There was a kindly gleam in his dark eye. The young man's distress was so genuine that it aroused his sympathy.

"Death has resulted from heart disease," he said, "and judging from appearances it must have been perfectly painless. Let that fact console you for your loss."

A few minutes later, having gone through some necessary formalities, he took up his hat and departed, leaving Harry in a state bordering on distraction. The young man felt utterly bewildered, and added to his bewilderment lurked a horrible sense of guilt. Only that very morning he had longed for something to happen. He had asked himself, as he listened to Mr. Bousfield's observations and strove to conceal his weariness and impatience, if this dual solitude would go on for ever. His soul was like a maddened bird beating and struggling against the prison bars that held it. And lo! now the bars were unloosed, shivered at one stroke, strong and unexpected; whilst he, ashamed of the longings that had dwelt within his breast, stood and trembled. For what a change was this! What a sudden revolution brought about in a few short minutes.

He had pined and fretted so long, wearing his yoke outwardly with submission, inwardly with soreness of spirit, that he could not realize his overweening desire for variety was gratified. The Deity by one awful act had for ever answered all his petitions and prayers. And now he regretted their very existence, and felt humbled, humiliated and remorseful. As he gazed mournfully down at the still features, so cold, so rigid, a sudden yearning came over him to hear his uncle's voice again, prosing gently on about the Russian and the Irish questions, and to watch him picking up crumbs from the carpet. Henceforth they might lie for ever in the dining-room of Number 115. A pang shot through his heart. Such little trifles, despised and resented at the time, had all at once grown strangely pathetic. "What was" instead of "what is" cast a halo of tender association round them, and brought the tears to Harry's eyes. He was young and impressionable and had seen nothing of Death. No wonder its majesty awed him and roused all his better nature. Any differences that might have existed between himself and his uncle were forgotten, swept away by the so-little-understood force that divides the living from the dead. A rush of sorrow, free of any self-calculating element, invaded Harry's spirit.

While the first shock lasted, he never once reflected on the freedom and independence to which he had attained—gifts, which so long as they were withheld from his grasp, he had imagined precious and desirable. Such thoughts might perhaps come later on, when the poor, still clay was placed under the ground, and its indestructible matter had formed fresh combinations of life, and leaf, and foliage. But they dared not obtrude in the actual presence of that quiet face, with its once bright eyes, gazing blankly out into the vacancy of eternal space, and the features wearing an impress beyond the finite and perplexingly limited comprehension of man.

Of the hours that succeeded, Harry retained but a very indistinct memory. They resembled a confused dream, full of strange chaotic images. Not until the funeral was over, and the family lawyer had made known to him the contents of his uncle's will, did he slowly begin to realize the situation.

(To be continued.)

Son—"Why, father, do people talk about the patience of Job?" Pater—"Because, my boy, they don't know what I have to suffer."

Some men haven's got any more caution, when they happen to get a little money, than to show it to the family.

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Turtle Mountain Forest Reserve a Summer Resort.

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Following out this general policy and striving to make the areas now reserved of use to the people, whose property they are, the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior is endeavoring to make known to the public of the neighboring country the advantages of the Turtle Mountain Forest Reserve as a summer resort, in which people may spend a period of vacation during the summer months.

The reserve is located immediately north of the international boundary, and approximately fifty miles east of the boundary between Manitoba and Saskatchewan. It can easily be reached by motor, or by horse vehicle, from Boissevain or Whitewater, two points which are easily accessible by either C.P.R. or C.N.R. By motor the journey is accomplished in about an hour, by horses in about two and a half hours.

Lakes well stocked with fish are numerous throughout the reserve; wild fruits abound in their season, and mosquitoes are much less troublesome than on the prairies. On Lake Max, the largest of the lakes of the reserve, are three islands, on the largest of which (Arbor Island) villa lots have been laid out by the Government. Several motor-boats and skiffs are now on the lake, and bathing facilities are first-class, especially for the children. The island is well stocked with trees, and the grateful shade and the constant breeze during the heat of summer go to make a vacation spent here very attractive.

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Good maps of the reserve will shortly be available, and these, as well as other information concerning the resort, may be obtained from the Director of Forestry, Ottawa, or the Supervisor of the Turtle Mountain Forest Reserve, Whitewater, Man.



WELL DONE.

Sarah—"The missues told me to tell you that the roast beef was too well done."

Bridget—"Jest you tell her it's me nature ter do better cookin' than she's used to!"

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Tommy—"Pa, what is a Freethinker?" Pa—"A Freethinker, my son, is any man who isn't married!"

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A GOOD MEDICINE FOR THE SPRING

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Do not dose yourself with purgatives, as so many people do, in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in spring is a tonic that will make new blood and build up the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only medicine that can do this speedily, safely and surely. Every does of this medicine makes new blood which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite and makes tired, depressed men, women and children bright, active and strong. Mrs. Maude Bagg, Lemberg, Sask., says: "I can unhesitatingly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a blood builder and tonic. I was very much run down when I began using the Pills, and a few boxes fully restored my health."

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Would be No Realm Without Army and Navy.

"Germany must have a powerful army and fleet, must have a strong and autocratic government or she is lost," says a writer in Scribner's Magazine. "Ohne Armee kein Deutschland." She can permit no silly, no stupid, no excited majority to imperil her safety as a nation. If Germany were governed as in France, where they have had nine new governments since the beginning of the twentieth century, and forty-nine since the republic replaced the empire, forty-one years ago—not counting six dismissals of the cabinet when the prime minister remained—or fifty changes of government in less than that number of years, Germany would have lost her p[illegible] on the map.

Political geography is the sufficient reason for Germany's army and navy. She is in the ring, and must be prepared at all hazards to take care of herself. That is a reason, too, why Germany offers little resistance to the ruling of an autocratic militarism.

The sailors and stokers would rather obey captains and officers, however they may have been chosen for them, than to be sunk at sea; and now-a-days, Germany is ever on the high seas, battling hard to protect, and to increase her commerce abroad, and her huge industrial population at home. Germany can take no chances for the moment, for only "Wer sich regiert, der ist mit Zufall fertig."

BABY'S BATTLES.

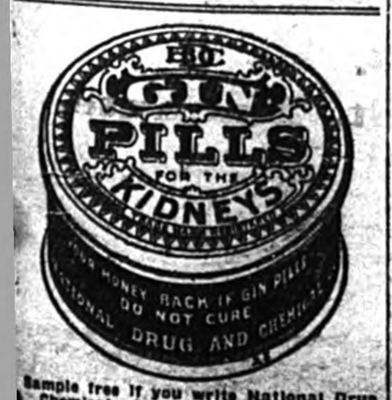
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Belle—She's a mean thing! I told her not to tell you.

Clara—Well, I told her I wouldn't tell you she told me, so don't tell her I did.

One Indication.

"Well, dear, do you think it is going to be smooth sailing with our new cook?"

"I'm afraid not, Jack. I rather think from the way she handled the supper dishes there are going to be breakers ahead."

CLEARED AWAY.

Proper Food Put the Troubles Away.

Our own troubles always seem more severe than any others. But when a man is unable to eat even a light breakfast, for years, without severe distress, he has trouble enough.

It is small wonder he likes to tell of food which cleared away the troubles.

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"From the foundation."

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"Does your wife want to vote?"

"Yes, and I'm almost inclined to give her the ballot."

"Why?"

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From Halifax to Vancouver

WOMEN ARE PRAISING DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Nova Scotia Mother Tells How They Cured Her Aches and Pains, and Made Her a Well Woman Again.

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"I had a pain in my left side and down through my hips," Mrs. Pace states. "I had headache all the time. My heart was weak, and at times a pain around it added to my fears. Some days I was hardly able to walk.

"I read of a number of cures of cases like mine by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and sent for three boxes. To-day I am a well woman, and can do as much work as ever I could."

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Out of the Question.

"Why don't you take a wife, old chap?"

"Oh, I don't know."

"You must have a reason."

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Wet Grounds.

Father — Young Willoughby doesn't seem to call on Grace very often of late. Wonder if it's a case of dampened ardor. Son—I think likely. He proposed to her while out canoeing, and she threw him over.



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Under the supervision of the mistress they have to cook the dinner, attend to the afternoon tea, and later on prepare the supper. Their duties for the day cease by another inspection of the house, to see that everything is secure for the night.

The following week another quartette of girls is chosen; they perform the same duties. The next week another quartette is chosen, and so on. Two or three times a week the guests are invited to dine, and the girls in turn act as hostess.

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Perhaps.

Wife—I don't think your new suit is fast colored; I'm afraid it will fade dreadfully in the sun.

Husband—H'm, perhaps I'd better go out more at night then.

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There are ten boys in London who every Sunday and on State occasions wear suits of clothes that in each instance cost something like $200. The lads thus expensively and brilliantly attired are the choristers belonging to the King's private chapel in St. James' Palace. When arrayed in their State suits they are truly a gorgeous sight.

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This choir is one of the historical institutions of Great Britain, and many of its old-time customs, including the dress of the boys, are retained to this day. The choir has numbered among its singers such distinguished musicians as Sir Arthur Sullivan, Edward Lloyd, Sir John Goss and Dr. E. J. Hopkins.

It is the right of the head boy to demand a guinea as "spur money" from any officer entering the chapel wearing spurs. It is said that when Arthur Sullivan was head boy the Duke of Wellington would always come spurred to the chapel, in order that he might have the pleasure of paying the forfeit to his favorite chorister.

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AVOID RICH DISHES.

Austrian Physician Says They May Cause Arterio-Sclerosis.

Do you smoke too much, and are you addicted to the consumption of rich dishes? These are frequent questions to be pondered by all those who would avoid arterio-sclerosis.

Lecturing on the subject of arterio-sclerosis, which he termed the Damocles sword suspended over the heads of us all, Prof. Adolf von Struemfell, the eminent physician and physiologist, of Vienna, Austria, gave some valuable suggestions as to how this disease might be avoided. It is most important, he said, to begin in time and carefully refrain from everything known to be injurious to the arterial system, such as over-physical strain, free indulgence in rich foods, alcohol and tobacco, especially the latter.

As for tea and coffee, there was much less to be said. Strong, black coffee certainly did produce nervous affections of the heart, but it had little effect upon the arteries, and tea was injurious only in isolated cases.

With regard to meat, doctors were right when they spoke of its injurious effects, but, after all, perhaps it was more the rich sauces and gravies accompanying it which did th emischief. The idea that so-called white meats were less harmful than dark meats was also probably only true in regard to the different way of preparing and cooking them.

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A Record Of Things Accomplished.

Now the session is drawing to a close, a glance over it record shows it has been the most dramatic since confederation. The Borden govenment has been in power eighteen mouths and duringth at time It has carried out more pledges than the Laurier Government did in fifteen years of office.

When, by the will of the people Robert Laird Borden assumed theresp onsible position of Prime Minister of of Canada, he was known to be an honest, careful conscientious man. His years of training as leader of the opposition a thankless task at the best--stood him in good stead at the very outset of his career as the First Citizen of Canada. He assumed, office with his powers ot statesmanship untried and unknown. But the people trusted Robert Laird Borden. They knew he was a safe man. They knew that under his direction, the administration of public affairs would be clean and honest—two qualities which had been sadly lacking during the Laurier regime.

Mr. Borden, during his so-far brief tenure of power, has exhibited qualities of statesmanship and leadership which stamp him as one of the greatest Canadians. He immediately set about fulfilling his pre-election promises. During his tour of the prairie provinces in 1911 he had promised when returned to power to build the Hudson's Bay Railway and build it without allowing the spectre of graft to creep in. His pledge in this regard has been faithfully kept the west will find another outlet to the markets of Great Britain. He promised Civil Service reform and recently Sir George Murray, an eminent British expert on matters pertaining to the public service, visited Ottawa, and made an invaluable report on the problem of reorganization of the Canadian service. He promised to consult the British Admiralty on the question of naval defence. Within a few months after the election he went to England, and consulted the Sea Lords, and today he is known throughout the British Empire as the first Canadian statesman who ever lifted a finger to aid the motherland in the burdens of Empire, along the lines suggested by the Admiralty.

Mr. Borden promised more assistance to agriculture, and there has been passed this session, a bill providing for the expenditure of $10,000,000 on education for the farmer in matters pertaining to agriculture. But above everything else Mr. Borden has shown himself to be true Britisher. He voiced the aspirations of the Canadian people, when he declared that Canada should no longer sponge on her mother. He earned for himself the thanks of every man who believes that the Union Jack stands for freedom and a fair share in the burdens of Empire. In a word Mr. Borden despite extraordinary difficulties of the Laurier brand, has shown himself to be a British-Canadian, whose conception of Empire responsibilities is as far removed from the puny vaccilation of Laurier, as day is from night.

A Time For Optimism.

Financial men have noted with more than usual interest the Canadian Pacific Railway statement of earnings for April. It is chiefly remarkable for showing for the first time in several years a decrease in net earnings over the corresponding month of the previous year. This in itself has no particulr significance, but as the traffic statements of the road are regarded peculiarly an index of the commercial conditions of the country, foreign observers might be misled into taking it as evidence of a general decline. The April statement, however, merely reflects the steadying up which has been in progress after the extraordinary expansion of the last three or four years. A toning down of business enterprise to a sounder and more conservative basis, building solidly for future growth rather than for frenzied speculation, means greater attention to the fundamentals of production. It means that there is nothing top-heavy about the business situation.

Canada is on the verge of an era of unprecedented development production. The next ten years will bring wonderful progress and prosperity. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy says the Atlantic steamship lines have not enough accommodation at present to carry all the emigrants wanting to come to Canada. There is little danger of any slackening in the influx of new population. In the West $100,000,000 is being spent to extend and complete transcontinental lines to the coast. The Panama Canal opening will occur next year. Undoubtedly ample provision will be made to get the maximum of use out of it. The Hudson Bay route will be ready in 1915. The Democratic tariff revision in the United States may provide for free wheat and free cattle. The Senate Finance Committee is likely to amend the Underwood Bill to this extent. The Great Lakes waterways system will undergo immense improvements, the enlargement of the Welland Canal being the chief. The Dominion Government has obtained the passage of an appropriation from Parliament for a commission to examine the commercial utillity of the Georgian Bay Canal. All over Canada are preparations under way for the grasping of such greater opportunities. The trade routes being enlarged and opened will be ample to serve 15,000,000 or 20,000,000 people, instead of merely 8,000,000. What is needed everywhere is emulation of the Canadian Pacific policy in reserving its Western lands for the actual settlers—settlers alone. Such development of trade routes as is in prospect means that Canadians have only to help the settlers get on the land in order to lay the basis of a national prosperity greater than has been.

Now is the time!

Don't wait until it is too late, but as soon as you read this just write a postal to the Maple Hurst Greenhouses, Waterloo, P.Q. and procure a catalogue of their bedding plants. Their method of growing and shipping plants in boxes in an excellent way, because they are in thrifty grown condition and the injury to the small rootlets being dug from a hotbed in thus avoided. All that is necessary is to tear away the paper pots and plant without disturbing the roots. All plants are shipped by express in our patent shipping crate. Mr. Slack, one of the proprietors of Maple Hurst was in town on Thursday and booked quite a batch of orders, so send your order in, early.

Town Council.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held in the Town Hall on Wednesday last, Mayor Felix Paquette presiding. There were also present Councillors Deslaurier, McGibbon, Hope McFaul, Scott, McKimmie, Lefebvre and Hamilton.

A petition from the ratepayers of Bethany Street was received, asking the council to place a hydrant at the corner of College and Bethany as soon as funds permitted.

The housing of hose in convenient centres for use in case of fire was left in the hands of the police and road committees.

Old Men vs Greenhorns.

When old men and the greenhorns met,
Upon the field to try their fate,
Such laughing, kicks and sparring
Like the elements a warring
And the murmur of the distant sea
Was tame to that, as tame could be.

Some legs were flying in the air,
And some bald heads and long grey hair,
Some tall, some short, some fat, some lean
Tumbling helter skelter on the green,
The green horns may be green in years,
But not in kicks, in cuffs and cheers.

With heals, with hands as well as feet,
The opposing elements did meet,
Some tried to kick the very stars,
As if led by the god of wars,
Who's head in battle never bowed,
Nor listened to a cheering crowd.

The gorgeous colors that were there,
To deck the persons of the fair,
In red, in pink in white and blue,
To meet the eyes of lovers true,
The silvery langh was light and free,
T'was good to hear you will agree.

It was a mirth provoking scene,
This great ball kicking on the green,
If not to make the old men mad,
They should be called the awkward squad
The green men they had kicked before,
Were bound to make the extra score.

It was a merry time to all,
To old and young to great and small,
To fat and lean to tall and short,
And nationals of every sort,
A happy laughing shouting crowd,
All left the field so very proud.

CUSHING.

Miss May Finkerton is in Grenville this week.

Miss Mabel Stephens, of Westmount, is a guest of Mrs. Walford.

Miss Alberta Nicholls spent a couple of days with her friends in Hawkesbury this week.

Mr. Arthur Bryerton of Carillon, and his sister Miss Annie were guests at Mrs. E. Whelehan's on Tuesday.

Mr. A Derrick, of Montreal, was a guest of his brother Mr. T. Derrick for a day or two last week.

We had the pleasure of a call form Mr. T. McNaughton, of the "Watchman" Staff, also Mrs. McNaughton on Tuesday.

Mr. A. Walford returned to Montreal on Monday after a pleasant week's holiday with his family at Pine Cottage.

Mr. W. J. Holliday, of Montreal, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Watson for a day or too previous to his departure on a trip to the Pacific Coast during his absence his little daughter Phyllis will be the guest of her grand parents.

On Tuesday evening a man named Antoine Rochon, was drowned in the canal at Greece's Point. In stepping from the deck of a barge into the coping at the lower lock he missed his footing and fell into the water and before he could be extricated the poor fellow was dead. He was aged about fifty and quiet respectable man unmarried and a native of Greece's Point, where he leaves a number of brothers and one sister.

The funeral takes place on Thursday morning to St. Phillippe Cemetery.

WHEAT QUOTATIONS AND WHEAT CROPS

Prices Higher in Canada Than in States—Huge American Harvest Is Forecasted

Ever since 1911 the fates have conspired to disprove the theory that reciprocity with the United States would have enriched the Canadian wheat-grower. For all but a few days of the crop year now drawing to a close, wheat prices have ruled higher at Winnipeg than at Minneapolis and Duluth. The split between the Canadian and American quotations on the same grades of grain has varied from day to day, but nearly all the time since September 1st, 1912, the Western Canadian farmer has had the advantage over the Western American farmer.

In 1911 the friends of the trade agreement with Washington took the ground that the United States as a producer of wheat had passed its best days and could no longer feed itself, and that this country would have to supply the deficiency. The response of the American farmer was the production in 1912 of the greatest wheat and corn crops in the country's history, and the consequent piling up of an almost record quantity of wheat for export. According to the latest Chicago figures, since July 1st, 1912, the United States has exported one and a half times as much wheat as Canada. The approximate figures are: United States exports, 121,000,000 bushels; Canadian exports, 88,000,000 bushels. The United States still has reserves of 156,000,000 bushels from last year's crop of which it can spare perhaps 90,000,000 bushels to meet the European demand.

Crop of 1,000,000,000 Bushels

The Washington Government crop report forecasts an American winter wheat harvest of 513,571,000 bushels for this year as compared with a crop of 399,919,000 bushels last year and 430,656,000 bushels the year before. The American spring wheat crop has also been planted under favorable conditions, is doing well and, barring accidents, will break all records. In short, so bright is the outlook that the largest grain house in Canada is prophesying a total American wheat crop of 1,000,000,000 bushels this season, against 730,000,000 in 1912, 621,000,000 in 1911, 635,000,000 bushels in 1910, 683,000,000 bushels in 1909, and 664,000,000 bushels in 1908.

These figures do not encourage the view that the United States has reached its greatest development in the production of foodstuffs. The Americans have only begun to cultivate their vast stretches of semi-arid lands, and with the steady extension of scientific agriculture we are likely to witness still larger wheat crops in and wheat exports from the neighboring country. For this reason the proposed reduction of the American duty on wheat from 25 to 10 cents a bushel will not benefit the Canadian grower who, thanks to the defeat of reciprocity, is still protected by the Canadian duty of twelve cents a bushel.

Toronto Globe Agrees

The Toronto Globe put the situation well recently when it said "The reduction proposed in the duty on wheat will affect the Canadian producer very little now. The United States is producing too much surplus wheat in these days to afford us a profitable market there. With reserves on March 31st amounting to about 156,000,000 bushels and a new winter crop coming in about the 1st of July which promises to greatly exceed that of a year ago, the United States is a huge exporter yet With her new irrigation methods there are large wheat areas yet untouched. There is promise that she will be a large exporter for many years to come." This conclusion is supported by all the facts of the case.

Ladies' Suits in Blue and Black, Blue Serge and Venitean, now in $12.00 to $15.00.

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SUMMARY MATTER.

Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne } No. 549

Circuit Court in and for the County of Terrebonne.

Paul Emile Forget, trader, of the Village of Labelle, District of Ottawa, Plaintiff

vs

Dalmas Viger, of Ste. Lucie o Doncaster, cauton Doncaster, District of Terrebonne, Defendant

Defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

St. Jerome, May 14th 1913.

S. MAGNANT

5-30 Clerk of the said Circuit Court.

AUCTION SALE.

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of

MISS M. LOINAGHAN
East Ward, Lachute
Saturday, June 14th, 1913

The following effects:—Two bedroom sets, 2 iron bedsteads, 2 bureaus 2 washstands, 4 small tables, 1 dining room extension table, 2 kitchen tables 2 small centre tables, 9 dining room chairs, 6 kitchen chairs, 1 couch bed 1 lounge, 1 book case and writing desk combined, 4 rocking chairs, 1 sideboard, pictures, curtains, blinds and poles, 3 curtain door brackets, 1 cooking stove, and pipes, 1 box stove, 4 matresses, 4 springs, 20 feet of ¾ inch hose, a lot of dishes and cooking untensils, 5 pairs of brown leghorn hens, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

TERMS: $10 00 and under cash over that amount 6 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes 8 per off for cash.

ROBERT TODD, Licensed Auctioneer. 6-13

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We have just received the first lot of fine Wash goods from New York in

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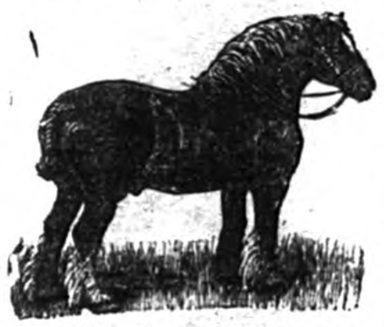
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Lakefield, P. Q.

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No. 36858

Coronation King, B. H. foaled 1902, by King Counsel 31119, Dam Belle Clou, by Cloumore, 5288; grand dam Belle P., by Chetlon 1652 etc. (bred by G. K. Foster Danville, P. Q.

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ALLAN HILL.

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Acting upon the number of letters and requireys from the most prominent farmers through the county they have pursuaded me to send my limported clydesdale Stallion Allan Hill to Lachute and St Andrews, every week therefore from now until season is over. He will be in St. Andrews every Wednesday and in Lachute at Rodrique's Hotel every Thursday and Friday, and at his own stables balance of the week. I have also added to my stable one of the finest youug clydesdales ever imported, will be four years old, weighs 1800 is by everlasting, almost black with brown muzzle and one of the grandest Actors ever shown on a rein. He will be found at my stables all season and last my Trotting bud stallion Main Fanny, by Manishut 205 the Worlds Champion Trotting Stallion, of 1906 and 1907 he is 153 hands high is a beautiful Mohogeny Bay, and weighs 1200 lbs one of the handsomest going trotters ever born. Posters of the three above Stallions will be sent out later. It will pay interesting breeders to look these. Their highly bred stallions over before going else where. Terms for either, above 3 horses only $10.00 for living foal.

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Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of M. D. J. Spence, Architect, 46 Beaver Hall Hill, Montreal, Que., and at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a charted bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returnturned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 22 1913.]

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH, WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

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Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties,— Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within 9 miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchasad homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

The Caterpillar Invasion.

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It should be of interest to this community to realize that concented action now althoug it will not ease the trees or restore the blossoms for this year, yet may prevent a recurrence of the caterpillar plague in the future. If at this stage the worms are destroyed there will be no formation of cocoons and no hatching of moths. It is the moths which deposit the eggs that are the greatest future menace, for they flit from tree to tree and during late June and July deposit the eggs on twigs mostly in macessable places and these eggs remain domant until the following spring when they hatch out into the caterpillars that too late we realize are a nusence not only to the fruit trees but also to the maples seriously in pairing their beauty and productiveness. Spraying at once with arsenate of lead will destroy them, and when they come down from the trees these warm days. If the trees have been griddled with tar or any sticky substance the worms cannot return to their forage ground. Last year I carefully destroyed worms and all the cocoons I could hunt out, but my neighbours neglected their's and the moths deposited their eggs and, I suppose from the neglect of others.

Concented prompt action means much to the orchard and sugar bushes of this County. Neglect must be paid for in the future,

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ABOUT BLENHEIM PALACE

ONE OF THE GREAT SHOW PLACES OF ENGLAND.

Expected That the 20,000 Idle Acres of the Estate Will Be Put Under Cultivation.

It is announced that the Duke of Marlborough will put a thousand acres of the Blenheim estates under the plow, his object being, he says, to increase the food supply of England. A thousand acres would not appreciably increase the food supply, and it would be very intensive farming that would make this acreage yield food for five hundred families. It is expected, however, that the rest of the 20,000 acres that comprise the estate will be cultivated later on, and that of historic Blenheim all that will be left will be the palace itself and the gardens. The Duke is only following the example of smaller landowners, who have been inspired to cut up and sell ancient estates by the land taxes introduced by Lloyd George. They felt that they could not afford to keep idle farms that might be producing something besides delightful landscapes when the tax gatherer was abroad in the land, and spurred to unwonted vigilance by a Radical Chancellor of the Exchequer.

The Only Ducal Manor.

Blenheim Palace is one of the great show places of England. It is, in fact, the only ducal palace. The other homes of dukes are halls or abbeys or castles, but Marlboroughs alone of non-Royal and non-episcopal Englishmen reside in a palace. The right to call his home a palace was one of the distinctions conferred upon John Churchill, the first Duke of Marlborough, and, as everybody knows, it was named after the Bavarian battlefield where he crushed the French and Germans and won the greatest victory of his career. In recognition of his services Marlborough was given Woodstock Manor, a former Royal residence, and about $2,500,000 in cash, so that he might build for himself a suitable nest. The building took so long that it was not completed before his death, and his remarkable widow, who continued the work, lived to enjoy the splendors of Blenheim Palace for only a short time before she, too, passed away.

The Duchess as Overseer.

Woodstock Manor is said to have been built by Henry I., and it was there that Henry II. constructed the famous bower for fair Rosamund, but though the place was good enough for kings and queens it did not measure up to the magnificent ideas of the Marlboroughs, and it was practically obliterated or incorporated into the more splendid palace that Sir John Vanbrugh designed for the warrior. How much money was sunk in the palace nobody knows, but it absorbed a considerable part of the grant made by Parliament after Blenheim, and also a quarter of a million dollars which the Marlboroughs amassed by more dubious means. For more than twenty years Sarah Jennings, Duchess of Marlborough, struggled with the gigantic task that she and her husband had begun. As a chronicler says, "She fought with the architects, turned the workmen against their employers, robbed the builders, and conducted a general campaign which made her almost as famous among the mortar beds and scaffolding as her husband was on the battlefield."

The Spencer Branch.

The old Duchess arranged that the title and estates should descend through her second daughter Anne, named after the Queen, who had married a Spencer. The Duchess, however, preferred the younger grandson to the elder, who was in line for the inheritance, and so she began in her old age to divert everything she could to the younger Spencer. In the end, the elder boy, who became Duke of Marlborough, had little but the magnificent estates and the title. The younger Spencer had the money. So it was that until the present Duke of Marlborough married Consuela Vanderbilt the Spencer branch of the Marlboroughs was the wealthy branch, while the Marlboroughs, or rather the Churchill branch as it was called, had the title and the interest on the mortgages to pay. The wonder is that the Marlboroughs have managed to retain their estates at all, for some of them were notably spendthrifts. In the course of time many of the precious works of art in the palace disappeared, and though the buildings mellowed in beauty and the property increased in value few of the treasures gathered by John Churchill remained.

The Vanderbilt Millions.

It was thought that when Consuela Vanderbilt went to Blenheim as a bride, the Marlborough fortunes were to blaze forth once more, for the Vanderbilt millions were available for purposes of rehabilitation. For a while all was well, and the little village of Woodstock bloomed again under the irrigating influences of the Vanderbilt gold, but presently differences arose, and for some years past the Duke and Duchess have been living apart, the two sons with the mother. They come to visit the Duke at regular intervals, but all efforts have failed to heal the breach between the parents, though it was said that the late King Edward used his personal influence. So another international romance went awry, and the strong support of one of the greatest estates in England being removed, the course of the Duke in turning the plow into his historical parks is a not unnatural conclusion of the story.

BIG DREDGE FOR CANADA.

Will Be Used to Make Deep Water Harbor in Hudson Bay.

Canada will begin this summer to make a deep harbor on Hudson Bay. At a cost of over $250,000 a mammoth hydraulic suction dredge capable of excavating to a depth of forty-seven feet is bing built at Toronto for the Dominion Government. It is designed to battle with the ice floes of the Arctic region and may be completely submerged without sustaining damage.

Not only is it the biggest job of the kind ever attempted by a Canadian shipbuilder, but the contract calls for its completion in the comparatively short space of five months, which means record time for a domestic shipyard.

The dredge will be equipped with wireless apparatus, a complete machine shop, including lathes, planers, drills, air compressors, a set of pneumatic tools, smithy and a crucible for the manufacture of brass castings. Also the crew will be able to enjoy many of the luxuries of an ocean liner, as the craft will have electric light and steam heating in every room, a large refrigerator, pantry and other conveniences.

The Government hopes to make much headway in the development of a harbor on Hudson Bay before the winter of 1913, and it is expected the harbor will be ready by the time the Hudson Bay Railway is completed.

To reach its destination the dredge will have to go down the St. Lawrence, around by the coast of Labrador, through the Hudson Straits and across the bay. While the boat is not self-propelled she is equipped with two rudders and steam steering gear handled from the operating house on the upper deck. This is in order to keep her steady when towing. She will have a three ton anchor and 600 feet of 1½-inch stud link chain, and will also carry a sea anchor, which will keep her head to the wind in case it is necessary for the tugs to cast her adrift.

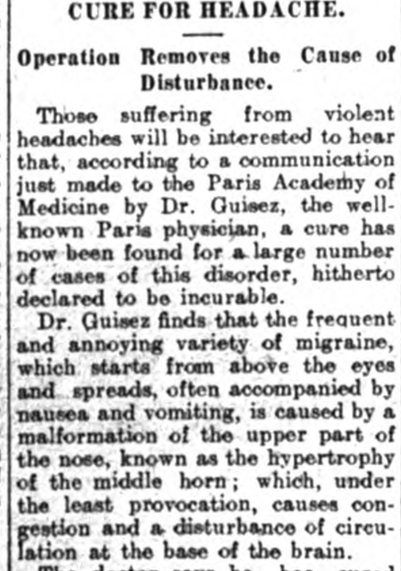
CURE FOR HEADACHE.

Operation Removes the Cause of Disturbance.

Those suffering from violent headaches will be interested to hear that, according to a communication just made to the Paris Academy of Medicine by Dr. Guisez, the well-known Paris physician, a cure has now been found for a large number of cases of this disorder, hitherto declared to be incurable.

Dr. Guisez finds that the frequent and annoying variety of migraine, which starts from above the eyes and spreads, often accompanied by nausea and vomiting, is caused by a malformation of the upper part of the nose, known as the hypertrophy of the middle horn; which, under the least provocation, causes congestion and a disturbance of circulation at the base of the brain.

The doctor says he has cured more than seventy cases by a slight operation, the details of which he gave to the academy. He recommends all persons suffering from frequent headaches to have the interior of the nose examined. This communication is considered by the academy to be of great importance.



NO PLACE FOR IT.

She—I hate you.

He—Oh, darling, let's not have a falling out now.

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TO PASS 3 YEARS IN ARCTIC

STEFANSSON EXPEDITION TO EXPLORE BEAUFORT SEA.

Blond Eskimo Discoverer Does Not Believe Region Is an Open Sea.

What is said to be the last remaining portion of the surface of the globe is to be explored and mapped out. The expedition has for its objective the exploration of an unknown region now charted as the Beaufort Sea, to the northeast of Alaska, and will sail from Victoria, B.C., the first week in June. It is hoped to reach Nome, the last telegraphic station on the Alaskan coast, a month later and to round Point Barrow in the last week of July. The expedition will return, if all goes well, in the autumn of 1916.

The vessel in which the voyage will be made is the Karluck, an old whaler. She will carry ten members of the scientific staff and a crew of twelve. It is of interest to note that Mr. Stefansson, who is of Icelandic extraction,

Was Born at Winnipeg,

and the expedition is being undertaken at the charge of the Canadian Government.

The leader is the discoverer of the so-called blond Eskimos and has had experience of two Arctic voyages in the particular neighborhood to which he is about to proceed. Both of these, as he explained, met with unfavorable weather. He has spent three years among the Eskimos.

The region to be explored covers, roughly, a million square miles. There are two theories with regard to it. One is that it is open sea. This is favored by Dr. Nansen, and it is understood that Amundsen also inclines to this view and is likely to trust to a transpolar current to carry him across it in the Fram.

The opposing theory is that there is land in this particular region now marked on the map as Beaufort Sea. This is known as the Harris theory, from its propounder. Mr. Vilhjalmar Stefansson, the leader of the expedition inclines strongly to the latter belief, for the reason that certain tidal manifestations on the Alaskan coast are, he holds, inconsistent with any other. But briefly these indications are:

The Harris Theory.

The influence of the semi-lunar tides in the Arctic Ocean is felt in two directions, one from the Pacific through Behring Strait, and the other from the Atlantic going in between Greenland and the Norwegian coast. The Pacific tide, owing to the narrow and shallow Behring Strait, stops at a comparatively short distance from that channel, where it is neutralized by the tide from the Atlantic, which has then swept across practically the whole stretch of the Arctic Ocean.

If, it is argued, Beaufort Sea is, in fact, an open space of water, the Atlantic tide would reach Alaska at right angles to the shore. But this is not the case. The tide, on the contrary, sweeps along the Alaskan coast from the north-east, and the deduction, therefore, is that there is some obstacle, either in the form of a large mass of land or of an archipelago, which deflects it from its course.

This question is one of the objects which the Canadian Arctic expedition hopes to set at rest.

Depends on the Weather.

Three years, the period during which the expedition will pursue its researches, has been taken as time adequate to make the first records of so large an area. Much, however, depends on the weather, especially on the prevailing winds.

"If there is a north-east wind," said Mr. Stefansson, "it will blow the ice down along the Alaskan coast, and we shall have to remain close in shore until the 'freeze in,' when we shall proceed to explore on the ice. But if the prevalent wind blows from the south-west it will clear out the ice, and we shall then use the boat. In that case we shall divide into two parties. Half the scientific staff will go on a small schooner, the Teddy Bear, and sail eastward through Dolphin and Union Strait. The remainder will go north from Herschel Island as far as possible."

Care for Aged Convicts.

A special building for aged convicts is being constructed in connection with the prison at Parkhurst, Isle of Wight. In this section armchairs and bedsteads will be placed in the cells, and reading matter will be supplied to the prisoner. In case a prisoner has difficulty in chewing because of poor teeth, minced meat and beef tea will be included in his dietary.

All Aboard for Australia.

In 1881 there were nearly 200,000 more males than females in Australia. Returns 30 years later show that the excess of males has diminished to 187,000, on an aggregate population nearly twice as great.

OUR LETTER FROM TORONTO

WHAT IS BEING GENERALLY DISCUSSED AT THE PRESENT TIME.

Physicians Have Little Faith in Dr. Friedmann's Remedy—No Hope for Federal Square.

A change has come over the attitude of the medical profession toward Dr. Friedmann, who has just paid a second visit to Toronto. When he first came to this country the attitude toward him was one of expectancy and hope, although it is not going too far to say that from the first there were many physicians who looked upon his reported cure for tuberculosis with scepticism. On the whole, however, the attitude in Canada was much more friendly than it was in the United States, and there was general approval of the course of the authorities in extending a special invitation to the German physician to come to Canada to give demonstrations of his important remedy.

From a situation where there were only a few skeptics, the condition has now changed to one in which nearly the entire medical profession expresses little hope that any great advance in the treatment of tuberculosis has been made by Dr. Friedmann. This altered attitude is due to two facts.

In Patent Medicine Class?

First, the sale by Dr. Friedmann of his rights to the manufacture of the remedy, which is in the form of a serum, to a private company in which it is understood Dr. Friedmann himself retains a large interest. The feeling among doctors is that this is unprofessional conduct and places the reported remedy in the class of patent medicines and nostrums. It may be pointed out, however, that the attitude of the medical profession to this class of medicines is somewhat more strict than is that of the general public. There seems to be some basis for the criticism that if Friedmann had made a great discovery such as that made by Pasteur or Lister, the best thing he could have done would have been to have given it freely to the medical profession. If his remedy had been efficacious his reputation would then have been secure and a grateful world would doubtless have seen that honor and wealth would have been freely awarded.

Second, the progress of the patients who have been treated by Dr. Friedmann has not been decisive. In some cases there has been improvement, but the sceptics maintain that this improvement might have been observed even if there had been no Friedmann treatment. In other instances there has been no improvement whatever.

Dr. Friedmann's Answer.

The answer of Dr. Friedmann to the critics of his method of giving out the remedy is that its character requires that it should be in the hands only of practitioners who have been schooled in its use, and that it would be unsafe and unfair to hand it out freely to the public or even to the medical profession at large. For this reason it is probable that Dr. Friedmann, through the company which now holds the right to his serum, will establish tuberculosis sanitoria, which may be known as Friedmann institutes, where patients will be admitted as they would be to hospitals and where the Friedmann serum will be administered. The discoverer says that patients who are unable to pay for the treatment will be treated free. Or it may be that all that will be done for a year or two will be to establish a Friedmann school, possibly in New York, where physicians who wish to familiarize themselves with the treatment may secure instruction for the purpose of afterwards applying it to their patients. This would be a profitable operation for the Friedmann Company. It might secure fees for the instruction and it would doubtless also make a profit on the sale of the remedy to the practising physicians who wish to use it.

This being the situation it is perhaps too early to pass a final judgment on the merits of the remedy. Even those physicians who express the belief that the remedy is not a remedy say that so far as they know it is not injurious. They only fear that the rousing of false hopes among a class of sufferers whose condition is, as a rule, hopeless, may lead to much additional suffering.

No Federal Square.

Toronto has given up all hope of ever securing a Federal Square. The proposal was that the new Government buildings required, such as Customs House, Post Office and similar institutions, should be built on the same street, which would be laid out on a style of magnificence. The Government was reported to be in entire sympathy with the scheme, and Toronto believed that at last it would get something worth while. But the Government found when they came to purchase the land that the land owners always saw them coming and jumped the prices accordingly. The scheme was going to involve so great an expense that it finally was abandoned.

Now the Government proposes to build for the city a fine new Post Office on the land occupied and adjoining the present site on Adelaide St. east, and similarly a new Custom House on the present and adjoining site at the foot of Yonge St. The new Post Office is to have a frontage of 328 feet and a depth of 186 feet. It is estimated that the additional land required will cost not less than $6,500,000, although this land is not in the most expensive area.

WHAT HAPPENS.

British Scientist Declares Laughter Is Violent Effort.

A British scientist who has been making a study of laughter has prepared a list of things that happen when a person gives way to audible laughter. On each side of the throat, he explains, there is an artery called the carotid. At the level of the larynx this divides; one branch, which carries blood to the brain, is called the "internal"; the other, which performs the duty of distributing blood to the face, is called the "external." These two branches are joined by the opthalmic artery at about the level of the eyes, forming between the eyes a sort of canal.

All this in turn brings the tears of laughter, and makes literal the exclamation, "He laughed until he cried."

In reality laughter is not an easy thing. It results in a great, although involuntary effort—an effort as great as though one were lifting a great weight—and in both cases the muscles of both the throat and stomach contract.

Now, when laughter is very hearty; when it is actually excessive, the whole body is convulsed and this means that every muscle is contracted. Here is where people "double up" with laughter. Whether it is laughter or crying, the same thing happens, if it is an excessive emotion—that is, the blood congests the tear glands, and these glands overflow.

EAT NESTS OF SWALLOWS.

Remarkable Industry In Siamese Provinces.

The Siamese Government derives a considerable annual revenue from the rental of the islands on which breed the sea-swallows, whose nests are of edible nature. There are between 400 and 500 of these islands, the majority of which lie off the east coast of the Siamese-Malayan provinces, especially that of Bandon. Here, in the bay that take sits name from the province, and between the mainland and the large islands Koh Pungunn and Koh Samine, stretching northward for 150 miles or so, are the masses of volcanic rock that are the all-the-year round home of literally millions of the birds. Some of the islands are mere rock-beds; others have an expanse of many acres. Nearly all rise sheer out of the intensely blue sea. In infrequent cases there is a narrow strip of beach between the water and the cliff-face.

The coloring of the islands is marvelous; it is a symphony of siennas, umbers, sepias, ochers, pinks, purples, rose and scarlet brought into being by the fervid heat of the volcanic action that originally lifted the rocks from the seabed. The vivid green of tropical vegetables usually crests the islet, emphasizing their many-colored hues. Add to all this the sapphire of the Siamese sea and sky in October and the steady and refreshing breath of the south-west monsoon, and the reader will have an idea of the winding channels that lead through the witchery of fairy islands.

SPAIN IS PROSPERING.

The Last Ten Years Shows an Amazing Advancement.

The last ten years in Spain show an amazing degree of commercial and industrial progress. The record of this accomplishment in a country that a decade ago was looked upon as a dying nation, reads like the comparative statistics of a boom town in the West, and there is awakening in Spain to-day a spirit of hope and enterprise that will, it is confidently believed, be the solution of all the country's material and political problems.

The doubled imports of cotton, the tripled output of iron ores, the prosperity of railways, and the rise in Spanish government 4s from 65 to 93, are indications of this progress, but it is from agriculture that the largest additions to Spanish wealth are made.

Ten years ago 12,500,000 acres were planted in cereals; to-day the total is 17,500,000 acres. The wheat yield in 1904 was 87,500,000 bushels, last season it was close to 150,000,000 bushels. The yearly consumption of wheat, including that used for sowing, is about 175,000,000 bushels. The larger acreage this season will further reduce the wheat and flour imports. The expectations are that another five years will turn Spain into a wheat-exporting country.

Fresh districts of barren land are brought under the plow each year. The new Ebro irrigation canal in Catalonia and the canals under construction in Arragon will turn into farms and gardens upward of 1,000,000 acres of desert-like country, and in the central provinces there are 77,000,000 acres which irrigation and railroad extension would transform into wheat fields.

Men Cheaper Than Horses.

To-day the Chinese are tilling the soil in the same primitive fashion and with the same antiquated implements their forefathers used hundreds of years ago. The hire of men is so cheap that the Chinese farmer cannot afford to use modern horse-drawn plows, and would grudge the animals their provender. The man-power plow commonly used turns a furrow 6 inches wide. The men draw the plow about 15 miles in plowing an acre.

Poor Old Paw.

Willie—Paw, does a Scotch Highlander wear kilts all the time

Paw—Yes, my son.

Willie—Well, how does he scratch a match?

The Cause.

"Why do you blame environment for Bink's grouchiness?"

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HOME

Uses For Stale Bread.

The modern housekeeper is likely to buy a loaf of fresh bread every day at the baker's, but our grandmothers made their bread at home and used up every scrap of one baking before baking day came around again.

Here are some of the ingenious ways in which one grandmother disguised stale bread so that the most pernickety child she had would not know it from a brand-new dish.

Even though small economies are seldom practiced in these days when the high cost of living stalks abroad, yet these old recipes will probe what used to be called "tasty" dishes for breakfast and luncheon.

Cut squares of very hard bread two inches thick; steam over boiling water for twenty minutes and serve hot with butter and maple syrup.

Or cut the bread in one-inch squares, put in a colander and dash cold water over them. Then fry the squares in butter until they are a delicate brown. Break two eggs over them, cook three minutes and serve immediately. This is particularly good for breakfast.

Another way is to make our old friend, French or Spanish toast, which is good for breakfast or luncheon. Cut rather thick slices of bread, dip in milk, then in beaten egg and fry a delicate brown. Serve this very hot, and if possible with maple syrup.

If you happen to have a whole stale loaf left over here is a fascinating way to use it. Cut off all the crust, put it on a tin, and set in the oven to dry and brown. When it is a light, golden brown lay it on the molding board and crush fine. Then cut the crustless loaf into pieces one inch thick and two or three inches long; beat two eggs very light, add two cups of sweet milk and a pinch of salt, dip the pieces of bread in the mixture, roll in the fine bread crumbs, and drop them into hot lard. When they are fried a nice brown put them on a hot dish and sprinkle thickly with sugar and a little fine cinnamon.

A really delicious pudding can be made in the following manner: Take rather thick slices of bread from which the crust is trimmed. Butter these slices on both sides. Heat a can of rather tart red or purple plums, put a layer of fruit in the bottom of a pudding dish, then a layer of bread and butter, and continue until the dish is filled. Set it in the oven for five minutes to get heated through. Then remove it from the oven, cover with a plate, put a weight on it, and set where it will become thoroughly cold. Eat it with cream and sugar. Tart cherries may be used in place of plums, or blackberries, and there should be plenty of juice, so that the bread may be saturated.

Ways of Cooking Rhubarb.

Rhubarb is one of the spring's blessings. Its list of health-giving possibilities is almost endless and its advocates as the giver of beauty are numbered by scores.

Pies and tarts of rhubarb are old favorites. There is a good deal of difficulty experienced in making them, because of the fact that rhubarb is generally so juicy that it soaks the under crust. To lessen the amount of juice do not use any water in the preparation of the rhubarb. Cut the stalks after they are washed, dried and skinned in half-inch lengths, cover them with sugar and put them in the crust. There can be two crusts or the top of the pie can be barred with pastry.

When making rhubarb tarts prepare the rhubarb and the crusts separately. Bake crisp crusts in muffin rings. Wash, dry and skin rhubarb stalks, cut them in inch pieces and stew them slowly until perfectly tender with a very little water. Add sugar when they are taken from the stove while they are still hot. Chill the rhubarb and at the last minute put it into the crusts.

Rhubarb cobbler, made without an under crust, of course, is a delicious luncheon dish for the devotee of rhubarb. To make it prepare a batter of a cupful of sour milk, a half-teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little cold water added to the milk, a tablespoonful of butter and enough flour to make a medium batter. Put rhubarb, cut in short lengths, in a pudding dish and sugar it generously. Then pour over it the batter. Bake it in a moderate oven. Serve it hot with boiled custard or sugar and cream.

Rhubarb pudding, which is a favorite with children, is made on the order of apple brown betty. To make it cut the rhubarb in pieces, put a layer of it in a pudding dish, cover it with sugar and then a layer of bread and butter. Alternate layers of fruit and bread until the dish is filled. Cover it and bake it half an hour, remove the cover and bake ten minutes longer. Serve with a hot sauce of any desired flavor.

Home Hints.

If a recipe calls for butter the size of an egg, it is the same as a heaping tablespoonful of butter.

Chopped celery mixed with butter and seasoned with salt and pepper, makes a delicious stuffing for squab.

If dates which have been stewed and pressed through a sieve are added to a custard filling they will make a delicious pie.

It is well to remember that dainty lawns and muslins must be removed from the line as soon as dry, or the wind will make them limp.

Salt pork cut thin and dipped constantly in hot water while it is being fried will be found delicious served on toast. Sprinkle it well with pepper.

It is wise to sprinkle a little flour in the bottom of the cake pan, after greasing the pans with butter, this extra precaution will keep the cake from sticking.

Try serving fresh strawberries for breakfast in sherbet glasses, each layer sprinkled generously with pulverized sugar and orange juice poured over to moisten well.

If new enamelled saucepans are placed in a pan of water and allowed to come to a boil they will last much longer without cracking or burning than if they were used straight away.

A tasty appetizer is made of rye bread spread with butter, creamed and mixed with an equal amount of fresh grated horseradish. Cover each triangle of the bread with a strip of smoked salmon.

To keep heavy graniteware in good condition, place it in a large receptacle and boil in soda water for five or ten minutes twice a week. This will keep the ware sweet and wholesome and remove grease from it.

It is well when preparing to cook a ham, to scrape the outside skin before putting the ham into the water. Another thing to remember is not to put a fork into a ham; remove it from the water with a large spoon or one of the old-fashioned pie lifters.

A clever device for letting the oil drip slowly from the bottle when making a salad dressing is this: Cut two grooves in the cork on opposite sides; one groove admits air, while the other permits the oil to run slowly and evenly.

In stuffing tomatoes, use as many cracker or bread crumbs as there is pulp, and season the mixture with pepper, butter and plenty of salt, as well as with a few drops of onion juice. Fill the tomato shells with the mixture, and then dot with buttered crumbs.

To renew chiffon, spread a wet cloth over a very hot iron and hold the chiffon over the steam until it is free from wrinkles. Repeat the process with another hot iron and wet cloth as soon as the steam begins to flow feebly. The chiffon should be dried quickly.

A cupful of cocoanut beaten into a pint of cream that has been whipped light and dry and flavored with a little extract of bitter almond makes a delicious filling for layer cakes, or may be served in a cake that has had the inside part taken out and the outside left for a shell.

To open a window which sticks from dampness, take each window cord on the upper part of the window in hand at the same time and pull until the weights are up at the top. Let go suddenly and the force of their fall will start the most obstreperous window.

To roast blanched almonds, put them in a bowl and thoroughly mix two tablespoonfuls of olive oil and a tablespoonful of dry salt for every pound of nuts with them. Then place them in a greased paper bag, tie it at the top and roast them for ten minutes, shaking occasionally.

EXPERIMENTAL ORCHARD.

How South Australia Tries to Help the Fruitgrower.

Among the most successful of the means adopted by the horticultural department of South Australia for the assistance of the fruitgrowers is the carrying out of various experiments at the government orchard established for that purpose. The orchard is situated at Coromandel Valley, in the Mount Lofty ranges and is pronounced by experts to be the best of its kind in Australia. It is 52 acres in extent, and in view of the very large area suitable for fruit culture in South Australia great interest is taken in the experiments. These include trials of different methods of budding, grafting, manuring, thinning, and the treatment of pests. In addition, interesting experiments relating to the caprification of the Smyrna fig, and the "bitter pit" difficulty in apples are being undertaken, and a variety of other important work carried on. At present the orchard contains about 1400 varieties of apples, 800 kinds of pears, 320 peaches, 120 apricots, 80 nectarines, 360 plums, 320 cherries, 30 almonds, 16 loquats, 40 olives and 181 figs (comprising 63 Smyrna, 13 Capri, and 105 other varieties); besides 152 sorts of strawberries and large assortments of raspberries, and red, white and black currants: tomatoes, potatoes and other plants.

The Village Joker.

"Did you kiss Mabel against her will?"

"No. She was standing against the parlor door at the time."

A MORNING WITH THE KAISER

THE GERMAN EMPEROR IS A VERY BUSY MAN.

Two Hours of Hurry and Hustle in The Early Hours at Potsdam Castle.

It is a bright spring morning, and Berlin is bathed in a glorious sunlight, in which the windows of the great Imperial Schloss glisten and gleam.

The band of the First Dragoon Guards, of which King George is a colonel, is playing a fine old German chorale in the square of the Castle, about which squads of soldiers are marching quickly, says a writer in London Answers.

At the wide main-entrance to the Castle, four soldiers of the Dragoon Guards are on sentry duty, and they bring their rifles with a sharp rattle to ground as they come to attention when we pass up the steps and through the open portals.

Still as Statues.

In the entrance-hall there are a number of soldiers on guard, and, indeed, throughout the Castle the military element is far more in evidence than it is at any of the British Royal Palaces.

As one ascends the wide central marble staircase, one glimpses remote backgrounds of beautifully-painted walls and ceilings, and vistas of immense windows. Everywhere there is a sense of great spaciousness and color and light.

We halt opposite a large apartment on the second floor, the great double doors of which are wide open, and by which two soldiers stand erect and as motionless as statues.

It is the morning reception-room, and is at the moment full of visitors—they are mostly men, who for the greater part are in military, naval, and diplomatic uniforms. Grizzled-looking generals, fresh-complexioned and rather cheeky-looking young officers, and graver-looking older men, some of whom are wearing ordinary black frock-coats.

There are perhaps half a dozen ladies in the room.

King of Commerce, Too!

The clock in the square booms out eleven, and almost on the last stroke there comes the sound of the clinking of spurs outside the room. The buzz of conversation dies down, and the next moment the Emperor, followed by the Crown Prince, enters the room, both wearing the undress uniform of the Prince's regiment.

The Kaiser stands talking to a small group for a few minutes, and leaves the room, and hard upon his heels follows a short, spare, wiry, sharp-featured man wearing ordinary morning-dress.

He is Herr Henser, the Kaiser's business secretary. In the British Royal household there is no such office which at all corresponds to that which is so ably filled by Herr Henser.

The Kaiser's business interests, both public and private, are much wider than our Monarch's. His Imperial Majesty is the actual owner of a big pottery establishment, and is largely interested in many business ventures; the Royal Opera is under Royal control, and in many other ways the Emperor is directly interested in business affairs, and is much closer in personal touch with the business life of his subjects than the British people would like their King to be.

The Kaiser's "working-room" is a very large apartment with four big windows.

Trouble at the Opera.

On the walls there are a number of maps, and several framed designs of warships that were drawn by the Emperor himself. On one of the walls there is a first-rate pencil sketch of King George and Queen Mary, and a fine oil painting of Queen Alexandra, and in a corner of the room there is a big marble bust of King Edward.

About the room are models of warships, aeroplanes and aircraft of various kinds, and in one corner a finely-modelled bronze statue, some four feet high, of the Kaiser in a suit of armor, a powerful work of art that greatly pleased the "War Lord"—as the statue is entitled.

The Kaiser takes his seat by the writing-table and by his side sits his business secretary. Soon both are busy going into the papers and letters that have been arranged for the Emperor's inspection.

There is a lengthy document from the manager of the Imperial factory. The business secretary has marked certain portions of it in red ink, and takes down the Emperor's instructions on the points dealt with in the marked passages.

Then there is a communication from the manager of the Royal Opera which makes

Emperor and Secretary Smile.

It is not an uncommon type of communication; it relates to a "grievance" of a minor singer at the Royal Opera House, who threatens to resign unless she is allowed to wear a certain style of dress in the opera of which the manager does not approve. The matter, of course, is left in the hands of the manager, but, in accordance with the rules, any singer in the Royal Opera who thinks he or she is aggrieved, can compel the manager to lay her case before the Emperor.

The secretary scribbles a few words on the letter, and it is dealt with.

More serious business soon engages the attention of the Emperor. There are letters from captains of industry and lords of finance dealing with great commercial enterprises, about which the Emperor likes to be kept well informed. The Kaiser scrutinizes them keenly, marks a passage here and there in each, and, if necessary, dictates a reply; but in most instances these letters are simply acknowledged and carefully filed for reference.

Then a little incident occurs. An equerry enters the room and hands a newspaper cutting to the secretary, which the latter puts before the Emperor. His Majesty reads it attentively.

Lunching With the Guards.

It is the sort of matter that no one would take notice of if it appeared in an English paper—such passages do indeed sometimes appear in one or two papers in the provinces—papers that have no circulation worth mentioning.

The passage referred to was a personal attack upon the Emperor. His Majesty frowns as he reads it, clenches his fist, and mutters something under his breath. Then he signs a paper that has been put before him by his secretary, and an hour later the editor of the paper has been arrested on a charge of lese-majesty.

At one o'clock the Emperor rises, the business secretary is dismissed, and departs with his sheaf of letters, and an equerry enters the room.

"I am ready," says the Kaiser. The Emperor is lunching with the Dragoon Guards at the Barracks to-day, and equerry and Kaiser are to leave the Castle at 1.15 sharp.

The Lonely One.

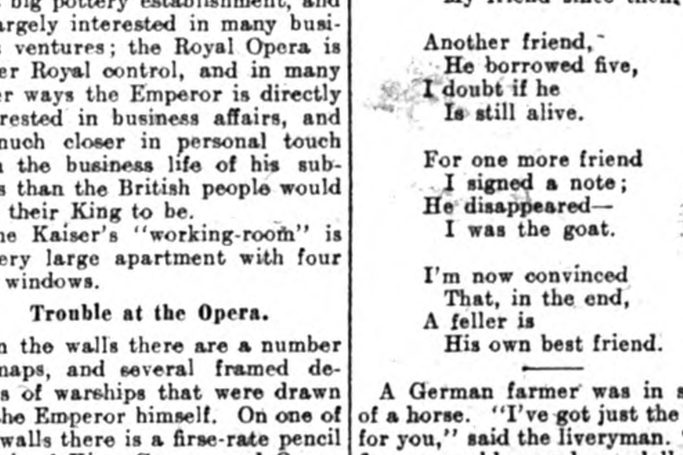
I had a friend,
I loaned him ten;
I haven't seen
My friend since then.

Another friend,
He borrowed five,
I doubt if he
Is still alive.

For one more friend
I signed a note;
He disappeared—
I was the goat.

I'm now convinced
That, in the end,
A feller is
His own best friend.

A German farmer was in search of a horse. "I've got just the horse for you," said the liveryman. "He's five years old, sound as a dollar and goes ten miles without stopping." The German threw his hands skyward. "Not for me," he said; "not for me. I live eight miles from town, and mit dot horse I haf to valk back two miles."



FIDO MADE A MISTAKE.

Miss Vera Willing's pet dog does his star trick just as Mr. Slowboy is proposing.

THE BRITISH ARMY IS SMALL

GERMANY AND FRANCE ARE RIVALING ONE ANOTHER.

Armies of Central Europe Will Be Increased by 1,500,000 This Year.

The threatening attitude of Austria towards the Balkan allies and the possibility that a general European war may be the result, directs attention to the present military and naval resources of the great powers.

It is scarcely conceivable that any contingency will arise to plunge all the great nations of Europe into a general war. The rulers themselves have more to lose—infinitely more to lose—than to gain from such a calamity, and voluntarily will never take, together or singly, steps that would provoke a universal outburst of flaming death in Europe. But there is no denying the fact that the present situation is a serious menace to continental peace, and that no one fully acquainted with that situation would be surprised at the outbreak of hostilities involving several—two at least, and perhaps three—of the six powers usually classified as "great."

The triple alliance between Germany, Austria-Hungary, and Italy, the Franco-Russian alliance, and the friendly understandings between Great Britain and France and Great Britain and Italy, all exist primarily to maintain the status quo, but secondarily to checkmate one another in diplomacy or to fight one another in certain eventualities. It is important, therefore, to compare the offensive and defensive resources of these powers, with a view to estimating roughly the scale of possible operations if war broke out involving any two or more of them.

British Army Smallest.

The British army is the smallest of the six. Great Britain, in spite of her globe-encircling possessions, is primarily not a land but a sea power. It has been the policy of the British Admiralty during recent years to develop a 60 per cent. superiority in vessels of the Dreadnought type over the German navy, Germany, next to Great Britain, being the strongest of the naval powers. The British land force has of late been a subject of much discussion. What is called the Expeditionary Force is a by-product of the British maritime system, and it is ready, when necessary, to be placed at the disposal of England's friends. It is true that it is not large, but it would have turned the scales in any and every battle fought in modern times. It is as large as the Russian and larger than the Japanese army, which fought at Liao-Yang, and larger also than the Bulgarian or Turkish armies which fought in any battle of the Balkan war.

Britain's Home Defence.

For home defence the British Isles depend upon the Territorial Force. Every effort to raise this force to the full strength of 500,000 or 600,000 men has been futile, and in the opinion of military experts it will be impossible without the adoption of compulsion in some form. At the same time no one doubts that the Territorial Force is in a condition to take the field at once upon the despatch of the Expeditionary Force and to guarantee the safety of the country in case of invasion by a continental army.

Germany and France are rivaling one another in their feverish efforts to increase their armed strength. Roughly speaking, Germany is aiming at a five-million-men standard for her army, but it is well known that a dependence upon numbers alone is not a failing of German military administrators, who are consistent in seeking, above all, to improve the quality and solidity of the first line. The increase in the German navy of late has been such as to seriously threaten Great Britain's "60 per cent. superiority" standard. The salient feature in German naval progress is not so much the increase in size and power of every class of warship, although this has been most marked, but the further preparation for the immediate use of the whole of the effective fleet. Also to be reckoned is the German air fleet, admittedly the finest in the world.

France Recovering Lost Ground.

France, impelled rather by the extraordinary acceleration of shipbuilding in Italy and Austria-Hungary, is making strenuous efforts to recover the ground lost in recent years. At the same time every possible increase in the French army, which can be effected by financial and administrative methods is being made without delay.

Italy's navy is rapidly assuming respectable proportions. But the glory of Italy's armed forces is her cavalry. The peace footing is 275,000; this can be raised in a week to upwards of 1,000,000 men. Austria-Hungary has recently passed laws which will much increase the military strength of the Dual Monarchy. Roughly speaking, the old organization produced about 1,214,000 trained men. The new laws will eventually raise this figure to 1,820,000.

The Russian army is the largest of all Europe, and steps have been taken recently to further increase its size and efficiency. While there are continued signs of renewed activity in Russian naval construction, the acceleration in shipbuilding, which is so noteworthy in Italy and Austria-Hungary, has not been equalled. According to present plans the armies of the central European powers will be increased by 1,500,000 trained men before the end of the year. Those additions are not considered excessive from the military point of view, because, apart from all other considerations, the Russian contingent of recruits approximately equals that of Germany and Austria combined.

THE WILD DWARFS OF SPAIN.

Interesting Description of Their Dwelling Places and Habits.

It is hard to believe that in one of the oldest nations of Europe there dwells a people sunken as low in the scale of civilization as the Hurdanos, who occupy a large tract in the mountainous region of central Spain. They were almost unknown outside of Spain, until two enterprising Englishmen penetrated into their mountain fastnesses and "discovered" them to the world at large. Messrs. A. Chapman and W. J. Buck, the authors of "Unexplored Spain," thus describe them:

In the deep gorges of the mountain ranges of the northern Estremadura are the settlements, or alquerias, of these wild tribes. Most of the settlements are inaccessible on horseback. That of Romano de Arriba, for example, is plunged in such an abyss that from November to March no ray of sunshine ever reaches it. A similar case is that of Casa Hurdes, which as seen from the bridle-track leading over the Sierra de Porteros into Castile, appears buried in the bottom of a crevasse. On the other hand, some perch amidst high crags that can only be scaled by a rough scramble up broken rock stairways.

These alquerias — warrens, we may translate the word—consist of den-like hovels, straggling without order, or huddled together, as the rock formation may dictate—some half-piled one on another, others separate. Many are mere holes in the earth, lairs, shapeless as nature left their walls, but roofed over with branches and grass, and held in place by schistose slabs that serve for slates.

Hardly, in some cases, can you distinguish human dwellings from surrounding bush, earth, or rock. As our companion, a civil guard, remarked of one set of aeries that adhered to a cliff face, they rather resembled "the nests of crag-martins than the abodes of mankind."

Within are two tiny compartments, the first occupied by goats or swine, the second littered with bracken, on which the family sleep. There is no light or furniture of any description; no utensils for washing, hardly even for cooking. In some of the lairs there is a hollowed tree trunk that may serve as a bed, but its original purpose (as the name batane imports) was for pressing the grapes and olives in autumn. Even wild beasts, the wolves and boars, are more attentive to domestic cleanliness and propriety.

The people, clad in a patchwork of rags, leather, and untanned skins, are undersized, pallid of complexion, plain (although we would scarce say repulsive) in appearance, with dull, incurious eyes that were constantly averted when our glances met. The men affected a vacuous grin or giggle that was utterly devoid of any spark of joy or gladness. Many had flattened noses of the Mongolian type; and not even among the younger girls could we find a trace of good looks. All were barefoot, and barelegged to the knee.

On our opening the door of a den,—an old packing-case lid, three feet high, secured by a thong of goat-skin,—two pigs dashed forth, squealing; and at the first step inside, the writer's foot splashed in fetid moisture hidden beneath a litter of green fern. It was dark within, and too low to stand upright, and so I struck a match, and presently became aware of a living object almost underfoot. It proved to be a baby, no bigger than a rabbit, whose tiny black, bead-like eyes gleamed with a wild light. Never before have I seen such a look on a human face.

We scrambled up two steps in the rock, and crept into the inner lair, and from the fern litter arose a female. She stood about three feet high, had the same wild eyes, and her unkempt hair, encrusted brown with dirt, hung loose over her naked shoulders; she appeared to be about ten years old, yet she told us she was fourteen, and the mother of the rabbit-like child.

So lacking are these poor savages in any sufficient clothing, whether for day or night, that the children are habitually laid to sleep among the swine, in order to share the natural warmth of those beasts.

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BIRTHS.

HAMILTON.—At Beech Ridge, on Monday June 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hamilton, a daughter.

DEATHS

NICHOLSON.—At Warren, Ont., on Sunday, June 1st, 1913, Thomas Nicholson, formerly of Lakefield, in his sixty fifth year. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss six daughters and three sons.

McFARLANE.—At Upper Lachute, Wednesday June 11th, Andrew McFarlane, aged 73 years.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Mima Morrison spent the week-end in Stanerville.

Mrs. Robt. Boa, of Mirabel, is spending a few days in town.

Miss Davidson, of Montreal, spent the week end with Mrs. Harlow Giles.

Mr. Yelling, of Montreal, spent the week-end in town with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Miller, of California, are visiting their many friends in town.

Miss Kathleen Yates, of Dunham, was the guest of Miss Plaisted for the week-end.

Miss Daisy Kennedy, of Montreal, was in town over Sunday the guest of Mrs. A. McFaul.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cullens, of Montreal, spent the week-end the guest of Mrs. G. H. Bills.

Mrs. Albright, of St. Andrews, spent a few days this week in town the guest of Miss Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Nicholl, of Newark, N. J. are spending a few weeks visiting their friends.

Mr. and Miss Annette, of Montreal, were guests of Mrs. Robert McFaul for a few days this week.

Mr. Malcolm McGregor, of Montreal, spent the week-end the guest of his father Mr. Thos. McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Jousse spent Saturday and Sunday in Vankleek Hill, the guest of their son Mr. Paul Jousse.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Evans, of Montreal, spent a few days in town this week the guest of Mrs. Robt. Evans.

Nurse Morrison, of Montreal, has returned home after spending a few weeks the guest of Mrs. Wm. Morrison.

PLEASE REMEMBER that your subscription is due.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldsworthy and family of Montreal, are spending a couple of weeks holiday with friends in town.

The Young Peoples Society of the Presbyterian Church, are to hold a social evening to-night at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Geo. Creswell and daughter, left on Wednesday morning for a months visit with friends in Pembroke, and North Bay.

Mrs. Gordon, of Cascades, has for the past week been spending a very pleasant holiday in town, visiting her numerous friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt Mackie and family of Montreal, and Mr. MacGowan, of Lachine, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Mackie.

Mrs. Faddon and Miss Kirkpatrick, of Montreal, were the guests of Mrs. Robt. Hamilton and Mrs. Jas. McFaul for a few days this week.

Miss Katie McGibbon, of Ottawa, spent a few days in town this week attending the wedding of her cousin Miss E. Warwick.

Mrs. J. D. Millar and Master James and Miss Margaret Nicoll, of Winnipeg, Man., are at present visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nicoll.

Miss Giles and Miss Reid spent the week end with Mrs. Henry J. Giles before sailing on Tuesday the 13th. for Germany, to take up further courses in music.

The many friends of the Rev. B. B. Brown will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed as assistant minister to the St. James Methodist Church, Montreal.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Ball, of St. Andrews, were the guests of the Rev. J. A. Lackey over Sunday. Mr. Ball preached in the morning in St. Simeons Church and at St. Aiden's Church, Louisa, in the afternoon. Both Services were well attended and sermons greatly appreciated.

Following along the good example Messrs. O. B. Lafleur and Sons, have laid the cement walk and now the workmen are busy at work for Messrs. J. D Lemay and L. P. Rodrique. These added improvements of our townsmen will make the visitors to our town sit up and take notice.

Although the seismograph instrument at McGill Observatory shewed no record of an earth-quake having taken place, many residents received quite a scare from the heavy shock which was felt between one and two o'clock Sunday morning. The shock lasted about two minutes and was the topic of discussion throughout the day.

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The adjourned April term of the Circuit Court will be held on the 17th inst, presided over by the Hon. Justice Robidoux. The following cases will be heard:—Alex. Riddell vs Dame M. L Stackhouse et. al. action for damages. Evariste Brunette vs Jean Prevost, action on account. Francis Larocque, vs Jno. M. Meekin, et. al., suit for alementary pension. L. L. Legault vs Wm. Ladouceur. action for professional services. Michel Safaday vs Thos. Marshal, action on account. Jas. W. Gall, vs R. Ralphovitch, action on cheque.

WEDDING BELLS

MURDOCK—MORROW

The marriage of Miss Catherine Alice Murdock, to Mr. Thos. Morrow took place quietly on Wednesday afternoon, June 11th at the home of Mr. Archibald Murdock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. E. White, of Dalesville, before a number of relatives and friends, and after partaking of the hospitality of the host, the happy couple left on the evening train for a brief visit to Montreal.

FRASER—DOBBIE

The marriage of Mr. Wm. Fraser of Huntingdon, B. C. to Miss Margaret, eldest daughter of the late Jno. Dobbie, of Harrington. The bride was given away by her brother Robert, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. W. D Reid, of Stanley St. Presbyterian Church, Montreal, who was an old friend of the family, having preached his first sermon to the people of Harrington. Mr. and Mrs. Fraser leaves on Monday for their Western Home and carry with them the good wishes of a host of friends.

WARWICK—GOLDSWORTHY

The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Warwick, of Rousillon, Que., on Wednesday afternoon last, of their eldest daughter, Emma to Mr. Stanley Goldsworthy, formerly of Carlisle, England. The bride who was gowned in white marquisito, was given away by her father. Miss Alice Warwick, was bridesmaid. and R. A. Giles spported the groom. Only the near relatives of both bride and groom were present, and after a sumptious meal, the happy couple left for Montreal and other points.

WALLACE—NICOLL

The marriage of Miss Edna Wallace and J. Anderson Nicoll, took place Wednesday evening at the memorial Presbyterian Church, Newark N. J. The Rev. Andrew S. Simmerman, the pastor performed the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Annie Nicoll sister of the groom, and Mr. Rudolph Kengeter was best man. The bride wore white voile with venice lace, her travelling dress was grey charmeuse satin. The bridesmaid wore white crepe-de-chine Mr. and Mrs. Nicoll are at present the guests of the formers parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nicoll, after having visited Buffalo, Niagara, Toronto, and Ottawa. They will reside at 95 Fabyan Place, Newark, N. J.

PERLEY—WHITE

Argenteuil extends cordial greetings to its honored member, the Hon. Geo. H. Perley, and wishes his long life and every happiness in its truest sense.

Hon. George H. Perley, minister without portfolio, of the Dominion Cabinet, and Miss Milly White, daughter of the late Hon. Thomas White, Minister of the Interior, under the late Sir John A. Macdonald, were very quietly married in St John's Church on Wednesday morning The Rev. J. A. Gorman assisted by the Rev. Canon Pollard, performed the ceremony, which owing to a recent bereavement in the bride's family, was witnessed by only immediate relatives. The bride who was given away by her brother, Mr. Robert S. White, of Montreal, wore her travelling costume, a handsome cream serge suit with collar and cuffs of white moire, and a blouse of white embroidered marquisette white tegal straw hat faced with black and trimmed with white ostrich feathers and carried a boquet of lillies of the valley and white roses. She also wore the bridegroom's gift, a pendant of diamonds and pearls, set in platinum. Miss Laura White, the bride's sister as bridesmaid wore a gown of white silk shadow brocade crepe with trimmings of white satin and pearls, and a white hat with pink chiffon crown and a mount of pink roses at the back. She also wore the bridegroom's gift, a bracelet of platinum set with white pearls and diamonds, and carried pink roses. Dr. Fred Powell was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Perley left by private car to Toronto and Detroit.

OBITUARY

The death of Mr. Andrew McFarlane occurred on Wednesday last. Deceased was a resident of Upper Lachute, where he has spent the best part of his life. Mr. McFarlane had been ailing in health for the past two years and passed away at the advanced age of 73. The funeral takes place to-day to the Lachute Cemetary.

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CHAPTER III.—(Cont'd)

With the exception of a few small legacies to Smith and the old servants who had been so many years in his service, Mr. Bousfield left his nephew every penny he possessed. Harry's reward had come at last, though to do him justice, it never occurred to him to look upon it in that light. So much wealth was positively overpowering. Not only was he sole owner of the house in Bryanston Square, but also of an income only a hundred or so short of six thousand a year. And he was only twenty-three and had all the best years of his life before him. Happy youth! and yet, curiously enough, Harry was not nearly as happy as might have been imagined under the circumstances.

To begin with he was all alone. Owing to the seclusion in which Mr. Bousfield had lived, he—Harry—had no companions of his own age, and he felt their want sadly. Secondly, he missed his uncle in a way which astonished even himself. He was surprised to find how deeply, although quite unconsciously, he had sunk into the groove. It was impossible to him to get out of it all of a sudden. This he discovered to his amazement. Had anyone told him such would prove the case, he would not have believed it, but by degrees he was forced to admit the fact, incredible as it first appeared.

Anyhow, during the winter months he lived on much as heretofore. It took him some time to realise that he was absolutely his own master. His means were sufficient to allow of the gratification of every wish. Strange! that so many of his wishes should have disappeared. Whenever he reflected on the future the same question always cropped up, "What was he to do?"

Like a prisoner who, after years of incarceration, at length regains his freedom, the brilliancy of that very light he so often had pined to see, dazzled him. He could not grow accustomed to all at once.

Sometimes Harry thought he would go in for hunting, shooting and fishing. At others, a tour of the world seemed to offer superior attractions. One thing he was quite determined about. He would not stop any longer in Bryanston Square doing nothing. As a natural consequence of this decision, he remained, though he formed innumerable plans for letting the house and getting away.

Since his earliest days he had been in the habit of receiving advice without soliciting it. He often got tired of being told, "If I were you, my dear Harry, I would do this or that." Now, for the first time almost in his life, he felt sadly in need of a counsellor. His had been such a scheduled, hermit-like existence, that he hardly knew how to set about altering it without assistance. He had so few acquaintances; none, of his own age and standing, who could tell him what was the best way for a young man with plenty of money to amuse himself.

You see, Harry's standard was not a very high one. At this stage of his career, like many people ignorant of the world, he considered personal enjoyment the chief aim and object of life, and it appealed far more strongly to his imagination than either progress or duty.

He believed, moreover, that amusement resulted from indulgence, and had a boyish impatience of labor, not having learnt as yet that the only real and legitimate pleasures on this earth are derived from it. He was but an ignorant youth, full of animal health and spirits, with a large amount of vitality and an undeveloped brain that might or might not come under cultivation, according to circumstances. At present it did not trouble him in the very slightest degree. He was quite content to let it lie dormant, as do so many of his age and sex. But what use to find fault with the young?

Is it not good that they should go out into the world and profit by their own experiences rather than by those of their elders? Let them experimentalise if they will. Where's the harm? Failures will come fast enough, and with failures, soberness of view, whilst if they cherish illusions they, too, will quickly vanish. Every picture wants a little gilding.

Granted that Harry was young and innocent, possibly foolish. At twenty-three there is plenty of time before one to learn, to blunder, to regret, and to repair. If all men and women were born perfect, if they had not their various little faults and foibles, they would not prove nearly such interesting creatures as they do, or human nature be the nicely balanced compound of good and evil, tragedy and comedy, that it is.

After casting about in his mind for weeks, nay months, in search of an adviser, a brilliant inspiration came to Harry's aid. Why not seek counsel of Mr. Ebor Smutch? He was the very man, and he wondered at his stupidity in not thinking of him before. True, their acquaintance was but slight, and, with one exception, when he had lunched in Bryaneton Square, entirely confined to the few games of billiards they had played together, which, by-the-bye, Mr. Smutch had invariably won, to the detriment of his—Harry's—pocket. But the sprightliness and originality of his conversation, the breadth of his views, and the variety of his experiences, social and sporting, had made a great impression on our hero. Despite Mr. Bousfield's cautions, Harry still retained a tolerably firm conviction that Mr. Smutch was a gentleman whose acquaintance it would be desirable to cultivate.

By the time Harry had made up his mind to consult this individual, the spring of the year was close at hand. Evidences of its near approach might be seen in the bursting buds that sprinkled with fresh and exquisite green the black, smoke-grimed London trees.

One fine afternoon Harry put on his hat and went in search of Mr. Smutch. He found him at the billiard-rooms, his coat off, his shirt-sleeves up, displaying a pair of sinewy arms, and with a pipe in his mouth. For want of any better opponent he was playing a game with the marker. He greeted Harry with the utmost cordiality. The marker had no half-crowns to lose. Harry had.

"Hulloa!" he exclaimed. "Where the dickens have you been hiding all this time?"

"My uncle died two or three months ago," responded Harry, "and I have not been about much since then."

"The deuce he did! Well, I hope the old cock left you some tin."

Harry was a little startled at hearing his deceased relative termed an "old cock." He thought the appellation a trifle flippant. Nevertheless, there was a playful pleasantry about Mr. Smutch's manners which was not easy to resist. He stifled an irrestistible desire to smile, and said with laudable solemnity:

"He has left me very nearly six thousand a year."

Mr. Smutch threw down his billiard-cue, and seizing Harry by the hand, wrung it with excess of friendship.

"Six thousand a year! By Jove, Hopperton, you are a lucky dog!"

"Somehow or other I don't feel like one, although I suppose I ought," said Harry, plaintively.

"Of course you ought. My dear fellow, pray accept my warmest congratulations."

"Thank you," responded his companion, flinching a little, for Mr. Smutch held him in a vice-like grasp, and wore a showy diamond ring, whose angles hurt him considerably. "I'm very much obliged."

"And how are you going to spend it, Hopperton?"

"Ah, that's the very point I wish to consult you about."

"You could not possibly have applied to a better person, or one more able to relieve you of any superfluous stuff."

"So I thought," rejoined Harry innocently. "You see it's a dreadful responsibility, having such a lot of money, especially when you don't quite know what to do with it."

"Oh, that's your dilemma, is it? Sit down, and I'll give you my ideas on the subject free of charge. Your own, I can clearly perceive, are very limited, but we'll soon extend the horizon. Six thousand a year, and don't know how to spend it! 'Pon my soul, I never heard such a joke in my life!"

And Mr. Smutch, clasping his hands behind his head, and stretching out his long legs, went off into a fit of laughter, which proved so communicative that Harry, for the life of him, could not help joining in, though he had not any very definite notion what occasioned his mirth.

He only felt vaguely that Mr. Smutch was good company and possessed a sense of the ridiculous which helped to enliven any conversation in which he took a part.

Moreover, he never discussed the Irish Question, and did not appear to take the slightest interest in the movements of Russia.

CHAPTER IV.

Mr. Smutch had thrown himself carelessly down on a settee and proceeded to knock the ash from his pipe and to glance admiringly at the rich mahogany-colored meerschaum, surmounted by its cracked and creamy rim. He was a great smoker and took a special pride in his pipes, which, however he was always ready to part with for a consideration.

Meantime, Harry stood gazing at him as at a superior being. Somehow he never felt so childish and ignorant as in Mr. Smutch's presence.

That gentleman had the advantage of being five or six years his senior. By profession Mr. Ebor Smutch was a barrister, but briefs seemed few and far between. At any rate, he did not suffer from overwork. He was one of those individuals who, by some mysterious art unknown to their fellow-creatures, enjoy the very best of everything, without possessing any ostensible means. Nobody knew from what source the funds were derived which enabled him to go about. Yet go about he did. At Newmarket, Epsom, Sandown, and Kempton, he was constantly to be seen, and although he had not the entree to the best London houses, he received many invitations from less fastidious sets in virtue of his being a "dancing man."

Mr. Smutch always complained of being "hard up." He made "hard up" an excuse for never parting voluntarily with his ready money, or carrying much of that valuable commodity about on his person. Yet the want of cash rarely seemed to prevent him from doing what he wished. If he desired a thing he bought it—whether he paid or not was another affair. If he didn't, his tailor, his glover, his boot-maker, and his florist were greatly to be pitied.

In person he was a tall, powerfully-built man, over six feet in height, and broad in proportion. His athletic frame and strong muscles had won him the admiration of many a woman. He had a swarthy, somewhat Jewish cast of countenance, a sallow complexion, bold black eyes, set rather near together, surmounted by a pair of bushy eyebrows that met over the nose, and a close-cropped, bullet-shaped head. The chin was clean-shaven, the mouth thick-lipped, and both coarse and sensuous in expression. It and the eyes went together. For the rest, a fine animal, well-grown and symmetrical, possessing a large capacity for food and drink, an enormous amount of innate egotism, inseparable from so robust an organism, and a brain, a conscience, and a digestion of the most accommodating, since none of the three ever troubled him in the slightest degree.

Mr. Smutch frequently boasted of his successes amongst the fair sex. He was one of those who look upon woman as the natural prey of man. His ideas were neither high-flown nor chivalrous. If the flower were there, he saw no reason why the bee should not rob it of its honey. What was honey made for except to be sipped? Of the flower he took no afterthought.

One point of view was enough for Mr. Smutch, and that was invariably his own.

As previously stated, Harry Hopperton had first made his acquaintance at the billiard-rooms, to which he was occasionally in the habit of resorting, and which Mr. Ebor constantly patronized.

The latter had all the attributes calculated to impress a young man, totally ignorant of the world and unversed in its vices. Harry took brutality for manliness, selfishness for wisdom, cunning for cleverness. It is just as easy to admire as to pick holes, particularly when you are pre-disposed to fall down and worship. Imagination weaves beautiful ideals, which Reality takes some little time to dispel. Harry was far gone in the ideal stage. He looked at Mr. Smutch poking a feather into the hole of his pipe, and saw only the hero, the great, strong, good man who could help him out of his dilemma, and open wide the portals of an enchanted world. He resolved to confide all his perplexities to him.

"You see, Smutch," he said, by way of a preliminary, "I can't arrive at any decision. It's most awfully difficult making up one's mind when you've nobody to advise you."

"I don't find it so," rejoined Mr. Smutch dryly. He had long ago conceived a contempt for his companion's intellect.

"Oh, no! of course not. But then, you see, you're different. You've been about all your life, whereas I—" and Harry stopped short.

"Have been kept in leading strings by a fond but foolish uncle. Yes, yes, I understand. What wickedness do you wish to plunge into? Eh? you sly dog."

Harry blushed, partly from pleasure, partly from modesty. It was delightful to be spoken to thus. He felt a man already.

"I don't think I wish to commit any particular wickedness, Smutch, but the fact of the matter is, I'm tired of kicking my heels about town doing nothing."

"Do something then. Something dazzlingly outrageous. Break the Ring, blow up the House of Commons, elope with your neighbor's wife—though there's nothing very new in that, nowadays."

Harry turned several shades more crimson than before, and looked what he felt—a trifle shocked.

"No, no," he said, nervously. "I don't mean anything of that sort."

"Then why the dickens don't you go abroad?"

"I should like to. The only question is, where?"

Mr. Smutch meditated a moment, then a queer, self-satisfied sort of smile flitted across his features, and he said:

"Have you ever done any fishing, Hopperton?"

"No, never! I wish I had. I'd give a hundred pounds to know how to fish."

"Honor bright? Will you give it to me if I undertake to make a fisherman of you?" And Mr. Smutch's black eyes glistened with curious greed.

Now Harry had used the expression unguardedly, and was a little taken aback to find that his words produced so ready an impression. Yet he could not well repudiate them. At least, he had an uneasy consciousness that if he did, he should lose for ever in his companion's esteem. Besides, he was an honorable young fellow, and prepared to abide by anything that partook of the nature of a promise.

"Yes," he said, after a slight pause, "I would."

Mr. Smutch brought the palm of his right hand smartly down on his checked trousers.

"Done!" he exclaimed with every appearance of satisfaction. "That's a bargain." Then, he added in his usual tones: "Curiously enough, I happen, at this moment, to know the very thing to suit you."

"Indeed! How fortunate."

"Yes, you say you are tired of London and want a change. Why not go salmon-fishing in Norway? It's an awfully jolly country, though it sounds a little far off, just at first."

Harry's face brightened. His sporting instincts, so long suppressed, woke into life.

"I shouldn't mind the distance one bit," he said, enthusiastically, "provided I could catch fish when I got there."

"I'll guarantee the fish," returned Mr. Smutch, with a patronizing smile. "A man in your position should amuse himself, and learn how to spend his money properly."

"Yes, I think so, too. It's no use keeping it, when one has got such a lot."

"Just so! And the best way to amuse yourself is to dangle a fly all the summer, and hunt all the winter. Fishing, hunting and shooting are the finest sports in existence."

"But what about a river? Are they not very difficult to get?" inquired Harry.

"They used not to be, but they are becoming so, nowadays. That abominable institution, the British tourist, with his waterproof, his umbrella, his loud voice, and bad manners, is penetrating everywhere. I declare one never feels so thoroughly ashamed of one's own countrymen and women, or sees their faults so clearly as one does when they are travelling. All John Bull's natural arrogance, bumptiousness and rudeness comes to the fore on these occasions. As regards Norway, he has already begun to teach the simple natives to be greedy, and now the most enormous rents are asked, and frequently given. Only the other day I heard of a river fetching no less than nine hundred pounds."

"What is to be done then?" said Harry, feeling a trifle damped.

"Well, as good luck will have it, a friend of mine holds the lease of some first-class fishing, and I believe," speaking very deliberately, and watching his companion's countenance, "that I could secure it for you at a moderate price."

Mr. Smutch did not deem it necessary to state that his friend and himself were identical. He had now been to Norway three times, and on each occasion was disappointed with the sport obtained. Consequently he had begun to weary of that fair, primitive country, and to regret the money which he had precipitately invested in the lease of a river. Now, all at once, he saw an excellent opportunity of clearing out of it at a profit. Nothing could possibly have proved more fortunate. Harry was unsuspicious and credulous. He rose at the bait as voraciously as one of the very fish he was so desirous to catch.

"Have you any idea what your friend would take?" he asked eagerly.

(To be continued.)

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World wide interest in the approaching completion of the Panama Canal has served to divert attention almost completely from another mighty project, namely, the Cape-to-Cairo Railway, to build which, over territory entirely British, was one of the dearest dreams of that great empire builder, Cecil Rhodes. When the Germans annexed the whole of the east bank of Lake Tanganyike and declined to cede a mile of it to Britain, it looked as if Rhodes's vision of an all-rail route through the Dark Continent never would be realized, but the Belgians, evidently wide awake to the value of the railway, have agreed officially to transfer a strip of the Congo to the British flag, so the Cape-to-Cairo line will be all red after all. Meanwhile, vast strides have been made with the work, and through trains from the Nile to the Cape, 6,000 miles away, will be running within three or four years from now.

According to Percy V. Cooper, one of the constructing engineers, who is now in England, the line northward has crossed into the Congo from Northwest Rhodesia to a place called Elizabethville, which formerly consisted of a collection of ant hills, 2,320 miles from Capetown, to which point trains are now running regularly. From Cairo rails have been pushed southward for a distance of 1,400 miles south of Khartoum, or right into

The Heart of the Soudan.

Accordingly, if advantage is taken of the upper reaches of the Nile and the great African lakes, the Albert Nyanza and the Victoria Nyanza, by placing steamers upon them and running these in connection with the railway, less than 200 miles will need to be laid.

"It has been a stupendous work," said Cooper, "and the difficulties have been immense. There has been the hostile attitude of the natives to contend with and overcome, encounters with elephants, lions and other wild beasts in Northwestern Rhodesia, and then, as the Congo was approached, the ravages of the white ant and other termites had to be reckoned with. It was here, also, that the line entered the area where sleeping sickness was rampant.

"It was in May, 1905, that the railway passed the Victoria Falls, and plunged northward to Broken Hill, a district rich in all kinds of minerals, and along this section of the route natives turned out in thousands to gaze on 'this wonderful animal belonging to the white man that ran on rails and fed on fire and took medicine—that is, oil—to keep away the fever.' Lions and other beasts gave us a lot of trouble there, too. There was a standup fight once, between a lion and a lioness and four native workmen armed with crowbars and pickaxes. Though all of them were badly mauled, they managed to keep the brutes at bay until a party armed with rifles arrived on the scene and shot both lions.

Lion Attacked Engine.

"At another time, a construction train was puffing along with a heavy load of material, near Gwelo, when a full-grown lion was sighted stretched right across the line, and basking peacefully in the sun. In reply to the whistle of the engine the brute looked up lazily but did not attempt to move. The efforts of the driver and stoker to drive him off the line by pelting him with billets of wood were no better rewarded.

"The train was on the point of coming to a standstill when the lion lost his temper. He took a sudden spring at the engine, seeking in vain for something on its smooth surface into which he could drive his claws, and thus secure a foothold. Again and again the beast sprang, falling clear of the engine every time. The driver then realized that the best thing to do was to go full steam ahead and trust to the weight of the trucks behind him to keep the train on its line and clear the lion from its path.

"This was done, with the result that the lion—a magnificent specimen—was cut to pieces by the engine wheels."

Quite a number of natives, according to Cooper, have lost their lives by being carried off by the lions while asleep in their camps, and for this reason strong palisades are built around them, and cattle kept in specially constructed corrals.

"A Scotchman working on the line," continued the engineer, "was surprised one day to receive a letter from his better half in Scotland saying she had made up her mind to come out and join him, as he must be very lonely living among the blacks, and having no one to cook for him. In due course she arrived.

Too Much for Her Nerves.

"Unfortunately the house, which the engineer had instructed to be built, was incomplete when the good woman came. Blankets were accordingly placed over the doorless entrance and over the window opening, and the engineer and his wife retired to rest. In the dead of night they were awakened by the growls of lions, and it was clear that the brutes were prowling around the house in search of prey. The two sat up in bed by the light of a candle, the man holding his loaded rifle ready, and the woman sobbing with fear. The man would have gone out and driven the beasts off, but he had only two bullets left and had perforce to remain inactive.

"But it was too much for the good woman's nerves, and next morning she took train down the line to Bulawayo and bought a cottage with strong doors and windows."

"What about elephants?" the interviewer asked.

"They have given us a lot of trouble," replied Cooper, "by tearing up the roadbed, pulling down the telegraph wires and upsetting the posts. Some little distance north of the Victoria Falls a herd of elephants regularly crossed the railway, night and morning, to and from their watering grounds.

"This went on for months until one day the herd were in the act of making the passage when an express train came along. Seeing the elephants in front of him the driver endeavored to frighten them off by opening his valves, making as much noise as possible. It failed to have the desired effect, and, after eyeing the locomotive suspiciously for a few minutes, the bull decided to charge it. He came at full speed down the road, head lowered, trumpeting viciously, looking the

Very Picture of Brute Force.

"The driver at once reversed speed, but the collision came, and the shock was such that the engine was derailed, though not overturned, and the elephant securely pinned by one of its legs under the weight of the engine. It was then quickly killed.

"The white ant," Cooper added, "has been one of our greatest banes. Elizabethville station was a mass of their hills, rising from 20 to 60 feet in height. These have been all cleared away, and a thriving Central African town has sprung up there. As these insects destroy everything except iron and steel, the cross ties for the road beds are of special pattern and made of hard steel."

Not a Machinist.

"Could you help me to take a chicken apart?" asked the bride.

"I'm afraid not," answered the groom. "I know very little about machinery."

ALCOHOL BAD AS FIRST AID.

Popular Belief Exploded as Regards Liquor.

The popular theory that an alcoholic beverage is one of the best first aids to the injured was exploded by Dr. Howard A. Lothrop while lecturing at the Harvard Medical School the other afternoon.

"A popular belief is that after accidents, or in many cases of emergency, some kind heart comes into the scene with something to drink—alcoholic drink," said the doctor. "Alcohol is being used but comparatively little in medicine now. It does more harm in these cases than good. The only reason that we all do not have every disease in the category, is that some of us possess more resistance against the attack of illness than others."

Another statement the doctor made was that the rust on a nail or any other metal is perfectly harmless. It's the germs that gather on such articles that causes blood poisoning.

Chinese Dead in Vases.

The Chinese revere the dead to such an extent that when the demise of a Chinaman occurs he is buried for three years. At the end of this time the body is dug up and the bones placed in a vase. The vase and its contents are then interred for all future time.

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WAITED FOR LOVER 40 YEARS.

A Berlin Character Dies in Charity Hospital.

Linden Julie, who took her name from the Unter den Linden thoroughfare, Berlin, Germany, on which she kept a vain watch daily for 42 years for the return of her soldier lover, is dead.

A mild insanity seized Julie when her sweetheart failed to return from the Franco-German War in 1871. She never lost faith that he would some day turn up, and, rain or shine, huddled up in a shawl, she kept watch in the streets, each year growing more ragged and white-haired. The police made an exception of her case in the rule which does not allow loiterers on the street, as they had compassion upon the faithful Julie.

A little more than a year ago she was so worn with age that she was taken to the Charity Hospital, where she died recently.

WHEN BABY CRIES.

When the baby cries continually do not put it down for pure ugliness—that is not the baby's nature—it is to be happy and laughing. Every baby should cry on an average of fifteen or twenty minutes a day—that is how he strengthens his lungs. But mothers if your baby gives sharp piercing cries or low sobbing wails, he is in pain and needs attention. Nothing will relieve the little one so quickly as Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the stomach and bowels, expel worms, break up cold, and will make baby healthy and happy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Entertains An Opinion.

"What kind of an entertainment does our friend, Mr. Swelhed, prefer?"

"I think he manages to divert both himself and his friends," replied Miss Cayenne "by entertaining a remarkable opinion of himself."

Constipation

is an enemy within the camp. It will undermine the strongest constitution and ruin the most vigorous health. It leads to indigestion, biliousness, impure blood, bad complexion, sick headaches, and is one of the most frequent causes of appendicitis. To neglect it is slow suicide. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills positively cure Constipation. They are entirely vegetable in composition and do not sicken, weaken or gripe. Preserve your health by taking

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MR. W. HINES PAGE.

Walter Hines Page, the newly-named ambassador to the court of St. James, lives at Garden City, L.I. Years ago Garden City was founded by A. T. Stewart, the



Mr. W. Hines Page.

great merchant. Mr. Stewart hoped to make it a centre for religiously inclined persons. To that end the first building erected was a great cathedral.

"Then," said Mr. Page's friend, "Mr. Stewart had built twelve big, hip-roofed, high ceilinged, wide-floored, ugly, old-fashioned houses. No houses could be more comfortable, provided their occupants do not unduly worship beauty. Garden City promptly named these the Twelve Apostles. Then Mr. Stewart built twelve other houses on a lesser plan. They are known as the Minor Prophets."

Mr. Page lives in one of the Twelve Apostles.

"His friends used to know it as St. James," said the informer. "But last winter the furnace blew out, the pipes were frozen, and the roof sprung a leak. Whereupon it was rechristened Judas Iscariot."

Musical.

"I don't believe the story, do you?" "What story?" "About Mrs. Youngbride. They say she went into a butcher's shop the other day, and seeing a side of spareribs on the counter, she remarked: 'Why, I didn't know you kept xylophones here.'"

HOW TO POP CORN.

It is done in different ways, but the most approved method is to pop your corns with Putnam's Corn Extractor—corns pop out for fair, and stay out, too, when removed by "Putnam's." Try this painless remedy yourself, 25c. at all dealers.

"OLD ST. PAUL'S."

Present Cathedral Was Begun in Charles II.'s Reign.

The history of "Old St. Paul's" is probably the most remarkable in the history of the churches of London. It was the church of Whittington, Sir Thomas Moore and Erasmus, while Colet was one of its famous deans. There was the noted "St. Paul's Walk," and the crypt used after 1256 as the parish church of St. Furths, was the scene of the tragedy of Ainsworth's novel.

The present building is the third, possibly the fourth, church that has occupied the present site, and by some it is thought probable that a temple to Diana preceded the church.

It is said that Ethelbert, King of Kent, built the first St. Paul's in 610, which was endowed with the manor of Tillingham in Essex, an endowment retained to-day by the Dean and Chapter.

The church in which Kings Edmund and Canute were crowned was destroyed by fire, but the date of this fire is uncertain. It was entirely rebuilt in 962, but was again burnt down in 1087.

The same year was begun by Bishop Maritius the church that is known to history as "Old St. Paul's."

It was in the Gothic style in the form of a Latin cross, 960 feet long, 130 feet broad, with a lead-covered wooden spire rising to the height of 520 feet. Old St. Paul's was much damaged by fire again in 1137, by lightning in 1444, and again by fire in 1561, and was totally destroyed by the great fire of 1666.

To those who love their London—and where is the Englishman that does not?—the great fire of London was a blessing. When one comes to consider how miserably out of place to-day would be "Old St. Paul's."

Plans for the present building were taken in hand by the Government of Charles II. With the completion of the dome in 1710 the work was done at a cost of $7,556,010. The beautiful building, which has so lately been menaced by suffragettes, is also built in the form of a cross. Its length is 510 feet and general height 100 feet, and one of the chief features is the stately portico with its slender Corinthian columns.

All the Tired Nervous Women

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Madame Perreault Tells How She Cured Her Kidneys With Dodd's Kidney Pills, and Found Health and Contentment.

Verner, Ont., May 19 (Special)—"I am very content. Dodd's Kidney Pills have made me well." Those are the words of Madame Eugene Perreault, a highly-respected lady of this place and mother of a large family. For twenty years she was a sufferer. But, let her tell her own story.

"I was always tired and nervous," she states. "I felt heavy and sleepy after meals. My limbs were heavy and I had a dragging sensation across my loins. My skin itched and burned at night. I had a bitter taste in my mouth, especially in the morning. In twenty years I hardly knew what it was to have a well moment. Then I commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Six boxes cured me."

Madame Perreault's symptoms were those of kidney disease. They are the symptoms of nine out of ten of the nervous, rundown, pain-racked women of Canada. Madame Perreault found a speedy and complete cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills. They simply cured her kidneys.

PAINT PRISON CELLS VIOLET

Russian Form of Punishment Stupefies Prisoners' Brains.

Have you ever stopped to think of the important part that color plays in your life? Possibly not, but psychologists and some medical specialists—and they are subject—say that some colors have all sorts of curious effects to answer for.

After a revolutionary outbreak some years ago in Russia, the fact came out that the punishment meted out to several of the leaders of the rising was confinement in cells whose walls were painted violet. A few weeks spent in these cells turned keen-witted restless men into dull, stupid fellows, who moved and spoke as dying men do after they have lost the power over brain and body.

The effect of red is even more striking. Red is said to produce restlessness and excitability, and no specialists will allow a highly nervous patient to remain long in a room that is either papered or furnished in that shade. And dressmakers complain that to work for any length of time upon a garment that is tinted red will cause the seamstress to become tired, have a headache, and feel nauseated. Perhaps that is why blue, brown and white have their turns as the "most popular color," while red is always a matter of individual taste, except in the matter of occasional trimming.

HER "BEST FRIEND."

A Woman Thus Speaks of Postum.

We usually consider our best friends those who treat us best.

Some persons think tea and coffee are real friends, but watch them carefully awhile and observe that they are two of the meanest of all enemies for they stab one while professing friendship.

Tea and coffee contain a poisonous drug—caffeine—which injures the delicate nervous system and frequently sets up disease in one or more organs of the body, if its use is persisted in.

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TREACHERY IN TREASON.

Informers of Secrets Are Sure to Meet Violent Death.

Because he was a traitor to the traitors with whom he was leagued, an Indian Anarchist was recently shot dead by two of his comrades in Calcutta.

His fate is a common one with informers. Not all the power and money behind the British Government was able to secure immunity for Carey, the Irish "Invincible," who turned approver in connection with the Phoenix Park murders.

Father Gapon is now known to have been hanged as a traitor by the Russian Terrorists. He was lured to a house in a suburb of St. Petersburg, subjected to a mock trial, sentenced, and executed. In the same way Dr. Cronin was put to death at Chicago, in 1889. He was a member of an American-Irish society of dynamiters known as the Chan-na-Gael, and he was also a British Secret Service agent.

How were these men betrayed? No one knows exactly. An incautious look! A carelessly-uttered word! Sir Robert Anderson has left it on record how one of his secret agents in Dublin, a supposed Fenian, lost his life because of a chance remark uttered over the dinner-table by a highly-placed official who ought to have known better.—London Answers.

Jeremiah in Trouble.

"A good wife is Heaven's greatest gift to man and the rarest gem the earth holds," remarked Mr. Jarphy the other morning. "She is his joy, his inspiration, and his very soul. Through her he learns to reach the pure and true, and her loving hands lead him softly over the rough places. She is——" "Jeremiah," said Mrs. Jarphy, solemnly—"Jeremiah, what wickedness have you been up to now?"

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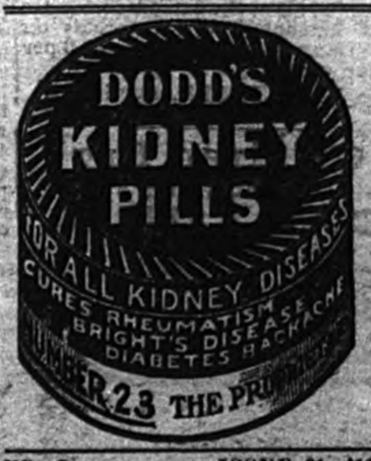
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MOVING DAY FOR MRS. LYNX.

How She Coaxed Her Young Ones to Follow Her.

The domestic life of the American lynx is not often exposed to the observation of a sympathetic human being. All the more interesting is this little incident, of which a contributor to the Outing Magazine was a witness:

I watched a lynx family moving out one day. It was an interesting sight. I was cruising up a mountain road to a clump of cedar timber, and had no weapon except my ax. While I was creeping silently through the timber, I heard a cat mewing. I seated myself on a fallen log just at the edge of the dense timber, and waited. Presently I decided that the sound came from a fallen hollow cedar, a few rods from where I sat.

A lynx appeared at the opening, looked back into the hollow, and mewed encouragingly. She was joined by two half-grown kittens that stood blinking at the bright sunlight. The old one moved forward a few feet and called to her brood. They toddled out, and joined her. She played with them, cuffed them about, and bit at them, mewing and purring the while, exactly as a tabby does with her family.

In a short time she moved on again, stopped, and coaxed them to follow. It took her half an hour to lead them into the protection of the forest. My ax was not an effective weapon, but had I been otherwise armed, I could not have brought myself to molest the mother and her young.

Do Your Looks Quite Satisfy You?

If Your Color is Bad, if You Suffer From Pimples, Here is Good Advice.

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Italy's War Strength.

The figures for the year 1911 give Italy a peace strength of 225,000; a war strength of 525,000, and "available for duty unorganized," 1,200,000. The latter figures are, of course, based on the estimated male population of military age, and are probably correct. Figures for the same year give Italy 7 modern battleships, 5 other battleships, 7 first-class cruisers, 3 second-class cruisers, 13 third-class cruisers, 3 gunboats, 33 destroyers, 75 torpedo boats and 19 submarines. Personnel of navy, officers and men, 29,941.

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The Battleships will be sent.

Shortly after the publication of the memorandium on the state of the naval defences of the Empire the Asquith Government informed the British Parliament that the offer of the Canadian Government would cause no reduction in the number of battleships the Admiralty intended to construct. The Canadian battleships would be over and above those the British Government would in any event have laid down. Anti-Imperial newspapers in the United Kingdom and in this country are recalling this statement. They say that the decision of the British Government to construct at once three additional battleships to take the place of those the Canadian Senate's action withheld amounts to a confession that the former statement to the British Parliament was untrue. If, they ask, the British Government did not consider Canada's proposed battleship construction as supplementary to its own, why does the British Government now hasten to revise its plans of instant construction by providing for the building of three more super-Dreadnoughts to fill the void Canada's super-Dreadnoughts were to fill?

That question is put merely to mislead. Those who ask it have as good memory of Mr. Churchill's speech in Parliament two months ago as they have of the statement they now challenge, which was made six months ago. In the speech in question Mr. Churchill explained that the construction programme of his Government was calculated to keep the British navy's battle ship strength in the ratio of 16 to 10 of that of the German navy. This he would deem a sufficient balance to depend on in the main theatres of danger. But, he added, it would not suffice to satisfy the Admiralty's sense of the need of naval protection for the whole Empire. He counted on the co-operation of the dominions to bring up the total naval defence to the strength required for the Empire's protection. It was his intention, he said, to form an Imperial squadron, made up of the New Zealand battleship, Canada's three battleships, and the battleship provided by the Malay Federated States. This squadron of five battleships would be based at Gibraltar, where it would be ready for dispatch to any part of the Empire in need of its services. As the Laurier Senators have prevented for the present the sending of the Canadian ships, the British Government proposes to make good the deficiency itself. The Imperial squadron will be brought into existence notwithstanding the Laurier Senators' veto. Besides building as many battleships as in any event she would have built for strengthening the navy at the chief centre of danger, Britain will build for the Imperial squadron the three that Canada was to build. And this she will do by advancing her own programme of construction so as to lay down at once three battleships she was to have laid down in the fiscal year 1914-15. She will continue to defend the whole Empire, and especially to look after this country's part of that duty. The Laurier Senators were able to hold up a Canadian measure of naval aid, but they cannot prevent the British Parliament from promptly doing what the Canadian people were thus thwarted in doing.

Instead of consenting to Canada's aiding Britain in the work of Empire defence, the opponents of the Borden Bill would have Britain continue to bear the whole increasing burden of that work. They do not hesitate indeed to criticize her arrangements for Canada's naval protection. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King has spoken of Britain's withdrawal of warships from our seas and some of the blockers referred to the concentration as if it left Canada uncovered. As Britain is providing our naval defence, and as the Laurier politicians refuse even emergency aid to her in that labor will they not next ask that Britain divide up up her navy and bestow upon this country as much of it as would be equivalent to the defence now provided to Canada? The opponents of the measure to send Britain three battleships might almost consitently demand that she confer on Canada the three battleships she is to place in the Imperial squadron in line of those this country was to place there.

But, as Mr. Borden stated in the House yesterday, Canada will do her part in this emergency, and the battleships she was to will be sent. The sum total of the mischief done by the Laurier Senator's intervention will, it is hoped, be no more than the accelerating of Britain's naval construction.

CANADIAN PRESS ASSOCIATION VISITS COBALT.

Perhaps one of the most pleasant as well as instructive meetings of the Canadian Press Association was held in Toronto last week, at which it was our privilege and pleasure to be present.

Leaving Montreal Monday night, we travelled by Grand Trunk, arriving in Toronto Tuesday morning, just in time for the first session. Meetings were held in the King Edward Hotel where the assembly discussed the many sides of newspaper work and expressed and exchanged their different ideas.

Taking the train on Wednesday night, we started on our Northern trip, which through the kindness of the G.T.R. and T.&N.O. Railways and the attention paid us by their employees, was one which will long be remembered by those who participated in it. After a good nights sleep, we enjoyed a hearty breakfast at Temagami and were then entertained to a delightful trip on the Lake.

"All aboard for Cobalt" was the next cry, and soon we were speeding on our way to the great mines of the north. Here we received a royal welcome and were shown in the immensive buildings, the different processes by which the silver is extracted from the ore. Down the shaft some 200 ft., we saw the rich veins running along in narrow widths. This when taken out and crushed, is mixed with a cyanide solution and afterwards ground more finely in order to liberate the particles of silver. Then mixed with mercury which is afterwards driven off, it passes through minor processes, finally coming out in many cases, 99 p.c. pure. On our return we were tendered a reception by the residents of that busy little city Cobalt, which during the past few years has made for itself a world wide reputation.

Friday morning found us in the land of Gold "The Porcupine district." Here for the time being we were miners and partook of our breakfast in the camp.

The remaining part of the day was spent in different mines where the process of extraction is similar to that of the silver the main idea being to get the gold into a solution from which it can be easily separated.

Although not being used to such rich minerals, we were given the honour of handling a fourteen pound lump of gold valued at $3500 and of taking a walk on the "Golden Sidewalk", which extends some distance and is plainly visable in the rock.

Breakfast was ready next morning at Scotia Jct. and after a short run were guests at Highland Inn, which from natures view point is well named.

The members of this Association were much interested in this district that most of them had never seen and were profuse in their praises of the scenic beauty as well as the accommodation that is offered at the Grand Trunk Hotel. Mr. H. R. Charlton, of the Grand Trunk, met the party at the park and, owing to the fact that most of the arrangements for this trip were arranged by Mr. Charlton the Association presented him with a very handsome Minton china beaakfast set, the presentation taking place on the hotel grounds just before the train left for Toronto. Here we separated into two groups and were soon on our way back to our respective homes.

News of Brownsburg.

Miss Eva Dorwin is spending some time in Montreal.

Miss Gerty Bills, of Lachute, spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Graham spent the week-end at Pine Hill.

Mr. Beresford, of St. Canute, spent Sunday here with his wife and family.

Mr. Irwin, of Montreal, while in Brownsburg was the guest of Mrs. R. Hardie.

Mr. Albert Tomson, of Montreal, was the guest of Mrs. C. Vary last week-end.

Miss Grace Bradford, of Lachute, spent the week-end here the guest of Miss Helen Barrie.

Mrs. Wm. Cooper returned from St. Andrews on Sunday where she spent the last few weeks.

Mrs. Madden left on Monday last for a months visit to her friends in North Clarendon Ont.

Mr. Frank Ryan arrived here on Thursday morning from St. Henri, to work for Mr. A. St. Onge.

Miss Myrtle Cameron who has been spending some time here returned to Hudson Heights last Wednesday.

Miss Woodington, of Upper Lachute, spent last week end in the Burg the guest of Mrs. M. McLeod.

The Misses Lena Campbell, and Cecila Burnett, and Mr John Campbell spent Sunday at Little Rideau.

Mr. Harold Hooper, of Kingston, Ont. arrived at his home here last Wednesday to spend the summer with his parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Hooper.

On Saturday night the Picture Hall was again filled to its utmost capacity. Though a little mismanaged, a few of the audience had to stand up, but it is hoped that this not occur again. The films shown were up-to-date and also interesting No vulgar or displeasing films will be shown.

THOMAS' GORE.

Miss C. Peet spent the week-end at her home in Lakefield.

Mrs. Wm. Snuggs visited Mrs. G. Silverson Monday last.

Mr. L. J. Lister of Montreal, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Olive Lister returned home from Dunany last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Silverson visited friends at North River Sunday last.

Mr. Wm. Reilly spent the week-end in Lakefield the guest of Mr. F. I. Evans.

The Misses C. Peet and L. Reilly spent Monday evening with Miss N. C. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McCullough spent Sunday here the guests of the latters mother Mrs. A. Lister.

Mrs. William Snuggs and Master Herbert, who have been spending a few days the welcome guests of Mrs. H. Reilly, returned home to Pointe Claire Tuesday last.

AUCTION SALE.

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of
MISS M. LOINAGHAN
East Ward, Lachute
Saturday, June 14th, 1913

The following effects:—Two bedroom sets, 2 iron bedsteads, 2 bureaus 2 washstands, 4 small tables, 1 dining room extension table, 2 kitchen tables 2 small centre tables, 9 dining room chairs, 6 kitchen chairs, 1 couch bed 1 lounge, 1 book case and writing desk combined, 4 rocking chairs, 1 sideboard, pictures, curtains, blinds and poles, 3 curtain door brackets, 1 cooking stove, and pipes, 1 box stove, 4 matresses, 4 springs, 20 feet of ¾ inch hose, a lot of dishes and cooking untensils, 5 pairs of brown leghorn hens, 1 sideboard, 2 bedroom sets, 1 parlor set, and many and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

TERMS: $10.00 and under cash over that amount 6 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes 3 per off for cash.

ROBERT TODD, Auctioneer.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of
DR. H. C McCONNELL
Main Street, Lachute
Thursday, June 26th, 1913

The Household Effects of the late Mrs. Andrew McConnell as follows.—

One parlor suite 5 pieces, 1 oak hall stand, 1 quartered oak dining room table, 8 leather bottom dining room chairs, 1 writing desk and book case combined, 1 mission lounge, 2 sofas, 2 quartered oak bed-room suites, 2 enamel bedsteads, 2 brass bedsteads, 4 bed springs, 1 oak bureau, 2 osterm. & mattresses, 1 sideboard, 1 rattan rocker, 3 other rockers and arm chair lawn chairs, gallery chairs, parlor table, and chairs, a lot of pictures, curtain poles and curtains, blankets, 2 carpet sweepers, lamps, screens, 1 kitchen range, 1 kitchen cabinet table 1 refrigerator, 1 washing machine, ice cream freezer, ironing board, step ladder, 3 galvanized wash tubs, towel racks, a lot of jem jars 1 dinner set, 1 tea set and a lot of other dishes, 1,000 pound scale, 1 set of flat irons, pots, pans, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

TERMS. $10.00 and under cash, over that amount 6 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes. 6 per off for cash.

W. J. BOYD, Licensed Auctioneer.

There will be sold by Public Auction at
THE RECTORY,
St. Andrews East
Friday, June 27th, 1913

The following effects:—Three cows, 1 two year old heifer, 12 pair of hens, 2 cutters, 1 water cart, 1 wheelbarrow 1 set of single bob-sleighs, 2 bnggies, 2 Quebec heaters, 1 tin heater, 1 sideboard, 1 secretary, 1 single and 1 double bedstead, 1 quilting frame, 1 curtain stretcher, 1 carpenter's bench 1 kitchen table, 1 diningroom table, 1 washstand, 1 desk, 1 grindstone. 1 pump, 1 stone churn, 4 cow chains, 1 five gallon coil oil can, 15 acres of standing hay, horse rake, scythes, and many other articles too umerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

TERMS:—$10.00 and under cash over that amount 9 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes 3 per off for cash.

R. TODD, Licensed Auctioneer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned LANDS and TENEMENTS have been seized, and will be sold at the respective time and place mentioned below.

FIERI FACIAS DE TERRIS.
Superior Court.

Province of Quebec, District of Terrebonne. Sainte Scholastique. No. 480. JOHN McCLELLAND ALIAS McLENNAN, of Brooks, in the province of Alberta, farmer, Plaintiff; vs GEORGE McLENNAN, ALIAS McLENNAN AND GILBERT McCLELAND ALIAS McLENNAN, both of the Township of Chantham, in the district of Terrebonne, Defendants.

A lot of land being and situate in the second range of the township of Chatham, county of Argenteuil, district of Terrebonne known and designated of the official plan and book of reference as being the south part of number four hundred and eighty three (483); bounded on the south by the first range, on the north by the property of J.-Bte. Morrissette, on the east by the No. 484—with the buildings erected thereon and in the possession of George McClelland *alias* McLennan and Gilbert McClelland *alias* McLennan.

Notice is hereby given that the sale of the immoveable above described former, by announced to take place on the fifteenth day of October last, 1912, at the church door the parish of Saint Philippe d' Argenteuil, will take place at the same place and SAME HOUR, on the TWENTY FIFTH day of JUNE next, 1913.

LAPOINTE & PREVOST,
Sheriff's office, Sheriff.
Saints Scholastique, 19th May, 1913
6-20 2106

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JOSEPH SILVERSON, Prop.,
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CORONATION KING.

No. 36838

Coronation King, B. H. foaled 1902, by King Counsel 31119, Dam Belle Clou, by Clermont, 5288; grand dam Belle F., by Chetton 1652 etc. (bred by G. K. Foster Danville, P. Q.

Coronation King is a beautiful brown stallion, weighing 1390, and stands 16 hands high, and has proved himself a sure foal getter

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M. LESSARD,
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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Montreal, P. Q., Postal Station "F" will be received at this office until 4.00 P. M., on Monday, June 16, 1913, for the construction of the building mentioned.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of M. D. J. Spence, Architect, 46 Beaver Hall Hill, Montreal, Que., and at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a charted bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 22 1913.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—37137.

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The undersigned will have at his stables on the Drennan Farm, his Clydesdale Stallion, Moncreiffe Prince. He is a beautiful bay, hind feet white, weighing about 1,700 pounds, and was foaled May 15th, 1910. Bred by Morris Shellard of Galt, Ont.

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OUR LETTER FROM TORONTO

WHAT IS BEING DISCUSSED IN THE CITY AT THE PRESENT TIME.

Outside and Inside Legislative Halls—Danger of High Water—Enormous Figures—Millions for Schools.

As this is written the tulip beds surrounding the Parliament Buildings in Queen's Park are a blaze of glory, the verdure of the grass and trees has reached a mid-June maturity and the idyllic scene breathes no suspicion of the stirring events within the brown stone walls that marked the closing days of the session of 1913. Someway the tranquility and beauty of May in Queen's Park do not fit in with violent partisan disputes. A wintry scene is not inappropriate. After one has braved the stinging west wind which in February or March sweeps across the long paved path from College street to the buildings and swirls and eddies around the entrance with particular viciousness, it seems to be in accord with the fitness of things that the warring of the elements outside should be matched with political turbulence inside.

A May prorogation of the Legislature is unusual. Needless to say, it is not popular with the members, and when the Lieutenant Governor (garbed this time in plain black trousers, not the gay white satin which earlier in the year added to the splendor of the occasion) attended to despatch the final formalities, there was a bare quorum of members in attendance.

The Proudfoot charges which were the chief cause of the late prorogation prevented the annual disbanding being characterized by that feeling of goodfellowship among the members which is generally observable. The British House of Commons has been described as the first club in the world, and the spirit of the club is noticeable also in the Legislature. In ordinary times members of the opposing parties mix on terms of the utmost friendliness, and one who pictures them as mortal enemies, hardly speaking to one another, is badly mistaken. But an incident such as the Proudfoot attack, rousing partisan feelings and resulting in charges of unfairness on both sides, does much to bury inter-party friendliness. On such occasions the good fellows retire to the background and the fighters come to the front.

Lake Ontario on Rampage.

Some apprehension is felt on account of the unusually high level of the water in Lake Ontario during the present year. It is now almost three feet higher than the average, and as it generally continues rising until early in June, it is possible that all records, which have been kept for 50 years back, will be broken.

No one understands what causes the fluctuation of the water level in the Great Lakes. At Toronto fluctuations have been observed covering a range of six feet. The lowest ever recorded was when the level sank to 242.92 feet above the mean sea level at New York. This was on May 18th, 1895. The highest reached was on May 5th, 1870, when the level was 248.96 feet above the mean level at New York. For a few weeks past the level has been hovering around 248 feet, or, as it is technically described, 36 inches above zero. Zero being a point fixed at 245 feet above the New York level.

Theories that the high water is caused by unusually big spring freshets do not stand investigation. One geologist says that peculiar vibrations of the earth's surface causes the water to rise and fall.

The danger of high water is the damage that may be occasioned to wharves, docks and beaches and the inconvenience caused to shipping. The water in Toronto harbor is now close to the top of the wharves and boats unload under difficulties. Some authorities fear that if we were to have a severe and long continued storm from the east, which would pile the water up at this end of the Lake, the result to Toronto's Island might be disastrous. The Island is only a sand bar and at no point is more than a few feet above the level of the lake. High water has flooded it before, but a severe storm might have a more disastrous effect in shifting its very foundations.

Toronto Has "Big Eyes."

According to the estimates of the City of Toronto for the financial year, the City proposes to spend the enormous sum of $39,146,142.00. This figure is deceptive. The actual current expenditures for the year amount to $11,744,956.00. The balance of something over $27,000,000.00 is made up of items which might be described as capital expenditures, that is, they are for permanent improvements. The significant thing about the figure is that it indicates what an enormous development is under way. The largest item in the total is an amount of less than seven million dollars for a waterworks extension scheme. There is another two and a half million dollars provided for the Bloor Street Viaduct. An item of approximately one million dollars is set aside for a garbage incinerator plant. The other items are the ordinary run of public works. That they should amount to such a large total indicates the present temper of the citizens generally toward extension.

There is no possibility that all of this sum will be spent during the present year. The cash will be raised by the sale of bonds and debentures, and as there is already some twelve million dollars of these securities undigested, the prospects for fresh sales are not of the best. Even with the money available it would not be possible to do more than begin a number of the public works included in this year's estimates.

Of the eleven million odd, to be spent on current expenditures, almost three and a half million is provided by revenue producing assets such as the waterworks. The balance of $8,546,638 is to be raised by taxation, which is to be levied on the tax-payer at the rate of 19 1-2 mills. On the whole it may be said that the city is taking Mr. W. F. Maclean's advice and has been getting "big eyes."

Attacks on Toronto's Schools.

Toronto spends over a million and a half dollars a year on the maintenance of its public schools. It spends another quarter of a million on the maintenance of its high schools and a further hundred thousand on the maintenance of its technical and commercial schools. In addition, it spent last year practically a million dollars on school buildings and sites, so that the present rate of expenditure means that practically three million dollars a year is being spent by the city on its public school system.

One of the industrious trustees has been doing some figuring, with the result that he estimates that in one high school of the city it is costing $690 a year to teach and provide accommodation for each upper school pupil, and that in all but one or two collegiates this cost exceeds $100 per pupil. At Harbord Street Collegiate, which is perhaps the best known, the cost was $140 per pupil. Each pupil in the public schools cost no less than $40 a year.

In spite of these large figures, Mayor Hocken is on record as declaring that the school system in Toronto to-day is no better than it was forty years ago, if as good. There is a disposition in many quarters to criticise the system because of the fads and frills. The latest attraction in which this tendency is showing itself is in the decision to engage a head teacher of dressmaking at a salary of $1,500 a year. The argument in favor of the fads and frills is that they are practical, but it is doubtful if they always realize that standard.

Mayor Hocken is advocating a radical change in the system of levying taxation for school purposes. At present the school taxes are included in the general tax rate and roughly amount to about one-third of the total, or a fraction over six mills on the dollar. The taxes are collected by the city, but the City Council has little jurisdiction in the spending of the money, which is done by the Board of Education. The Mayor's scheme is to separate the school taxes from the general taxes and let the Board of Education be directly responsible to the people for the collection of its own money and the spending of it. He thinks the Board of Education extravagant and apparently wants to wash his hands of it.

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Job at Last.

Muggins—"Whatever became of that friend of yours who used to have money to burn?"

Buggins—"He's sifting the ashes."

A Promising Writer.

Gibbs—You say your friend is a very prolific writer of fiction. What sort of fiction?

Dibbs—I. O. U.'s mostly.

A tonsorial parlor in which only dumb barbers were employed would probably do an immense business.

BRITONS' WINTER PARADISE

THE BEAUTIFUL FRENCH TOWN OF CANNES.

Its Hotels Are Generally Run By Germans and Are Very Expensive.

Cannes is the winter paradise of the Englishman. Just west of the town are splendid golf links. Hereabouts is the most famous polo playing on the Riviera, and here, both on shore and back in the hills, are most wonderful villas, mostly inhabited by English. At a central point of the town and coast is a statue of the late English king, Edward VII., in the square-cut short coat and cap of a yachtsman.

Three-quarters of a century ago Lord Brougham rode on donkey-back, as one may ride to-day, over the mountain, and discovered Cannes and the Bay of Napoule, on which it is situated. Therefore, his name is here perpetuated in park, statue, etc.

There had, though, been a town here before the famous English lawyer arrived. In fact, a Roman consul destroyed one town that stood here as early as 55 B.C.

The new glory of the place is entirely due to the beauty of its surroundings and the "salubrity of its climate, also to the initiative of two Englishmen, the famous Lord Brougham and Sir Robinson Woolfield."

French Sky—English Streets.

The guide-book says: "Cannes is very French and very Provencale as regards its sun, its blue sky, and its southern flora, but the town has become anglicized by the regularity and cleanliness of its new streets, lined with buildings resembling palaces and luxurious hotels, which leave nothing to be desired as regards comfort and sanitary arrangements."

These hotels seem to be neither French nor English. They are mostly run by Germans. It is expensive living at the hotels, but if you should choose to hire a furnished house, there is no place in the world where you could live much more cheaply than at Cannes, and delightfully, especially if you could live on air, oranges, salad greens, and oil, with fish, those that swim and those in shells. If one is to judge by the hundreds of feet of fish net beach or esplanade in the west, a great deal of fishing must be done.

The market is but mildly interesting. The confectionery shops, like many of the shops along the shopping street, are most of them fine, and contain quantities of candied fruits. But this whole coast, even to Genoa, Italy, is famous for this business. Whole melons, whole oranges, peaches, etc., are treated by a long process.

A specialty of this neighborhood is a small mandarin. A great many of these little fruits are candied. In one of the shops there is a fancy basket which must hold a bushel, and this is packed with these fruits

In the Most Beautiful Variety.

One can buy ripe olives in the market here, and olive oil as well as orange flower water are both manufactured in the town. Both are as good as any that one can get anywhere in the world, and one can have for 6 cents a bottle of either, containing as much as we should pay about 75 cents or a $1 for at home.

Of course, the natives cook with oil. A native cook would not make English toasted bread unless she was taught to do so, but instead, if she wanted something of this sort, would fry her bread in oil until it was quite hard.

On the boulevard that runs along the shore, like a sort of embankment, there are various places where sewage water comes down from the hills back. At these places the gulls gather, and near the casino, where there is a great viaduct, people stand and feed these birds, which the French call "les mouettes."

A bread merchant stands near, and from him people purchase what they throw to the hundreds of gulls, which catch great pieces that are tossed in the air, make a circle, and are back again for another piece.

The pieces of bread that fall into the water are never lost, for the younger and less courageous birds hover, ready to jump in after any crumbs that fall. When by themselves they make no great noise, but, when being fed in this way, they scream constantly.

The casino dining-room, a few steps lower than the tea-room, looks like an ideal place to eat in, with the blue Mediterranean stretching away from its great plate glass windows.

Cause of Poverty.

Some men are poor because they have smoked up their cake and guzzled their mess of pottage.

A man may think he has extraordinary business ability if he succeeds in acquiring a rich son-in-law.



The Countess of Crewe,

Who entertained the King and Queen on the occasion of their visit to Crewe Railway Works. She was Lady Margaret Primrose, daughter of Lord Rosebery.

A GREAT COMET.

Travels One Thousand Five Hundred Miles a Day.

We think we are doing something quite wonderful when we take a train weighing a few thousand tons and bring it through from Vancouver to Montreal on time to the second, says an exchange. And it is wonderful, when the fact is considered that less than half a century ago the trip required nearer three months than three days, and such a thing as completing the journey at an appointed minute was out of the question.

This great feat, however, looks a good deal like a child hauling its tin train of cars around the kitchen when one considers the speed of one of the big comets.

There is a comet that comes within sight of the earth every 575 years. Its tail is millions of miles in thickness and many more millions of miles in length. It was first seen, so far as history records, 1769 years before the coming of Christ. In a few weeks it faded from the sky, only to return in 1194 and 619 B.C. The year 44 B.C. it came again, returning in 531 and 1106 A.D. The last time it was seen was in 1681, when Sir Isaac Newton beheld it, and discovered that comets are kept in their orbits by the sun, the same as the earth and the other planets.

Two hundred years have now passed since the comet disappeared. Even if it has been travelling no more rapidly than the earth goes around the sun, its enormous bulk has been shooting through space at the rate of about 1,500,000 miles a day. Yet in 343 years from now—in 2256—this same old comet that was already a well-known visitor when it looked down upon Julius Caesar, will again come within sight of those human beings who will then inhabit the earth.

Talk about a railroad train going half way across a continent in three days and reaching its destination on time, what is such a performance as compared with that of a comet that makes a trip of 310,000,000,000 of miles in 575 years and keeps so closely to its schedule that it always bursts from the darkness at the moment when the astronomers expect it.

NOT INTELLECT BUT TONGUE.

Is Reason for Parrots Being Able to Articulate Better.

A German scientist has gathered some curious data concerning the tongues of birds. As he points out, many persons suppose that woodpeckers use their sharp-pointed tongues as darts with which to transfix their prey.

It is true, says Harper's Weekly, that the Woodpecker, like the humming-bird, can dart out its tongue with extraordinary rapidity and that its mouth is furnished with an elaborate mechanism for this purpose, yet investigation shows that the object of their swift motion is only to catch the prey, not to pierce it. For the purpose of holding the captured victim the woodpecker's tongue is furnished with a sticky secretion.

Inasmuch as it possesses the power of imitating speech, it is not surprising to learn that the parrot's tongue resembles that of man more closely than any other bird's tongue does.

It is not because the parrot is more intelligent than many other birds, but because its tongue is better suited for articulation than theirs that it is able to amuse us with its mimicry.

In some respects the hummingbird's tongue is the most remarkable of all. It is double nearly from end to end, so that the little creature is able to grasp its insect prey very much as if its mouth were furnished with a pair of fingers.

Bix—I believe every man should own his own home, don't you? Dix Sure! And as many other people's as he can.

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What is Going on in the Highlands and Lowlands of Auld Scotia.

Scottish manufacture iron workers' wages have been increased by 5 per cent.

About $1,000 of damage was done by a fire that occurred at Patrick Sawmill, Glasgow.

The old garrison artillery guns have been mounted on the Moat Brae at Kirkcudbright.

Mr. J. Johnstone, a great temperance worker in Dingwall, is about to leave for Canada.

Lieut. Colonel Douglas Campbell is to retire after 28 years service in the Seaforth Highlanders.

The sanitary state of Bishopwell is at present receiving the careful attention of the local authorities.

Alderman A. Logan, Mayor of Berwick, has been appointed Danish Vice-Consul for Berwick district.

The death has occurred at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, of Mr. William Stewart, of The Glen, Innerleithen.

The new private fitting-out basin at Russell & Co's Kingston yard, Port Glasgow, may be completed by June.

Suffragettes were caught lately in the act of attempting to set fire to the new grand-stand at Kelso race course.

The dreaded Isle of Wight disease has made its appearance among the stocks of beekeepers in East Lothian.

Dumfries School Board are discussing a proposal to reconstruct Loreburn Street School at a cost of $7,500.

Montrose is destined to become one of the most important aerial and naval centres on the east coast of Scotland.

Arbroath Town Council have decided to purchase premises in Marketgate street as a site for the public baths.

Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Baden-Powell visited Kilmarnock and made an inspection of the Ayrshire Boy Scouts.

At the Highland and Agricultural Show at Paisley the county territorials are to furnish a guard of honor to the Duke of Teck.

In coast villages in Ross-shire and the Island of Lewis an experiment is being made with nine o'clock closing of public houses.

The sculpture hall and museum which have been added to the College of Art, Edinburgh, were opened by Lord Provost Inches.

Aberdeen Harbor Trustees have abandoned the idea of laying out money on constructing landing stages and shedding for cattle.

The license of the Crook Hotel, Tweedsmuir, Peebles, which was dropped three years ago, has been renewed by the licensing court.

It has been decided to close Holyrood Palace to the public in order to obviate any possible risk of danger being done by suffragettes.

Dalbeattie is to erect a tablet on the Town Hall Buildings to the memory of Lieut. W. N. Murdock, R.N.R., who went down with the Titanic.

A public meeting was held in the Council Chamber in Gatehouse to consider the advisability of advertising the town as a holiday resort.

Ayr Town Council are to purchase at a cost of $1,000 one of the fire-engines discarded by Glasgow Corporation in favor of motor engines.

A threatened strike of the plumbers in the Falkirk district has been averted by the concession to the men of an increase of one cent. per hour.

Glasgow bricklayers to the number of about 900 have accepted the compromise of the employers, and the new rate of wages, 21 cents per hour.

A distressing drowning accident, involving the death of two local fishermen named Henry and Mail, occurred at Levenwick Bay through the capsizing of a boat.

James McRobbie, while working on the glass roof of a shed in Leven Shipyard, Dumbarton, fell through and alighted on Robert Paxton's head, killing him instantly. McRobbie was only slightly injured.

There's room at the top, but the experienced traveller prefers a lower berth.

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A DOGGED WOOING

Jack Fenner, emerging from ting-room on the first floor of Poskett's apartment house, to descend the stairs. Five s later he had retreated pre- ely back up the stairs and the sanctuary of his room outside the closed a yapping, furry little fury him to come out again.

tle brute!" exclaimed Fen- ngrily. "If there's one kind I do object to above all oth- s a pom! I wonder who t it here! Anyway, either es or I do!"

he other side of the door, the small dog was levelling a f vicious insults at its craven

ntly the shrill barking and Mr. Fenner, after a s reconnoitre, began once descend the stairs. But his dently skilled in the art of , was waiting in ambush be- curtain on the landing. there was an instant of wild n; then Mr. Fenner caress- ankle, while his triumphant ttled joyously downstairs.

l break your blessed neck!" Mr. Fenner furiously. "Let hold of you, and I'll——"

opped abruptly, for, alarm- he clamor, a girl had come the dining-room on the floor, and was peering up in at the furious Fenner.

t ever is the matter?" she d coldly.

he bit me!" exclaimed a little disconcerted.

as only trying to play with e replied, in tones of scorn. g to play with me?" echo- er. "Why, the little brute e upstairs, and——"

he stopped, for the girl, ig- im completely, picked up e of the contention and t in her arms.

he nasty, horrid man tell bout you, then?" she in- affectionately, addressing

ith these words, she bore r dining-room and closed

" breathed Fenner, help- "That's about the limit! at wretched dog goes, or

the third time he left his unfinished; though, curi- ate, he had ceased to look

an't be a day more than he remarked to himself, rent irrelevance. "And a figure, too!"

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rd what 'appened this Mr. Fenner," said Mrs. gretfully, as she prepared for lunch. "And very sor- it should 'ave 'appened. I feared unpleasantness ever they told me they'd with 'em."

ere's no need to mention oskett," he returned eas- gs will be dogs, you

ood of you to take it like said the landlady. "Of u've been with me a long so if you says the dog hy, the party that owns ve notice. That's all say about it."

they mustn't go!" ex- enner, eagerly. "I—I the dog a bit. Jolly ar, I should say—when it better."

at's all right," said the with relief.

the way, Mrs. Poskett," Fenner, "who are these e you've got down-

st evening, sir. Name ght—widow lady and 'er

at is—er—the daughter's

sir."

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invitingly called the Cartwright. "Jack!" er turned and came gain, trembling with itement.

asked, eagerly.

s the light in the k ll, he could see that she was surveying him with frigid mein.

"I—I thought you called me?" he stammered.

"I was calling my dog," she explained icily, and Fenner went upstairs again, a crushed man. But during the sleepless night that followed, he evolved a plan, not only to gain the acquaintance of Miss Cartwright, but to win her gratitude as well.

"Seems to be a sort of case of 'love me, love my dog,'" he reasoned with himself. "She's fearfully keen on that little beggar, and if it got lost"—Mr. Fenner smiled wickedly—"they'd be no end grateful to the chap who found it."

On these premises Mr. Fenner laid his plan carefully. A slice of bacon, secreted from his breakfast, was cut into quarters. Caution made him don boots and gloves of extra thickness.

Thus equipped, Mr. Fenner put on his hat and carried out scout-like tactics on the stairway. Chance was plainly favoring him. The dining-room was empty save for the dog slumbering on the hearthrug. Mr. Fenner opened the front door and prepared to put his plan into execution.

"Hist, Jack!" he called softly.

The small dog scented battle at once, and rushed joyously to meet it. Quickly Mr. Fenner extended a propitiatory gift in the shape of a morsel of bacon. The dog accepted it without prejudice, and, having disposed of it, prepared ungratefully to renew the attack. A second taste of bacon mollified it, and the third quarter displayed by Mr. Fenner, was sufficient to lure it through the front door and out to the pavement.

So far, so good. Mr. Fenner had now merely to coax the dog up the road, and, just round the corner, there was a friendly stableman, who would keep the dog prisoner until the time came for Mr. Fenner to "find" it.

Already the third piece of bacon had drawn the dog up the street, but at the corner it jibbed. Mr. Fenner coaxed most enticingly, but it declined to round that corner.

"Come along, good doggie, then!" exclaimed Mr. Fenner winningly, and dangled the bacon before it.

And then something made him look up. Miss Cartwright and her mother had rounded the corner, and were watching him in breathless amazement.

"What are you doing with my dog?" asked the girl.

Mr. Fenner, realizing that the snip of cold bacon in his fingers required some explanation, smiled hollowly.

"Feeding him!" he replied.

"You're trying to entice him away!" she asserted hotly.

Guiltily, Mr. Fenner shook his head to intimate his horror at such a charge.

"I—I was only trying to get him used to me," said the wretched Fenner.

"Well, I don't want him to get used to you, thanks!" she stated coldly.

She picked up the dog, and stood eyeing Mr. Fenner for an interminable moment. Then, without further remark, she and her mother continued on their way back to the house.

"I'm getting on splendidly!" Mr. Fenner told himself bitterly. And for the next seven days he spent a miserable time. It did not even comfort him that the dog had now accepted him as a friend, for Miss Cartwright appeared to consider that as a further proof of guilt, and ostentatiously picked up the dog in her arms whenever she chanced to encounter Mr. Fenner. So that, after all, he got but scant enjoyment from meeting her casually in the hall.

Then came an evening when Mr. Fenner was sitting forlornly in his rooms, wondering how a lovesick young man could gain an introduction to a young lady who clearly did not want to know him, when there came a rap at his door.

"Come in!" he called brokenly; and then sprang to his feet, for it was Miss Cartwright who entered.

"Oh, good-evening!" he exclaimed feverishly. "Lovely weather! I mean—how do you do, Miss Cartwright?"

"I've lost my dog," she stated.

"I say, I'm awfully sorry to hear that. I'll go and look for it, if you like, with the greatest pleasure?"

"Oh, please don't trouble," she answered steadily—"unless you know where to look!" she concluded, pointedly.

"I haven't the faintest idea," he said. "I mean, I might stumble across it. It must be somewhere, mustn't it? I'd do anything——"

Five minutes later he was wildly scouring the streets of London, his eye alert for a small black dog decorated with a scarlet bow.

But, though he searched energetically for the better part of three hours, no glimpse of the vanished dog came to cheer him, until, not three streets away from home, he saw the wanderer, trotting aimlessly along the pavement.

In a flash he had snatched it up, and was walking swiftly back to Mrs. Poskett's house.

Joyously, he rapped at the door of the dining-room.

"Come in!" called a voice.

Mr. Fenner entered, and then life seemed to become to him as a puffed-out paper bag which had been burst, for there before him sat Miss Cartwright, with her dog on her lap.

Mr. Fenner's gaze passed blankly from one dog to the other.

"Jack came home again not five minutes after you left!" Miss Cartwright informed him, and there was the glint of a smile in her eyes.

"But I made sure this was Jack," said the crestfallen Fenner.

"One little black dog is very like another little black dog, especially in a dark street," pointed out Mrs. Cartwright, sympathetically.

A frenzied knocking came at the front door, and Mrs. Poskett hastened to reply to the imperative summons.

"My dog!" gasped a feminine voice exhaustedly. "My dog! I see 'im bring 'im in 'ere!"

Mr. Fenner started. Involuntarily his eye sought Miss Cartwright. She was smiling now in open enjoyment of the situation.

"Snatched up my dog, 'e did!" continued the irate caller on the doorstep. "I see 'im do it! And follow 'im, I did, and I see 'im come in 'ere with my dog!"

Evidently Mrs. Poskett sought to offer soothing words, but they were brushed aside.

"Don't think I'll be turned aside from my purpose, ma'am," stated the caller. "I'll 'ave the lor on 'im, sure as sure! And, if 'e says 'e 'asn't, I'll bring in the police and 'ave the place searched from attic to basement! So now, then!"

Mr. Fenner quailed at the ultimatum, and stood helplessly waiting for what might happen.

"What on earth can I do?" he groaned helplessly.

"Why, go out and speak to her!" advised Miss Cartwright, still smiling. "Here, give me that dog. Now take Jack, and go out to her!"

Mr. Fenner automatically obeyed her behest, and stepped into the hall, with Jack in his arms.

"Ah, there 'e is—the dog-stealer!" exclaimed the caller, with savage relish. "And with my Flossie in 'is arms!"

"Pardon me!" said Mr. Fenner. "You appear to be laboring under a delusion. This dog's name is Jack."

Carefully the lady examined Jack; then she withdrew, rather dissatisfied, promising further inquiries on the morrow.

"Now, take her dog, and carry it as near home as you dare," directed Miss Cartwright. "Here's the address on its collar!"

To his surprise, when he had accomplished his mission, Miss Cartwright came out of the dining-room and thanked him effusively.

"Perhaps," she suggested softly, "if you'd been more familiar with Jack's looks, you'd never have made the mistake. Hadn't you better come in and have a look at him now?"

And Mr. Fenner went. Hence, as postscript, one has only to add that Jack is still one of his wife's dearest possessions—the lucky dog!—London Answers.

What She Remembered.

"Did Emily enjoy her trip abroad?"

"She says she did."

"Emily has such a receptive mind."

"Are you sure it is her mind? All she talks about it what she had to eat."



THE LATEST SOCIETY FAD IN PARIS.

Paris society ladies are now wearing the English monocle. The fad is sure to be taken up at once by the American society leaders, who have waited long for the opportunity of cultivating this distinctly English habit.

HOME

Some Maple Dishes.

Delicious desserts and sauces are made from maple sugar and maple syrup. The syrup, of course, if kept in tightly closed jars or containers, will be quite as rich in flavor next winter as now, but sugar even under the best of conditions, does dry out.

Maple parfait is simply made: Take the yolks of four eggs and beat very light; gradually beat in a cupful of maple syrup, put the mixture into a double boiler and stir until it thickens so as to coat the spoon. Remove from the fire and add a pint of cream, whipped. Stir in half a pound of walnut meats, place in a mold and pack in ice and salt for four hours. This will serve ten or twelve people.

Another parfait recipe calls for three-quarters of a cupful of maple syrup brought to a boil; then add the yolks of two eggs beaten stiff and cook till very thick. When cool, fold in a cupful of cream beaten stiff and a little vanilla. Place in a mold and pack in salt and ice for three hours.

Maple syrup rolls are delicious for tea. Make a crust of a pint of flour sifted twice with half a teaspoonful of salt and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Then add gradually a cupful of milk and three teaspoonfuls of melted butter. Roll out the dough till about an inch thick, spread with butter and cover with a cupful of maple sugar scraped fine and mixed with chopped citron and chopped walnuts to taste. Roll up like a rolled jelly cake, cut in slices an inch thick and bake in a moderate oven.

For a filling for maple sugar cake, boil a cupful and a quarter of the syrup till it hairs; then add an eighth of a teaspoonful of cream of tartar and pour this on the beaten white of an egg, beating all the time till it is of a consistency to spread.

Maple cocoanut pralines are made by mixing together a cupful of maple syrup, half a cupful of shredded cocoanut and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Boil the mixture till it is a mass of bubbles; pour on a buttered platter and mark when cool.

An excellent pudding sauce is made by beating a cupful of maple syrup and then adding a tablespoonful of melted butter. Cook for five minutes.

If scraped maple sugar is used for sweetening whipped cream it will be found a delicious sauce for any pudding.

Still another sauce is made by creaming butter and stirring in scraped maple sugar, in place of confectioners' sugar, till it is the right consistency.

With the Pineapple.

Canned Pineapple—One and one-half pounds of granulated sugar, one quart water, six pounds of pineapple cut in small pieces. Put all together in a kettle and cook until pineapple can be easily pierced with a fork. Can hot.

Fried Pineapple—Bought pineapple, canned in slices, is excellent fried in butter, turning frequently until tender and browned to a golden color. Use as a garnish to meat, pork particularly. It takes the place of apples in that case and is delicious. Use no sugar. Goes well with a broiled steak, too. Home canned pineapples are just as good fried this way, only one must sprinkle on a little sugar to make them brown.

Pineapple Salad—Pineapples served upon lettuce with a French dressing or mayonnaise makes a delightful salad. Filling the centers with cheese balls stuffed with nuts is an improvement on the foregoing.

Pineapple Compote—Dice pineapple, grape fruit, oranges, stoned white cherries, white grapes, candied green and red cherries and a few dices of candied rhubarb make a charming compote.

In preparing pineapple remove the eyes with a different knife than the one with which you slice and dice the fruit. There is an acid about pineapple eyes which causes sore mouth. The juice from pineapple is excellent for frozen ices. Combine with lemon to give the desired tartness.

Hints for the Home.

Dry cake may be used for bread pudding in place of the bread.

Bamboo furniture is best cleaned with a damp cloth.

Wild flowers will not wilt if put into a paper bag as soon as picked.

Moths will rarely bother woollens which are aired and perfectly cleaned.

In choosing table china the simplest designs are always the safest.

The water rice is cooked in makes an excellent foundation for soup.

A stiff paint brush will get dust out of cracks better than a duster will.

If a year-old baby refuses milk, try giving it broths, egg and cereals.

A paste of salt and lemon juice applied hot will polish old brass like new.

Always stand the ironing board on the wide end to prevent displacing cover by slipping downward.

Bananas that are not quite ripe may be baked in their skins for from 20 to 30 minutes and served hot with cream.

When bleaching linen or lace keep it in the bright sunshine. To keep dust out of the bowl place a piece of glass over it.

Green tomatoes may be fried the same as green peppers. Slice them, dip them in oil, then in crumbs, and fry in fat or butter.

When cooking tomatoes to strain and use for tomato jelly, the flavor will be improved by a bay leaf and a piece of mace added.

When you spill grease upon the floor immediately pour cold water upon it. This cools it before it can strike into the wood.

If a strong brine of salt water is thrown over the coal less soot will collect in the flues and chimneys. The fire, too, will burn clear and bright.

By placing thin silk between two pieces of tissue paper one can cut it as straight as though it were heavy cloth; there will be no annoying puckering.

To clean windows easily first wipe thoroughly with a dry cloth. Then rub with a chamois skin which has been wrung out of cold water. No further polishing is needed.

When you have roast beef for dinner save the water in which it was washed, as it is a splendid tonic for plants. Roses and geraniums especially are improved by this treatment.

As hot weather approaches the wise housekeeper plans to make simple desserts early in the day, so that she can put them away and have them chilled hours before dinner is served.

If your child is not clever at his lessons do not worry. Perhaps he is clever at putting watches together, or mending electric bells, and he'll be all right about his book-learning later on. The world's work isn't all done on paper.

To remove old wall paper use the following solution:—Make a thick pastry solution by adding flour and salt to boiling water, and add to this a few ounces of acetic acid (which may be purchased at any drug store). Apply this with a brush to the old wall paper. After a few minutes the paper can be removed very easily in big strips and with very little dust and dirt.

WON'T WEAR ENGLISH DRESS

Chinese of Swatow are Returning to Native Raiment.

Shortly after the revolution of 1911-1912 in China there was a marked tendency among the middle and better classes of Chinese to adopt European dress. Most of those who could afford to made the change, but the bulk of the people, laborers, artisans and small shopkeepers, could not afford it. However, there was a large demand for all sorts of foreign wearing apparel. But lately, according to Consul C. L. L. Williams, stationed at Swatow, a reaction has set in and about 60 per cent. of those who adopted foreign dress last year have gone back to native clothing. Silk, which declined greatly in price about a year ago, has lately made up 20 per cent. of this loss. This in itself is definite proof that the Chinese are tiring of alien raiment.

The Exile.

(Gordon Johnstone, in May Canada Monthly.)

'Tis me that's here a-digging in a dirty yellow street,
A-rubbing elbows with a man that's neither black nor white, sir,
And I'm that dead and fainting in this hole of stifling heat
There's not a smile left in me; faith, I'll thank ye for a light, sir;
And, oh, I do be hearing
The linnets in a clearing
Of the ould, ould sod.

'Tis me that do be climbing to a little box-like room,
Shut in from God and heaven with the great roofs frowning over;
And not a primrose to be seen in all that darkening gloom,
And not a breath of heather fields or whistle of a plover
But, oh, that bed of rushes,
And, oh, the morning thrushes
Of the ould, ould sod.

'Tis me that's nightly drameing till 'tis time to go to work
Of one as sweet and shyful as a rose—what's that ye say, sir?
'Tis ye that has the same soft drames to haunt the whispering murk?
God bless ye both, avic machree, and hasten swift the day, sir;
But ere he binds ye sweet, lad,
I hope he'll plant me feet, lad,
On the ould, ould, sod.

THE PRICE OF EGGS.

An Old Negress Made It Soar When They Were Opened.

There is often to be heard some active revolt and more angry protest at the high price of eggs. Had all "hen-fruit" as precious a core as that sold some forty years ago by an old negress, no crusade of housekeepers, league of considerate dealers, or rebellion of ultimate consumers could hope to keep the price from soaring far beyond the reach of common purses.

"How do you sell eggs, aunty?" she was asked one day by a pleasant gentleman she had never seen before.

"Dem eggs," was the reply, "am worf a picayune apiece; fresh, too, de last one ob 'em. B'iled 'em myself, and know dey's fust-rate."

The gentleman was hungry, and the old woman's gay turban, neat dress and brimming basket made an enticing picture. He laid down a small coin, and took an egg. "Have you pepper and salt?" he inquired.

"Yas, sir; here dey is," she responded, beaming upon her new customer, who, producing a small penknife, proceeded leisurely to cut his egg exactly in half—when a bright new quarter was revealed, lying embedded in the yolk. Quietly pocketing his find, he picked up another egg, and asked its price. Her eyes still fastened upon the pocket which held the treasure-trove, the old woman hesitated, then announced:

"Boss, dat egg am worf a dime, suah."

He paid, and opened it, as he had the first. Within gleamed a shining gold quarter-eagle, which he calmly transferred to his pocket before pricing a third egg. The old woman's eyes were fairly bulging as she gasped:

"Dere's no use a-talkin', massa, I can't let you hab dat egg nohow for less dan a quarter; I declare I can't!"

"Very good; there is your quarter, and here is the egg," assented the purchaser, and he opened it, to disclose, snugly ensconced in the middle, two five-dollar gold pieces. Jingling them carelessly, he observed, with a nonchalant air:

"Very good eggs; I like them. I think I'll take a dozen. What will be the price?"

"Price!" burst out the excited negress. "You couldn't buy dem eggs for all de money you's got. I's gwine take dem eggs all home, I is; and dat money in 'em's gwine belong to me. Couldn't sell no more o' dem eggs, nohow!"

They were good eggs; but their shells concealed no more buried treasure. Her customer was Heller, the famous sleight-of-hand performer.

Sounds Like Yankee Yarn.

A commercial traveller was bragging about the magnitude of the firm he represented.

"I suppose your house is a pretty big establishment?" said the customer.

"Big? You can't have any idea of its dimensions. Last week we took an inventory of the employes, and found out for the first time that three cashiers and four bookkeepers were missing. That will give you some idea of the magnitude of our business."

Not Her Fault.

Why on earth do you let your wife go around saying that she made a man of you? You never heard my wife saying that." "No," the other frowned back, "but I've often heard her say she tried her hardest."

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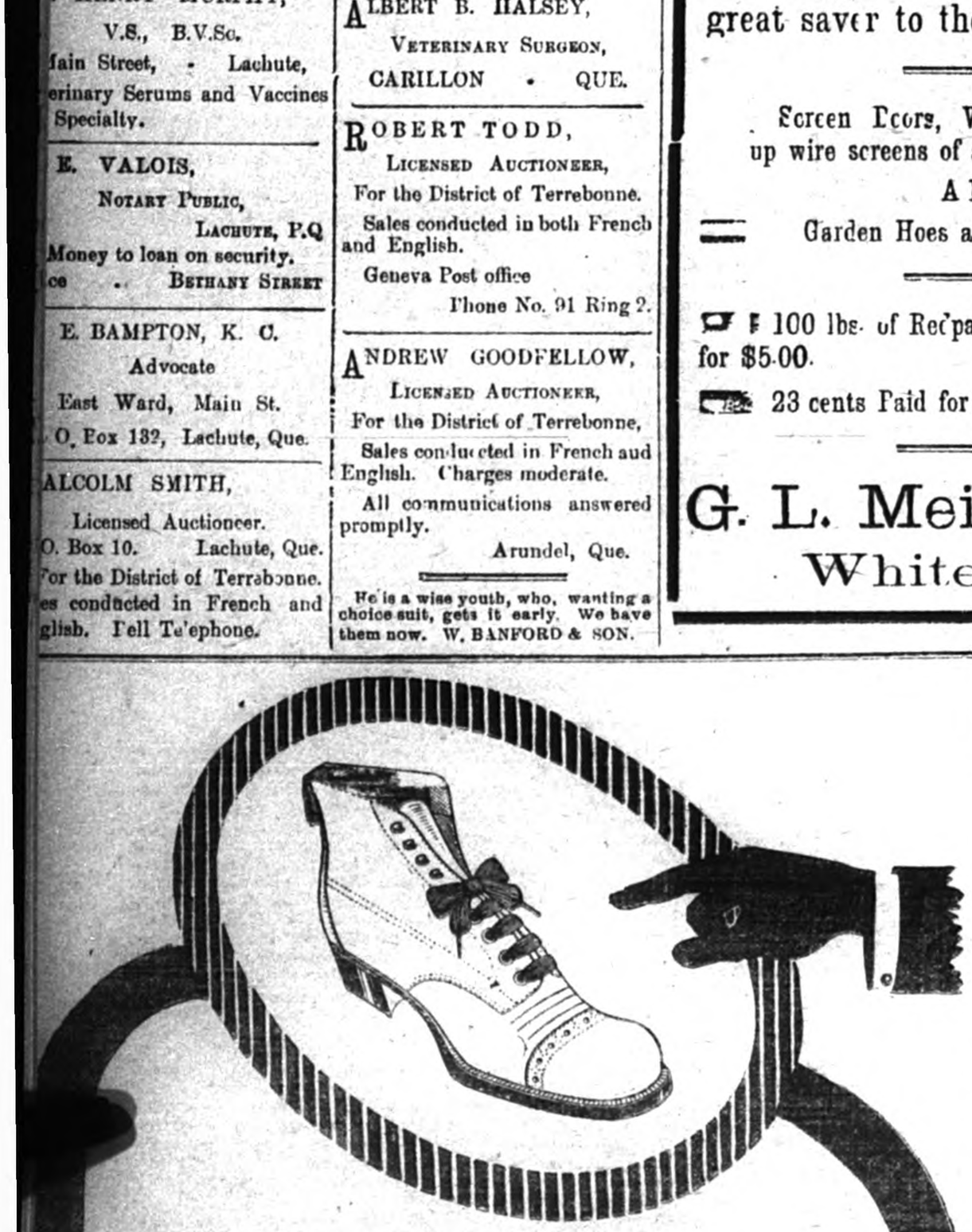
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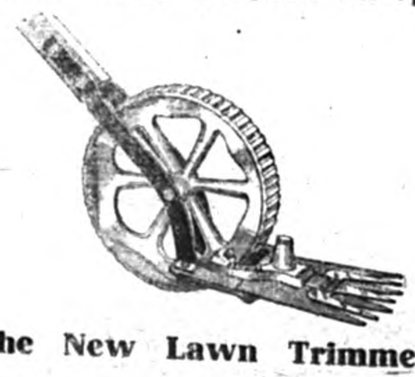
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CLELAND—LATTA

On Wednesday evening June 11th at five o'clock, at the Methodist Parsonage, Fernie B. C. the wedding took place of Miss Etta M. Latta, eldest daughter of Mrs G. H. Latta of Cowley, and Lawrence M. Cleland, second son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Cleland, of Cowley, formerly of Lachute, Que. Rev. J. F. Dimmick performed the ceremony.

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WOODS—COLE.

A very happy event occured this morning (Wednesday 18th inst), at the Church of England parsonage when Mr. Norman Woods, of Dunany, and Miss Mabel Cole, of Lakefield, were united in marriage by the Rev. J. A. Lackey.

A mumber of the friends of the bride and groom were in attendance to do honor to the occasion and to wish Mr. and Mrs. Woods many years of wedded bliss.

Mr. Lister supported the groom and Miss Cole sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid.

NOTICE! Dr. H. C. McConnell wishes his patrons and the public generally to understand that the Auction Sale of household effects to be disposed of on the 27th of June, are the effects of the late Mrs. And. McConnell, and has no connection with the sale of the property, which Dr. McConnell owns and in which he intends continuing his practice indefinitely.

The brazen manner in which petty thefts are being perpetrated of late is just cause for alarm. Last Thursday evening, the store of G. L. Meikle & Co'y was entered by forcing the front door, the miscreants making straight for the till and securing about six dollars in cash, leaving only a 10ct piece that contained a hole, which they were cute enough to think might prove their undoing.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Ettie McKimmie spent a few days last week in Montreal.

Mr. Thos. McGregor spent Wednesday with friends in Montreal.

Miss S McGibbon spent a few days in Vankleek Hill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Drennan are visiting their friends in Arundel.

Miss Agnes McGrandle, of Arundel, is the guest of Mrs. McIntyre.

Miss Grace Cornell, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss M. Slater.

Mr Wm Banford left on Wednesday morning for a trip to the Pacific Coast.

Mr. Jos. Fryers of Calgary, is here on a short visit, the guest of Mrs. Drysdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, of Shawbridge, were in town the early part of this week.

Mrs Sydney Watson, of Montreal, is spending a few days at Lachute Road.

Mrs. Lalanne of St. Lambert was the guest of the Misses Buchan this week.

Mrs. Jas. Fish and Miss Cora Morrison of Montreal, are spending the week in town.

Dr. Bruneau and daughter Edress, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jousse this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Massiah and son Hubert, have gone for a trip up the Gatineau.

Miss Georgina Fraer, of Detroit, Mich. is here on a short visit to her many friends.

Adam Bates and daughter Muriel and Miss Susan Kelly of Avoca, were in town this week.

Mrs. A. St. Louis, of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown.

Mrs Painter, of Knowlton, was the guest of Mrs. T. Shepherd the early part of this week.

Mrs. McKay, of Ghateguay, is the guest of her mother Mrs. R. Muir, of Upper Lachute.

Mrs. Scott, of Ottawa, is spending a few days in town, the guest of her mother Mrs. Mackie.

Miss Margaret McGregor, of Ogdensburg, was the guest of Mrs. Beckham a few days last week.

Mr. Caldicott, of Coventry, England, was the guest of Mr. J. R. Parris the early part of this week.

Mr. H. L. Campbell, of New Richmond, Que., is the guest of Mr. Jno. Simon for a few days.

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Mrs. Meldrum, of Montreal, and Miss Spence sbent a few days this week with their sister Mrs. Slogie.

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Miss Edmee Bruneau, of Cornwall, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Eugene Jousse for the summer months.

Rev. Mrs. Forsythe was the hostess at afternoon tea on Wednesday afternoon last, in aid of the Manse fund.

Mrs Wade and Mrs. Hartley, of Grenville, were guests of Mrs. Thos. Shepherd on Friday last.

Mrs T. Jousse was in St. Scholastique over Sunday and Monday and attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Fortier.

Mrs. Thos Christie was the hostess at an afternoon tea on Tuesday last, in honor of the teachers at the Academy.

Mr. McNeil, of Washington, is spending a few weeks in Argenteuil renewing old acquaintances after an absence of over 28 years.

We regret in reporting the names of successful candidates of McDonald College that Miss Janet Forbes was omitted.

CARD OF THANKS:—Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Murdock wish to thank the many friends for kindnesses extended during their recent bereavement.

Miss Gladys McOuat who has been visiting in Hawkesbury, returned home on Wednesday evening, accompanied by her grandmother Mrs. Quinn.

Mrs. Sterns, of Coventry, England, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. R. Parris for a few weeks, left on Sunday last for a trip through to the Coast.

Mr. Geo. Hay was in Ormstown this week having officiated as judge at their cattle exhibition. Messrs. Wm. Hay, J. W Rice and Robt. Hamilton were also present.

The friends of Miss Juliette Rodrigue will be pleased to know that she has received her senior Diploma from the Dominion College of Music, having passed with high honors.

Mr. Tremblay returned home last week from a pleasant trip to Toronto, Boston, and other points. During his absence his wife and family were visiting friends in Montreal.

Miss Etta Stewart, Graduate Nurse of Maternity Hospital, Toronto, is now in town and open for engagements. Apply Miss E. Stewart, Lachute Mills, or to Watchman Office, Lachute.

Miss Eva Deacon is spending a few days in Montreal this week and leaves on aturday to attend the wedding of her brother Mr. Wm. Deacon to Miss Lila Davis, of Morin Heights, which takes place on Monday June 23rd.

Mrs. T. Christie received a welcome visit from her parents Rev. and Mrs. McLeod, of Scottstown, who were returning home to Scottstown after attendance at the Presbyterian Conference in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Patterson, of Plymouth, N. H., have returned home after having spent ten days in town as the guest of Mrs. J. D. Campbell. They were accompanied by Miss Katie Read, who will be their guest for a few days.

The friends of Mr. Louis Lafleur, whose young son Rodger was taken to Montreal to undergo an operation for appendicities, will be pleased to learn that he has returned home, the attack having passed off and the operation not made necessary.

Services in the Methodist Church on Sunday next: Lachute at 10.30 a.m., and 7 p.m.; St. Canute at 3 p.m., East Settlement 3 p.m.; Brownsburg at 7.30 p.m. Special sermon to men. A male choir will conduct the singing. Epworth League, Monday 7.30 p.m., Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 7.30 p m.

Last Sunday was children's day in the Baptist Church and a special service was held for the occasion. The Church was prettily decked with flowers and birds, and the pastor Rev. Mr. Forsythe gave a most helpful and interesting address to the little ones. On Saturday next the Sunday school will hold their annual Picnic, and rigs will leave the Church at 9 o'clock for Carillon.

The Duke of York's Royal Canadian Hussars, in command of Major Smith, left on Monday morning for their annual training camp at Farnham. The turnout this year was far ahead of the last and both men and horses made a most creditable showing as they lined up at the station. The fact that the Militia Department have been a little more liberal in allowing an extra 25 cts. per day for horses was doubtless a factor in bringing out so many.

Lachute Summer Training School For Teachers.

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The Summer training school for teachers is the outcome of an earnest effort on the part of the Protestant Committee to increase the supply of qualified teachers available for the rural schools of the Province. Throughout the province there are a great number of young persons teaching by permission, and some of them are doing excellent work. There are many also who are utterly unfit for the position they presume to occupy. This school will take those who have the necessary scholarship and have shown an aptitude for teaching, and increase their efficiency by giving them as thorough instruction as possible in methods and theory. At the end of the course those who have satisfied the instructions will be recommended to the Protestant Central Board of Examiners for certificates. This school will, therefore, perform the very important work of sifting the good from those who are now teaching without diploma and are, therefore, all classed together.

The superintendant of Public Instruction has chosen Principal McBurney, B. A. of Lachute, as organizer and principal instructor, and Rev. W. O. Rothney, B. A. B. D. Inspector of Schools Richmond, as assistant. These gentlemen have prepared a course of study and will conduct the school during the months of July. The first lecture will be delivered on July 2nd at 10. a.m.

That Lachute has been chosen to try this experiment should be gratifying to every citizen. Probably nothing has ever happened here before that will mark out our town so definitely as an educational centre. Applications are now being received from all over the Province, from Gaspe on the one hand to Pontiac on the other, and it is desirable that these young people should return to their homes with pleasant memories of Lachute and of their treatment at the hands of her citizens.

It is hoped that many of our best people will open their homes to these teachers, at reasonable rates, so that all may find comfortable billets. It would be a great pity, and a very short-sighted policy, if they should go away with the feeling that they had been imposed on merely because the demand for lodging accomodation was larger than usual.

They have all been given to understand that they can get board and lodging in Lachute at from $12—to $16 for the month, and that seems to be a fair statement of the regular rates.

It will add greatly to the success of the school organization, if every one who is willing to open her house to these teachers, will, at the earliest possible moment, communicate with Principal McBurney and let him know how many they can take, and at what rates. This will be treated as strictly confidential. Let every one try to have this school redorned to credit of Lachute throughout the Province. To-day Lachute is chiefly known for the high standing of its Academy and the badness of its hotels. If we find it utterly impossible to improve the latter lets us dearly cling to our reputation as a centre of Education.

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CHAPTER IV.—(Cont'd)

Mr. Smutch protruded his nether lip, and looked pensive.

"I'm not sure, but if you are really in earnest, I'll find out. I fancy, however, that the river might be got, for about two hundred and fifty, or thereabouts." (It cost him exactly one thousand krones, or a little over fifty pounds a year, but such details were better suppressed. They had no bearing on the situation, at least, in Mr. Smutch's estimation.)

"I would give that willingly," said Harry, with all the rash precipitation of youth and ignorance combined. "If there is any chance of your friend letting his river, don't allow the price to stand in the way."

Over Ebor's dark countenance spread a slow smile. Somehow, smiling did not suit his style of beauty. It gave it a peculairly sinister appearance.

"All right, Hopperton, I'll do my best. Mark you, I don't want to give rise to false hopes. Let this be distinctly understood, but at the same time, I think," polishing his pipe with the corner of his pocket-handkerchief, previous to putting it away in a velvet-lined case, "that if you empower me to offer the sum named, i.e., two hundred and fifty, or say, five hundred for the two years which the lease has still to run, the matter might be arranged without much difficulty."

"Make any offer in reason, only be sure of getting the fishing. And, I say, Smutch, you'll come with me, won't you? You understand what I mean? As my visitor, of course."

"'Pon my word, you're very good. I don't quite know if I could get away all the summer, but I might perhaps manage a fortnight or three weeks' holiday, just to start you fairly, and," with another of his unpleasant smiles, "to earn my hundred pounds."

"By-the-by," said Harry, "is there a house or an hotel anywhere near?"

"Yes, quite close; within a hundred yards or so of the river. The people of the inn know me—that is to say, my friend—well, and are very civil and obliging. There is no trouble connected with the move. You want neither servants nor furniture, since they agree to board and lodge you for the moderate sum of four krones a day?"

"And how much is a krone?"

"As near as possible, thirteen pence halfpenny of our English money. The only thing I should advise you to do, is to take a few stores in the way of supplemental delicacies. The living is not very grand, according to our insular ideas, consisting chiefly of strong mutton, bad butter, and sour bread."

"It's awfully good of you, giving me all these hints," said Harry gratefully. "What ought I to take?"

"Oh! some tinned soups and tongues and prawns. The four krones are not supposed to include luncheon, so you have to forage for yourself for that meal. However, as one is nearly always out fishing it does not much matter. I used generally to make up a packet of sandwiches at breakfast time, and put them in my pocket. Jam, too, is a desirable addition, as the native Syltetoi is the most horrible compound of cloves, cinnamon and strong spices. They quite destroy any original taste possessed by the fruit. Ham and bacon also, biscuits and a few tins of sardines all come in useful. Last but not least, don't forget a good cheese, for if you can eat the Gammelost, it's a deal more than ever I could do. The mere smell of it is enough to make one ill."

"Thanks," said Harry with a laugh. "I shall steer clear of Gammelost and provide myself with a Stilton instead."

"Aye, do. There's nothing a patch on a real, ripe, mellow Stilton. But these are only minor details. How are you off for rods and tackle?"

"I haven't got any."

"Haven't got any? Bless my soul how funny. Just fancy living to the age of twenty-three and not possessing a salmon rod. You'll be obliged to buy an entirely new rig-out."

"Yes, I suppose so," said Harry humbly. "I hope you're prepared to spend a good bit of money, Hopperton, though of course when a fellow has got six thousand a year, a few pounds more or less can't make any difference."

"I'm prepared to spend whatever you think necessary. I put myself entirely in your hands."

"Very good, then. I'll see you through. If only I could spare a day, I would come with you and make sure of your getting everything right."

"I wish to goodness you would, Smutch. I should be most awfully obliged to you."

"The mischief is, I'm so infernally busy just at present."

"Are you? I did not know you were ever much bothered by business."

Mr. Smutch frowned, he disliked his statements being questioned.

"I am for the next three or four weeks. Every day that I don't attend the Law Courts is as good as ten pounds out of my pocket."

"How did you get away to-day?" enquired Harry innocently.

"Oh! to-day!" (airily.) "The court is not sitting."

Harry was certainly extremely credulous. Although at that very moment Mr. Smutch was lolling about on the settee, looking the incarnation of an idle man, he believed him implicitly, and imagined that in occupying any portion of his time he should be exposing his friend to a pecuniary loss. This he felt would not only be unjust but ungentlemanly.

The color flew to his ingenuous face, dyeing it a vivid crimson.

"Smutch," he said awkwardly and with every outward sign of confusion, "I hardly know how to make my meaning clear without hurting your feelings. If I offend, you must forgive me and attribute it entirely to ignorance, not rudeness."

"Yes, yes, old man. Go on. What's up now!" said his companion, with a presentiment of what was coming, glancing benignantly at him.

"Only this, I—I am more or less a stranger to you, and—and I feel I have no right whatever to trespass upon your kindness. Now, what I wish you to understand, is that if, if," hesitating more and more, "you w—would devote a day to helping me, I should insist on making good any loss you might sustain in consequence. There!" and Harry pulled up short, looking not unlike a full-blown peony.

To his intense relief, Mr. Smutch's feelings were not a bit hurt by the proposition.

"All right, old chap," he said in his offhand way. "Don't put yourself out about me."

But having once begun, Harry was determined to say all that was on his mind. Besides, the delicacy of Mr. Smutch's conduct made him resolve not to be outdone in generosity.

"You may want a few odds and ends," he resumed, "and as you are going to Norway this year, solely at my desire, it would be conferring a great obligation upon me if you would have them put down to my account. You do not mind, do you?"

"Not a bit," said Mr. Smutch, with a suppressed chuckle. He thought to himself that he had got hold of a regular greenhorn, and proposed to bleed him freely. The idea of his objecting to letting another person pay his bills was altogether too exquisite. He could hardly refrain from laughing outright. But it would not do to show his contempt too plainly, especially as he was more than satisfied with his morning's work. Five hundred for the river, and another hundred for his services, besides whatever he chose to charge for the time stolen from the Law Courts was not so bad. Mr. Smutch mentally resolved not to let this golden goose flutter out of his hands in a hurry. There were so many things that he might do. His imagination ran riot, and he even saw a chance at last of disposing of that valuable stud of weight-carrying hunters, which for the last two seasons had unsuccessfully been offered at Tattersall's to the Nimrods of the chase. There was old Shoeblack, who had just been nerved for navicular. By the autumn he would come out fit and well. Yes, Harry Hopperton should be accompanied to Norway in spite of jurisdiction, and, on his return, escorted to the Shires by the same kind Mentor.

Mr. Smutch arranged a very pleasant programme, not only to his entire satisfaction, but also to his own especial profit. When opportunities came in his way, he was a man who knew how to avail himself of them, and to become bear-learer to a young gentleman possessing six thousand a year, and no very clear ideas of spending it, was a stroke of luck such as did not happen every day of one's life.

CHAPTER V.

As may have been anticipated, Mr. Smutch succeeded in obtaining the Norwegian fishery of which he had spoken to Harry without the slightest hitch taking place in the arrangements. Everything was settled to their mutual satisfaction, and after repeated consultations, it was at length agreed that they should start for Norway the first week in June.

Harry was so impatient to begin fishing, that he would have liked to have gone even earlier, but his friend assured him the river was full of ice water until the middle of the month, and that from his own experience, the fish did not come up till later on in the season.

"It's no use kicking our heels about there doing nothing," he said. "You may take my word for it, that the end of June is quite soon enough for us to pack up and be off."

But this delay Harry could not brook, and by force of argument he persuaded Mr. Smutch to fix upon an earlier date. Meanwhile, there was much to be done before contemplating a start, as he found out before long and each day Mr. Smutch seemed to discover fresh wants, so that at last they appeared almost endless, and the quantity of odds and ends that accumulated was something alarming.

Ebor was kindness itself. He gave up his entire time in a manner that cost Harry many compunctions. With a reckless disregard for all legal business, and accompanied by his new friend, he spent hours and hours in Mr. Farlow's well known shop in the Strand. Until now, he had been in the habit of patronizing the Army and Navy Stores for his piscatorial purchases, but the superior merits of some Farlow flies, belonging to a fellow sportsman, had filled his soul with jealous longing, and since Harry had offered to pay for anything he might require, he determined to set himself up liberally, and for once not to let money possess any deterring influence. Harry, though somewhat surprised at the amount of Farlow's bill when it came in, paid it like a man and a Briton. To Mr. Smutch's no small relief, he did not even make a remark as to the double supply of tackle charged.

Harry spent quite a small fortune on American split cane rods, choice Marana casting lines, best bronze reels with double check action, silk waterproof lines, etc., etc. As for flies, he ended by being fairly astonished at the largeness of his requirements. At two-and-sixpence each, Mr. Smutch bought them by the dozen.

One after one Harry was initiated into the several merits of Butcher, Pophom, Black Fairy, Fiery Brown, Dusty Miller, Claret Jay, and last, but not least, the peerless and incomparable Jock Scott. By the end of a week he had learnt how to distinguish them, for at first, to his unaccustomed eye, one looked very much like another. When his fly-book was said to be stocked and filled to bursting, he took a childish delight in poring over it, and noting all the little variations of tinsel, hackle, wing, which hitherto had together escaped his observation.

Those were good times for Mr. Smutch, who found play and pay peculiarly to his mind, since now, in spite of the demands of the Law Courts, he almost lived at Bryanston Square. Scarcely a day passed without his going there to dinner, and the expenses of meals were seriously reduced, thereby effecting a considerable saving. Mr. Bousfield's old tawny port—in the deceased gentleman's time only produced on very rare occasions—was particularly appreciated by him, and it was at his friend Ebor's suggestion that Harry brought it forth so often and made such an inroad upon the bin.

At last every preparation was completed. Berths were secured on board Messrs. Wilson & Co's fast sailing steamer The Colorado, and the two young men settled to travel from London to Hull together, where they were to embark. Harry, full of hope and joyous anticipation; Mr. Smutch, happy in the possession of a cheque for six hundred and fifty pounds and the prospect of getting away from his duns and of having every expense paid for the next three or four months to come. Dull care fled at the prospect, for even he had occasional bad moments, when a complete smash loomed nearer and more distinct than was pleasant. Now he should be able to tide over another season's hunting at any rate, and partly pay off one or two of his most pressing and offensive creditors.

He was in a rare good humor. His bear had proved himself to be a delightfully amiable and easy-going creature, and the task of hauling him in tow became every day a more profitable and, consequently, a more pleasant one.

Mr. Smutch, in the solitude of his own apartment, congratulated himself gleefully on having dropped into such a real good thing, just, too, when he was on his last legs and needed a favorable turn of Fortune's wheel. He was all cheerfulness and benevolence and, with one or two exceptions, Harry found him a most fascinating companion. As to his being an improving one, he began every now and then to have doubts. At times there was a coarseness about Mr. Smutch's conversation which jarred upon his sense of refinement. Still these were only temporary suspicions, and, on the whole, the two got on admirably.

But there are few sayings which prove themselves to be truer than that which tells us how "Man proposes and God disposes."

Exactly three days before the young men were to start on their travels, Ebor, to his surprise on awaking, found himself covered from head to foot with a red rash, peculiarly irritating in nature. He thought very little of it, however, and dressed and went out as usual. The day happened to be exceedingly cold and stormy, as so often happens in this lovely climate of ours, even in June. By nightfall he felt extremely ill—so ill, that he was obliged to send for the doctor, who, on feeling his dry skin and rapid pulse, immediately pronounced him to be suffering from a severe attack of scarlet fever. Here was a pretty upset of all his plans. Could anything be more annoying and vexatious? Even when he recovered, every friend he possessed in the world would shun him like the pest, and weeks must elapse before all fear of infection would be over.

As he lay in his bed, Mr. Smutch ground his teeth with impotent rage. It was not so much the loss of the Norwegian trip that vexed him. In fact, he did not care greatly about going on his own account, but what made him mad was the thought of losing grip of Harry. He looked upon him as his particular golden goose, and now, if he were allowed to go out into the wide, wide world alone, was not somebody else sure to pounce upon so valuable a creature? It was far too rich a prize to be left to its own devices, and he, Ebor, who had been first in the field, would find himself supplanted by some wily and calculating schemer. It really was enough to make a saint swear. Words cannot describe Mr. Smutch's disgust at his inopportune illness. At first, he thought to conceal the nature of the malady, but on reflection, this proved impossible, and, as time was short, there was nothing for it but to write to Harry and explain the state of the case.

"I cannot tell you, my dear Hopperton," he wrote, "how horribly disappointed I am at being thus prevented from accompanying you, and, what's more, I'm afraid it's too late now for you to get anyone else in my place. Under the circumstances, it is useless my thinking of going to Norway, and I must resign myself to a dullish time of it in these infernal chambers. I only hope that you may spend a very pleasant summer, and, above everything, have good sport.

"Yours, with many regrets,
"EBOR SMUTCH.

"P.S.—Shall I try to pick up a decent nag or two for you, in your absence? It will be something for me to do when I get well. As we have been baulked in this cruise, I have another propostion to make. What say you to our hunting together from Foxington next winter? I generally take rooms at the hotel there, and could secure them for you, if I knew before hand. We might have a very jolly time of it, which would partly make up for the present disappointment."

This note Mr. Smutch despatched without delay, and, in due course, came the following answer:—

"My Dear Ebor.—(The young men had grown very intimate, and called each other by their Christian names).—If you are disappointed, so also am I. What crushing bad luck your catching scarlet fever. It seems a shame for me to go away and enjoy myself when you are on the sick list. I would offer to stay home, even at the eleventh hour, if I thought, by so doing, I could help you in any way. But I'm afraid I can't, so shall start at the time originally fixed. If you find you can come out, later on, do so by all means. I shall always be delighted to see you. As to your proposal that we should hunt together, next winter, it has my hearty approval, though I shall have to learn how to hunt first, just as I must learn how to fish. What it is to be an ignoramus on sporting matters! Often and often do I regret my education. As it has been so neglected, I should like to go to Foxington before the regular season commences; therefore, please take the rooms, by all means. If you can find me two or three safe conveyances between this and my return, I shall be most awfully obliged to you. It was very good of you to think of it. And now, poor old man, good-bye, hoping that you may join me before the summer is over.

"Believe me,
"Your sincere friend,
"HARRY HOPPERTON."

(To be continued.)

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"What's the matter, spring fever?"

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Less than two months after the overturning of the monarchy, the divorce laws, which before had withheld from women the right to petition for dissolution of marriage under any circumstances, were so amended that they now enjoy equal privilege in the courts with men.

A little later a law was passed, similar to the new French law, holding the fathers of illegitimate children responsible for their support, as well as for the support of the mothers. The marriage laws also were reformed, one phrase of especial significance being incorporated, that "conjugal society is based on the freedom and equality of both parties."

The wife's freedom is safeguarded in many ways; for instance, the husband may not take his wife into another country to live without her consent. Women may now publish their own manuscripts without their husband's consent, which was forbidden under the old regime, and both wives and husbands may now sue third parties in the courts without each other's permission.

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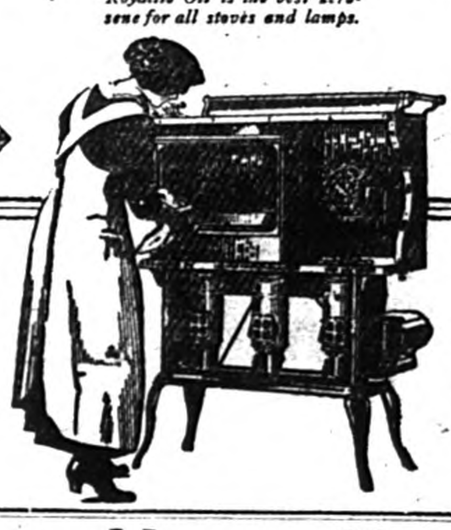
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Among the curious legacies is one which provides for the holding of a plot of land, rejoicing in the name of "Petticoat Hole," at Stockton-on-the-Forest, in Yorkshire, on condition of providing a poor woman with a petticoat once a year.

In the old days when rushes were strewn on the floor in lieu of carpets, says the London Telegraph, many persons left bequests of money and land for providing rushes for the floors of churches. Their use, of course, has long been discontinued, but in certain places the church wardens attend to the preservation of their rights by cutting a little grass each year and strewing it on the church floor.

But perhaps one of the most eccentric bequests was that of a certain John Rudge, of Trysull, Staffordshire, who left a pound a year for a poor man to go round the parish church while the sermon was being preached, awakening the slumberers and incidentally to eject any stray dogs that might invade the sacred premises.

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Nun Lived for Fifty Years Strapped to a Wall.

An octogenarian nun by the name of Maria Benedetta Frey has just died at Viterbo, Italy, from paralysis of the lower spine.

Fifty years ago her death was considered inevitable and the doctors were convinced that it was impossible for her to bear the excruciating pain or to remain motionless, as was necessary, more than a couple of days, but they strapped her head to the wall and in this unnatural position the nun lived for half a century, never complaining.

The people considered her case a miracle, as the nun showed a prophetic spirit, predicting many events, such as the conviction of the Camorrists, the assassination of King Humbert and for this year the death of the Pope.

When the nun celebrated the fiftieth anniyersary of her illness the Pope sent Cardinal Cassetta with an autographed blessing and instructions to celebrate mass at her bedside. Before her death the Pope sent his blessing with a message asking her to pray for him. The nun may be beatified in the near future.

Regretting the Cost.

Henry never knew stairs could be so frolicsome and alpine until that midnight. He had reached the turning point of his perilous journey, when his wife appeared, armed with the well-known candle and poker.

"You're drunk, Henry!" she cried vindictively. "You're drunk."

"Well, if I ain't," responded Henry demurely, "I've spent $3.65 for nothing at all."

And he wept.

It is never safe to entrust important work to a man who has nothing else to do.

Doctor Said He Had Diabetes

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CLEARED OUT EVERY TRACE OF IT.

That's Why Mr. David Heon, of Nicolet Co., Quebec, Is Recommending the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy To His Neighbors.

St. Wenceslas, Nicolet Co., Quebec., May 26 (Special).—"I started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills because the doctor told me I was threatened with diabetes. After taking ten boxes I was again examined by the doctor, and he told me that all trace of diabetes had disappeared."

This is the statement of Mr. David Heon, well-known and highly respected here, and he is only one of many in this neighborhood who have found a new lease of life in the great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

It is cures such as this that have given Dodd's Kidney Pills their reputation. They are now known from the Atlantic to the Pacific as the remedy that never fails to cure kidney disease, no matter where or in what form it is found.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are no cure-all. They simply cure diseased kidneys. The reason they cure backache, dropsy, rheumatism, neuralgia, diabetes, urinary troubles and Bright's disease is that all of these are either diseases of the kidneys or are caused by disordered kidneys failing to do their work.

THE ANTI-WORRY BOOK.

Designed to Show the Folly of Borrowing Trouble.

A new idea in diary-keeping is announced. Procure a little volume called "The Worry Book," the pages of which are all blank, and record at night the thing or things you worried about in the course of the day. At the end of the week, or month, or year, go over the records and note the number of things that caused you needless worry, the bad things that didn't happen, the good things that you were afraid mightn't happen but which duly arrived on schedule time or after no unreasonable delay.

Of course, the book is intended to act as an anti-worry specific. Wise men and women warn us frequently against borrowing trouble, against worrying about the future, and tell us that most of the evils and misfortunes we dread never come to us. The worry record is designed to prove and illustrate this.

We have no doubt that it will do so in the majority of cases. Worry is the worst of our physical and mental enemies. It kills more victims than the layman suspects. It poisons existence where it doesn't actually shorten life. We are not all optimists by nature, but if we can fight off worry by figures and items that do not lie, the investment in an anti-worry diary is decidedly worth while.

A Contingency.

"There is one cruel possibility about a maiden speech."

"What is that?"

"That it may also be a miss."

"LIKE MAGIC."

New Food Makes Wonderful Changes.

When a man has suffered from dyspepsia so many years that he can't remember when he had a natural appetite, and then hits on a way out of trouble he may be excused for saying "it acts like magic."

When it is a simple, wholesome food instead of any one of a large number of so called remedies in the form of drugs, he is more than ever likely to feel as though a sort of miracle has been performed.

A Western man, in the delight of restored digestion, puts it in this way:

"Like magic, fittingly describes the manner in which Grape-Nuts relieved me of poor digestion, coated tongue and loss of appetite, of many years' standing.

"I tried about every medicine that was recommended to me, without relief. Then I tried Grape-Nuts on the suggestion of a friend. By the time I had finished the fourth package, my stomach was all right, and for the past two months, I have been eating with a relish, anything set before me. That is something I had been unable to do previously for years.

"I am stronger than ever and I consider the effects of Grape-Nuts on a weak stomach as something really wonderful. It builds up the entire body as well as the brain and nerves." Name given by the Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

"There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SKIN ITCHED AND BURNED

Pimples on Legs and Arms. Scratched and Made Sores. Kept from Sleeping. First Application of Cuticura Soap and Ointment Gave Great Relief. Cured in a Few Weeks.

Lachine Locks, Quebec.—"I had itching commencing with my legs and increasing gradually until it reached all parts of my body. There were small pimples on my legs and arms and the skin was red and inflamed all over the body and itched and burned so badly that I scratched and made sores. It caused me so much pain that it kept me from sleeping during entire nights. I was troubled with it for about two years.



"After having tried several remedies without success I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and from the first application I felt a great relief. I continued the treatment taking warm baths with Cuticura Soap followed by the application of Cuticura Ointment, and at the end of a few weeks the trouble had disappeared completely and I was cured." (Signed) N. C. Boulet, May 27, 1912.

For red, rough, chapped and bleeding hands, itching, burning palms, shapeless nails and painful finger-ends, a one-night Cuticura treatment works wonders. Soak hands, on retiring, in hot water and Cuticura Soap. Dry, anoint with Cuticura Ointment, and wear old, loose gloves during the night. Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold throughout the world. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post card Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. 42D, Boston, U. S. A.

AMPUTATES RIVAL'S LEG.

Operation Was Needless—Damage Suit to Follow.

Gomez Lopez del Navarette, a well-known diplomat of Barcelona, Spain, was in love with an actress, Dolorez Riverode Romanones, who is the daughter of an aristocratic Spanish family, whose name she brought into great notoriety by going on the stage. A young but already famous surgeon, Dr. Dorado del Pozo, was also a suitor for Dolorez, and her affections wavered so uncertainly as to cause a duel between the young men, in which the diplomat was wounded in the leg.

Immediately Dolorez was at his side and nursed him devoutly. Several doctors were consulted, but the leg only became worse. At last Dolorez persuaded her lover to consult his rival, the brilliant young surgeon. He did so and Dr. Dorado del Pozo said that amputation would alone save his life, as gangrene had set in.

More persuasion by the actress, who assured him that her affections were now fixed, was needed before the young diplomat would consent to the operation. The operation was eventually performed and Senor Navarette provided with an artificial leg.

In spite of her previous protestations Dolorez had now to confess that she could never marry a man with one leg. Not long after she married the young surgeon. This aroused Navarette's suspicions and he visited the doctors whom he had consulted before the operation. They all assured him that gangrene was, in their opinion, quite impossible. He is now bringing an action for damages against his successful rival.

Guilty of Assassination.

A man, razor in hand, was caught by his wife assassinating not an enemy, but a corn—what he needed was Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's safe, painless and cure. Try "Putnam's"—cures so fast, 25c. at all dealers.

Rather Odd.

"It's pretty expensive to have one's own lawyer."

"But it doesn't cost anything to keep one's own counsel."

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

400 Crimes in 24 Hours.

More than 400 news items, most of them dealing with the crimes or misfortunes of Londoners during 24 hours, appeared recently in the newspaper which is circulated daily by the authorities of Scotland Yard for the exclusive use of the police. The publication bears the title "Informations," and four editions appear every day. The "copy" is sent in to Scotland Yard by officers in charge of central departments, and the paper is printed in the building.



HORNETS AS PETS.

"Gentle, Inoffensive Creatures" That Kill Stinging Flies.

The public has heard of wasps as pets, but it has been reserved for Major Hurlstone Hardy, of England, to tell us that the hornet is "a gentle, inoffensive creature very suitable as a pet." Writing in Knowledge he states that when walking down Chiswick lane many years ago he discovered hornets busy around four straw hives in the front garden of a cottage.

"I entered," he says, "and asked the proprietor to let me observe them. I found that he kept these hornets for pets and that he had no bees. He lifted up a hive and let me observe the queen at work. He said that he felt no danger whatever." Major Hardy adds that he personally has "no fear whatever of these innocent and useful creatures, who seem quite willing to share our dwelling with us if encouraged to do so."

It will be remembered that Mr. Bates in his account of his experiences on the Amazon states that at first he killed hornets which flew near his face. But having observed them closely and noted that they killed stinging flies, pouncing upon them as the flies attempted to bite him, he left them alone and was rather glad of their company.

The time may yet come when every well regulated household will keep its hornet to deal with flies, as it now keeps its dog to guard against burglars.

Do You Feel Moody, Irritable, Depressed?

When That Languid, Laggy, Easily-Tired Feeling Comes, Your Liver Is Slow.

Tells How to Cure Quickly.

"Even when I was young I was not robust and healthy like other girls. I suffered from headaches, and had sort of blue feelings that deprived me of the joyful spirits and pleasures other girls seemed to get. After I married I found I could not throw worries off like other women, and those full feelings of despondency and weariness made me very unhappy. There was no cause to feel so, and my doctor said my liver was sluggish, and this accounted for my poor color, my tiredness, langour and despair. The pills the doctor gave me were too purgative, made me weaker because they were too active for my constitution. Dozens of my friends recommended Dr. Hamilton's Pills, and they were so mild and helpful. Well, I never used a pill that acted so quietly as Dr. Hamilton's. They were so comfortable to use, I was afraid they would not help. But in a week I knew they had been actively engaged in cleaning up my system. They did the work of a tonic and blood medicine combined. I improved to a marvelous degree with Dr. Hamilton's Pills, and I now maintain the most perfect kind of health by using them just once or twice a week."

It is Mrs. E. V. Erlanger, well known at Gloucester, who relates the above experience. She proved what you and all others, men and women, can prove—that Dr. Hamilton's Pills are best for restoring health and best for keeping the system in perfect running order. Don't be misled into using anything but Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. a box, five for $1.00, at all druggists and storekeepers, or postpaid by the Catarrhozone Co., Buffalo, N.Y., and Kingston, Canada.

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Cynthia—Billy, I wish to share all of your troubles with you!

Billy—I have no troubles, dearest!

Cynthia—Oh, I mean when we are married.

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A young girl from a country town went to a city boarding school, much against the wishes of her father, who thought she would be spoiled by city ways.

Soon she wrote in one of her letters: "I am in love with ping-pong."

The mother read the letter aloud to her father, who turned angrily upon her, saying: "Well, you see I was right. I knew no good would come of her going to the city. Now, you see she has got in with one of those danged Chinamen."

"There is plenty of self-conceit in the world to-day," says Dr. J. W. Jowett, "but we have not nearly enough of esteem."

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Never There.

She—Anyhow, you must admit he is a well-bred man. Did you notice his knowledge of Aristotle?

He—I did, and if you want my candid opinion, I don't believe he's ever been there.

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Carrying The British Flag Into The Last Unknown.

Through the patriotic interest and financial assistance of the Borden Government there sails this week from Victoria the Stefensson expedition for the far north. The expedition is commanded by a Canadian—for Stefansson was born in Manitoba—is under the aegis of the Union Jack and as far as possible is manned by Canadians It is the most throughly equipped expedition from a scientific standpoint which has ever left for the Arctic regions.

WHERE IT GOES.

Stefansson will explore the regions north of the American continent which are new territories and the Canadian flag will be hoisted so that there can be no question or dispute as to the ownership of the far north. Theexpedition from a scientific and geographic point of view is regarded as of immense importance and that the Canadian government should have undertaken the work of financing and sending it north reflects much credit on the administration.

Railway Development Must Not Be Delayed.

No one should object to the assistance given to the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Pacific who is not prepared to see a suspension of the work in these great undertakings. The money market is so stringent that it is utterly impossible to float large loans on foreign markets. The Dominion cannot afford to have work cease on these transcontinental lines, and the Government has assured itself that this is what is very likely to happen if such aid is not granted. Such a result would bring with it a depression that would have very grave effect upon every man and every business in the country. There will, of course, be more or less criticism of the Government's action, but there would be much more criticism of the Government's inaction if the result outlined above came to pass.

CALUMET

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Mr. R. H. McGibbon pain Grenville a visit recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McIntyre, of Lachute, visited in Calumet recently.

Mr. E. C. Whinfield is around again after being 12 days confined to bed with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

The family of Captain Cooper, of Montreal, are now occupying their summer cottage recently purchased from Mr. A. Prophet.

The charity Ball was held in Scott's Hall on Friday, 13th inst at which after paying expenses, the sum of $57.00 was realized.

B. Squadron, 17th Huzzars, left for camp on the 16th inst., with 54 horses, 64 officers and men in command of their popular officer Major Reid.

CUSHING

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Miss Violet Kerr is visiting friends in Bunany.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church met at Mrs. C. L. Cooke's on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Grace Fraser returned on Monday from a pleasant visit to Miss Lily Jordan at L'Orignal.

A number of men and horses from this vicinity left on Saturday to join the 21st. Battery for the military exercises at Petawawa camp

Mr and Mrs. Irwing and the Misses Ring of Montreal, are at present occupying the residence of Mr H. Y. King. Mr. Irving assisted with the services at St. Mungo's on Sunday morning last.

Rev. Mr and Mrs. Fraser went up to Ottawa on Wednesday, where the former will officiate at the marriage which takes place on Thursday evening of Miss Lois Davidson to Mr. C. Langford. Miss Davidson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Dauidson, formerly Miss Annie McKinnon of this place.

On Wednesday morning the marriage of Miss Margaret McCoy and Mr. Austin Lowe was quietly celebrated at St. Philippe Church. The invited guests were limited to the immediate relatives of the bride and groom, b t a number of other friends assembled to witness the ceremony and congratulate the young couple who are both very popular. Mr. Lowe is the eldest son of Mr. Martin Lowe of Rawcliffe and proprietor of a number of cheese factories in the locality and the bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. James McCoy, of St. Philippe. Immediately after the wedding breakfast at the residence of the brides father, the happy couple took the train for Montreal and Quebec. On their return they will reside in Grenville.

News of Brownsburg.

Mr. J. T. Robbins spent part of last week in Lachute.

Mr. Jack Jeffrey, of S.e. Canute, spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Graham spent the week-end at Dalesville.

Miss Beattie, of Montreal, is visiting Mr. and Mrs Maitland

Mr. and Mrs. Holiday, of Montreal, were in Brownsburg a day last week.

Mr. Clark and niece Miss Ruthie Briggs, were in Montreal part of last week.

Miss Katie Warwick, of Mabel, spent the week-end here the guest of Mrs. D. McKiddie.

Mrs. Davy McOuat and Miss Edith McOuat spent sometime in Montreal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. McClure, of Poakane Washington Territory U. S. A. were the guests of Mrs. Jos. Rodgers one day last week.

Church of England Service will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening next at half past seven. Everybody welcome.

We note with pleasure the success of our friends Messrs. Newlinge and Birch in their effort to have an up to date moving picture show and judging by the crowds which attend every Wednesday and Saturday evenings, the interesting films which are shown are greatly appreciated.

Great interest was taken in the return match between the Young mens Club vs. Quarry Ranges in the Lower Ottawa Valley Association football league. The Quarry ran out easy winners by 4 goals till right from the start the quarry held the upper hand and the Y. M. C. seemed powerless to repel the attacks by the re-arranged Quarry forwards who were ably led by waterfield and fully deserved to win after putting up such a clean and clever display of football. Don't forget Sat. June 28th when a great game is promised between those two old rivals Quarry Ranges vs D. C. Co. which practically decides which team will win the cup. Come along in your thousands, a great game is assured.

The Club held its usual weekly shoot on Saturday 14th at the Trap in the Picnic grounds. There was a good attendance of members and the shooting was very keen. The spoon competition was won by our genial president Mr. E. J. Johnson, who compiled the highest score. Mr. Golphins and Mrs. Pascos practice prizes are still being strenuously fought for and as these competitions close on the 28 of June some very sensational scores may be looked for. In the long run Competition which closed last week, shot for on May 17th, 21st and 31st the following were among the best scores. In this competition the Novices were allowed to count each "Dead" bird as two targets. Fred Brunett, 19, A. M. Campbell, 12, F. Kettyle, 11, W. McGibbon, 10.

ST. ANDREWS.

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Mr. John Bradley is spending a few days with his sister in Riviere Rouge.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Judd, of St. Eustache, spent a few days visiting their friends in this vicinity.

Three well known farmers of this District have vacated their farms for a couple of weeks to go with the 21st Battery Canadian Field Artillery at Petewawa. Sergt. W. A. Bradley left with four fine saddle horses, Sergt. P. M. Burwash with two. Sergt. Major John Watson with two. We wish our boys success.

This enterprising club is making every preparation to make the outing an attraction to every owner of a motor boat.

The commodore announces a splendid presentation cup, sterling silver, from a prominent engl[illegible] for the motor boat comp[illegible] in a few days similar [illegible] are expected from [illegible]

The club has arranged [illegible] open events for single [illegible] canoes, skiff races tub races and a race for boats with h[illegible] table motor

The club is assured of support from the owners of the fastest motor boats in t is section, and the Lake of Two Mountains on Dominion Day will be the scene of a competition worth going miles to see.

A general desire exists in motor boat circles to have Commodore Robt Lucas, of Lachine, act as fleet captain of the largest flotilla of motor boats ever assembled here.

The Montreal Film Corporation is sparing no efforts on its part to have arrangements perfect in every detail to secure a picture worthy of Canada.

RIVINGTON.

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Mrs David McVicar, has returned home from Montreal.

Miss Lilly McFarlane is spending a few days with friends in Montreal.

Mr. Stuart Poulter, of Gale House Vernet, spent Sunday in Rivington.

Miss Christina McMillan has left for Montreal to spend a few months there.

Miss E. G. Winter, teacher in No 2. school has gone to visit her mother in Ormstown.

Mrs. Donald McIntosh, is spending a week with her sister Mrs. Geo. Kelly (sr.) of Avoca.

Mr. Alex. McMillan who has been visiting his parents for tae last month has returned to the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Gates, who have spent the last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S Young, have returned to their home in Montreal

Among those who attended the wedding of Miss Marget Dobbie, and Mr. M. J. Fraser, of Huntingdon, B. C. formerly of this place, were,—Mr. and Mrs. Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Cottingham, of Lachute, Adam C. Fraser, and Miss Nellie and Katie Fraser, of Ottawa, Mrs. Jas. Dansken and Mrs. R. Abraham, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McVicar, of Vankleek Hill, Ont.

DALESVILLE.

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Little Miss Elizabeth Cregeen is the guest of her Grandfather, Mr. Archibald Murdock

Mr. and Mrs Thomas Morrow, have returned from their wedding trip and are occupying their new home in Dalesville

On Sunday, June 29th, Rev. A. E. White will conduct services as follows—At 11 a.m. in Dalesville, at 3 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. at Rousilloh.

Mrs. R. Cregeen and Miss Ettie Murdock, who were in Dalesville for the marriage of their sister last week, have returned to Montreal.

Sunday evening services are now being held at 7.30 o'clock in the Dalesville Baptist Church, and are under the direction of the Rev. W. G. White.

Rev. A. E. White, Mrs. Hugh Morrow and Miss Lizzie Silverson are attending the meetings of the Ottawa Baptist Association, which are being held at Osnabruck.

We are looking forward with Reen pleasure to a visit from Miss Kate McLaurine Lady Missionary on furlough from India, who will address the audience on the occasion of the Thank Offering meeting of the Ladies Mission Circle. Miss McLaurin is a fine public speaker, and will have many interesting things to tell us about her work and experiences in far-off India Definite announcement of this interesting meeting will be made next week.

LAKEFIELD.

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Miss Edith Dawson is improving slowely.

Miss Susie Clarke spent last week the guest of Miss Elsie Hodge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sherritt spent Sunday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hodge.

Mr Ira Strong and Lawrence Hodge have left to spend a few weeks in Farnham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Strong spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hodge.

Mr. Thomas Hodge arrived home after spending a few weeks with friends in Ontario.

LOUISA.

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Miss C. M. Neill, of Dunany, visited her home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Reuben Creswell, of Brownsburg, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. Geo. Seale is spending a few days with friends in Morin Heights.

Mr. H. J. Hammond, of Chateguay, Basin, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Gain, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hall.

The Misses Gladys and Gertrude Tomalty are visiting friends in Lachute at present.

Messrs. Arthur Tomalty and Wallace Thompson, of Pine Hill, and Howard Ganley, of Dalesville, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. A. Tomalty.

The many friends of Mr. Arthur [illegible]ison will be sorry to learn that he has been removed to the Hospital in [illegible]ntreal to under go an operation for [illegible]ppendicitis. We hope for his speedy recovery.

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of

I. S FRASER

Behind my C. Labrosse Butcher Shop.

Saturday, June 21st, 1913

The following effects:—One parlor suite 5 pieces, 1 sideboard, 2 bedroom suites, 2 bed springs, 1 mattress, 3 feather beds, 1 sewing machine, 1 centre table, 1 drop leaf table, 1 small table, 1 kitchen table, 1 bedroom chair invalid chair, 6 dining room chairs, 3 kitchen chairs, 1 rocker chair, curtain poles, 1 hanging lamp 2 small lamps, 1 square carpet, a lot of mats, 4 pair of pillows, 2 sets of bedroom crockery, 1 clothes boiler, some kitchen utensils, pots and pans, and many other articles unmentioned.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

TERMS:—$5.00 and under cash, over that amount 4 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes. 6 percent off for cash.

W. J. BOYD, Licensed Auctioneer.

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Thursday, June 26th, 1913

The Household Effects of the late Mrs. Andrew McConnell as follows,—

One parlor suite 5 pieces, 1 oak hall stand 1 quartered oak dining room table, 8 leather bottom dining room chairs, 1 writing desk and book case combined, 1 mission lounge, 2 sofas, 2 quartered oak bed-room suites, 2 enamel bedsteads, 2 brass bedsteads, 4 bed springs, 1 oak bureau, 2 ostermoor mattresses, 1 sideboard, 1 rattan rocker, 3 other rockers and arm chair lawn chairs, gallery chairs, parlor table, and chairs, a lot of pictures, curtain poles and curtains, blankets, 2 carpet sweepers, lamps, screens, 1 kitchen range, 1 kitchen cabinet table 1 refrigerator, 1 washing machine, ice cream freezer, ironing board, step ladder, 3 galvanized wash tubs, towel racks, a lot of jem jars 1 dinner set, 1 tea set and a lot of other dishes, 1,000 pound scale, 1 set of flat irons, pots, pans, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

TERMS. $10.00 and under cash, over that amount 6 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes. 6 per off for cash.

W. J. BOYD, Licensed Auctioneer.

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There will be sold by Public Auction at

THE RECTORY,
St. Andrews East
Friday, June 27th, 1913

The following effects:—Three cows, 1 two year old heifer, 12 pair of hens, 2 cutters, 1 water cart, 1 wheelbarrow 1 set of single bob-sleighs, 2 buggies, 2 Quebec heaters, 1 tin heater, 1 sideboard, 1 secretary, 1 single and 1 double bedstead, 1 quilting frame, 1 curtain stretcher, 1 carpenter's bench 1 kitchen table, 1 diningroom table, 1 washstand, 1 desk, 1 grindstone. 1 pump, 1 stone churn, 4 cow chains, 1 five gallon coil oil can, 15 acres of standing hay, horse rake, scythes, and many other articles too numerous to mention

Sale to commence, at 1 p.m. sharp.

TERMS:—$10.00 and under cash over that amount 9 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes 3 per off for cash.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned LANDS and TENEMENTS have been seized, and will be sold at the respective time and place mentioned below.

FIERI FACIAS DE TERRIS.
Superior Court.

Province of Quebec, District of Terrebonne. Sainte Scholastique. No. 489.

JOHN McCLELLAND ALIAS McLENNAN, of Brooks, in the province of Alberta, farmer, Plaintiff: vs GEORGE McLENNAN, ALIAS McLENNAN AND GILBERT McCLELAND ALIAS McLENNAN, both of the Township of Chantham, in the district of Terrebonne, Defendants.

A lot of land being and situate in the second range of the township of Chatham, county of Argenteuil, district of Terrebonne known and designated of the official plan and book of reference as being the south part of number four hundred and eighty three (483); bounded on the south by the first range, on the north by the property of J.-Bte. Morrissette, on the east by the No. 484—with the buildings erected thereon and in the possession of George McClelland *alias* McLennan and Gilbert McClelland *alias* McLennan.

Notice is hereby given that the sale of the immoveable above described former, by announced to take place on the fifteenth day of October last, 1912, at the church door the parish of Saint Philippe d'Argenteuil, will take place at the same place and SAME HOUR, on the TWENTY FIFTH day of JUNE next, 1913.

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No. 36838

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M. LESSARD,
St. Philippe d'Argenteuil.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Supplying Coal for the Dominion Buildings," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M., on Monday, July 14, 1913, for the supply of coal for the Public Buildings throughout the Dominion.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained on application at this office and from the caretakers of the different Dominion Buildings.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a charted bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
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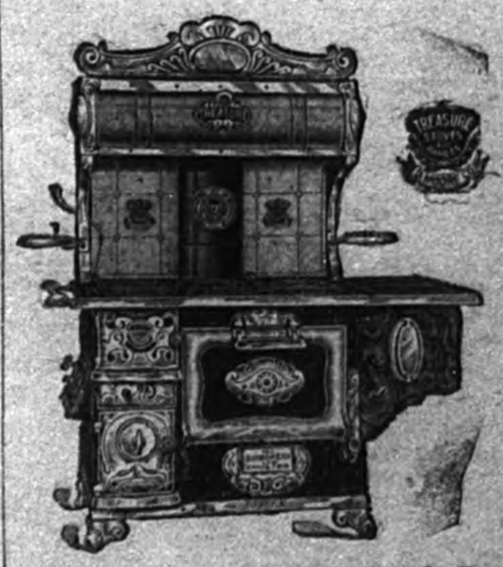
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THE DUMPING PLACE.

Jessica's Plan of Getting Even With Sarah Williams.

Miss Seawell, glancing out of the window, rose nervously, and then sank back into her chair with the manner of one hopelessly trapped.

"Sarah Williams is coming," she said.

From the portly lady coming up the path Miss Seawell's niece Jessica shot one glance to her aunt's white face; then lifting her small aunt from her chair, she swept her out of the room and up the stairs.

"You are not going to see any Sarah Williamses to-day!" she declared. "Sarah Williams always uses you up, anyway, and to let her descend upon you when you have a headache would be plain murder! You are going to lie down on that couch, and let me tuck you up and darken the room, and then you are going to try to take a nap. Now mind! I've been longing to have a tete-a-tete with Sarah Williams. I want to see whether she thinks I inherit your genius for sympathy!"

Miss Seawell's pale face looked up anxiously from the pillow. It did feel good to lie down, and still better to escape Sarah Williams, but she had her doubts of Jessica.

"I wouldn't have Sarah Williams's feelings hurt for a dozen headaches," she said, anxiously.

Jessica, already at the door, nodded reassuringly.

"Trust me with her feelings, Aunt Alice," she said, blithely.

"I'm so sorry that Aunt Alice isn't able to see any one this afternoon, Miss Williams," she was saying a moment later. "She has a headache, and is lying down. Will you accept a very poor substitute?"

"Headaches!" Miss Williams replied. "I know what they are! I've suffered with terrible headaches all my life, but I didn't know Alice ever had them."

"Once in a while things get too much for her," Jessica replied, and her voice was full of a wicked sweetness that would have put her family on guard at once. "Do you know what I think is the trouble? People simply use her for a dumping-place for all their worries. The day I came she had had a caller who stayed for two hours and shoved all her troubles on poor Aunt Alice. She described all the agonies of a spell of neuralgia (of course Aunt Alice never said who it was, so I am not telling tales), and how the dressmaker had ruined her last dress, and how the cat she'd had thirteen years had died, and about twenty other things. Wasn't it cruel?

"And of course people like that never want to hear your troubles; they simply want to dump. Now I have a beautiful plan. I like to be sympathetic,—it runs in the family,—but I like to let other people have the privilege, too; so when anybody tells me her troubles, I always tell them some of mine in return. Don't you think that's square?"

Miss Williams was very red. She glanced sharply at Jessica, but that young person was the picture of innocence.

Miss Williams rose. "I guess I won't stop this afternoon," she said. "I ain't feeling well—I mean"—she flushed with confusion—"I'm sorry Alice ain't well. Give her my love, please."—Youth's Companion.

"Papa, why do brides wear long veils?" "To conceal their satisfaction, I presume, my son."



Mario G. Menocal.
The President-Elect of Cuba.

TORONTO CORRESPONDENCE

INTERESTING BITS OF GOSSIP FROM THE QUEEN CITY.

The Two Big Political Meetings—New Provincial Treasurer—Empire Loyalist Association.

The month of June will see the city turning its attention to non-political conventions and gatherings of religious organizations, chief of which this year will be the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada. It is with a feeling akin to relief that this year we turn to these more placid functions after an orgy of political discussion and meetings.

The climax came with the demonstrations in honor of the leaders of the Federal parties. As indicating the height to which partisan feeling has risen, it may be said safely that there never has been in the history of Toronto or of Canada two meetings held at a time when no election is announced or even in sight, that have been as large, enthusiastic and tempestuous as the meetings held this month in honor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Borden respectively. It is indeed doubtful if any city in Canada at any time, either during an election campaign or otherwise, has seen two such meetings.

An observer could not but be impressed with the high feeling, approaching bitterness, which displayed itself to a greater or less degree at each of the meetings. At each there was a fair sprinkling of the opposite party to that holding the demonstration, but there was no sign of disorder, and indeed interjections of even a harmless character were tabooed with a severity which boded ill for persistent repetition.

Won't Tolerate Heckling.

This point illustrates a great difference between a Canadian political meeting and one held in Britain. In the old country every speaker, no matter what his rank or standing, from the Prime Minister down, must expect to put up with heckling. In fact they expect it and many of the most successful speakers thrive on it. The heckling is generally to the point, but to an unexperienced speaker it must be disconcerting. However, in England he has to get used to it. But in Canada the audience itself will not stand it in the apparent belief that it seems to reflect on its own loyalty to the speaker.

There were two significant incidents in connection with the visit of the Prime Minister. One was the fact that the coachman who drove his carriage on the night of the meeting had on a similar occasion performed the same office for the late Sir John Macdonald. His name is John Barnes, and he is, of course, now quite an old man. The carriage, too, was the one used for Sir John.

The Famous Red Parlor.

The other feature was the fact that the Premier's headquarters for a portion of his stay was made at the Royal suite at the Queen's Hotel, including the famous red parlor. This famous room is situated on the first floor overlooking Front St. and the garden. It has undergone no alterations in the last forty years. The gilded Royal coat-of-arms on the outer door proclaims with pride the rank of some former occupants of the suite, including the late King Edward on his visit to Canada as Prince of Wales, the Grand Duke Alexis of Russia, Princess Louise and the Marquis of Lorne. On the walls hang portraits and signed photographs of some of the former notable occupants, including side by side those of Sir John Macdonald and Sir Wilfred Laurier, and among others those of the Countess of Aberdeen, Madame Patti, Madame Albani and the Countess of Derby. The staircase leading from the Royal suite to the ground floor was built specially for the princess Louise in order that she might enter the dining room unobserved.

Hon. Isaac Benson Lucas.

The new Provincial Treasurer, Honorable I. B. Lucas, is personally one of the most popular members of the Legislature. Mr. Lucas has found it necessary to explain that his initials I. B. do not stand for Isaac Brock, but for the family name of Isaac Benson. Apart from its lack of veracity he has no objection to the Brock reference, although Mr. Lucas is himself not noted for his pugnacious or combative qualities. That is not to say that he shuns a conflict. Quite the reverse. But he is not one of those who are continually looking for trouble. In manner he is one of the pleasantest men one could wish to meet. That he has natural ability his friends confidently assert, and they have little doubt that he will make a success of his new position.

Mr. Lucas was originally a Lambton County boy. When he entered the Legislature in 1898 he was described as the "boy orator," but fifteen years have brought him up to the middle age standing of forty-six years.

U. E. Loyalists at Luncheon.

Once a year the Empire Loyalist Association of Toronto gathers together for a luncheon party. The occasion is always an exceedingly pleasant one, with ladies generally in the majority. Membership in the Association is confined to those who can trace descent from the original Loyalists who migrated to Canada during and following the war of American Independence. At the luncheon this year one of the guests was His Lordship the Bishop of Toronto, who bemoaned the fact that while he was as loyal, he thought, as it was possible for anyone to be, he was not able to trace his ancestry to a U. E. Loyalist source and was therefore deprived from the possibility of membership in the Association.

Prominent in the organization are representatives of such families as the Denisons, Nevilles, Ryersons, Merritts, Keefers, Strathys and Dicksons. The most prominent figure of all is probably Colonel Denison, who thinks, and is not afraid to say, that all that was best in United States citizenship left it when the U. E. Loyalists made their treck to Ontario and the Maritime Provinces. Only the siftings, he says, were left for Uncle Sam.

Among the guests at the luncheon this year was Colonel Hugh McLean of St. John, who described how whole counties in that province were settled solidly by Loyalists, their descendants still tilling the soil. One church congregation had moved bodily from New York city to St. John.

The Cathedral Under Way.

Work on the construction of a real Anglican Cathedral for Toronto is at last well under way. As has been previously pointed out, St. James is erroneously described as a cathedral, the real cathedral of the diocese being that of St. Alban's the Martyr, the site for which was purchased a quarter of a century ago toward the northern end of Howland Ave. Only the choir, however, has been constructed and in that curious, unfinished edifice the religious ceremonies have been carried on for many years.

Now, however, the real cathedral is being constructed. The excavations have been completed and the work of laying the foundations of the nave and transept well begun. When the cathedral has been completed it will have cost half a million dollars exclusive of the land which was purchased in 1884. To the amount required $155,000 has already been secured, subscriptions to make up the balance are being received by Rev. Canon Morley, who has been placed in charge of the work. It is the hope of the Bishop and the Chapter that the cathedral will be finished in 1915, so that it will be ready for the great Anglican Church Congress which will be held in Toronto in that year.

An Impressive Building.

Completed, the cathedral will probably be the most impressive building in the city, impressive in its massive design, the simple dignity and beauty of its proportions. It will resemble, on the whole, Hereford Cathedral in England. The length of nave 165 feet, the height of nave 63 feet and the width of nave 69 feet being practically identical in the two cathedrals. But the mighty tower which will be only eight feet lower than "Big Harry" of Canterbury has been patterned after the great tower of Durham Cathedral. The nave, crossing and transept of St. Albans, which will cover 200 square feet more than nave, crossing and transept of Exeter Cathedral, will be exactly the same area as that portion of Hereford Cathedral west of the chancel arch. The interior will be simple and severely classical.

It is recalled that the Archbishop of Canterbury with his companion, the late Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, worshipped in the completed portion of the cathedral. The Bishop of London has also preached there and on that occasion left a substantial personal contribution for the building fund.

LONDONER THE LAZIEST MAN.

James Douglas Claims Atmosphere Causes Lassitude.

The Londoner (England) is the laziest human being in the world, according to the dictum of James Douglas, a well known litterateur, in the course of a discussion on the effects of metropolitan conditions upon human energy.

The London atmosphere, it is agreed, produces lassitude and lethargy. Provincials achieve success in London. Nearly all the men at the top in London are not Londoners born.

"London in our time," said Mr. Douglas, "has produced few men of action, few organizers of industry, few statesmen. It would be a miracle if the nation did not produce some famous men. But London is unique in its lack of civil spirit, in the feebleness of its municipal life, and in its intellectual apathy."



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THE FEATHER

According to his brother-officers—good fellows all—for a week Jim Long had been shirty to the giving of offence; but, being aware of the reason, not a man of them had ventured even the gentlest of leg-pulling. In his place—newly promoted and keen for feathers—they would have felt pretty sore themselves. He had mugged his first important case. That had been the chief's comment as he left the court after the prisoner had been discharged—"Mugged!"

In the minds of the police there had been no doubt of the prisoner's guilt. He was an old hand, with a duly docketed record—a fly person who had lived on his wits for years. A little omission in the obtaining of clear disproof of his statement on a certain point had given defending counsel his opportunity. The record of Bartholomew Maker—known to the sleuths as "The Bagman"—was a sealed book to the jury. Subtle flattery, indignation, scorn, impassioned appeal—all the notes had been played on with effect by the rising young barrister, who was out to win his case.

The twinkle in his eye as he gathered up his papers after the verdict, the laconic comment of the huffed chief, the leer of the prisoner as he skipped from the dock were all so many stings to dead-sure Jim; but it was the look on Mary Doe's face that made him grind his teeth.

Mary and he were to be married, and he had persuaded her to come to the court to hear the recorder compliment him on a bit of smart work. Her expression plainly showed that she was with the chief; whilst the chaffing reproach with which she greeted him goaded him to an outburst which drove the smile from her face and put the gleam of resentment in her eyes. He was fed up. For the time he had been mad with the world, and he had shown in an unpleasant light. She had promptly turned on her heel and left him.

Mary was not perfect. She confessed herself touchy. Fond as she was of Jim, she was not at all the girl to suffer undeserved upbraiding meekly. He could come to see her again when he had cooled down.

Her abrupt departure filled him with anger that kept him away from her home all that day. Next morning he had come to see his folly, and the night found him knocking at the door of the little house. Her mother staggered him with the news that she had gone away on a visit to her married sister at Shipstead. He learned that she was coming back when she felt like it.

Jim knew the township of Chipstead very well. He had pleasant recollections of the week-ends spent at the Lion, the old-established family and commercial hotel kept by Mary's brother-in-law, Bob Summers. He remembered that Mary had mentioned something about a contemplated visit at an early date, and had suggested that he might run over. The sudden flitting, without any good-bye, hit him hard. In his sense of injury, running over was the last thing he intended.

During the next six days Detective Long threw himself into duty with extra zest. The feather had been snatched from his outstretched fingers. It had to be regained somehow. Failure had made him very sore. Nor did Mary's silence tend to heal his soreness. Never a word did he hear from her until, on the sixth day, a telegram was brought to him by his landlady.

"Wire—for me?" In a trice he had it open.

"Your old friend on the make again. If you want that feather, come here instanter.—Mary."

For a little space he stood gazing at the message as if he failed to grasp its meaning; then, with a laugh, he dashed out of the room, leaving the landlady smiling and nodding her head. The good old soul was telling herself it was the first laugh she had heard from him for nearly a week.

In five minutes he had the wire in the hands of the chief.

"Well?" The chief never wasted words.

"My fiancee," explained Jim, excitement plain in his voice. "She was in court. Smart, as you'll see. She wouldn't wire for nothing. This is up to me. I'll promise you there'll be no mugging this time."

The grizzled chief passed the message back. He knew very well how Jim felt.

"Get busy!"

Detective Long wanted no second bidding.

Just an hour later he skipped off his motor-cycle in the yard of the Lion at Chipstead. He had made the journey in very good time. On the way he had found himself laughing. "Instanter" spoke very well for the prospective housekeeper. Most girls would have written "at once" at the cost of another halfpenny.

Mary ran out to meet him, with flushed face, to stop at a little distance, as if she had just remembered the tiff.

"Well, old bear!" she greeted him.

Jim pocketed his gloves, and took her in charge on the spot.

"I deserve everything you like to call me," he laughed, "but please let me down lightly. You've given me a wicked week."

"All for your good, my lad," declared Mary, holding him off. "If I had taken offence you wouldn't have got this chance. Your old friend was here yesterday. You're going to renew acquaintance."

"That's great news!" said Jim, as he followed her to the sitting-room.

Bob Summers shook his hand cordially, and tipped him a wink.

"They tell me there's somebody got an idea she can teach you something, Jim," he remarked.

"I'm the willing and grateful scholar," admitted Jim.

Mary gave a silvery laugh.

"You will be when I'm through," she said. "Your old friend stayed here the night before last, and went away yesterday morning. I recognized him instantly, and, naturally, his doings interested me. He sported a sample case, and was, to all appearances, the bagman here to work the town. In the commercial room he showed himself the brightest of company. His talk was witty; he held the floor. Mr. Drake, in particular—a genial old boy—cottoned to him right away. You may have heard of Mr. Drake in the city? He is a jeweller's factor of very long standing, and Bob tells me he has been coming here for many years."

"That's so," put in Bob. "Doing a very big business, I believe. All the jewellers here do with old Ben Drake."

"I know him," observed Jim. "Stout chap, jolly red face, and clipped white beard——"

"Correct!" agreed Mary. "After finishing their writing, the others turned into the billiard-room, leaving Mr. Maker—who registered under quite another name, by the way—smoking over a newspaper, and old Mr. Drake taking his turn at the writing-table in the window. Bob says that he came out into the hall with his letters for post about nine o'clock, staying for a few moments, as was his way, to mark the slate for his morning call and breakfast. Afterwards he and our enterprising friend stayed talking together until eleven o'clock. Both went off yesterday morning. You've got that clear?"

"Quite," returned Jim. "Did they go to catch the same train?"

"No." answered Bob. "The chatty chap was off first. Mr. D. took the nine-twenty for Bridgelow—next in his journey. Always has been for years."

"Well?" queried Jim.

"This morning we received this parcel addressed to Mr. Drake," went on Mary. "By the same post Bob got a letter from him, in which he states that he expected the package before he left, and asking him to redirect it 'care of the post-office at Nottingfield.' The parcel is from Brightstein's, the gem ring makers, and is registered, as you see."

"And the letter?" Jim took it from Bob and examined it closely. "His regular memo. form?"

Bob nodded.

"Got anything from him booking the room?"

Bob produced a second memo., which Jim carefully compared with the other.

"Cute! Dashed cute!" he commented. "I see he says any little charge for redirection he will square next time around. If Mary hadn't been here, Bob, you would have sent the parcel on?"

"Sure thing!" owned Bob. "That's old Drake's signature, ain't it?"

Jim rose to his feet.

"Send it on," he laughed. "How far's Nottingfield from here?"

"I should say a good thirty. You're for there?"

"Right away," said Jim. "There's a little familiar touch in the writing that makes me think I'd like the run. Re-address it just as he states, and post it for the next collection. I'll keep these letters."

He was out again in the yard on the words.

"Mary, old girl, this looks like our busy day," he laughed, as he mounted. "You're—— But I'll tell you all you are later."

Just where the first cottages on the main road told him he had arrived at Nottingfield he dismounted. At a roadsire inn he obtained permission to stable his cycle, and proceeded to make a few inquiries. He had learned his lesson. There would be no mugging on this occasion.

The post-office was in the main street, he was told. Immediately facing it was the Bear, which was the hotel used largely by the commercials who worked the town. That fact suggested instantly to Jim that the gentleman he was anxious to meet was keeping the post-office entrance under close observation. There was very little doubt about that. As a result of further inquiries, he elicited that there was another entrance to the office—used by the postmen—in a back street. Jim smiled at the information. He rather fancied the back way in would be useful. Without any loss of time he made his way to the street mentioned and found the entrance.

The postmaster was duly impressed by the disclosure of his identity, and avowed himself entirely at his service for any assistance required. Jim learned that Mr. Drake had applied for a parcel but a few minutes before his arrival. He had been told that the mail would not be in for half an hour. Mr. Drake was dark, rather tall, clean-shaven, and very pleasant-spoken. The description put a grim smile on Jim's face.

At his request the door was opened a little way, giving view of the interior of the office. The public telephone-box in one corner beside the entrance caught his eye at once.

"Get many calls?" he asked.

"Very few," returned the postmaster.

"That door got a key?"

"Yes." It was handed over with a smile.

"He gets the parcel," said Jim, as he made for the box and disappeared inside it.

Half an hour later a sudden stir told him that the expected mail had arrived, and he became keenly alert. Not many minutes elapsed before the pleasant-spoken gentleman put in an appearance.

"Mail in?" he inquired. "Ah, good! That parcel will no doubt have arrived. Mr. B. Drake. Exactly! Quite summer-like to-day, isn't it? That's the one. I sign for it? Oh, certainly!"

He handed over the slip with a smile, and took up the parcel—to drop it, when he turned, as if it were red hot. Jim was standing by the door.

"Well, Mr. Drake, surprised?" he said affably.

"The Bagman" reckoned up his chances in one swift glance, and let out a little laugh.

"It's my dear old friend Long!" he got out.

"On the spot," said Jim.

"Smart lad!" said Mr. Maker. "How'd you tumble?"

Jim smiled.

"Nice house, the Lion, at Chipstead!" he observed, as he took up the parcel. "Do you well, don't they?"

The police-station proved to be but a few yards distant. In the charge-room the parcel was opened, to reveal a very fine assortment of gem-set rings. Mr. Maker smiled as the formal charge was made, and, smilingly, disappeared.

Jim returned to the post-office.

The operator smiled at the telegram. Beyond the address it consisted of one word only—'Nailed!" She thought Jim had not got full value for his sixpence.

Jim thought distinctly otherwise.

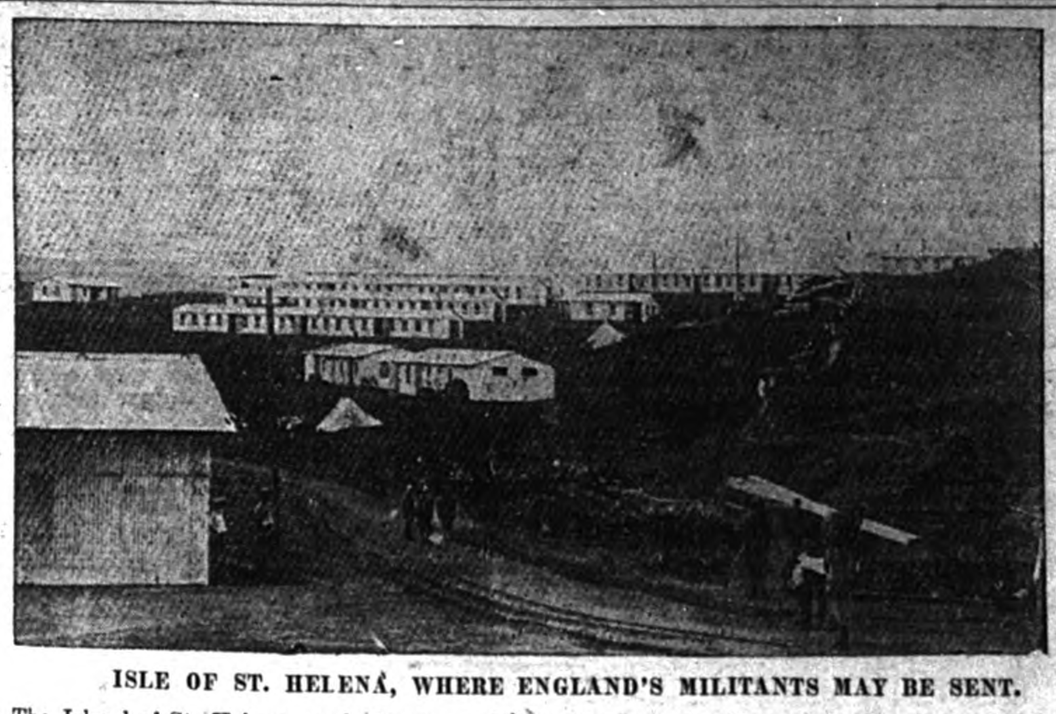
So did Mary when she received it. Behind the word she could see a feather—and much else that was altogether agreeable.—London Answers.

POPULATION OF COUNTRIES.

Figures From British Parliamentary Blue Book.

The British Statistical Abstract for the years 1900 to 1911 has just been published in the form of a Parliamentary Blue Book. As usual, it contains a vast amount of useful information, not the least interesting of which are the vital statistics. The increase of population in the principal countries is shown as follows, the Russian total given last referring to the year 1910:

	1900.
Russian Empire	135,590,000
German Empire	56,589,925
France	38,900,000
Italy	23,346,000
Austria-Hungary	45,405,267
United States	76,085,794
United Kingdom	41,155,000
	1911.
Russian Empire	167,034,000
German Empire	65,071,000
France	39,601,509
Italy	32,346,000
Austria-Hungary	49,856,000
United States	93,793,000
United Kingdom	45,216,665



ISLE OF ST. HELENA, WHERE ENGLAND'S MILITANTS MAY BE SENT.

The Island of St. Helena, made famous as being the place of exile and death of Napoleon Bonaparte. One story says, England proposes to banish convicted militaant suffragettes, and place them in the quarters seen in the background.

HOME

With Rhubarb.

One of the most valuable acquisitions to the menu at this season of the year is that old "standby"—rhubarb. A hardy plant and easy of cultivation, it is to be found in nearly every kitchen-garden, or it may be purchased at a moderate price from your greengrocer.

Rhubarb, properly cooked, and daintily served, is a delicious, appetizing article of food, but the mushy, stringy "stewed rhubarb" and the soggy, more or less mutilated "rhubarb pie," which is so often to be found even in well regulated households, shows only too conclusively that a more exhaustive study of "rhubarb cookery" is to be recommended.

In planting rhubarb, or in purchasing it, care should be taken to select a variety the skin of which is a deep pink at the roots. This skin when cooked with rhubarb gives it a beautiful pinkish color, and if, as has been said, "eyes do half the eating," then we should consider all these minor points in cookery.

While rhubarb is seasonable from April to September, it may be put up in glass jars and used for pies, puddings, etc., during the winter months. It is also delicious when made into marmalade, jam or preserve, and will keep indefinitely.

There are various ways of "canning" rhubarb, all of which are more or less successful. In any event, the stalks should be well washed and cut up into inch pieces. If the skin seems tough, it should be removed before cutting. One method of canning rhubarb is to fill a glass jar, which has been sterilized, with the cut rhubarb, hold under the cold water faucet until the water overflows and every bit of air has been excluded from the jar, then screw on the cover and place in a cool room. No cooking is necessary until ready to use; then treat in the way you would the fresh fruit. It will keep all winter if put up in this way.

Rhubarb Marmalade.—Peel the yellow rind from six oranges very thin, and with a scissors cut in fine strips. Put in a saucepan with one-half cup of water and boil till tender. Cut the oranges in two, remove the seeds and, with the glass lemon squeezer, extract the juice and pulp. Now put the pulp with the cooked orange peel and juice in your preserving kettle, add to it two pounds of cut rhubarb stalks and one and one-half pounds of granulated sugar. Cook slowly until it begins to jelly. Put up in glasses, and when cold cover with paraffin. To be used as needed.

Rhubarb Conserve.—Wash and cut in small pieces two pounds of rhubarb. Put it in an earthen vessel, add two pounds of sugar and let stand over night. Add one-half pound of figs, one-half pound of nut meats, two lemons and one orange. Remove the seeds from the orange and lemons, and put all the ingredients through a meat grinder. Cook until it thickens, when it will be ready to put in jelly glasses.

Rhubarb Relish.—(To be served with cold meats.) Cut up into inch pieces enough rhubarb to make two pounds. Add to it one pound of sugar and a bag containing mixed spices (cloves, cinnamon and allspice); set it on the back of the range, where it will cook slowly until it is quite thick. Remove the spice bag and turn into glasses. When cold, cover closely.

Rhubarb Jam.—Cook together until thick one pound of cut rhubarb, two pounds of sugar, the juice and shredded rind of three lemons, one ounce of bitter almonds. The almonds should be put in a bag and removed before sealing.

Baked Rhubarb.—Fill a dish with cut rhubarb, being sure to leave one some of the pink skin. For each quart of rhubarb add one and one-half cupfuls of sugar and one-half cup of water. Cover closely and bake for a couple of hours. Rhubarb cooked in this way should be of a deep rich color, and the fruit whole and of fine flavor.

Rhubarb Pan.—Cook until a rich syrup two cups of sugar, one cup of water and the peel of half an orange. When quite thick remove the orange peel and drop in the syrup enough cut rhubarb to cover the bottom of the kettle. Watch carefully, and when tender remove the rhubarb with a skimmer and place it in the serving dish. Repeat until all the rhubarb is cooked. If the syrup has become quite thin, add a little more sugar and cook until it thickens; then pour over the rhubarb and serve cold.

Stewed Rhubarb.—Line a granite or earthenware pie dish with rich pie crust, brush over the bottom with the white of an egg to prevent its becoming soggy. Fill about two-thirds full with stewed rhubarb, sprinkle over it a little flour and dot with butter. Put strips of pie crust across the top and bake in a quick oven.

Rhubarb Custard Pie.—Line a pie dish as in the above recipe and treat with the white of an egg. Now mix together two cupfuls of cut rhubarb, one cupful of sugar and one tablespoonful of flour. Put in the pie dish and pour over it one cup of milk, the yolks of three eggs, half a cup of sugar and one teaspoon of lemon extract, well beaten together. Cook until the custard is firm. Remove from the oven, let cool and cover with a meringue made from the whites of the eggs and three tablespoons of sugar. Brown in the oven or with a hot salamander.

Miscellaneous Recipes.

Strawberry Shortcake.—One and one-half teacups flour, one heaping teaspoon baking powder, one tablespoon butter or lard, one tablespoon sugar, and a little salt. Sugar berries, crushing them just a little, and set in warm place until pie is done, then there will be plenty of juice. Pour this into a small pitcher and serve with cake; roll dough into two pieces, but bake them together; they will separate easier this way. Butter both layers well before adding berries; make dough as soft as can be rolled out.

Breakfast Buns.—One pint of bread sponge, one pint of warm water, one-half cup each sugar and lard, one teaspoon salt, flour enough to knead smooth. Mix in the morning when making light bread, let raise till noon, or till night, roll with rolling pin to one inch thick, cut with cutter, place in well buttered pans two inches apart, let rise till light, bake about fifteen minutes in quick oven. This recipe makes about thirty buns.

Rice Muffins.—Two cups flour, two level teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon salt, one-half cup sugar. This is to be sifted together three times. One-fourth cup melted shortening, half butter and half lard; one-half cup cold cooked rice, one egg, without beating, one cup water. Add these (shortening, rice, egg, and water) to dry ingredients; mix well, and fill muffin cups one-half full of batter. Bake in a moderate oven until raised, then hot fire to finish baking.

Velvet Sponge Cake.—Six eggs, leaving out the whites of three; two cups of sugar, two and a half cups of sifted flour, two teaspoons of baking powder, one cup of boiling water, flavoring. Beat the eggs and sugar together for fifteen minutes, add beaten whites, the cup of boiling water, gradually stir in the flour, into which has been sifted the baking powder, add the flavoring, bake in a moderate oven. This is a good cake for invalids. It also makes a delicious layer cake with butter frosting, made with one heaping cup of sugar, piece of butter size of an egg, three-quarters cup of sweet milk to which has been added a tiny pinch of soda. Let this boil fifteen minutes, take off the fire, and beat it white; if it turns to sugar or grainy, boil it again and add a little milk.

Baked Brown Bread.—One cup of molasses, one cup of sugar, two eggs, two cups of sour milk, four cups of graham flour, two teaspoons of soda, one-fourth teaspoon of salt, butter the size of an egg. Mix soda, milk, and sirup together, then add other ingredients. Bake one hour in pound baking powder cans, fill each can half. This makes four loaves.

When You Are Measuring.

Five to eight eggs to one quart milk for custards.

Three to four eggs to one pint of milk for custards.

One teaspoonful of salt to one quart of milk for custards.

One teaspoonful of vanilla to one quart of milk for custards.

Two ounces of gelatine to one and three-quarter quarts of liquid.

Four heaping tablespoonfuls of corn starch to one quart of milk.

Three heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder to one cupful of flour.

One teaspoonful of soda to one pint of sour milk.

One teaspoonful of soda to half a pint of molasses.

One teaspoonful of baking powder is the equivalent of half a teaspoonful of soda and one teaspoonful of cream of tartar.

UNDER AN AVALANCHE.

Three People Were Imprisoned for Five Weeks.

It seems incredible that any human being could survive for five weeks under a snow-drift; yet in the year 1755 three inhabitants of the hamlet of Bergoletto, in the valley of the Upper Stura, at the foot of the Alps, did just that.

During the winter of that year the fall of snow was unusually heavy. On March 19th, the parish priest, on his way to church, heard a terrifying roar from the mountain top. Casting up his eyes, he saw two avalanches descending toward the village. He gave the alarm, and then ran back into his own house.

The avalanche buried over thirty houses. Twenty-two persons were missing, including the parish priest who had given the alarm. The mass of snow that lay over the ruined dwellings was about forty-two feet deep.

When the surviving peasants had shaken off their terror, they set about trying to save whatever life or property they could. Peasants from neighboring villages came to their assistance. But they could do little; the depth of the avalanche was so great, and the snow continued to fall in such quantity, that they had to wait for the warm April winds to melt the gigantic piles.

On April 18th the villagers returned to their melancholy task. They had no hope of finding any human being alive. One of them, named Roccia, whose entire family was beneath the avalanche, was most active in the search. By April 24th he had got so far that, after breaking through six feet of icy snow, he could touch the ground with a long pole. Three friends worked with him.

The four worked vigorously, and made their way at length into Roccia's house, but no one, dead or living was there. As it was probable that the victims had sought shelter in the stable, about a hundred feet from the house, Roccia and his companions began to dig in that direction. After they had burrowed for some time, they reached the stable. One of the men thrust a pole through a hole in the wall, and on withdrawing it, heard a hoarse, faint cry for help.

The workers now toiled with redoubled activity, and soon they had made a large opening. And there, to his joy, Roccia found his wife, his daughter, and his sister-in-law. The three sufferers could not move, and were shrunken almost to skeletons. The men carefully carried them to a near-by house, and took measures for reviving them. In a few days they had pretty well recovered.

They owed their lives to these circumstances: They had taken refuge in the manger, which, being strong, had withstood the weight of the snow, although the roof fell in. Fortunately, two goats were near them, and these animals supplied them with milk enough to keep them alive.

They had, of course to feed the goats. Over the manger was a hole into the hay-loft. Through this hole one of the women was able to pull down fodder into the rack; and when she could no longer reach the hay, the sagacious animals climbed upon her shoulders and helped themselves.

Through the whole of their five weeks' imprisonment they were in total darkness. After the first five or six days, they suffered little from hunger, although a quart of goat's milk had to suffice for the three. They suffered far more from the chill of the melted snow-water that trickled over them, and from the cramped positions in which they had to sit and lie.

Young man, beware of a girl who says she intends to be a spinster.

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...I Elem. Sr. Max. marks 600,—...Mason, 568 marks, Theodore ..., 555, Mabel Heatlie, 515.

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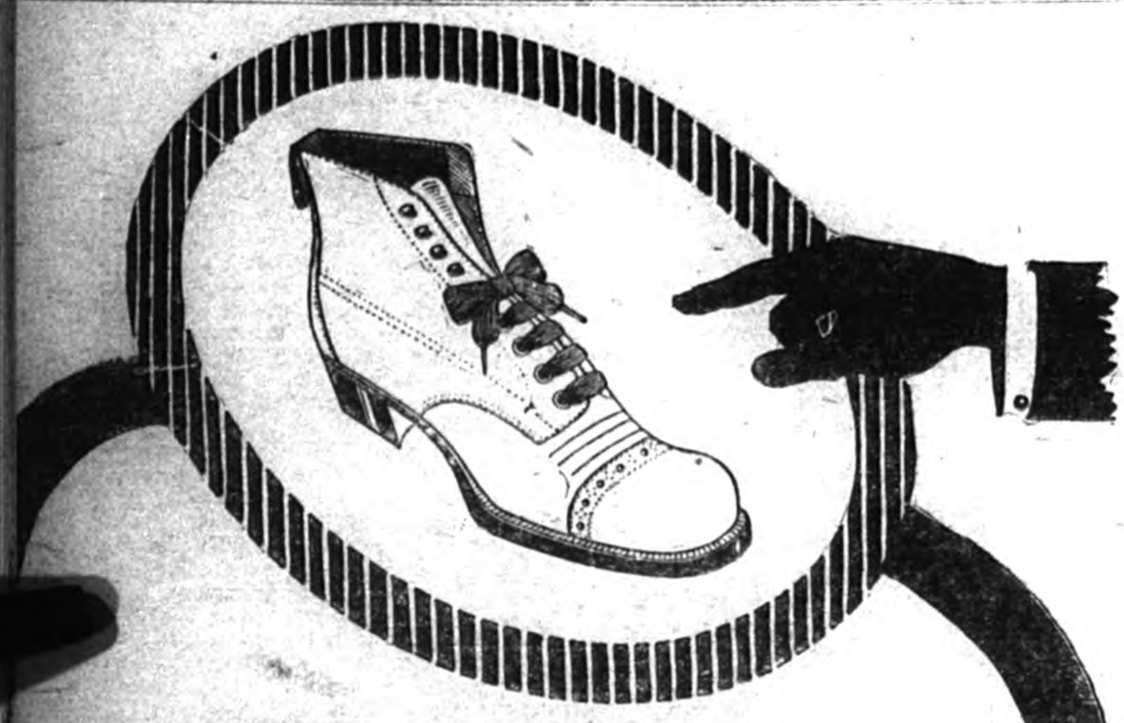
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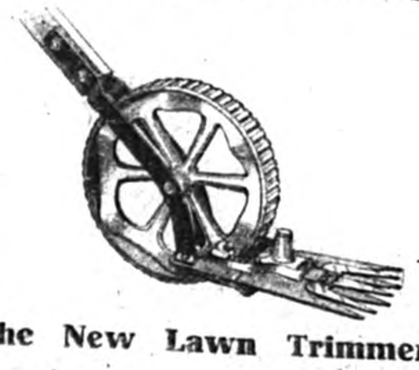
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NOTICE! A LAWN SOCIAL, under the auspices of the Ladie's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church Brownsburg, Que., will be held on Mrs. Richard Hardie's lawn on July 3 1913. Ice-cream, Lemonade, tea etc., will be served. A good programme may be expected. Gates open at 7.30 p m. Admission-Adults 25 cents,—Children 15 cents.

(Should the weather prove unfavorable the social will be held in the lecture room of the Church.)

NOTICE! Dr. H. C. McConnell wishes his patrons and the public generally to understand that the Auction Sale of household effects to be disposed of on the 27th of June, are the effects of the late Mrs. And. McConnell, and has no connection with the sale of the property, which Dr. McConnell owns and in which he intends continuing his practice indefinitely.

PLEASE REMEMBER that your subscription is due.

BIRTHS.

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COWAN,—At Lachute, on June 21st 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowan a son.

DEATHS

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ARMSTRONG,—At her late residence Lachute, Que., on Wednesday, June 18th, 1913, of heart failure, Sarah Jane Patterson, beloved wife of Robert Armstrong, in her 60th year.

BYERS.—At Montebello, on Friday June 20th Owen Byers, aged 62, formerly of Lachute.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. E. Legault spent Sunday last in Ottawa.

Mrs. Patton, of Ottawa, is the guest of Mrs. Painter for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McPaul and family were in Montreal for the week-end.

Mrs. John Falconer is spending a week in Cornwall the guest of her mother.

Mr. C. Brunton returned home on Monday last after a pleasant holiday in Ottawa.

Miss C. Bennett and Miss E. Bates, of Avoca, were visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Smith, of Buckingham, is the guest of her Grandfather Mr. Wm. Armstrong.

Mrs. Ryan entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist Church to afternoon tea on Thursday last.

Mrs. James W. Gall spent the week-end with her sister Mrs McOuat in Brownsburg.

Mrs. J. A. McGibbon is spending a couple of weeks visit with friends in Lancaster, Ont.

Messrs Alex. and Donald Beers are spending a pleasant holiday at Alberg, Lake Champlain.

Mr. and Mrs. A Bedard and family left on Wednesday last on a short visit to friends in Sudbury.

Mr. Wm. Gordon of Nebraska, is visiting his friends in Lachute, after an absence of 28 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McAdam, of Denver, Col., have returned home, and will reside in Genoa.

Mrs. C. R. Miller and son Willie, left on Tuesday last for a two months trip to Bannerman, Man.

Mrs. Alex Forbes returned home on Saturday last, from a two months visit with frieds in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs A. Robertson and daughter, of Tetreaultville, are guests of Mrs J. S. Giles this week.

Mr. C. H. Wilkinson and family of Montreal were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrow, of Canton N. Y. and Miss Dorothy Ryan are guests of Mrs. Ryan for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ayers were in L'Orignal on Thursday attending the funeral of the late Peter Paquette.

Miss G. Plaisted returned to her home in Dunham on Wednesday last, where she will spend her summer vacation.

Don't forget the Ice Cream Social on Mrs. Hardies Lawn, Brownsburg, on July 3rd. You will be assured of a good time.

Mrs Donaldson, of Mobile, Alabama, is the guest this week of Rev. and Mrs. Lackey at the Church of England Parsonage

Miss Beatrice Mackie, has returned home to Montreal, after spending a two weeks visit with her grandmother Mrs. Mackie.

Miss Alice Berniquer returned on Saturday after spending three weeks in St. Andrews the guest of Miss Alida Berniquer.

Mr. Griffith arrived in town last week to open up his summer cottage at Lake Louisa, and was accompanied by Mr. Gardiner for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Creswell and sons Clifford and Reggie left for their homes in Kirkella, on Wednesday last after renewing his old friendships.

Mrs. Wm. Carson and grandson Spense Dunbar, and Miss Spense, of Philadelphia, also Mrs. Robert Meldrum, of Montreal, were visiting their sister Mrs. A. Slogie for a few days this week.

The many friends of our Mayor, Mr. Felix Paquette, will be sorry to learn of the death of his father, which occurred at his home in l'Orignal on Tuesday last at the advanced age of 73 years. His mother, too is in the hospital undergoing an operation for cataract.

Mrs. Richard Hodge, of Upper Lachute, leaves the last of this week to accompany her daughter who has been visiting in Troy Vt. for the last month to the Butler Hospital Providence R I where she has been accepted to take a course in training for a nurse.

Instruction in Physical Culture

Since the organization of the Summer Training School for Teachers and the appointment to the staff of Miss A. M Campbell, of the Ladies' College, Halifax as instructor in Physical Culture, Principal McBurney has been endeavouring to get for the teachers in training the grant usually given by the Dept of Militia and Defence to teachers in Normal schools who take this course. He has just learned from Major Hills, Inspector of Cadet Corps, Montreal, that the Militia Dept. will pay $15 each to the teachers who take this course. At the time of going to press, this offer has not been confirmed, but there is every reason to suppose that it will be before the completion of the school. This will be a welcome surprise to these teachers, as it will mean that they will be able to take the course at the Training School with practically no expense to themselves, Railway fare being already paid by the Dept. of Public Instruction.

Miss Plaisted Honored.

Miss G. M. Plaisted, B.A., who has been a member of the teaching staff of Lachute Academy for about four years, and has during that time acted as organist and Sunday School teacher in St. Simeon's Church, but who is now leaving our town to take a position as teacher in the Dunham Ladie's College, was given a happy surprise on Monday evening the 23rd inst.

The Church Wardens and Sunday School teachers, as representing the congregation and Sunday School, had been invited to a tea given by Mrs. Lackey at the Church of England parsonage. After tea had been served, Mr. Slater, M.P.P., the minister's warden, read the address which appears below, and Mr. George Deacon, people's warden, presented to Miss Plaisted, on behalf of the congregation, a box filled with gold coins, and labelled "Gold cure tablets."

Miss Plaisted, briefly and feelingly replied, asking Mr. Lackey and the wardens to convey her heartiest thanks to her many friends, for their generous gift.

ADDRESS

DEAR MISS PLAISTED,—

Your friends of St. Simeon's Church congregation, deeply regret that the voice of duty, which you have ever striven to obey, has called you from our midst to another sphere of labor.

You have always taken a deep interest and an active part in everything calculated to promote the welfare, the honour, and the usefulness of our beloved Church. You have aided in preserving the best traditions of our Sunday School, and the high reputation which it has for many years enjoyed, of having faithful, self-denying and efficient teachers. You have as Church Organist, done much toward making our services bright and attractive, your expressive rendering of our beautiful church music being an inspiration to the whole congregation.

We ask you to accept this address, with the accompanying gift of gold, as a token of our esteem, and as a slight acknowledgment of our debt of gratitude and we pray that God's grace may ever so assist us in our work and worship here, that we may be reunited in a higher service hereafter

Signed on behalf of the congregation,
H. SLATER & G. Y. DEACON,
Church Wardens.

Lachute, June 23rd. 1913.

News of Brownsburg.

Miss Katie Freith is visiting in Montreal.

Mr. Gaten, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. J. Graham.

Miss Cora Graham, of Montreal, is the guest of her parents here, for the summer.

Miss Myrtle Cameron, of Hudson Heights, is spending the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Kilgour, of Montreal, spent part of this week here, the guest of Mrs. John Graham.

The Misses Maudie and Leila McOuat, of Montreal, were the guests of their mother Mrs. W. D. McOuat last week-end.

Miss Planche and Miss McCallum left for their homes last Thursday night the former for Cookshire and the latter for Buckingham.

Mrs. Jos. Rodger and daughter Miss Alice spent this week in Montreal previous to their departure to Sixteen Island Lake for the summer.

As predicted in this column last week, the league match between the Quarry Rangers and Dominion Cartridge Company Football Clubs, turned out to the best game of the season, both sides taking the field with their strongest elevens. The Quarry winning the tose, chose to kick down hill with the sun and wind in their favour. The Dominion Cartridge Company kicked off and carried the play into their opponents half, the Quarry boys having to concede a corner which was safely cleared, Away went the Quarry in fine style, only to be repulsed by the sound defence of D. C. Co. Then Russell got possession and put Smith going on the left wing and passed to White who scored with a fine shot giving the Quarry goal-keeper no chance to save. This seemed to liven the Quarry boys up and for a time gave the spectators a glimpse of their brilliancy, success soon followed, Wilson [Quarry] getting possession on the left made a fine run and ended with a terific drive, making the scores even 1-1 there being no further scoring up to half time. On resuming, away went the factory boys and after a fine bit of combination White Shot the ball striking the crossbar and went into the goal making the score 2-1 in favour of the D. C. Co. Try as they would the Quarry could not get level the D. C. Co. Defence being too much for them. The D. C. Co. being awarded a free pick about 40 yds from goal taken by Bourne brought Duncan to his knees with a terific drive, Duncan saving the short admirably Next, Green skimmed the crossbars with a fine drive and from the Goal-kick. McGibbon got possession and went through and scored a fine goal, there being no further scoring which ended a great clean game well worth watching. The D. C. Co. running winners by 3 goals to 1 the game being admirably handled by Mr. C Grant.

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CHAPTER V.—(Cont'd.)

Mr. Smutch felt decidedly comforted on receipt of this letter. If he had dictated it, he could not have composed one more to his mind. Harry had as good as made a definite and binding promise that they should hunt together. A thousand plans at once began to revolve in his busy brain.

He would sell him old Shoeblack and Flighty, both of whom were pretty well played out, and buy himself a couple of sound young horses with the proceeds. He would teach him baccarat and loo, and a hundred other little games by which money could easily be lost and won, without the winner being called over the coals. He might not have felt quite so satisfied had he known that Harry, by one of those curious revulsions of feeling which often occur, without our knowledge or desire, in spite of the cordial terms in which his letter was couched, had been fairly astonished to find that Mr. Smutch's defection did not occasion him more concern. In fact, although he did not realise it at the time, an incubus appeared removed from his mind. He certainly felt more independent when thrown entirely on his own resources, and less like a baby in leading strings. It had already dimly begun to dawn upon him, that by placing so much power in Mr. Smutch's hands he might only be paving the way for exchanging one form of bondage for another.

These were unpleasant thoughts—thoughts full of ingratitude and suspicion, and he had never allowed himself to dwell upon them. Nevertheless, they would obtrude at intervals, and their very existence now modified the regrets which he had expressed in his letter. He was sorry Mr. Smutch could not accompany him to Norway, but not poignantly or inconsolably so. On the whole, he bore the disappointment remarkably well. Besides, he was too busy and excited to feel his friend's loss as much as he might otherwise have done. The few days that remained to him in London were fully occupied.

Packing up is a very serious business, especially to people who are accustomed to stay at home all their lives, and the quantity of luggage that accumulates—the things not actually necessary, but which may come in useful if taken—is something surprising.

His various stores, wines, comestibles, and so on, had been sent beforehand. Nevertheless, Harry had no less than nine packages to look after, namely, two large portmanteaus, stuffed till they were almost bursting, a box of fishing-rods, another containing net, gaffs, baskets, etc., an enormous Gladstone bag, so heavy that it took a strong man to lift it, a dressing-case with silver-mounted bottles, which, by-the-way, proved perfectly useless, and a source of trouble from first to last, a bundle of rugs and walking-sticks, a small hand-bag, with books, cap, and comforter, and a travelling bath, into which was thrust wading-breeches and brogues.

Poor Smith had been in a frantic state of fuss and muddle for days past. He would go off in hot haste in search of an article, and forget what that article was by the time he had descended the stairs. Then he would come panting up again, laden with all sorts of absolutely useless things, paper-knives, almanacs, newspaper-holders, etc., which he insisted on cramming into the already over-crammed portmanteaus, only to be surreptitiously taken out again by Harry the moment his back was turned. For three whole nights the worthy and excellent man did not sleep a wink, so great was his anxiety of mind. He lay in bed thinking what he had forgotten, and going over Harry's entire wardrobe, until the few wits he originally possessed got fairly addled over light suits and dark suits, silk socks and woollen socks, flannel and linen shirts, and all the paraphernalia of a gentleman's toilet.

At last everything was in readiness, and then came the parting.

That was a tremendous ordeal. Any one might have thought that Harry was going to Timbuctoo, instead of to a civilised land, annually visited by a large number of British tourists.

Every servant in the house assembled in the front hall to wish good-bye to their young master, who was beloved by all. They were dreadfully overcome, especially the females, whose softness of heart on these occasions is something truly remarkable. Mrs. Bridget's prominent blue eyes were filled with tears, as also were the kitchen-maid's, who, however, had only entered into her situation the previous week. The depth of her grief did her honor. When Harry shook her by the hand and said, "Good-bye, Sarah. Take care of yourself whilst I'm away," she howled aloud; and had to have recourse to a grimy pocket-handkerchief to hide her woe.

As for Smith, his emotion mastered him to such an extent that at the last moment he forgot to put the Gladstone bag into the cab, and it was only owing to Mrs. Bridget's setting up a prolonged scream that that most useful appendage to modern travel was not left behind.

All this, as may be imagined, was exceedingly trying to Harry's feelings. It made his thoughts dwell on the unknown bourne from which no traveller returns. He felt as if he were leaving the home of his childhood for ever, never to return, and often as he had longed to quit it, there was a sobering effect about the actual realization of his wishes.

But by the time he had passed the Marble Arch these horrible and uncomfortable sensations vanished. It was a good thing they did not last long. He began to take in the fact that he had at length started on his travels all by himself, and his pulses thrilled with an exhilarating expectancy and excitement. If he had had a companion he would not have felt half so heroic. His spirits revived. As the well-laden four-wheeler in which he was seated rumbled along the noisy streets, he broke out into little snatches of song and bird-like whistling of the last popular organ tune.

He took his ticket for Hull, and arrived at that place between eight and nine o'clock. The steamer was not due to start until a little after ten; but having nothing to do in the town, he hailed a fly and drove straight to the wharf. All round him in the deepening twilight he could see the lights of the houses shining brightly out. Ahead gleamed the indigo blue harbor, with the tall spars of the various ships clearly discerned against the darkling sky. The stars glistened, the moon glided gracefully from behind a soft bank of nebulous cloud, and cast a silvery sheen on the wide mouth of the Humber. It was all beautiful and new to Harry, especially as viewed in this light. An exquisite sense of freedom descended upon his hitherto pinioned spirit.

The very fact of not being ordered about by another person, and told to do this and that, was enough to render him a totally different individual.

Oh! if only half of the human race could be brought to realise that what the other half longs for and eats its soul out in miserable silence for, is just to be let alone. Let alone! What magic is there in the words. To receive no unasked advice, to be the recipient of no undesired counsels, and above all to be free from peremptory command. To come in when they like, to go out when they like, not to be submitted to a perpetual cross-examination on every conceivable and inconceivable subject, and in short to feel that their lives are their own, and not at the disposition of someone else. Then, perhaps, they might be worth the living. The desire for freedom is strongly implanted in the bosom of the human race. It is a perfectly natural and altogether legitimate sentiment.

Freedom does not necessarily mean a wish to commit any outrageous action, and yet how seldom can parents, relatives and husbands be brought to realise this fact. One looks around in the world and sees all the happiness and content of dozens of young lives crushed cruelly out, owing to the tyranny of those who happen by the force of circumstances to have dominion over them. This tyranny proceeds almost entirely from the inability of the old to accommodate their way of thinking to the young. They do not sympathise with them as they should. They want their sons and daughters to look upon things entirely from their own sober and somewhat jaundiced point of view. They make little or no allowance for hope, ardor, impulse, strivings, all the follies and inexperience of youth.

Harry vaguely felt something of this, as he paced slowly up and down the deck puffing meditatively at a cigar, and enjoying the cool night air.

He was neither vindictive nor hard-hearted. He entertained a distinct respect for his uncle's memory. Nevertheless through his instrumentality he had suffered much, and the remembrance of that suffering still clung to him. He had been deeply shocked by Mr. Bousfield's death, but as he trod the clean boards of The Colorado, and looked up into the clear sky above, he could not help feeling rather resentfully that three-and-twenty precious years of his life had been completely wasted. As far as pleasure went, they were a total blank—a dull, colorless picture made up of nothing but dark tints. Luckily his capacity of enjoying the present and immediate future still remained, and he determined to make amends for the past, and derive as much amusement as he could from his six thousand a year. He had tasted the insipid cup of monotony until his palate had become nauseated. It now hungered for variety and fresh sensation.

The threshold of a new world seemed opening out to him as he stood and watched the stars and the moon and the still sheeny water, with its burden of black and ghostly craft that looked so like a fleet of privateers such as he had read of in his childhood.

CHAPTER VI.

Shortly after nine a bell sounded, and Harry, who by this time had developed a rare appetite, eagerly replied to the summons, and descended into the saloon. Here supper was laid out, which consisted of bread, cheese, butter, and sundry cold meats. He would have turned up his nose at such fare at home, but he was too hungry now to be fastidious, having tasted nothing since one o'clock.

He seated himself at the long table, and then, although rather overpowered by a sudden feeling of intense shyness, glanced upwards and downwards in order to take stock of his fellow-travellers. All told, they were about fifty in number. It was, as yet, rather early in the season, and the influx of tourists who annually invade Norway was only just beginning.

Most of the passengers were "old hands," on their way out to catch the "wily salmon." Some were accompanied by their wives and daughters, but the majority evidently preferred their own society. Typical sportsmen these, with keen angler stamped on every feature. You could tell them by their manly, weather-beaten faces, by their broad, checksuited forms, and, above all, by their muscular woollen-stockinged calves, and loose, comfortable-looking knickerbockers.

They soon found each other out, and fraternised; indeed, many of them were old acquaintances, who frequented the same haunts year after year with unexampled constancy.

It was both interesting and amusing to hear them exchanging their experiences, and discoursing on flies, tackle, etc., as if they had been the most important topics of conversation, in comparison with which all others were feeble and insignificant. Some went in for single gut casting lines, and swore only by them, others for treble; some pinned their faith on Castle Connell rods, others had not a word to say in their favor, and considered them wlippy and wanting in lifting power.

Harry, fresh from his visits to Mr. Farlow, listened attentively to all that was said, and although he did not pick up much actual knowledge, he learnt how extraordinarily men's opinions vary in matters piscatorial, and how wide a field the subject embraces.

He could not help feeling curious as to the company present, and before long again began taking surreptitious peeps at them. Like Don Quixote, he was thirsting for romance and adventure. But alack! neither at the head nor at the bottom of the table could he succeed in seeing a single fair being capable of making his susceptible heart palpitate. To speak the truth, the ladies were a plain, dowdy, uninteresting lot—at least in Harry's estimation.

He was deeply disappointed not to find Youth and Beauty better represented, having pictured in his mind's eye several very pleasant flirtations. Evenings spent on deck in the moonlight, snug corners out of the wind, sheltered by one umbrella, and so forth. But, so far, he could not perceive anyone with whom he should like to pass the time in this agreeable manner. There was an old lady who had a yellow face and grey hair, surmounted by a stalking cap and a green gauze veil. She did not make his pulses flutter; neither did a younger one, about forty, clad in a badly fitting ulster, that was several sizes too small for the enormous tournure beneath; nor a pale, faded woman whose hair, complexion and dress were all exactly of the same hue, namely—sandy.

Harry's spirits fell a little. He foresaw that his anticipations were not likely to be realised. Then, with a desperate effort, he summoned up sufficient courage to take a sly look at his right-hand neighbor, and lo! what an apparition. The blood went tingling to his cheeks.

For she proved to be a young and very pretty girl—no, woman. That she had not long seceded from the mighty army of spinsters was evident, since a suspiciously new-looking wedding-ring adorned the third finger of her left hand. It still wore the brightness of a jeweller's shop, and proclaimed the bride.

Harry was so overcome that he turned his head away quite bashfully. He would not intrude upon the privacy of the happy pair. But delicate as was this instinct, his curiosity soon conquered it. He had not half seen what she was like. He must have another look.

Therefore, whilst the divinity was helping herself to a second helping of cold boiled beef, he profited by the opportunity to take a stolen stare. His heart went pit-a-pat; for this time he ascertained without doubt that she had an awfully nice pink and white complexion, a sweet little rosebud of a mouth, and a pair of large, dark eyes that in themselves were enough to turn a man's head. Moreover she did not look a day over twenty. What a combination of charms and perfections!

He fell in love with her on the spot. He was in that state when a young fellow is prepared to fancy himself smitten by the first decent woman he sees, and to do him justice, she was really a pretty little thing, fresh and sweet, though without the air of a grande dame accustomed to move in good society. But Harry had mixed too little with the world to note such subtle distinctions. Without rhyme or reason he felt quite venomously inclined towards the husband. What a pity she had one. She looked much too young and too nice to be married.

By-the-by, what was he like? Some brute of course.

Why is the husband of every good-looking woman always a brute in another man's estimation, and degraded either to the rank of a nonentity, or else spoken of as a surly, ill-tempered cur?

Again Harry's curiosity prompted him to gaze. He tried to do so as negligently as possible, but, as ill luck would have it, he caught the creature's eye. Ugh! he was even worse than he thought.

An insignificant, round-shouldered, hollow-cheeked little man, with flaxen hair, a bilious complexion, muddy and unhealthy in tint, goggle eyes with white eyelashes and blue spectacles! Harry shuddered at the sight of him. This unprepossessing personage now leant forwards, and evidently resenting the admiration of a stranger for his wife—his property, addressed some remark to her in a tone of such familiarity and brusqueness as left no doubt whatever as to their relationship.

She just nodded her head and dropped her eyes. Harry could not help noticing how her eyelashes rested like a soft, dark drift on her round cheeks; and then insensibly he caught himself pitying her and wondering how such a bright, beautiful young thing could ever have brought herself to marry so ugly and repulsive-looking a specimen of the masculine race. Where was the attraction? He failed to see it, unless accounted for by that law of nature which brings like and unlike together, no doubt for the benefit of the world, but greatly to the unhappiness of the individual.

He kept his speculations secret, however, and munched away perseveringly at his under-done roast beef, when suddenly a soft voice by his side thrilled him through and through, and made every nerve tingle with a strange sense of confusion and delight.

"It looks a fine evening. I do hope we shall have a good passage, don't you?"

The words were absolutely commonplace, yet it is difficult to describe the impression they made on our hero, or tell of the glance that accompanied them. His heart stopped beating, and the color flew to his cheeks, just as if he had been a school-girl in her teens. He was so pleased at her speaking to him first—so pleased, and yet so horribly, idiotically fluttered and bashful, that his answer was all but incoherent.

Fortunately, it appeared quite satisfactory to his companion, who, in spite of her husband's scowls, continued the conversation as if perfectly unconscious of the sensations she had given rise to.

"Are you going to Bergen?" she asked, confidentially, "or do you get out at Stavanger?"

There was something very friendly and encouraging about this little person. You could not help feeling at home with her. Even Harry began to gain courage, and to recover his senses, which had temporarily taken leave of him.

"No," he answered, and this time it was possible to hear what he said, "I must go to Bergen, I believe, in order to reach my destination. Do you know Norway at all?"

"No, not at all. This is my first visit."

"Ah! then you can't give me any directions as to my best way of going to a place called Sandethal?"

"Sandethal!" she exclaimed with vivacity. "How funny! Why we are going there also."

"No! are you?" ejaculated Harry, making no attempt to conceal his satisfaction at the information, for the presence of so pretty and nice a companion would considerably add to the attractions of the spot. One could not fish all day long, and a little female society would prove eminently agreeable of an evening, when he came home tired and wanted to be amused. It was a selfish thought, no doubt, but, at the same time, a truly masculine one.

(To be continued.)

Hunger Strike in 1357.

As long ago as the reign of Edward III. the hunger strike was known in England. Cecilia, wife of John de Rygeway, was in 1357 confined in Nottingham Jail on a charge of murdering her husband, and there, according to the old records, she abstained from meat and drink for forty days. Which, being reported to the King, he "was moved with piety, and for the glory of God and the Blessed Virgin, to grant the woman a pardon." The records say nothing of her guilt or innocence, nor do they throw any light on fourteenth century ideas of forcible feeding.

Remarkable Carpet.

Several remarkable examples of Persian handicraft are to be on view at the exhibition of the famous collection made by Mr. J. R. Preece while Consul-General at Ispahan, now open in London. One of the exhibits is a garden carpet, made for the Shah Ahhas (1587-1628). It exactly reproduces the features of the monarch's elaborate pleasure gardens.

AN AGE OF SUBSTITUTES

IMITATIONS ARE INDISPENSABLE NOWADAYS.

Scarcity of the Genuine Article Is the Cause of It All.

A German scientific writer has been drawing attention to the extensive dependency of the present era upon substitutes. There is margarine, which is displacing dairy butter, and which is prepared so deftly as to defy detection by all but the analytical expert, says Chambers's Journal. Our daily paper is printed upon a substitute, wood pulp being employed instead of rags; and now, owing to the depletion of the forests, there is strenuous search for a substitute, as wood pulp is becoming expensive. Cotton has entered so intimately into our complex social and industrial life that it has ceased to be regarded as a substitute, although it is such. We no longer depend upon the silk-worm for silk, but obtain it by a mechanical-chemical process from cellulose;

While the Delicate Tints

imparted to our wearing and decorative fabrics are obtained by recourse to dyes extracted from tar products instead of the vegetables and organic substances used by ancients. We have synthetic camphor and perfumes, while my lady no longer bedecks herself with rubies and sapphires extracted from the ground or with pearls from the oyster, but with those from the factories. The farmer no longer depends upon the refuse heap of the barnyard to nourish his crops, but buys loads of fertilizers made from nitrogen withdrawn from the air. Real coffee is becoming less and less common on the table, inasmuch as the substitutes are cheaper than, and in this particular instance, it is said, superior to the genuine article, because the deleterious contents present in the natural products are eliminated. In Germany alone over 200,000 tons of artificial coffee are consumed every year. Champagne is no longer derived entirely from the grapes and district of that name in France; while even Cognac comes from other countries and grapes than those generally associated with its production. So far as foodstuffs themselves are concerned,

The Category of Substitutes

is far more comprehensive and varied than the list of the genuine articles. Jams are mysterious compounds made from vegetables and treated with synthetic products to give them the proper flavors and colors. Milk is being made from the soya bean. The juicy steak or the tender chop is no longer necessarily a prime cut from the animal; vinegar is a concoction of colored acetic acid; edible oils emanate from the greases contained in the heterogeneous refuse filling the dust bin; and even bread has been made from sawdust. The ancient employed stone for building purposes, but the modern man employes brick, cement, sand, lime and concrete, with objects moulded in concrete to take the place of costly stone carvings. Buttons are not made necessarily from bone, but from milk; mother of pearl is no longer derived exclusively from the oyster, but from the factory. Indeed, there is no limit to the ingenuity of the producers of substitutes.

A Difference.

Doctor—You mustn't give up hope. Some years ago I had exactly the same illness.

Patient (gloomily)—Ah, but not the same doctor.

A Difference of Opinion.

"Aren't you afraid your wife will catch cold? She goes out on a cool day with nothing around her neck."

"What! you call a pearl necklace worth five thousand dollars nothing."

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"What's the matter?" "She has rejected me again. She says this is final."

"Did she say how final?" enquired the older and more experienced man.

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THE THREE COLLARS

The thin, shabby-looking man stopped the horse for a moment outside Seaford's Laundry; then he drove slowly into the yard, and descended from the covered van. As he hesitated, a boy advanced to meet him, staring in surprise.

"Will you ask your guv'nor if I can see him?"

"The missus, you mean—Mrs. Seaford. She's boss 'ere."

A minute later the proprietress of the laundry beckoned to the shabby man to approach.

"You say you saw the horse running away and that there was nobody in charge?"

"Yes, ma'am. The driver didn't turn up, though; so I read the address on the cart."

She turned to the boy.

"Radnor, was it? He's discharged. When he comes back, tell him to ask for his money and go."

The shabby man cleared his throat.

"Then you'll want someone else, ma'am? I'm lookin' for a job myself."

"I'll give you a trial," she answered, after a prolonged scrutiny. "I don't want references, I always judge for myself. Get along with the van and start at once. Inside you'll find a lot of baskets to be delivered. Radnor got a pound a week; but you can only have eighteen shillings, because you're new to the business. Satisfied?"

"It's just the idea of takin' another man's livin', ma'am. Radnor's got a wife, maybe——"

"That's no concern of yours, or mine, either!"

"Afraid you're rather hard on a man, just because——"

"Men have always been hard on me!" declared Mrs. Seaford curtly. "Don't argue! Take it or leave it! Well?"

"Thank you, ma'am! I'm very grateful!"

"What name? And where do you come from?"

When George Finch explained that he had recently returned from Montreal, she showed a momentary interest.

"I suppose you never ran across any Englishman—English people in that town—with the same name as mine? H'm! No; of course, it wasn't likely. But I had a sort of relation out there."

She dismissed him with a wave of her hand, and George Finch drove off. Mrs. Seaford paused thoughtfully at the laundry door. Inside, all the girls within view began to work at a greater speed.

Her laundry was very popular in the neighborhood. System reigned everywhere; articles were scarcely ever lost or damaged. The number of her customers increased monthly.

Mrs. Seaford was verging upon middle age, but still possessed such personal attractions as caused various gossips to wonder why she had never married again. Rumor stated that she had lost her husband some years before, and a widow at the head of such a flourishing concern surely did not lack suitors.

George Finch managed to satisfy her in his new position. After the second week she gave him the same wages as Radnor had earned.

"You can have your washing and ironing done here, too. Bring your things on Mondays."

She cut short his thanks.

"How is it you've never been able to buy a new cap? And you don't look any better in health than you did when you first came."

"Find it rather difficult, ma'am," explained George Finch awkwardly, "to make both ends meet. There's my pal, you know."

"And what has he to do with the amount you get to eat?"

"My pal Smith," he stammered, "is ill—been pretty bad. So—so I'm helpin' him."

Mrs. Seaford nodded.

"I only hope he deserves it."

"I should jest think so, ma'am! I'd only got part of my passage-money saved up, when I met him in Montreal. He was down on his luck, too, Smith was, but he shared what he did 'ave. There was jest enough for us both."

"Smith? That was the name you said?"

"Smith, ma'am. Both of us wanted to see England again, and look up our old friends." He shrugged his narrow shoulders. "Not that we've found any of 'em yet."

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The forewoman in the ironing department was indignant, but George Finch persisted

"They're mine, right enough. They were in my bundle. Why are you tryin' to make out they belong to? D'you think I'd claim collars if I never brought 'em?"

"That isn't the question. You're allowed to have yours washed free, but it's coming to something if you bring other people's things as well! Just you pay up the threepence!"

The girls at the table laughed, watching and listening as they attacked the piles of linen beside them. Nobody saw Mrs. Seaford approaching. She had heard the altercation from her office.

The forewoman swung round at her entrance.

"Please, there's three collars here with 'J. S.' on them. Finch says they're his, but I say they're going to be charged for."

"I'll settle the matter," returned the proprietress, with calm decision.

Left standing apart with George Finch, she picked up the collars and examined them. His head was bent shamefacedly.

"She was right enough, ma'am, in a way. They belong to my pal. He's—he's nearly well now, and he wants to go out and try and find a situation somewhere. But he's a great one for lookin' smart an' clean. Says it doubles your chances when you're after a place."

"It gives a good impression, certainly," Mrs. Seaford agreed.

She was staring at the neckband of one of the collars. A curious excitement shone in her eyes, and she was breathing fast.

"'J. S.'! And so it's your friend Smith who makes such queer-looking 'J.'s.'"

"With curly tails? Yes, ma'am." He was prepared for dismissal. "I didn't think there'd be any harm in bringing 'em, ma'am."

She faced him suddenly.

"Had Mr. Smith ever mentioned Seaford's Laundry before you came that day with the van?"

"Only once. He hoped there might be a chance of me bein' taken on 'ere."

"And when you told him?"

"He said it was luck—extra special luck, ma'am. Asked me a lot about you—o' course, not thinkin' of himself. It's a diff'rent sort of job that Smith wants." George Finch nodded towards his van outside. "He's above workin' for you, ma'am, if you understand what I mean."

"Yes," assented Mrs. Seaford absently. "You can go."

George Finch hesitated; but she still held the three collars. He thought it best to withdraw.

Mrs. Seaford noticed that the linen was worn and frayed. When Finch glanced back, he saw, to his surprice that she was slowly tracing with her forefinger the outline of a "J."

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"I'd like to see Mr. Smith, please," Mrs. Seaford requested.

She seemed nervous, and fidgeted with her small parcel as she followed the landlady's daughter up the stairs.

The child rapped at a door.

"Here you are, ma'am. This way!"

She entered and paused. A bearded man, with a pale face, rose hurriedly.

"Oh, don't trouble to move! I've only brought these," explained Mrs. Seaford, in low tones.

"My collars? Ah, thank you!"

"From the laundry," she added, jerkily. "There was some mistake. George Finch——"

"If he's got into trouble, it's my fault," the bearded man broke in. "I asked him to put them with his own."

A short silence followed. They eyed each other furtively.

"Now that I've walked so far," suggested Mrs. Seaford doubtfully, "I wonder if I might sit down a minute?" He pushed a chair forward. "I believe George Finch said you'd both come over from from Canada."

He nodded slowly.

"We thought we'd try our luck this side again. Everything has gone against us over there."

"That was George Finch's reason. Were you like him—hoping to find old friends in England?"

'Not much chance of that," he answered. "I've been away so long—yes, a goodish time!"

"But some people never forget." Mrs. Seaford steadied her voice. "A friend of mine—she had a husband who left her. She remembers him still, though—the things he used to say and all. He gave her up—well, because he wasn't very reliable in his habits, and she tried to improve him."

"Nagged him."

"Perhaps so. She meant it all for his good, though. But he didn't understand that. One day he simply left a letter, saying he'd gone—emigrated. He thought she'd always have enough to live on—a little income from some property."

"Well, and hadn't she?"

"There was a law case, which cost her a lot. Then two houses were burnt down in a fire, and hadn't been insured. She was left without any money at all."

"Why didn't she write to her husband?" the bearded man growled.

"Yes, she might have answered the one letter he wrote. It said that he was getting on splendidly. But she was too proud—even though she was having a hard struggle for a bare living, with everyone's hand against her, so it seemed. She knew what it meant to sleep in common lodging-houses, or even out of doors. She used to go about cleaning doorsteps——"

"He'd have helped her if he'd only known."

"Likely enough. But she felt she'd rather be quite independent of him; and gradually things changed for the better. Two years she worked at one place, stinting herself, saving money, till she had enough to start in a small way on her own account. After that her—her business prospered. She took on more and more helpers; moved into a better neighborhood. Now she's considered quite well off. All alone she did that."

Mrs. Seaford's voice died away. The bearded man raised his head.

"Then she wouldn't have any use for her husband if he ever did come back. She'd look down on him, especially if he happened to have lost the fortune he made when he went abroad!"

"Ah, you never can tell what women will do!"

"He'd feel that he wasn't worthy of her, for another thing."

"I don't think that would matter." Abruptly Mrs. Seaford stood up. She stretched out her arms. "Jim—Jim!" she cried shakily. "I knew you all the time! I knew it was you directly I saw that 'J' on your collars! After six years, Jim—and I'd almost given up hope—"

The bearded man would not face her.

"My name's Smith," he stated indistinctly. "Funny you should make a mistake like that. Extraordinary idea to get into your head!"

"But—Jim!"

"I think you'd better be going," he added firmly. "I don't know you, remember, and you don't know me. Good-evening!"

He held the door open. Mrs. Seaford's lips quivered; then she drew herself up and passed him.

"Thank you!" she said. "I was wrong, of course. How absurd of me!"

The bearded man, left alone, allowed a full minute to elapse. Then he tiptoed across the room, and looked out on to the landing. With an exclamation, he realized that Mrs. Seaford had not descended the stairs. She was leaning against the wall, sobbing.

In an instant the bearded man took her in his arms, and helped her back into the room.

"I couldn't come to you, Annie. I was ashamed. I wasn't good enough for you. I didn't deserve to be forgiven. I—I'm stone-broke, besides!"

"'For richer, for poorer,'" faltered Mrs. Seaford. "What's mine is yours, Jim!"

"I was going off again somewhere. But I just wanted to know what you'd say when you found I was so near; so I sent those collars——"

Mrs. Seaford was weeping still, but tears of joy.

"You'll have to help me run the laundry now."

"We'll take back that fellow, Radnor, then—the one you sacked to giveGeorg e Finch his place. If it hadn't been for Radnor, Annie, p'r'aps we'd never have met again."

A step on the stairs made them draw apart. At the doorway George Finch gaped in amazement.

"You, ma'am! Here!"

"I came to make some arrangement—to settle——"

"You mean that you've given my pal Smith a job, too, ma'am?"

"That's it!" the bearded man cried. "I'm going to work for her—work for her all my life!"—London Answers.

Early Raising.

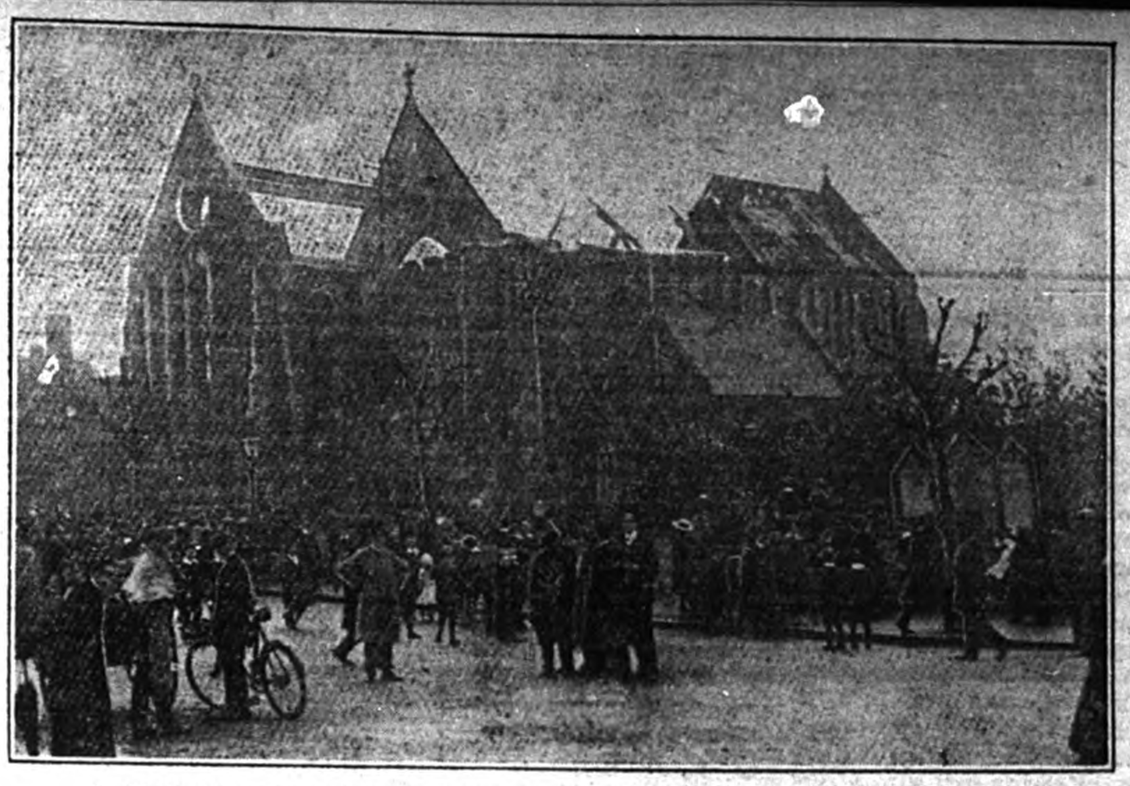
Gibbs—So you've bought a farm, eh? What are you going to raise first?

Dibbs—The money to work it.

Easy to Give Advice.

Hokus—Toothache, eh? I'd have the blamed thing pulled out if it were mine.

Pokus—So would I, if it were yours.



A LONDON CHURCH BADLY DAMAGED BY SUFFRAGETTE FIREBRANDS.

St. Catherine's Church, Hatcham, was burnt down on May 6. The fire, which was attributed to suffragettes, started shortly after noon. The damage is estimated at £10,000. The church, which is a modern one, is situated at Pepys Road, New Cross, S. E. Our picture shows the exterior after the fire had destroyed the roof.

HOME

With a Basket of Tomatoes.

It is fortunate for the cook that most persons like tomatoes and that they can be prepared in so many toothsome ways; for from early spring until late fall they are within the reach of almost every purse and climate, and even in the winter months they are no longer considered a luxury near the great cities. If tomatoes are served raw they should be firm, fresh, cold and full of flavor. A tomato which is a little yellow can be cooked as deliciously as one that is bright red, and one that lacks taste can have it supplied when it is cooked with sufficient seasoning. But raw tomatoes cannot be doctored to make up for absence of quality. Hence never serve them raw unless they are perfect.

When the skins are removed they should be carefully peeled with a sharp knife. The tomatoes should first be plunged for a few seconds, ten is enough generally, into boiling water and then immediately plunged into very cold water. The skins should then peel off as easily as banana skins and the tomatoes should then be set on the ice until they are chilled through. They should never be left in the water for a longer time than is needed just to loosen the skin, for a tomato parboiled is a tomato wasted.

Salads.—There are as many kinds of tomato salads almost as there are cooks, for almost every housewife has some combination to which she is especially partial. Tomato baskets filled with various mixtures form one of the most delicious salads. To make the baskets peel the tomatoes and scoop out the centres and then chill the shells on ice until serving time. Then place the tomatoes on crisp lettuce leaves and put in a prepared filling. Top each basket with a spoonful of mayonnaise, unless French dressing is used. This may be passed separately or else put on the lettuce leaves before they are arranged.

Sweetbreads boiled, blanched and diced, mixed with walnut or pecan meats chopped fine and blended with French dressing, topped off with mayonnaise, make one delicious filling. Others are hard boiled eggs and endive chopped fine, celery and chicken minced and mixed with mayonnaise dressing, crisp cucumbers diced and mixed with oil and vinegar, chopped celery, spring onion and parsley mixed with mayonnaise and walnuts and celery with mayonnaise.

French Tomatoes. — Tomatoes cooked after a manner approved by the French are prepared in this way: Remove the skin from small tomatoes. To each half dozen tomatoes allow a cupful of white sauce. Put a tablespoonful of the sauce in the bottom of individual ramekins and on it place a tomato. Cover the tomatoes with the rest of the sauce and stand the ramekins in a shallow baking tin. Bake them for thirty minutes and serve hot.

Stuffed.—Stuffed baked tomatoes can be prepared in almost as many ways as tomato salad. One good recipe calls for green corn, boiled and cut from the cob, mixed with bread crumbs and the pulp from the centre of the tomatoes. Season the mixture with butter, pepper and salt. To prepare the tomatoes cut a thin slice from the top of each and scoop out the inside. After the stuffing is in place put the tops on again neatly and bake the tomatoes until they are a light brown. Another filling for stuffed tomatoes is made as follows: Mix a cupful of hominy, half a teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of onion juice, a tablespoonful of chopped parsley and two tablespoonfuls of melted butter. Still another good stuffing for tomatoes is made of boiled rice, minced green peppers, plenty of salt and pepper and melted butter and a few fine bread crumbs sprinkled over the top of each tomato after it is stuffed.

Tomatoes Panned and Broiled—Panned tomatoes are tempting for very warm days. To cook them cut firm tomatoes in half and dip them in flour, seeing that they are lightly and evenly covered. For each tomato heat a teaspoonful of butter in a frying pan and when it is hot put in the tomatoes, flat side down. Cover the pan and cook them until they are tender and brown. Make a well seasoned white sauce, put the tomatoes in a hot dish and pour the sauce about them. Strew with minced parsley.

For Cold Days.—A good luncheon dish for cool summer days is the following: Scoop out the centres of as many firm tomatoes as there are persons to be served. Sprinkle the cavities with salt, pepper and chopped taragon and carefully drop an egg in each. Put a piece of butter on each egg, place the tomatoes in a pan and cook in a hot oven until the eggs are set.

Hints to Housewives.

Wood ashes mixed with kerosene will remove rust from iron.

String beans seasoned with mint are delicious served with roast lamb.

Whole peppers are better for seasoning soups and sauce than ground peppers.

Jelly cake should have the edges pared off carefully to make it roll easily.

Instead of using barley and rice for thickening soup try oatmeal occasionally.

A few minced nasturtium leaves sprinkled over an omelet give a snappy flavor.

A teaspoonful of vinegar put into home-made candy keeps it from being sickly sweet.

Witch hazel and rosewater, half and half is good for wind-tortured complexions.

Baked stuffed tomatoes or peppers will be much improved if brushed over with olive oil.

Fresh mint may be always at hand for cooking purposes by growing it at home in a glass of water.

Old, loose kid gloves worn while ironing will keep the hands in good condition and free from callouses.

Chopped preserved ginger added to the sauce served with cottage pudding is a delicious accompaniment.

Butter will keep sweet much longer in a crock jar with a tight-fitting cover than in any other way.

There is nothing in a drug store that will relieve the pain of a bee sting quicker than a handful of mud.

Corks may be kept in bottles when travelling by sticking them in with adhesive plaster, such as surgeons use.

The small end of a potato should be pricked before it is put into the oven to bake to keep it from bursting.

Lard is much better to grease cake pans than butter. Butter will burn and cause the cakes to stick and char.

If you are in the habit of lending books, it pays to keep name of book, name of person who has it and date of loan. Then cross out the name when the book is returned.

Bechamel sauce is made by heating one tablespoonful each of flour and butter, seasoning with salt and pepper, and then adding a cupful of hot milk, seasoned with minced parsley.

With a delicate child, it often tempts the appetite if the right food is served in different pretty dishes on different days—they give a touch of imagination which often helps along a meal.

To prevent potatoes from becoming black when cooked, put them into cold water and when brought to a boil squeeze in a little juice. They will keep a good color and be of good flavor.

A small quantity of carbolic acid added to paste, mucilage and ink will prevent mold. An ounce of the acid to a gallon of whitewash will keep cellars and dairies from the disagreeable odor which often taints milk and meat kept in such places.

When you wish to put radishes away in a bowl of water in the refrigerator, don't put anything else with them. Strong vegetables exchange flavors.

For a tight, hoarse cough, where phlegm is not raised, take hot water often, as hot as can be sipped. It will nearly always give great relief.

A delicious way to serve baked potatoes is to remove them from the skins, run through a vegetable press and mix with salt, pepper and butter.

Keep all wide-mouthed bottles that come into the house. They are handy receptacles for keeping tacks, screws, and other small things.

Lettuce, watercress and all such things should be kept on the ice or in ice water long enough before a meal to get them thoroughly chilled.

To brighten the eyes, take occasionally, just before going to bed, the juice of half a lemon in a small tumbler of water without adding any sugar.

A clean cloth dipped into hot water and then into a saucer of bran will speedily clean white paint without injury.

LONDON'S APPALLING SIZE.

Population Greater Than England in Reign of Edward III.

From the statistical point of view, London's size is almost appalling, says an exchange. The population of all England in the reign of Edward III., when the victories at Crecy and Poictiers raised England to the position of paramount military power in the modern world, was scarcely 2,000,000. The population of Greater London today is 7,537,000, and it is spread out over an area of 70 square miles. London proper, or the administrative County of London, has an area of 118 square miles and a population of about 5,000,000. It contains 8,000 streets more than 3,000 miles long; 650,000 buildings, including 1,500 churches, 6,500 public houses, 1,700 coffee houses and 500 hotels and inns. London is said to number among its citizens more Scotchmen than there are in Aberdeen, more Irishmen than in Dublin, more Jews than in Palestine and more Roman Catholics than in Rome. There are 15,000 Americans resident in the city and more than 100,000 pass through it every year.

The city, the old City of London, and the East End, or that part of London east of the Temple, form the commercial quarter. The West End is the quarter that spends money, makes laws and regulates the fashions. This is the part best known to tourists. Here are situated the palaces and mansions, the clubs, museums, picture galleries, theatres, hotels, barracks, Government offices and principal buildings, joined together by broad, handsome streets and wide parks and open spaces. Across the Thames, on its right bank, "The Surrey side," lies the ancient borough of Southwark, known from time immemorial as "the Borough," continued to the west by Lambeth and Battersea, the three forming the principal industry and factory district of the city. And below Southwark, stretching toward the mouth of the river, lie the several constituent municipalities of Bermondsey, Rotherhithe, Deptford, Greenwich and Woolwich, all crammed with trade.

WOMEN NEED NO TOBACCO

Physician Tells Why They Should Not Smoke.

It seems that at last a purely physiological reason has been found why women should not smoke, apart from the very general prejudice which exists in this country.

"Smoking," says Dr. Hargrave, a London physician, "does not have the same effect on women that it does on men. An imperious necessity felt by most smokers to satisfy their passion after eating is physiologically explained by the excitation of the salivary glands whose secretions, so useful in digestion, the smoke augments. Moreover, it has been shown that it sterilizes the saliva and that this is really beneficial from the viewpoint of the possible infection from the foods themselves.

"But with women it is a serious conclusion reached from many experiments that few of them need tobacco. While the proportion of men whose salivary secretions were stimulated and sterilized by smoking was very large, the proportion of women, on the other hand, was very small. Even in women who have been habitual smokers for years the action of this weed was found to be less marked, in fact, almost negligible."

So apparently Dr. Hargraves is of the opinion that women should not smoke because they do not need it.

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Members of Cabinet In touch with People.

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The Borden Cabinet is eager for work and is getting into touch with the different classes of the community, also finding out at first hand the needs of the country. For this purpose many of the ministers contemplate visiting certain parts of the Dominion this summer. Hon. J. D. Hazen representing the Maritime Provinces will join East and West in a trip which he intends to take. At present he is inspecting the harbors and fisheries of the East.

In July he will go to the Pacific coast and after attending to other business there will be in Vancouver on the 15th of July, when he will represent the Governor-General and the Canadian Covernment on the occasion of the arrival of the New Zealand, the splendid Dreadnought which the Antipodean Colony contributed to the defence of the Empire.

After this function has been discharged Mr. Hazen will journey northward and will visit Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Isl- in connection with some matters affecting his department of which he wished to secure information at first hand.

GODERRE GOES TO DAWSON

Hon. Louis Coderre, the new secretary of State has had recently given into his charge the department of mines and he has been devoting much time to its development. In August he will pay a visit to the Coast and go right up into the Dawson district and there get into touch with the methods used in mining and see for himself what is needed. Afterwards he can crystallize into legislation the result of his travels. He will then be one of the very few members of any cabinet, who has ventured so far in the discharge of his duty.

OTHER MEMBERS GO WEST

These journeys entail much labor upon the men who take them but they are an evidence of the fact that the present Cabinet is anxious to serve the people who put them in power.

Hon. Robert Rogers is planning an extensive western trip inspecting the public works of the Dominion. Hon. W. T. White also expects to visit the West and likewise Hon. T. W. Crothers.

Eliminate Danger In water Navigation.

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Recent actions of the Marine and Fisheries Department show that everything possible is being done to eliminate the element of danger in navigation. The Titanic disaster showed the necessity for it and the Canadian Government has been busy since in co-operating with both the English and American governments in everything that could possible take away risk. Recently a scout boat was sent by the Canadian government to watch for icebergs on the Atlantic route and the pilotage system is being carefully looked into. And now it is probable that there will be changes in the rules of the road of navigation in order to promote harmony between those of the United States and Canada in respect to lake navigation. Conferences are being now held in which the high and experienced officials of the Marine Department are taking part with a view to bringing more into harmony the Canadian and America rules. The difference between American and Canadian rules has not infrequently been the cause of collisions and mishaps on the lakes and consequently a change is proposed.

While the alterations will be of a technical character yet they will be of immense benefit.

June Examinations.

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The following are the results of the June examinations of Lachute Academy. Owing to lack of space, we are unable to publish the completed list of the entrance exams, but in our next issue they will appear in full, showing the standing in all subjects:

Grade I Elementary, Total Max, 700
Honours.—Irene Byron 689, Muriel Burk 657, Kenneth Campbell 643, Gordon Cruise 636.

Class I,—Clifford McFaul 625,. Elmer Ryan 620, Arnold Scott 618, Beatrice Cunningham 617, Herbert Darlington (s) 614, Myrtle Hunter (s) 610, Lillian Hamilton (1) 606, Nellie Cowan (1) 603, Willie Cottingham 597, Albert Darlington (1) 560, Hilda Sutton (1) 558, James Hay 543, Myrtle Parker (1) 532, Mina Paul (1) 528.

(s) Have been more than 2 yrs. in grade.
(1) Have done grade in one year.

Grade II Elementary,—Total Max. 800.
Honours.—Margaret Jones 738, Alec. Gibson 733, Ryckman Alexander 725.
Class I,—Ivan Carpenter 680, Mabel Garrard 668, Gerald Hammond 663, M. Mitchell 658, John Armstrong (s) 631, Roy Chambers 629, Henry Murphy 623.
Class II.—Robina Meldrum 599, F. Hunter 590, Eugene Grandmaison 548, Ethel Hay 492.
Passed on trial. Lawrence Carpenter and Annie Fraser. Has been more than 1½ years in grade.

Grade III, Elementary, Total Max. 1000
Class I,—Catherine Burwash 838, G. Murphy 805, Kenneth McOuat 779.
Class II,—Eddie Wilson 749, Lillie Darlington 702, Douglas Patterson (s) 700, Raymond Boyd 694, Laura McPhail 677, Arthur Lackey 676, George McCoy 672, James McKimmie 655, James Cruise (s) 653, Clarence Paul (s) 651.
Passed on Trial. Ella Giles and E. Hamilton.
(s) Have been more than 1½ yrs. in grade.

Grade IV Elementary, Total Max. 1000
Class I,—Doris Hammond 807.
Class II.—Alfred Hunter 700. Kenneth Hay (s) 692, Jamie Calder 683, Lyall Middleton 676, Ernest Baldwin 669, M. Burk (s) 665, James McGibbon 642, Jean Campbell 636, Harold McFaul (s) 625, Inez Sutton 624, Huntly Buchan 623.
Passed on trial. Willie Baldwin (s) and Samuel Graham.
(s) Have been more than 1½ years in grade.

Grade I Model, Total Max. 1100.
Honours,—Gladys Doig 998.
Class I.—Victor Graham 962, Edna Conlin 910, Edith Beers (s) 888, C. Jones 885, Maude Painter 848, Lila Cruise 827.
Class II.—Hattie Giles 788, Dora Barley 706, Jessie Paul 705, Douglas Bradford 688, Willie Cruise 685.
Passed on trial. Alex Barker.
(s) Have been more than 1½ yrs. in grade.

Grade II Model, Total Max. 1000.
Class I,—Doris Campbell 883, Jean Higginson 822, Verda Kettyle 804, L. Morris (s) 776.
Class II,—Keith Douglas 727, Owen Todd 725, Muriel Joss 716, Kenneth McConnell 712, Leona Garretsee 700, E. Hay and Hazel McCoy equal 694, John McKimmie 690, Isabel Wason (s) 689, Ewan Todd 679, Ruth Todd 678, Osborne Lackey 633, Hilda Cleland 612.
Passed on trial. James Cleland, R Graham, Ruby Shaw and Helen Wason.
(s) Has been more than 1½yrs. in grade.

Grade II Model, Standing for the year. Total Max. 3400.
Class I,—Doris Campbell 3042, Verda Kettyle 2718 [1] Jean Higginson 2603, Leslie Morris (s) 2581.
Class II,—Muriel Joss 2452, Owen Todd 2373, Ruth Todd 2362, Kenneth McConnell 2345, Keith Douglas 2337, [1] Hazel McCoy 2336, Leona Garretsee 2229, John McKimmie 2177, Hilda Cleland 2139, Ewan Todd 2093, Isabel Wason (s) 2080, Elsie Hay 2079, Osborne Lackey 963 [19].
Passed on trial. James Cleland and Russell Graham.
(s) Have been more than 1½ yrs. in grade.

Figures after the totals denote number of examinations missed during the year.

Grade I Model, standing for the year. Total Max. 3500. Class I—Gladys Doig 3176, Victor Graham 3078, C. Jones 2823, Edith Beers (s) 2795, Maude Painter 2755.
Class II,—Edna Conlin 2546, [4] Lila Cruise 2429, Hattie Giles 2422, Dora Barley 2365, Douglas Bradford 2313, J. Paul 2257 [1], Willie Cruise 2242.
Passed on trial. Alex. Barker.
(s) Have been more than 1½ yrs. in grade.

Figures after totals denote number of examinations missed during the year.

Grade IV Elementary, standing for the year. Total Max. 3400. Class I,.. Doris Hammond 2946, Kenneth Hay (s) 2660.
Class II,..Lyall Middleton 2537, James Calder 2443, Melvin Burk (s) 2433 [1] Ernest Baldwin 2409, Alfred Hunter 2395, Farol l McFaul (s) 2304, Inez Sutton 2292, James McGibbon 2283, Jean Campbell 2239, Huntly Buchan 1775 [6]
(s) Have been more than 1½ yrs. in the grade. Figures after the totals indicate number of examinations missed during the year.

Grade III Elementary, Standing for the year. Total Max 2400.
Class I,—Catherine Burwash 2957, G. Murphy 2796, Lily Darlington 2671.
Class II...Douglas Patterson (s) 2485 Eddie Wilson 2445, George McCoy 2425. Raymond Boyd 2411, James McKimmie 2332, Laura McPhail 2313, [1] James Cruise (s) 2308 [1]
Class III,—Kenneth McOuat 1857 [10] Clarence Paul (s) 1692 [9] Arthur Lackey 1110 [18].
Passed on trial. Ella Giles and E. Hamilton. (s) Have been more than 1½ yrs. in grade.
Numbers after totals indicate number of examinations missed during the year.

Grade II Elementary, standing for the year. Total Max. 3000.
Honours,—Alex. Gibson 2725, M. Jones 2713, Ryckman Alexander 2761.
Class I,—Mabel Garrard 2502, Ivan Carpenter 2437 [1] Henry Murphy 2381, Gerald Hammond 2283.
Class II,—Roy Chambers 2180, E. Grandmaison (s) 2051, Robina Meldrum 1930 [1] Florence Hunter 1889, [1] Ethel Hay 1848, John Armstrong 1469, [9].
Passed on trial. Lawrence Carpenter and Annie Fraser.

Grade I Elementary, standing for the year. Total Max. 2000.
Class I,—Kenneth Campbell 1773, Beatrice Cunningham 1753, Irene Byron 1748, Muriel Burk 1676, Arnold Scott 1664, Clifford McFaul 1630, Gordon Cruise (s) 1627, Herbert Darlington (s) 1582, Myrtle Hunter (s) 1518, James Hay 1511 [1] Willie Cottingham 1506 [2]
Class II,—Elmer Ryan 1411.
Did grade in one year.—Lillian Hamilton 606, Nellie Cowan 603, Albert Darlington 560 Hilda Sutton 558 Myrtle Barker 532, Mina Paul 528
(s) Have been more than two years in grade.
Figures after totals indicate number of examinations missed during the year.

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Entrance Examinations to Lachute Academy, 1913.

[1] Passed into Grade III Model.
Total Max. 1000.

Nora Rodgers, Hill Head 928, Mary Westgate, Hill Head, 903. James Smith New Glasgow 791, Clifford Leishman Jerusalem 787, Alma Gordon, Jerusalem 751, Dorothy Newton, Plaisance 750, Enid McCullough, Britenville 732, Iona Riddle, Crystal Falls 730, Ena Peet, Lakefield 709, Isabella Bennett, Crystal Falls 707, Ade Nightingale, New Glasgow 705, Susan Kelley, Avoca 678, G. Copeland, Lakefield 656, Mabel Rodger Geneva 637.

[2] Passed into Grade II Model.
Hazel O'Brien, Chatboro 613, Lawson O'Brien, Chatboro 597, Dawson Cleland, Jerusalem 573, Muriel Bates Avoca 563, Ellen Nicoll, Upper Lachute 555, Fraser Carson, Grenville 553, Ruby Miller, Genoa 553.

[3] Passed into Grade I Model.
James B. Smith, Lachute 547, G. Tomalty, Lonise 515.

Winners of Perley Scholarships for 1913-14.
Municipality of Lachute, Gladys Doig
" " St. Jerusalem, N. Rogers
" " St. Andrews, M. Rogers
" " Chatham H. O'Brien
" " Gore, Ena Peet
" " Wentworth, G. Tomalty
" " Grenville, Susan Kelly
" " Morin, E. McCullough
" " Arundel, Iona Riddle

THE LATE MRS. ARMSTRONG

The funeral of the late Sarah Jane Patterson, beloved wife of Mr. Robert Armstrong, of Lachute, took place on Saturday last at 2 o'clock, the service being conducted by the Rev. Mr. George, who was assisted by the Rev. Mr. McKenzie. The deceased, who was some 60 years of age had been suffering from heart-failure and passed away suddenly on Wednesday the 18th about midnight. She leaves a loving husband and 9 children, six of whom are living out West and were unable to be present, Mrs. McVicar, of Brownsburg, daughter Jennie and son John remaining at home. There were many floral tributes. Deceased was in her 60th year.

DALESVILLE.

The annual public Thank Offering meeting of the Ladie's Mission Circle, of Dalesville, will be held in the church on Monday evening, June 30th at eight o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Miss Kate McLaurin, missionary on furlough from India. There will also be special music and refreshments, and a collection which will be devoted to missions. The public is invited.

Rev. A. E. White will hold services on Sunday June 29th, as follows;—11 a.m. Dalesville, 3 p.m. Roussillon, 7.30 p.m. Mabel.

WEDDING BELLS

DEACON—DAVIS.

The Methodist Church at Morin Heights was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Monday last, when Miss Lila Florence, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. J. Deacon, of Lachute, formerly of Renfrew. The bride, who looked charming in a gown of white silk union over duchess satin, entered the church (which had been beautifully draped for the occasion with columbine, ferns and daisies) on the arm of her father to the strains of the wedding march played by her cousin Miss Laura Davis. She was attended by her sister Miss Davis, who was gowned in pale blue silk duchess, and two small flower girls the Misses Christie and Seale, while the groom was supported by his brother Mr. George Deacon.

The ceremony was performed by the pastor Rev. J. B. Howe, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold bracelet, to the bridesmaid a locket and chain and to the best man a gold watch chain.

A large number of pretty and useful presents testified to the popularity of the young couple.

A reception was afterwards held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Deacon leaving on the afternoon train for Quebec and on their return after spending a few days in Lachute and Morin Heights will leave for their new home in the West.

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TOWNSEND—McGIBBON

A very pretty House Wedding took place on Wednesday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heatlie, Ogdensburg, when their daughter Catherine Helen McGibbon was united in marriage to Mr. John Townsend, of Weyburn, Sask. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Franklyn Forsythe, of Lachute, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The bride looked sweet in r gawn of white duchess satin with lace and pearl trimmings and veil caught with orange blossoms and carried a beautiful shower boquet of white roses and maiden hair ferns and wore the grooms gift, a pearl pendant. She was assisted by her sister Alice and three charming little flower girls, who carried baskets of syringa and ferns. Mr. John Calder ably supported the groom The ceremony took place under a magnificent arch of evergreen and white marguerites, after which the visitors sat down to a sumptuous repast. The presents were both numerous and costly.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend left on the evening train for their home in Weyburn folowed by the good wishes of a host of friends. Mrs. Townsend will be greatly missed in religious and social circles.

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GAULEY—O'BRIEN.

A very pretty house wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Brien, Chatboro, on Wednesday last, when their youngest daughter Alice Lillian, was united in marriage to Mr. Edward Gauley of Grenville, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. J. H. McConnell, of Lachute. The bride looked pretty and girlish in a gown of cream satin and lace and was unattended. A bountiful repast was served and the friends remaining for an enjoyable evening. The presents were both numerous, handsome and useful.

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WALKER—SIMON.

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A very quiet wedding took place on Wednesday last, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Simon, when their daughter Annie Helena was united in marriage to Mr. Wilbur G. Walker. The ceremony was preformed by the Rev. J. A. MacKenzie in the presence of the immediate friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Walker will spend a short time in Quebec, and on their return will reside in Lachute.

Great London Parade.

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A street parade, which will be a veritable horse fair, is promised by the Great London Shows, which exhibit at Lachute, on Wednesday, July 2nd.

The pageant will leave the grounds promptly at 10 o'clock day of the show, and follow a line of march to be announced later. First will come the World Famous Dublin Grays, the $25,000 prize winners.

The band wagons, floats, and other paraphernalia will be drawn by 400 well groomed, well matched, dapple gray horses. The stock is all in the pink of condition. The racers are of undisputed lineage, the steeds attached to the Roman chariots are particularly beautiful, the Kentucky high school horses are the greatest equines on earth, and half a hundred Shetland ponies will delight the children.

When the show comes to town the work of unloading will be well under way with the rising of the sun and there is little chance of the street display being late in leaving the grounds. Already choice locations for witnessing this display are in demand, and the chances are that the streets, along which the parade will go, will be lined with admiring crowds, cheering the handsomest parade ever seen with a circus, and the Great Dublin $25,000 Prize Team will be an unusual feature to view.

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Miss S. J. Neill, is spending a few days with friends in Lachute.

Miss Playford, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Hry. J. Hammond.

Mr. R. Creswell has returned home after spending the past month in Brownsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Matthews, of Dunany, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Butters.

Mrs. V. Morrison and family, of Lachute, have been spending a few days the guests of Mrs. A. Tomalty.

Mr. Campbell, who has been holding religous services in our midst, left on Wednesday morning for other parts.

Mr. Duncan Curran, of St. Amedee, has been spending a few days the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Currran, of Louisa.

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Mrs. A. Pridham is visiting her sister Mrs. R. O. Byers, at Montebello.

Rev. W. Halpenny and family have left for their new home in Matilda South.

Mrs. Hasatia Hartley, of Cushing, was the recent guest of his sister Mrs. Geo. Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bradshaw have returned from a very pleasant trip to Toronto, Hamilton and Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Clearihue, and Mr. Henry Clearihue, of Montreal, spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bradshaw.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Robinson in the loss of their little daughter Elizabeth, who passed away on Tuesday p.m.

Mr. W. Render, who has been spending some time past with his sister (Rev.) Mrs. Halpenny, has returned to his home at Bishop's Mills Ont.

Miss Melessa Morrow who has been a missionary in India for the past seven years is home on forlough is spending the summer with their mother Mrs. J. Morrow.

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I wish to add here that certain bacilli are always present in raw milk, and that they prevent the formation of large numbers of other bacteria, such as those of typhoid fever, writes a medical man. The latter cannot develop in raw milk. When the milk has been boiled or sterilized, however, typhoid bacilli which have gotten into it will remain in it for months, as well as other forms of poisonous bacteria which are injurious to children. When raw milk free of all objections cannot be obtained it is best to use buttermilk.

Some persons possess an antipathy to milk, which, in its ordinary form, is not well tolerated by their stomachs. This is especially noticeable in women and young girls. In such cases the milk may be diluted one-third with some alkaline mineral water, such as Vichy celestins. The addition of some fine flour may also render the milk more digestible, and, hence, better borne. Small children, too, sometimes prefer milk given to them in this form. For those who cannot tolerate ordinary milk the more easily digested buttermilk may be used.

Milk should be taken raw, but circumstances may present themselves, however, when a glass of hot milk will exert a beneficial influence upon the system. This is the case, for instance, where one has been out on a damp, cold day and comes in feeling chilled, as by drinking hot milk we greatly stimulate the activity of the skin. In colds, if early in the morning or on rising hot whey or hot milk is taken, it will exert a favorable influence upon the inflamed mucous membranes.

To warm the body up on a cold, frosty day tea is often used, but from the standpoint of health milk is better. The yolks of one or two eggs make of milk a very strengthening drink.

Enormous Beard.

Louis Coulon of Bourbon County, France, on his 85th birthday had his photograph taken for the occasion standing beside his grandniece, Mlle. Francoise, who held the end of his beard in her hands. Mr. Coulon's beard measures 11 feet 2 inches and has been growing since July 21, 1847, when Mr. Coulon had just finished his apprenticeship in his trade as locksmith.

Resembles June Bug.

An insect much resembling the June bug and found in great quantities in the high plains about Quito, the capital of Ecuador, is toasted and eaten as a delicacy by the natives of that country. The insects are sold in the streets in the same manner as are chestnuts in the cities of this country. They taste very much like toasted bread.

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DAYS FOR VARIOUS DEEDS

TUESDAY FOR SUICIDES, SATURDAY FOR MURDER.

Fewest Fatal Accidents Occur on Friday, the Day Before Pay Day.

If you have any desire to increase the business of some undertaker and also wish to live up to statistical form, then you are due to make your final adieux on Tuesday, not necessarily this coming Tuesday, but some Tuesday as against any other day of the week.

If murder chances to be your pet caprice and you have selected your victim, there is "nothing doing" until Saturday; that is, of course, if you expect to keep up your standing in the form book as prepared by statisticians who are paid by the Government to lay out appropriate days for the committing of the acts in question.

These wiseacres have, after deep study, found that each day in the week seems to have been set aside for some particular purpose, and while the aforesaid seers have not said anything as to the lucky days on which to borrow money or undertake the scientific pursuit of poker, they have found the appropriate days for murder, suicide, arson, burglary, acts of violence, and other such undertakings.

The chief investigator for the New York Railways has, by examining his records, discovered that most of the fatal accidents occur on Saturday, while the fewest happen Friday.

Standard Mystic Books.

While Napoleon's Oraculum, Mother Shipton's Dream Book, the Gypsy Fortune Teller, and other standard works that treat of the logical numbers to translate the hidden meanings of the world of dreams, fail to take particular cognizance of the subjects in hand, there is nothing in their treatment of similar topics to show the following days are not scheduled for the purposes set for them. Monday takes pre-eminence in the weekly calendar as the day for bankruptcies. While no reason is advanced why this particular day should be selected for this method of saying April Fool to one's creditors, still the fact stands out that on Monday most bankrupts get busy.

Tuesday seems to hold the domestic and foreign rights to all forms of suicide, for if one takes 100 as the average, Tuesday goes the basis of computation ten better, or jumps to 110, in the matter of persons who depart without the formality of leaving a forwarding mail address.

In connection with the matter of saying one's farewell to the world, there is a curious point worth noting as to the time ordinarily, or rather customarily, chosen for the suicide. That is, the majority of suicides kill themselves between six in the morning and noon. The reason assigned for this particular time is that a man so despairing that he finds death the only remedy for his troubles usually passes out before being called upon to face another day.

Many Wednesday Weddings.

Wednesday plays no favorites in the matter of crime, but stands out as the day when most weddings take place. No experts have come forward with either theories or facts as to why this is, but it is true that Mendelssohn's popular march is pumped through the organ pipes oftener on Wednesday than on any other day of the week.

It is advanced that, being the middle of the week, and therefore the most convenient, it gives the man and woman plenty of time for preparation after the preceding Sunday, and opportunity for travel or holiday before the Sunday following.

Thursday falls in logically as the understudy for Tuesday in the matter of suicide, running 109 in the chart, and is, on the whole, about the worst day of the week for the otherwise unclassed deeds of violence.

Friday, that has always been heralded as the patron day of misfortune, holds the honors for a general assortment of various acts not considered good form. On this day arson and pocketpicking hold the lead, while murder runs about third.

At the same time it is considered by many the most fortunate day of the seven for a marriage. This is particularly true of the Scotch, who prefer this day to all other for rehearsing the "Five Pretty Bridesmaids" act.

Next Day Pay Day.

As has been said, accidents on the surface, elevated and subway routes are fewest, but this has been accounted for by reason that the next day being pay day with most persons they are careful of themselves for the time being.

Saturday, if it had to carry over all the accidents, murders and other crimes committed during its 24 hours, would be in the excess baggage list.

Nearly 85 per cent. of the murders in the country are committed on Saturday, while so many accidents occur that the hospital attendants and ambulance drivers are figuring on having their day off changed to Friday. The accident insurance statistics show Saturday to lead in the matter of deaths by accident, while the fire insurance companies report that most fires occur, and that nearly all fires in arson cases have been proved to have been set on that day.

The cause given for the great number of murders on Saturday is that wages are usually paid on that day, with the result that men become drunk and violent. There are few suicides on Saturday, for the reason that men are in their cups and too happy to consider suicide while they are still possessed of money and rum.

Sunday doesn't figure in the criminal card, there being but few entries in the matter of crime. Accidents drop from 100 per cent. or above, to below 30 per cent., while suicides drop still further.

QUAINT CUSTOM PASSES.

Belgian Trains Formerly Started at Sound of Horn.

The announcement in a Brussels newspaper recently of the death of the last so-called "clarion" in that country, recalls the fact that all railway trains in Belgium up to 1869 were started by the blowing of a horn. The Government used to furnish the conductors for all Belgium roads—all being Government owned—with brass bugles, which new men had to learn to blow before taking up their duties.

The bugle was slung over the shoulder by a flashy green cord. It was a picturesque sight to see the departure of a train from a small station where half the village turned out to see the train and its occupants. Three notes were sounded on the bugle and they had many significances, from the mere starting of a train to the call for help in case of an accident.

When these musical adjuncts of the train conductor's art were suppressed and replaced by whistles, which demanded neither study nor the talents of an artist, the old conductors rebelled, but being forced to submit to the Government edict they felt themselves grossly humiliated, their prestige in the eyes of the people being thus taken away from them. A few resigned their positions, and believing themselves musicians of talent presented themselves at the conservatory of music for examination.

But the greater part of these clarions accepted the whistle with reluctance, their pride swallowed up in hunger.

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PUTTING HIS FOOT IN IT.

She:—"Who do you think he is like?"
He:—"Well his face doesn't show much intelligence yet, but I think he looks like both of you."

OUR LETTER FROM TORONTO

WHAT IS BEING MOSTLY DISCUSSED AT THE PRESENT TIME.

"Getting Into Parliament and After," by Sir George W. Ross—"Deborah" Not Wanted in Toronto.

During the last few months there have been published many volumes of reminiscences of prominent public men which have constituted a distinct addition to the literature and historic records of the Dominion. Among these may be mentioned the works of Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. James Young, and Mr. Goldwin Smith. It is doubtful, however, if any similar volume has ever been published in Canada which combines the interest, the entertainment and the historic data which are to be found in a volume just published by Hon. Sir George Ross. It is entitled "Getting Into Parliament and After" and is published by William Briggs.

Sir George's book is free from the invective and bitterness which characterizes many portions of Sir Richard Cartwright's Reminiscences. But it does not lack grip upon the reader on that account. To the average Canadian who is interested in the history and progress of his country, the book will be as fascinating as a romance. It is couched in the language, embroidered with imagery and quotation which has done much to make Sir George Ross the most finished and attractive orator Canada has ever produced. And like his speeches, too, the volume sparkles with humor.

Learning to Make Speeches.

Distinguished as he became in later life as a platform orator, it is interesting to note the process by which Sir George became such an effective speech maker. For the ten years preceding Federation the budding statesman taught school in his native county of Middlesex. Occasionally he heard a political speech. Once he borrowed a horse and saddle and rode fifteen miles to hear D'Arcy McGee. But it was to the "Sons of Temperance" that he gives credit for his schooling in the art of public speaking. As a member of the organization it became his privilege to share in the honors and to work side by side with men many years his senior. "Then occasionally," he says, "there was a field-night for the good of the Order, which meant a debate on some pre-arranged topic, with essays and speeches on temperance or other non-political subjects. In these field-nights the schoolmaster, as the highest authority on all literary and polemical questions, was by virtue of his office a designated exponent. So from necessity, more frequently than from choice, I was obliged to wrestle, not always logically, I fear, with the protagonist of every proposition on which it was possible for opposites to contend."

First Speech in Parliament.

In later years the young schoolmaster, after an apprenticeship in the newspaper business, first as proprietor of the Strathroy "Age," after as part owner of the Seaforth "Expositor," and also in the capacity of public school inspector, became a member of Parliament. Exceedingly interesting is his description of his maiden effort as a speech maker in the House. He says: "For some mysterious reason I had the utmost dread of rising to my feet, and often while waiting for an opportunity some other member would perhaps rise and appropriate the few ideas I had collected. After much indecision and resolves and re-resolves, however, I concluded that I could not learn to swim without getting into the water, and even if I were to drown I would make the attempt. My maiden efforts consisted first of a speech on immigration of about ten minutes, next of a speech on the necessity of restricting the sale of intoxicating liquors of about forty-five minutes and a speech on the Pacific Railway of about twenty-five minutes.

"I spoke from notes, as was my habit before I entered the House, but such was my state of nervous excitement that I dreaded a moment's pause to look at them. My knees trembled as if alarmed at my presumption in addressing the House. To prevent my attention being distracted by the restlessness of the members present, I fixed my eye upon the Speaker, who seemed to be the only person who took any interest in what I had to say, and poured into his ears with reckless rapidity the arguments that I intended for the House. I never lost entirely the thread of my subject, although more than once I wandered from my premeditated course. A few members who I fear had not listened to me very attentively congratulated me on my maiden effort. To myself the effort was far from satisfactory. I pitched my voice several points too high and I galloped along from start to finish like Tam O'Shanter when pursued by the witches of Auld Kirk Alloway. I thought my experience on the platform and in all sorts of forensic combats would have so hardened me for the ordeal that I could face the House of Commons without a quiver. Vain delusion. The House bore no resemblance to any audience I had ever addressed. It was as solid as the Sphinx and as unimpressionable as an obelisk."

Picture of Sir John A.

In the course of his career, Sir George has come in contact with practically every public man of importance in the Dominion of Canada. Of many of them he gives delightful pen pictures, each delineated with the utmost good humor though with perfect insight into their real characters. Of Sir John Macdonald he speaks in kind terms. He recalls that at the time of the big re-distribution his opponent in West Middlesex asked for the re-casting of the constituency and went to Sir John about it, telling him how a Conservative majority could be made perfectly sure. Sir John looked at him rather doubtfully, and remarked, "You may put this township in West Middlesex and you may take that one off, or you may make any shuffle you please, but that little devil Ross will beat you in spite of what you do." "My opponent told me of this interview a few months after his defeat, as an instance of Sir John's political sagacity, and without any feeling of disappointment."

He speaks in admiration of Sir John's adroitness in debate, and chiefly of his capacity for picking men. Personally he seldom came in contact with the great Conservative leader. On one occasion they met in the lobby during Sir George's first session and without the formality of an introduction Sir John shook hands with the youthful member, quoting the lines from Pope:

"Who taught that heaven-directed spire to rise?
'The man of Ross' each lisping babe replies."

And His Leader Slept.

In contrast with this may be set down an extract from another portion of the book where Sir George recalls having made a speech on Reciprocity, Hon. Edward Blake then being his party leader. He says: "Though not particularly impressed with my effort to instruct the House, I ventured to say to Mr. Blake a few hours afterward, 'Well, I have done my best for Reciprocity. How did you like my speech?' 'My dear boy,' he said, 'I did not hear a word of it. I slept the whole time you were speaking.' Whether to take his repose as a mark of perfect confidence in my ability to do justice to the subject, or as showing a lack of interest in anything I might say, was my dilemma. It was, however, the last speech about which I asked his opinion, either before or after delivery."

Mr. Blake, he says, was always on his good behaviour. He enjoyed a good story but never "swapped" with anybody. He could not make himself "one of the boys."

The Suppression of "Deborah."

The most sensational incident in recent years in connection with local theatrical matters occurred the other day when Police Magistrate Denison and the police condemned and suppressed the play "Deborah."

Toronto felt that it was being put to the test with this play. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred when questionable plays come to Toronto it is only after they have appeared for weeks or months or perhaps years in other cities. When they arrive in Toronto it is felt that it would be an exhibition of prudishness or at least of a "holier than thou" attitude if Toronto was to declare it would not have that which other cities approved or at least tolerated. In the case of "Deborah," however, the situation was different, because Toronto was selected as the place for the first performance or premiere of the play.

As a matter of fact most of those who saw the first presentation were not really alive to the character of the play that was being presented. They were so captivated by the art of the actors and actresses and the skilfulness with which the piece had been constructed by the author that they failed to see that the whole thing was impossible. It was only next day, when they came to attempt to tell the story of the play to their friends, that they realized what a disgusting piece of stage craft it was. The plot was such that it could not possibly be related or described in any mixed company. With perhaps one or two exceptions it was the rawest thing that has ever been put on in a local theatre. The dramatic censors who see all first performances and who, acting under authority of the police department, give the theatres permission to go on each week, failed, like other spectators, to recognize the character of Deborah as a play. They cut out certain scenes, but they could not alter the significance of the whole story.

A Clergyman Acted.

It remained for Rev. John Coburn, acting for the Committee of Vigilance, to take the action which resulted in the suppression of Deborah. Having witnessed the first performance personally he laid a charge against all the performers in the company of producing an immoral play. Mr. Coburn told his story before Magistrate Denison, a number of witnesses were called for the defence, but the upshot of a day's deliberations was that the magistrate rendered a conviction and the company was notified that they must not repeat the play. Thus ended Deborah after a short life of three days.

It is to be expected that as a result Toronto will be further advertised in American cities as the most straight-laced city in America. But it will probably be found that there will be many other cities that will suppress Deborah if indeed, attempts are made to revive it. Already Hamilton, London and Ottawa are reported to have turned it down. The example set by Toronto may also have a wholesome influence in making other cities more carefully scrutinize first productions.

It is a common allegation of theatrical people that the reformers are pharisical and hypocritical. But it would not be possible to have any more hypocritical statements than those made by the people responsible for some so-called "problem plays" that these productions are put on for the purpose of teaching great moral lessons or to preach sermons.

CLOTHES MADE MODESTY.

Queer Ideas of Different Countries as to Propriety of Dress.

The variations in what modesty permits and requires constitute an interesting study. The Hereros of South Africa insist that women keep their heads covered. As to what else they wear they aren't so particular. A German explorer found that a Herero lady didn't mind posing for a photograph with nothing much on except the head cloth. But she was terribly shocked at the idea of removing that.

On the Uganda Railroad, near Lake Victoria, under the equator, Sir Harry Johnson found a tribe who considered clothing quite superfluous. The members wore ornaments, but nothing else. But they were regarded as "the most moral people in Uganda." Near them lived a tribe, the Baganda, who were exceedingly particular as to their clothing. But they had an unsavory reputation as to morals.

Conventions on such subjects change from generation to generation. Dion Boucicault told Justin McCarthy that in his young days actresses were exceedingly proper in their dress, and that the abbreviated skirts and tights of a modern musical comedy would not have been tolerated.

Modesty seems to have been a quality of comparatively late development in civilization. Dress was at first regulated on the basis of utility combined with vanity and superstition. Then custom got in its work. When people became accustomed to a certain style of dress any violent departure from it struck them as immodest.

Modesty didn't make dress. Dress made modesty. Only it should be borne in mind that once modesty has developed the conventions cannot be suddenly and radically violated without social degradation. Modesty isn't something that doesn't matter. It does matter.

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WELL-PLANNED MEAL.

The Combination of Foods It Should Contain.

A well-planned meal, containing the proper combination of foods, is not difficult to prepare, says Leslie's Weekly. The essential ingredient, a repairing material, is protein, found abundantly in meat, eggs, cheese and nuts. The starches and sugars, technically known as carbohydrates, are required also, together with fats for fuel for effort. These two fuel-furnishing foods can be used alternatively, thus securing a variation. Scientists who have given the question of food values special attention report that a diet of protein, fat and carbohydrates, alone, would cause starvation more quickly than if all food were withheld. There is the necessity of introducing some mineral salts that yield iron, calcium, magnesium, phosphorus and potassium.

A supply of iron is obtained from raisins, whole wheat, dried beans, prunes and meats or the yolks of eggs. Calcium is contributed by milk, dried peas and beans, celery and citrus fruits. In meat, peas, beans, milk and prunes there is magnesium. Phosphorus forms a quality in meat, milk, egg-yolks, whole wheat, dried peas and beans. Potassium is furnished in potatoes, parsnips, cabbage, turnips and apples.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

are made according to a formula in use nearly a century ago among the Indians, and learned from them by Dr. Morse. Though repeated attempts have been made, by physicians and chemists, it has been found impossible to improve the formula or the pills. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are a household remedy throughout the world for Constipation and all Kidney and Liver troubles. They act promptly and effectively, and

Cleanse the System



A one-piece walking suit by Lacroix, Paris. A one-piece walking suit of copper-colored charmeuse with narrow lace collar.

OLDEST LOVE LETTER.

Is at Constantinople and Dates From Time of Abraham.

The following epistle from a love-stricken swain to the object of his affections dates from the time of the patriarch Abraham, and forms part of a large collection of private letters and commercial documents found in the ruins of the Babylonian city of Sippas and now deposited at Constantinople:

"I hereby make known to Bibia what follows: As regards myself, Gimili Marduk, may the gods Samas (the sun) and Marduk (the Merodach of the Bible) for my name's sake (i.e., out of love to me) grant you a long life. I herewith send to inquire as to your welfare; send me tidings if all is well with you. I am at present in Babylon and have not seen you, which makes me feel very anxious. Do send me word how you are getting on, so that I may rejoice; come in the month of Arachsamna. For my sake may you live for ever."

A SAFE MEDICINE FOR THE BABY

Baby's Own Tablets are a safe medicine for little ones. In fact they are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely free from opiates or any of the drugs so harmful to the lives of little ones. The Tablets never do harm—always good and may be given to the newborn babe or growing child with equal safety. They never fail to cure constipation, indigestion, colic, break up colds and fevers and make teething easy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

HOW TO ADDRESS THE TITLED

Interesting List for Puzzled Interviewers.

Some difficulties often arise concerning the way in which one should speak and write to titled persons. The following are a few of correct usage examples:

The King—"Your Majesty" and "Sir." "His Most Gracious Majesty the King."

The Queen—"Your Majesty" and "Ma'am." "Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen."

Prince of Wales—"Your Royal Highness" and "Sir." "His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales."

Royal Princess — "Your Royal Highness" and "Ma'am." "Her Royal Highness the Princess ——."

Royal Prince—"Your Royal Highness" and "Sir." "His Royal Highness Prince ——."

Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland — "Your Excellency." "His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant."

Archbishop — "My Lord Archbishop" and "Your Grace." "His Grace the Archbishop of ——."

Bishop—"My Lord" and "Your Lordship." "The Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of ——."

Duke—"My Lord Duke" and "Your Grace." "His Grace the Duke of ——."

Duchess—"Madam" and "Your Grace." "Her Grace the Duchess of ——."

It is not usual to reiterate the more formal title after the first use of it. So the second mode of reference is added. For instance, while a speech delivered to the sovereign would begin: "Your Majesty," or "May it please Your Majesty," in subsequent references "Sir" would be employed. Below each title is added the form of address for directing correspondence.—London Mail.

The only way to acquire friends is to make them yourself.

From Great Lakes To the Rockies

WOMEN SING THE PRAISES OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Saskatchewan Lady Adds Her Testimony To What Has Already Been Said of the Great Work Dodd's Kidney Pills Are Doing.

Caesarville, Sask., June 2—(Special.—The scarcity of female help in a new country subjects the women of the prairies to unusual strain, and careful observation has established the fact that this strain first makes itself felt in the kidneys. For this reason Dodd's Kidney Pills are making an enviable reputation from the Great Lakes to the foothills of the Rockies.

Everywhere you will find women singing the praises of the great Canadian kidney remedy that has banished their pains and weariness, and brought them back to health. Among the many is Mrs. Edgar Cowen, an estimable lady of this place.

"I have found Dodd's Kidney Pills very beneficial," Mrs. Cowen states. "If anything I can say will help any sufferer I am glad to add my testimonial to what has already been said."

The kidneys strain all the refuse material out of the blood. If they are out of order this refuse remains in the blood, and becomes poison. That's why sound kidneys mean pure blood and good health. Dodd's Kidney Pills make sound kidneys.

MAN BOTTLED UP 12 DAYS.

Boat Turned Turtle and He Was Sealed in Cabin.

One of the most extraordinary stories ever told of the sea is related by Captain Engellandt, owner of the steel sailing ship Erndte. He was at sea with three men on board, when a great gale came sweeping and tearing and screaming over the waves, and drove his vessel before it into the gathering blackness of night. The skipper stuck to the wheel all through the long hours of darkness, and the gale dying down to a snarling growl at 4 a.m., he relinquished his post and stepped down to his cabin for a change of clothes.

It was at this moment the real business of the day began. He had just got into dry underclothing, when the vessel quietly turned bottom upwards, and he found himself standing on the roof of the cabin, with the door over his head hermetically sealed by the ocean. Was ever a man in such straits before?

He climbed through into the hold of the vessel, where he found raisins, condensed milk, prunes, rice, and, of course, a Teutonic sausage. Eating sparingly of this healthy fare, and hammering on the steel bottom of the boat to attract the attention of any ship that might happen to pass by, he spent 12 days in this strange manner before he was rescued. The wreck had to be towed to a mighty crane before a steel plate could be unloosed and the skipper be free to look once more on the blue sky.

MEMORY IMPROVED.

Since Leaving Off Tea and Coffee.

Many persons suffer from poor memory who never suspect tea and coffee have anything to do with it.

The drug—caffeine—in tea and coffee, acts injuriously on the nerves and heart, causing imperfect circulation, too much blood in the brain at one time, too little in another part. This often causes a dullness which makes a good memory nearly impossible.

"I am nearly 70 years old and did not know that coffee was the cause of the stomach and heart trouble I suffered from for many years, until about four years ago," writes a Western woman.

"A kind neighbor induced me to quit coffee and try Postum. I had been suffering severely and was greatly reduced in flesh. After using Postum a little while I found myself improving. My heart beats became regular and now I seldom ever notice any symptoms of my old stomach trouble at all. My nerves are steady and my memory decidedly better than while I was using coffee.

"I like the taste of Postum fully as well as coffee."

Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Write for booklet, "The Road to Wellville."

Postum comes in two forms.

Regular (must be boiled).

Instant Postum doesn't require boiling but is prepared instantly by stirring a level teaspoonful in an ordinary cup of hot water, which makes it right for most persons.

A big cup requires more and some people who like strong things put in a heaping spoonful and temper it with a large supply of cream.

Experiment until you know the amount that pleases your palate and have it served that way in the future.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

PIMPLES ON FACE ARMS AND LEGS

Scratched So Made Red Sore. Trouble Grew Worse All the Time. A Cake of Cuticura Soap and a Box of Cuticura Ointment Completely Cured.

Ville Jollette, Que.—"My little girl, aged four years, had so many pimples on her face, arms and legs that I did not know what to do. They lasted for a year. She commenced to scratch and this made pimples, clear, not red. She scratched so much that the blood ran and it made a red sore. The sores were worse on her arms and legs and on her face, and they were ugly looking with the blood. I was told what to do to stop her suffering, and I used the treatment but other pimples came out all the time. I tried all sorts of remedies but the trouble grew worse all the time. It was always the same story, until I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I began to apply the Cuticura Ointment on her, also hot water and Cuticura Soap. Immediately I began to see that they were curing her, and after having used a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment she was completely cured. She has just as fine a skin as before.



"My husband also used Cuticura Ointment for cracks in his hands. After three applications of the Cuticura Ointment he was completely cured." (Signed) Mrs. Alfred Corrier, Jan. 16, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. For a liberal free sample of each, with 32-p. book, send post card to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. 33D, Boston, U. S. A.

The Englishman.

There's a land that bears a well-known name,
Though 'tis but a little spot;
'Tis first on the blazing scroll of fame
And who can aver it is not;
Of the deathless ones who shine and live
In arms, in art and song;
The brightest the whole wide world can give,
To that little land belong;
'Tis the star of the earth, deny it who can,
The island home of an Englishman.

There's a flag that waves o'er every sea,
No matter when or where;
And to treat that flag as aught but the free
Is more than the strongest dare.
For the lion spirits that tread the deck,
Have carried the palm of the brave,
And that flag may sink with a shot torn wreck;
But never float o'er a slave;
Its honor is stainless, deny it who can,
The flag of a true-born Englishman.

The Briton may traverse the pole or the zone
And boldly claim its right,
For he calls such a vast domain his own
That the sun never sets on his might;
Let the haughty stranger seek to know
The place of home and birth,
And a flush will pour from cheek to brow,
As he tells of his native earth;
Its honor is stainless, deny it who can,
That's breathed in the words
—I'm an Englishman.

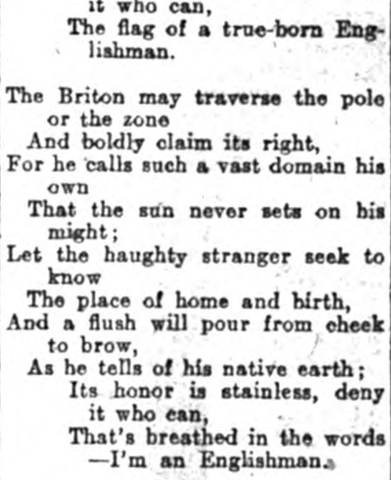
50,000 MEN WANTED

Before next month this number are wanted to step up and have their corns removed with Putnam's Corn Extractor—it's painless—safe—sure. Use only "Putnam's," it's the best. 25c. at all dealers.

Germany's Model Factory.

A German firm that manufactures optical goods on a large scale has established for its employes a "Volkshaus," or people's house, which contains a well-equipped library, reading rooms, a literary museum, a museum, a museum of physics, a school of arts and crafts, an assembly hall capable of seating 1,500 people, a smaller hall for lectures, an art collection, music room, etc. The Volkshaus is available to all the people of the city in which it is located and has proved to be an important educational factor.

Life is just one merry-go-round of anticipation and regrets.



KING GEORGE'S HANDSHAKE.

An Amusing Story of a Recent Royal Reception.

A story is being told in London clubs about the way in which King George shakes hands. His Majesty is much more given to this form of greeting than any of his predecessors. Indeed, when he was at Woolwich recently, he shook hands with everyone who was presented to him. He has a friendly grip, and, so firm is it, that if one he honors wears rings they get well pressed into the hand.

A lady who knew this, and was aware she was about to receive the kingly salutation, took off all her rings in her alarm, and asked a lady who was near whether she would mind keeping the rings for her till the meeting was over. On her return, after she had talked to the King and Queen, she searched high and low for the lady to whom she had entrusted her valuables, but could not find her. Then the Royalties began to move, and to her consternation she observed that the lady who had received her rings loomed large in the public sight. She was indeed speaking to the Queen at that moment, and turned out to be Lady Fortescue, the Lady-in-Waiting to her Majesty.

The owner of the rings now felt sure that the Queen was laughing at what Lady Fortescue was saying to her, and that the Royal amusement was about the King's handshake and her precautions over her rings. However, in due course, Lady Fortescue came along and returned the wretched rings. In reply to an urgent request not to tell, she said "Most certainly not."

Weary Tiredness Changed to Vigor

That Played-Out Feeling Was Quickly Remedied and Health Restored.

Story of a Merchant Who Almost Lost His Business and His Health Through Neglecting Early Symptoms of Disease.

"My life for years has been of sedentary character," writes T. B. Titchfield, head of a well known firm in Buckingham. Nine hours every day I spent at office work and took exercise only on Sunday. I disregarded the symptoms of ill-health, which were all too apparent to my family. I grew thin, then pale, and before long I was jaundiced—eyes and skin were yellow, my strength and nerve were lowered, and I was quite unfitted for business. In the morning a lightness in the head, particularly when I bent over, made me very worried about my health. Most of the laxative medicines I found weakening, and knowing that I had to be at business every day I neglected myself rather than risk further weakness. Of course I grew worse, but by a happy chance I began to use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. I was forcibly struck by the fact that they neither caused griping nor nausea, and it seemed incredible that pills could tone, cleanse and regulate the system without causing any unpleasant after effects. Dr. Hamilton's Pills acted with me just as gentle as nature—they gave new life to my liver, strengthened my stomach, and won me back to perfect good health. My skin is clear, dizziness has disappeared, and my appetite, strength, spirits are perfect."

Refuse anything offered you instead of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are sure to cure. Sold in 25c. boxes, five for $1.00, at all druggists and storekeepers, or post-paid from the Catarrhozone Co., Buffalo, N.Y., and Kingston, Canada.

Music as Aid to Work.

Sir Laurence Gomme, London, statistician and archaeologist, regards music as an aid to work. He relates that at the beginning of his official career he used to add up huge columns of figures for statistical purposes by the simple process of doing the task to a Gregorian tune, and that he was always correct in his totals.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Lots Like Him.

Griggs—"Two years ago I could have bought that valuable piece of property for a song."

Briggs—"And you couldn't sing, eh?"

Griggs—"Oh, I could sing, but I couldn't get the right notes."

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Snake on Neck for Goiter.

A snake slung round the neck for goiter was an old Sussex (England) charm. The Rev. Coker Egerton, in "Sussex Folk and Sussex Ways," tells the story from personal observation. "I have known a person," he wrote, "who went a long distance to have a live snake applied to the throat for goiter, and I have known of a servant girl who tried the virtue of a dead one for the same ailment. It was discovered, and, being obliged to throw it away, she said she would go somewhere to get a 'dead man's hand' put to her neck."

Muggins—"How changed Wigwag is since he lost him money." Buggins—Yes; it has altered him so that lots of his old friends fail to recognize him."

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Losing Faith.

Old Lady—I don't believe this sure-cure tonic is a-goin' to do me any good.

Friend—It's highly spoken of in the papers.

Old Lady—Yes; but I've taken 47 bottles, and I don't feel a bit better. I tell you what it is, Sarah, I'm beginning to think these newspaper editors don't know everything.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gents,—I have used your Minard's Liniment in my family and also in my stables for years and consider it the best medicine obtainable.

Yours truly,
ALFRED ROCHAV,
Proprietor Rexton Pond Hotel and Livery Stables.

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"Bliggins has a very distant and severe manner."

"It's a bluff. He's naturally so kind-hearted that he has to act that way to keep people from imposing on him."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

An Excuse for Boasting.

"What's he bragging about now?"

"Something somebody else has just done that he could have done so much better."

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Many Fall by the Way.

"I believe honesty pays in the long run."

"So do I; but I often wish it were not such a mighty long run."

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Unloaded.

He had sold his farm to a neighbor for a young heifer (this was east of the Rockies) and he was chuckling visibly as he tied the heifer to the back of the cart containing his household goods. "What are you laughing at?" the wife asked him. "Why," he chortled, "that feller thinks that farm is forty acres. I've unloaded twenty more on him than he thinks."

FREE OF LUMBAGO

Because He Took GIN PILLS

Mr. H. A. Jukes of Winnipeg writes: "I have been a sufferer from Lumbago for some years past. I met your Mr. Hill and he advised me to take GIN PILLS. I have been taking them at intervals during the early part of the present winter, and up-to-date have had no return of my old trouble—in fact I feel better than I have for years, and think that my old enemy has vanished for good and all."

50c. a box, 6 for $2.50. Sample free if you write National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto. 136

...e Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company.

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Pursuant to Section 191 of the Railway Act, notice is hereby given that plan, profile and book of reference of the revised location of the Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company's Hawkesbury—Montreal line from Lot 38, Concession 1, Township of Chatham, to the East Half of Lot 10, Concession 1, Township of Grenville, County of Argenteuil, were deposited in the Registry Office for the County of Argenteuil at Lachute, Quebec, on the 17th day of June, 1913.

R. H. M. TEMPLE,
Assistant Solicitor.

Toronto, Ontario,
June 23rd, 1913.

Brownsburg Gun Club

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The Gun Club held their regular Practice Shoot at the traps on Wednesday evening June 18th when some interesting competitions were shot off. There was a large crowd which was further increased by the presence of Mr. J. G. Lytle who is up to the factory for some time, Mr. Lytle gave the assembled crowd a very pretty exhibition of shooting and it is hoped that he will be able to appear at the next shoot. Mr. A. M. Campbell was also present. There was only one winner of the spoon competition on Wednesday who was James Kettyle.

EXTENSION OF TIME

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NOTICE is hereby given that the time for receiving tenders for the construction of a Dry Dock at Lauzon, in the County of Levis, Que., is extended to Monday, June 30, 1913.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, June 24, 1913.

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RECORD RUN.

By a special arrangement with the C. P. R. recently a huge train of some thirty seven cars made a trip form Winnipeg to Fort William in twenty three hours and fifteen minutes, even being delayed by a break down. This certainly is worthy of note when you consider that this is the largest shipment of flour, ever made from one mill to another. Of course it was PURITY flour.

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