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LOCAL LINES

Wow! who the dickens is X, any way?

Mr. Dundas, a lawyer, has opened a law office in town in Mr. Beadnell's Real Estate Office.

O. H. Fechner is confined to his room through illness. He expects to be out in a week or two.

See McPhee & Morrisons window full of candies 1 cent per box---while they last

Sidewalk epidemic seems to have broken out in Courtenay. New sidewalks have been laid from The Review Office to Union street and a crossing to McPhee & Morrison's storehouse.

Wanted---Office or outdoor work. Apply Box 3, Review office.

For fine painting, paperhanging and decorating don't fail to see Doyle & Horne, Courtenay.

Store and warehouse to rent, opposite Courtenay hotel. Apply, Wm. Lewis, Courtenay.

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Stove Wood—Delivered in Courtnay at reasonable rates. Geo. F. Russell, Lake Trail. Orders may be left at the Review Office,

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Mr. D. A. Thomas, Piano tuner will be in Courtenay and Comox district to attend to his regular tuning business about the first of December.

One box of cigars will be given to the person who makes the highest consecutive run at straight pool during the month of November at Macs' pool room.

Two yearling heifer's strayed onto our farm, Messrs. Parkin & Meachem. If not claimed will be sold, owner can have the same for paying expenses. Parkin & Meachem, Cumberland, B. C.

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Otto Altschullen has sold his lot in the orchard.

Dinna forget the Whist drive and dance to-morrow (Friday) night. A jolly time is in store for every one who attends.

The "Birdswell" tied up at Mc Phees wharf this norning with a full cargo of feed etc. for them and other merchants here.

The Colonial Co. will present "The Twin's Christening" at Comox to-morrow evening and "Two Royal Dukes" on Saturday night.

Word was received yesterday by Geo. Ardley that Thos. Coe, a member of the local Masonic Lodge had died at Olympia, Wash. He was a native of Halifax, N. S. and efforts are now being made to locate his mother.

Mr. Seabright Young of Victoria is here today and tomorrow with a stock of Drygoods which he is showing in the Agricultural Hall.

One of the Oxford sheep received last week by the Comox Co-operative society, fed by Mr. Jeffery, weighed 170 lbs dressed, which no doubt beats all records in the Comox Valley. Hurry up farmers and beat that.

O. H. Fechner, of the Riverside Hotel, celebrated his birthday on Monday. A band came up from Nanaimo and discoursed sweet music on Sunday and Monday. They also furnished the music for the dance in the Opera House on Monday evening, which was well attended by Mr. Fechner's friends here and in Cumberland. May "Fec" live to enjoy many birthdays, is the wish of his many friends.

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THE WINDOW AT THE WHITE CAT

By Mary Roberts Rinehart

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(Continued)

Eleven twenty-two, I repeated. Twice eleven is twenty-two. But that isn't very enlightening.

No, she admitted. I thought it might be a telephone number, and I called up all the eleven twenty-twos in the city. Anne said Carter had come back, and she went to waken him, but although his door was locked inside he did not answer. Annie and I switched on all the lights on the lower floor from the top of the stairs and then we went down together and looked around. Every window and door was locked, but in father's study on the first floor, two drawers of his desk were standing open. And in the library, the little compartment in my writing table where I keep my house money, had been broken open and the money taken.

Nothing else was gone?

Nothing. The silver on the sideboard in the dining room, plenty of valuable things in the cabinet in the drawing room—nothing was disturbed.

It might have been Carter, I reflected. Did he know where you kept your house money?

It is possible, but I hardly think so. Besides, if he was going to steal there were so many more valuable things in the house. My mother's jewels as well as my own were in my dressing room, and the door was not locked.

They were not disturbed?

She hesitated.

They had been disturbed, she admitted. My grandmother left each of her children some unstrung pearls. They were a hobby with her. Aunt Jane and Aunt Letitia never had theirs strung, but my mother's were made into different things, all old fashioned. I left them locked in a drawer in my sitting room, where I have always kept them. The following morning the drawer was unlocked and partly open, but nothing was missing.

All your jewelry was there?

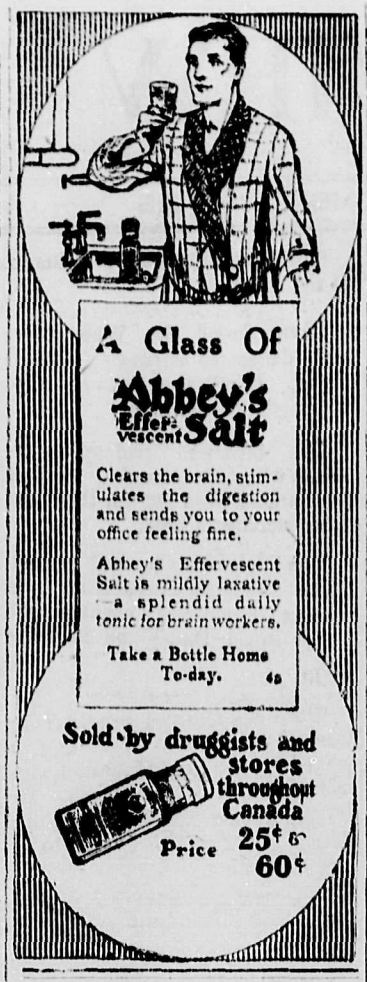
All but one ring, which I rarely remove from my finger. I followed her eyes. Under her glove was the outline of a ring, a solitaire stone.

It does not sound like an ordinary burglary, I reflected. Nineteen from thirty-five leaves sixteen, according to my mental process, although I know men who could make the difference nothing.

I believe she thought I was a little mad.

We must find him, Mr. Knox, she insisted as she got up. If you know of a detective that you can trust please get him. But you can understand that the unexplained absence of the state treasurer must be kept secret. I am sure he is being kept away. You don't know what enemies he has. Men like Mr. Schwartz, who have no scruples

Schwartz! I repeated in surprise.



Henry Schwartz was the boss of his party in the state, the man of whom one of his adversaries had said, with the distinct approval of the voting public, that he was so low in the scale of humanity that it would require a special dispensation of heaven to raise him to the level of total degradation. But he and Fleming were generally supposed to be captain and first mate of the pirate craft that passed with us for the ship of state.

Mr. Schwartz and my father are allies politically, the girl explained, with heightened color, but they are not friends. My father is a gentleman.

The inference I allowed to pass unnoticed, and as if she feared she had said too much the girl rose. When she left a few minutes later it was with the promise that she would close the Monmouth avenue house and go to her aunt's at Bellwood at once. For myself, I pledged a thorough search for her father and began it by watching the scarlet wing on her hat through the top of the elevator cage until it had descended out of sight.

CHAPTER II.

Uneasy Apprehensions

I am afraid it was a queer hodge podge of clews and sentiment that I poured out to Hunter, the detective, when he came up late that afternoon.

They're rotten clear through, Hunter reflected. This administration is worse than the last, and it was a peach. There have been more suicides than I could count on my two hands in the last ten years. I warn you—you'd better keep out of this mess.

What do you think about the eleven twenty-two? I asked.

It might be that many dollars or the time a train starts, or it might be the eleventh and the twenty-second letters of the alphabet—k-v.

K-v! I repeated. Why that would be the Latin word for beware.

Hunter smiled cheerfully.

You'd better stick to the law, Mr. Knox, he said from the door. We don't use Latin in the detective business.

Plattsburg was not the name of the capital, but it will do for this story. The state doesn't matter either. We will say that my home city is Manchester. I live with my married brother, his wife and two boys. Fred is older than I am and he is an exceptional brother. On the day he came home from his wedding trip I went down with my traps on a hansom in accordance with a prearranged schedule. Fred and Edith met me inside the door.

Here's your latchkey, Jack, Fred said as he shook hands. Only one stipulation—remember we are strangers in the neighborhood and try to get home before the neighbors are up. We have our reputations to think of.

There is no hour for breakfast Edith said as she kissed me. You have a bath of your own and don't smoke in the drawing-room.

Fred was always a lucky devil.

I had been there now for six years and had helped to raise two young Knoxes—bully youngsters, too (the oldest one could use boxing gloves when he was four) and the finest collie pup in our end of the state. I wanted to raise other things. The boys liked pets, but Edith didn't care for animals.

On the day that Margery Fleming came to me about her father I went home in a state of mixed emotion. Dinner was not a quiet meal. Fred and I talked politics generally, and as Fred was on one side and I on the other there always was an argument on.

What about Fleming? I asked at last when Fred had declared that in these days of corruption no matter what the government was he was for it. Hasn't he been frightened into reform?

Bad egg, he said, jabbing his potato as if it had been a politician, and there's no way to improve a bad egg except to hold your nose. That's what the public is doing—holding it's nose.

Hasn't he a daughter? I asked casually.

Yes—a lovely girl, too. Edith assented. It is his only redeeming quality.

Fleming is a rascal, daughter or no daughter, Fred persisted. Ever since he and his gang got poor Butler into trouble and then left him to kill himself as the only way out I have felt that there was something coming to all of them—Hansen, Schwartz and the rest. I saw Fleming on the street today.

What! I exclaimed, almost jumping out of my chair.

Fred surveyed me quizzically.

Hasn't he a daughter? he quoted. Yes, I saw him, Jack, this very day in an unromantic four wheeler, and he was swearing at a policeman.

Where was it?

Chestnut and Union. His cab had been struck by a car and badly damaged, but the gentleman refused to get out. No doubt you could get the details from the corner man.

Look here, Fred, I said earnestly. Keep that to yourself, will you? And you too, Edith? It's a queer story, and I will tell you some time.

As we left the dining room Edith put her hand on my shoulder.

Don't get mixed up with those people, Jack, she advised. Margery's a dear girl, but her father practically killed Henry Butler, and Henry Butler married my cousin.

You needn't make it a family affair, I protested. I have only seen the girl once.

But Edith smiled. I know what I know, she said. How extravagant of you to send Bobby that enormous hobby horse!

The boy has to learn to ride some time. In four years he can have a pony, and I'm going to see that he has it. He'll be eight by that time.

Edith laughed.

In four years! she said. Why, in four years you'll be forty, Jack. And it's a mighty unattractive man who gets past forty without being sought and won by some woman. You'll be buying—

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Teacher—How dare you say I don't want the truth! Tell me at once where you got that chewing gum.

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Think so? asked the Colonel.

I am sure of it, colonel. If you stop drinking I am sure it will prolong your days.

Come to think of it, I believe you are right about that doctor, said the Colonel. I went twenty-four hours without a drink six months ago, and I never put in such a long day in my life.

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W. A. V. R.

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No, I'm not. I am tired of praying for this family without getting any results.

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Yes; it was a present.

Indeed! From whom?

I don't know. But it says on the handle: Presented to John Robinson.

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Village Grocer—Who are the persons?

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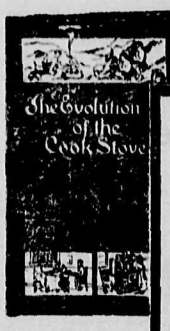

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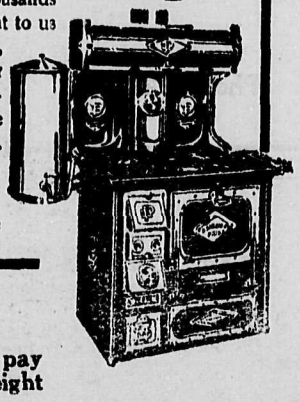

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Keep the Children Well

Ask Any Man

Gladys—Mamma, when people get married are they made into one?

Mamma—Yes, dear.

Gladys—Which one?

Mamma—Oh, they find that out afterward, darling.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1913

Several big steamers were lost on Lake Huron during the severe storms last week.

Mrs. Helen Winters of New York has willed her estate for a home for cats and dogs.

The Colonial Company returned to town yesterday and gave a performance in the evening, entitled "My Wife's gone to the Country," and to-night they will play "Dooley's Dry Goods Store." They played to crowded houses on their return trip to Cumberland.

Among the guests at the Restmore this week are the following: P. Stoddart; W. McLagan, Cumberland; A. E. Havard, Victoria; S. C. Hayard, Victoria; C. McKay, Vancouver; A. Peel; H. Pearson, Vancouver; M Sandberg; J. Stoberg; O. Ross; Mr. Fiske, Vancouver; C. B. Hosner: A. Inglis; J. McDaniels; R. Lancefield, Vancouver; A. Symonds; T. Johnson; Miss A. McDonagh, Seattle; Miss Howard, Boston Mass Miss Merril, San Francisco; Miss Gorden, Seattle D. Caston, Seattle; Mr. Orchard, New York; S. George.

Tenders Wanted

Tenders wanted for clearing 300 feet of roadway on Perez Park Property. No. 8 Mine.

Roadway 33 feet wide to be cleared of stumps and standing timber, fallen logs cut; piled and burnt, and waggon track graded for total length of clearing. For full particulars apply Geo. Leighton Courtenay, or to H. D. Forde & Co. Phone 31 Courtenay.

All tenders must be in by 27th inst. to H. D. Forde & Co's office. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Notice

ESTATE OF A. B. CRAWFORD DECEASED

On and after November 1st, 1913 all accounts and debts of the above estate must be paid to Charles G. Callin of Courtenay B. C., the only authorised agent. As Mr. W. H. Hoff has left the employ of the said estate.

Signed, BERTHA G, CRAWFORD

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Drill Hall at Victoria, B. C.," will be recieved until 4.00, p. m., on Thursday, December 11, 1913, for the construction of a Drill Hall at Victoria, B. C.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained on application to the office of Wm. Henderson, resident architent, Victoria, B. C.; on application to the Postmaster, at Vancouver, B. C., 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 chartered 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. DESROHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, October 27, 1913.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisment if they insert it without authority from the Department.---49438.

Messrs. Geo. Willard, Chas. Callin, M. V. Francis and A. Beaton returned from a trip to Vancouver on Sunday. Mr. Beaton reports having had the time of his life.

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A meeting of the Board of Directors was held on Tuesday evening the 11th instant in the Agricultural Hall, Courtenay, B. C.

President McPhee was in the chair.

Present, were Messrs. Duncan, H. Janes, N. H. Boden, P. L. Anderton, H. Bridges Rev. T. Menzies the Treasurer and Secretary.

It was unamiously resolved that Mr. Joseph Davis be appoinhed an Honorary Secretary of the Board of Directors.

The following were appointed on the finance committee:- Messrs. Anderton (Chairman) Boden and Janes.

The following were appointed on the Finance Committee:- Mesdames C. Piercey and Adey; Messrs. J. Davis, L. Anderton and E. H, Janes

The following committee were appointed to revise the prize list. Messrs. Duncan, Menzies and Davis.

Mr. R. J. Smith of Little River attended before the Board with reference to a claim made by him in which he alleged that he was the real winner of the Special Medal awarded to class G. of last year's Prize List.

The matter was gone into as far as possible but the Board did not have the Judge's books, no decision could be arrived at and it was decided that an investigation committee consisting of the President and Secretary be appointed to look into the matter and fully report to the next Board Meeting.

The Secretarg was also instructed to notify Mr. M. B. Ball the holder of the medal, of the protest made by Mr. Smith.

The Secretary was appointed as Delegate to attend the annual convention to be held in Victoria on the 31st of January 1914.

Mr. Anderton appointed Deputy in case the Sebretary could not attend.

The Secretary was authorised to obtain what new stationery and books were necessary.

Discussion took place as to getting some financial help from the Governmeni. Mr. Duncan related what steps he had taken with Mr. Manson the Member and the Minister of Agriculture and the Secretary read a letter from the Deputy Minister relating to the matter. After going into the matter, it was decided that a committee be formed to ascertain what was necessary in the way of improvements etc., to the grounds and buildings and give a report of their investigation at next meeting of the Board.

Considerable discussion took place as to the financial standing of the Society, as several bills had been delivered to the Secretary which would greatly alter the appearance of the balance in the bank.

After carefully going into the matter of accounts, the Financial committee authorised payment of the following:

R. M. Halliday, salary	$20.00
W. Lewis, rent	50,00
D. Kilpatrick, lumber	42.70
O. Davis, teaming	9.00
Jos. Davis, expenses at fair	159.55
C. H. Tarbell, stovepipe	90
N. H. Boden, acct. track	125.00

The following were held over: N. Smith $5, McPhee & Morrison 25.45, W. McKean $1.25, Builders' supply Co, $1.60, Secretary, $151.55, W. Lewis $8.

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SEALED TENDERS, will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 24th day of November, 1913, for the purchase of Timber Sale X 105, covering Hooper Island, Drury Inlet.

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BERTHA CRAWFORD,
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COMOX

Miss Nellie Wilson, sister to our most popular school marm, has been on a visit here for a few days, or I should say a hunting trip. She has bagged ducks, pheasants, grouse and I am told she scared a deer so badly that he "took to the woods."

A. B. Ball, who has purchased the business lately owned by McPhee & Morrison, (this is not an advertisement,) has purchased a very fine consignment of Xmas goods. I visited the store the other day as I needed a plug of chewing tobacco and a loaf of bread, and found the store was crowded with purchasers. Our friend Charlie is going to make "a stick" of the business here unless I am very much mistaken and I wish him success. He is very strongly in favor of having the place here illuminated with electric light. "Butch" Grant is again with him as teamster, such a combination must spell „Success!"

Our old friend Joe Moore is here for a few days, on a visit to his brother. Says his heart is still in Comox, tho' he likes Victoria very much.

"The Comox Poulty Association" alias the Comox Ladies Social will meet this week at Mrs. H. Martin.s.

There will be a dance to-night in Comox, in aid of the St. Joseph Hospital. Come and help to make this a big success.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Butchers have moved into their new residence on Nob Hill. George is an ambitious man and intends to have a small portion of his ranch devoted to growing delicacies out of season under glass, i. e. spring lettuce, radishes, onions "et hoc germs omon."

"Alphonso" is also building a house at Nob Hill, he has not yet decided who shall do the extensive plumbing operations which he has decided upon. He has already bought considerable furniture which he has stored temporarily and proposes to move in when the weather has very much improved and the street cars are running with more regularity. It is rumoured around that he intends to raise goats extensively.

H. Vogel reports that business at the butcher shop is progressing very well. He has secured Mr. Kenny Grant to look after the shop. Kenny is an old timer here and we are glad to see him aronnd again.

S. S. Eagle is expected in port every day. We were getting a little anxious as to her safety, but have had authentic information that she was seen off Cape Flattery a few days ago looking fit and good and expecting to make Comox with her crew and cargo in a few days. She leaves on her next trip from here with a cargo of coal oil cans.

Mr. and Mrs. Foote have had a nifty little cement sidewalk laid down from their house to the road.

Small boy in store: Will you please give mother the loan of today's newspaper. Give me a drink of water. Lend me a claw hammer and a few nails and will you please change this fifty cent piece because mother thinks its a bad one.

"Mike" says he was at the dance and that he did have a piece of pumpkin pie. He is still staying at the Elk Holel.

Some of my remarks last week re the dance have not been taken in exactly the spirit that I intended them to have been. So let me add these few remarks. If I have written with any thing approaching sarcasm, forgive me ladies! The dance was a success from start to fiuish and everything the ladies did to help, aid or assist the good cause was done that evening, as it always was and always will be when they take a hand in affairs of this sort.

Sage utterances by the parrot in the P. O. "Have you seen our new lamps?" Was "Wangle" in church on Sunday afternoon?

Rev. C. P. Laycock and Franklin Watson returned by S. S. Charmer on Saturday last.

A few of the citizens here were entertained on Saturday night by an oratorical debate of a certain gentleman.

Mr. Robert Kirby is visiting his relations here for a few days. He reports that things are very busy on the Mission Hill.

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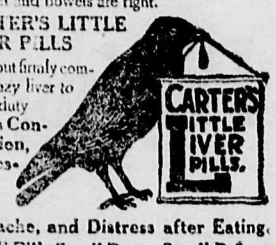

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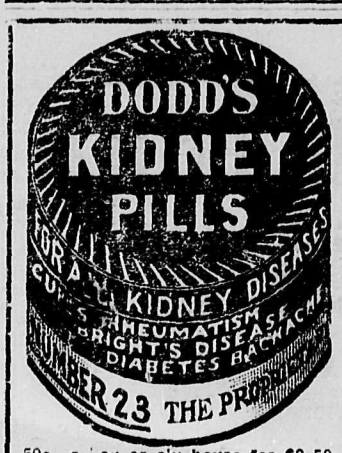

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I'm awfully stuck on Shakespeare. Don't you think he's too terribly interesting?

Everybody listened to hear the great man's brilliant reply, for as a Shakespearian scholar he has few peers.

Yes, he said, solemnly. I do think he is interesting. I think he is more than that. I think Shakespeare is just simply too cute for anything.

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And Lord Kitchener, remembering that officers are usually the sons of officers was silenced.

In the Country

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It is grass, you silly!

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THE ELOPEMENT

A Very Pretty Little Scheme It Was Too.

By MARY WOOD.

Katrina Harridan was the sixth of seven daughters, red haired and undersized, but that did not prevent her from being a power in her world. At the young ladies' seminary she was the acknowledged leader as well as the most intimate friend of her twelve classmates, each of whom had the promise of being bridesmaid at her wedding. In this they were prescient, since Thorndyke Ormsley had for some time made her the object of his attentions.

Thorndyke Ormsley did not altogether meet with the approval of the class. They thought him lacking in the dash and daring requisite for a suitable match for their president.

Katrina, however, viewed the matter from a different standpoint. As she confided to her youngest sister, Pamela: "There is something restful in Thorndyke's conventionality, and I fancy that I can furnish more of the element of the unexpected than is found in most orthodox families."

She therefore smiled upon her admirer. It followed that she had been graduated but a few months when he made up his mind that to marry her was the only proper course of action. He was too well regulated a young man to propose to Katrina without having first spoken to her father. This was a procedure that the astute morsel of girlhood had foreseen and arranged for.

As he afterward complained to Katrina: "I cannot understand it. Your father was brusque, nervous, quite unlike himself. All that I could get him to say was that you were too young and that he entirely disapproved."

Katrina buried her face in his shoulder. "Oh, dear, oh, dear!" she wailed. "What shall we do?"

Thorndyke attempted to comfort her, and he found the process so agreeable that he prolonged it for some moments before saying soothingly: "Why don't you speak to him yourself? You girls have always seemed to get your way pretty thoroughly. He will say 'Yes' to you."

"He won't." Katrina's voice, though smothered, was decisive.

"Why not?"

"Because I won't let him." Without giving her lover time to recover from the shock she hurried on: "Papa has lost a great deal of money these last years. He has really a hard time to get along, so that another wedding is out of the question. You don't know what a wedding costs. We have had five, so we know. There would be presents and dresses for those twelve bridesmaids, the flowers, music, caterer, trousseau—oh, it is awful!" and she clasped her hands despairingly. "Papa is always so good. He wanted to mortgage the house, but I said 'No.'"

Light had begun to dawn upon Ormsley. "Let me, Katrina"— he began.

Two red spots appeared in Katrina's cheeks. "And have us all ashamed to look you in the face? Never! Pamela and I have decided never to marry unless we elope."

Thorndyke Ormsley stiffened. "That is impossible."

Katrina began to cry in earnest. "I always knew that you were proper, but I never thought you were so horribly proper that you cared more for what people would say than you did for me," she sobbed.

Her lover could not resist her tears. "You know that I love you better than anything else in the world," he said tenderly. "It is not entirely on my own account that I object. There is Aunt Harriet. She would be utterly scandalized by an elopement. Is it right to distress her when she has done everything for me and I am all she has?"

At this virtual capitulation Katrina's tears ceased to flow. "Then if I get Aunt Harriet's consent you will be willing to elope?" she asked guilelessly.

"I would do anything to marry you," he answered.

Katrina threw her arms around his neck. "Then it is as good as settled."

"You don't know Aunt Harriet," Ormsley admonished.

"Yes, I do. And, what is more, if you do exactly as I tell you she herself will suggest an elopement."

So the two put their heads together. Most men would have wished themselves in Ormsley's place. He must have been sensible of his privileges, for he left the house more in love than ever and vowed to play his part in the comedy.

Miss Harriet Ormsley lived in a big old fashioned house called the Larches. She had the only victoria in town, her butler always stood behind her chair at dinner, and her parlor maid wore French caps. In all respects her establishment was most correct. But its rhythmic order and the mind of its mistress were alike disturbed by the strange behavior of young Mr. Ormsley. For three or four days he had eaten scarcely anything, although his aunt ordered his favorite dishes, and Jenkins served them to a nicety. Instead of going out of an evening he brooded over the fire or feverishly paced his room. His rapid footfalls could be heard long after the rest of the family had retired.

Miss Harriet loved her nephew, as she had his father before him. When he had successively refused to take a tonic, see a physician or consider a sea trip alarm overcame her usual stiffness, and she implored an explanation. Thorndyke gave it reluctantly. He loved Katrina Harridan. Katrina loved him. Her father objected. That was the end of it.

Miss Harriet listened in amazement. An Ormsley, her nephew, refused by a Harridan, a mere upstart in society! It was ridiculous, preposterous!

Thorndyke refused further discussion of the subject. His aunt lay awake most of the night, and as the clock chimed the hours of the early morning so did her indignation grow.

It was almost at boiling point the next day when Katrina was announced. Before her hostess could speak the girl threw herself in her arms.

"Oh, dear Miss Harriet!" she cried. "Of course Thorndyke has told you. I suppose I ought not to be here when I am forbidden to have anything to do with him, but it can't be wrong to come when he is away."

Miss Harriet found herself patting Katrina's head.

"Do not cry, my dear," she said with difficulty, due to a remarkable stricture in her throat. "It is a deplorable situation, but your father cannot be an entire— He must be made to see reason. I will call and explain."

This conclusion was far from reassuring to Katrina. Yet the young diplomat managed to murmur with a fair assumption of gratitude: "That is so good of you, dear Miss Harriet. If Thorndyke and I are ever happy it will all be due to you."

On her way home Miss Harridan found it imperative to call at her father's office, or, rather, to call on the office boy. Tommy Jenks was her stanch admirer, for she had a way of treating him as if he were already a member of the firm.

"Tommy, if Miss Harriet calls to see father during the next few days just tell her that he is engaged. She would only worry him. Do you think that you could keep her out—for me?" She smiled engagingly.

The office boy was flattered by this proof of confidence. "Sure I can, Miss Katrina," he declared stoutly. "Just you trust to Tommy Jenks."

Miss Ormsley called at the office several times. At each visit Tommy blandly assured her that Mr. Harridan was out.

Katrina's next visit to the Larches found its mistress in a state of mind quite at variance with her usual elegant calm. "Your father, in coalition with his impudent office boy, has refused to see me. He shows regard neither for my age and position nor for the happiness of my nephew."

Katrina listened meekly, for she saw that no suggestions were needed. The Ormsley blood was up. Yet even she was surprised by the suddenness with which Miss Harriet seized her by the shoulders and half swung her around as she cried, "If you had any spirit in you you would marry without his consent!"

"Elope!" Katrina's tone was horror struck.

"Yes, elope!"

"But what would people say?" the girl objected.

"An Ormsley is above the vulgar criticism of the general public," Miss Harriet answered majestically. "And indeed you can scarcely call it an elopement when I will see you married and give a reception at the Larches in the evening."

So finally Katrina and Thorndyke allowed themselves to be won over to Miss Ormsley's way of thinking. That fiery old lady insisted on making all of the arrangements and was filled with exultation whenever she thought of Mr. Harridan and his discomfiture.

She was the only witness at the ceremony, for when she suggested a few guests Katrina demurred.

"If I cannot have my own family I do not want any one but you," she declared. "I would have liked to have those twelve bridesmaids," she added, with a self sacrificing sigh.

"They will all be there in the evening," Miss Harriet comforted.

So they were, but it was an eleventh hour guest that had the place of honor. It was on the way home from church that Katrina begged Miss Harriet to break the news to her father and to implore him to forgive her on her wedding night. Softened by the sight of the youthful happiness, Miss Harriet could not refuse.

In this embassy she was successful. Mr. Harridan presented a bold front, but he speedily capitulated before her eloquence. Miss Harriet almost forgave his former obduracy since it made her victory the more signal.

When Mr. and Mrs. Thorndyke Ormsley were driving to the station, the first step on their wedding journey, the groom gave voice to a presentiment which all evening had clouded his happiness.

"I noticed that young Croxton was very attentive to Pamela tonight. Does that mean another elopement?"

Katrina gave a happy laugh as she held up a slip of paper.

"Did you not see this, stupid boy? It is Aunt Harriet's present to me, a check for $5,000. She said she wanted me to be sure of my welcome in the family. Dear Aunt Harriet! It was a shame to fool her. Yet I think she enjoyed it, and it was absolutely necessary. Part of this check shall go for Pamela's wedding. I can promise you that this shall be the last Harridan elopement."

Man's Dual Nature.

The professorial mind for all its acuteness is liable to occasional lapses, like less highly trained intellects.

A certain professor was struggling to make the point that both parents have an equal influence upon a child.

"For," he continued gravely, "a man is as much the son of his father as he is the daughter of his mother."—Youth's Companion.

MUTUAL IGNORANCE.

Quaint Story of Dumas and Scribe, the Playwright.

Sardou had his eyes opened by the plays of Scribe. At that day it was the fashion among the younger literary men to sneer at Scribe—as it is today, by the way, to sneer at Sardou. Scribe was called a "potboiler," a maker of mechanical plays, a man who wrote scenes to fit scenery and a maker of plots rather than of plays. Appalling tales were told of him by unsuccessful playwrights. It was whispered that he sucked the brains of other men, purchased ideas, revamped them and thus acquired the large fortune which he was then enjoying.

How they accounted for the fact that with the ideas of unsuccessful playwrights he made successful plays tradition does not tell. But all were agreed that Scribe was mediocre, that his success was accidental and that he was a miser. Albert Wolff gives these details of the opinions held with regard to Scribe in the fifties and adds this anecdote:

"The only influential man I knew in Paris," said Sardou, "was Dumas the elder. One day I said to him, 'Won't you give me a letter of introduction to Scribe, the playwright?' 'Scribe,' said the great romancer—'who is Scribe? I never heard of him.' I sighed and determined to see Scribe without a letter. So I called at his house that very day and was at once received. 'Pardon my intrusion,' I said, 'but I had expected to bring a letter of introduction to you from M. Alexandre Dumas, the celebrated romancer.' 'Dumas?' interrupted Scribe. 'Never heard of him. Who is Dumas?'"—From Jerome A. Hart's "Sardou and the Sardou Plays."

Potatoes and Power.

One foresees the triumph of the potato, unforeseen by William Cobbett, not so much as a food, but as a means of motion. Coal is giving out; petrol is going up in price and down in production. The supply of both is limited and must come to an end, but there comes the cheer that alcohol will be the motive force of the future. Petrol and coal may give out, but the earth will always grow potatoes. Potatoes can produce alcohol, and alcohol can drive engines. In the potato we seem to have discovered the secret of perpetual motion.—London Chronicle.

Horsepower of a Lightning Flash.

The "horsepower" of a bolt of lightning which struck a house in Hesse last summer has been calculated by a German scientist at no less than 50,000. The calculation was based upon the fact that the lightning instantly melted two large nails. An electric current of 200 amperes and 20,000 volts might, it is said, have accomplished the work in one second, but the lightning did it in a very small fraction of a second.

Switched Him Off.

"I am not rich like you," said the young man, "but I am young, strong and willing to work. May I speak to your father?"

"Why not?" said the heiress. "He is constantly hiring young men with just such qualifications as you enumerate."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Placing the Villain.

Criticus—Who is the villain of that new play at the Hamme theater? Witticus—I'm not quite sure, but it must be either the man who wrote it or the man who produced it.—Chicago News.

Lesson of the Bee.

"What does the busy bee teach us, Freddie?"

"Not to go too near the hive, uncle."—London Tattler.

Telling a Story.

When a man starts to tell a story he proceeds by the most direct route, but a woman backs into it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Intaking and outgiving—getting good and giving good—that is our main business.—C. G. Ames.

SNUBBED BY EUGENIE.

Carpeaux and a Bust of the Empress He Had Modeled.

One day Carpeaux, the painter, asked Napoleon III., who had always expressed great friendship for him, to permit him to model the bust of the Empress Eugenie. Her gracious majesty admitted that Carpeaux painted, but denied that he was a sculptor and modestly pretended that her beauty was not sculptural.

Napoleon III. promised to speak in his favor and invited him to Campiegne. Carpeaux went. Eight days passed. The empress did not wish to pose. The invitation to the chateau was for only a week, and Carpeaux was notified to yield his place. "No," he declared, "not before I have made the bust of the empress."

This response was repeated to the emperor, who made another attempt. He ended by obtaining her consent to give a pose of two hours to Carpeaux.

The sculptor asked no more. He made a masterpiece, baked the clay and proudly showed it to the sovereign. She looked at it a moment, made a little mouth, said, "Oh, yes, it is pretty," and turned her back.

Carpeaux was furious. He returned to his workshop with the bust and threw it upon the floor. It was scratched, but not broken. A workman picked it up. It then went into the possession of Dr. Fournier. Today it is owned by his son, who blesses the Empress Eugenie for not having desired it.—Cri de Paris.

GOT GAY ON THE STAGE.

Irving Spoiled the Scene the Only Time He Broke His Rule.

The note about actors who try to "queer" other actors on the stage, writes a correspondent, reminds me of a story of the only time when Henry Irving was guilty of such a thing. He was acting Othello, to the Desdemona of the late Miss Bateman, and every Saturday night the performance was followed by a very pleasant little supper party.

Desdemona was strangled on a bed at the back of the stage, and part of Irving's "business" was to leave the bed and then, going back to it, to draw the curtains slightly aside and peep in at the body, afterward turning a face of inexpressible anguish toward the audience. His face, his shudder and the deep drawn sigh which he gave were among the most impressive parts of one of his greatest creations.

As a rule, he sternly suppressed any levity on the stage, but one Saturday night, as he drew back the curtain, he said, in a sepulchral whisper, "What have we for supper, Desdemona?" Alas! Miss Bateman was unequal to the strain, and a merry laugh from the corpse rang through the house.

Never again, I believe, did Irving break his own rule of seriousness on the stage. It was told me (adds our correspondent) by my father, who was at the supper party on the night it occurred.—Manchester Guardian.

Thrived on Poor Writing.

Illegible handwriting may prove an aid to prosperity. The late Lord Goschen said of his father, "He has told me half in joke and half in earnest that when he came to London he was obliged to found a firm because he wrote such a bad hand that no one would take him for a clerk." Of Lord Goschen himself his biographer remarks: "In his latter years he might have spelled as he chose, for no one could have affirmed with certainty how many 'l's' he might have put in 'although.' At length his script became undecipherable even by Goschen himself. He could not when speaking in parliament make out what it was that he had put on paper, and he thus came in later years to abandon almost entirely his old practice of making notes."

Song of the East Indian Laborer.

When drawing water from the wells, the man in charge of the operation invariably encourages the bullocks with a cheery sing-song at the critical moment when they are raising the heavy leather pouch of water from the well, and if he was to remain silent the Indian bullock, who is a strong conservative, would certainly refuse to start. I once listened to the song which the men sang when they were making mortar. It was something like this: "Oh, bullocks! what a work you are doing, going round and round making mortar for the masons. Oh, bullocks! go faster, go faster! The masons will cry out, oh, bullocks, for more mortar—more mortar. So go faster, go faster!"—From "India and the Indians."

The Onion In Cooking.

The greatest of French cooks, being asked to give the secret of his success, answered: "The very foundation of all good cooking is butter and onion! I use them in all my sauces and gravies. They have the effect of making a customer come back for more. Butter without onion will drive the customer away after a few days. Boil the onion till it melts or entirely disappears; then add the butter and call the mixture stock."—Exchange.

For the Children

Dog Knows His Master's Favorite Music.

MASTER TOMMY WITH HIS PET COLLIE.

Most of you children have seen the advertisement of a certain talking machine which shows a clever little fox terrier dog listening to his master's voice as it comes through the transmitting horn.

Well, here's a splendid, fine collie puppy who not only recognizes his young owner's voice, but is perfectly familiar with the music played on the piano by his talented master.

There is a spirited march that makes the dog come from under the piano and walk about the room to the stirring strains, sidestepping and prancing about in wonderful dog fashion.

He never whines and yelps as so many of his kind do at the sound of music, but seems to appreciate it in a remarkably intelligent manner.

Master Tommy is something of an all round sport, and he and the dog have many an exciting wrestling match in which it is hard to find out which is the winner.

Consequences.

One of the most popular games at a party is consequences. It is an old favorite, but has lost none of its charms with age. The players sit in a circle.

Each person is provided with a half sheet of note paper and a pencil and is asked to write on the top (1) one or more adjectives, then to fold the paper over so that what has been written cannot be seen. Every player has to pass his or her paper on to the right hand neighbor, and all have then to write on the top of the paper that has been passed by the left hand neighbor (2) "the name of the gentleman."

After this the paper must again be folded and passed as before; this time must be written (3) one or more adjectives; then (4) a lady's name; next (5) where they met; next (6) what he gave her; next (7) what he said to her; next (8) what she said to him; next (9) the consequence and lastly (10) what the world said about it.

Be careful that every time anything has been written the paper is folded down and passed on to the player on your right.

When every one has written what the world says the papers are collected and one of the company proceeds to read out the various papers, and the result may be something like this:

(1) The horrifying and delightful (2) Mr. Brown (3) met the charming (4) Miss Phillips (5) in Westchester park; (6) he gave her a flower (7) and said to her, "How's your mother?" (8) She said to him, "Not for Joseph." (9) The consequence was they danced the hornpipe and the world said, (10) "Just what we expected."

Newfoundland's trade for the fiscal year 1911-12 exceeded that of the previous year by $3,500,000, making it the most prosperous in the history of the colony, according to the budget report submitted in the assembly a few days ago.

For the fiscal year ended June, 1912, the budget showed a surplus of $212,000. The estimated surplus for the year ending next June is $150,000 in addition to a similar amount remitted to the people by the recent reduction in taxation.

He Did Well.

Arriving in Winnipeg thirty years ago with only fourpence in his pocket, Mr. H. E. Philpott has just returned on a visit to his native town, Ashford, Kent, Eng., the possessor of a fortune of $125,000, which he has amassed in Canada as a market gardener and florist. Mr. Philpott, who speaks highly of a man's prospects in the Dominion, has been receiving congratulations on his achievement from the many friends who knew him as a working lad in his early days.

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CHURCH NOTES

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St. Peter's church Comox, evensong at 3.30 p. m.

The preacher at all the above services will be the Lord Bishop of Columbia. The Bishop will also preach at St. Peter's church Comox at Evensong on Wednesday Nov. 26th. at 7.30 p.m.

Mr. Crosbie, General Manager of the Royal Bank of Vancouver, paid the Courtenay branch a visit on Monday.

MASQUERADE BALL

The Masquerade Ball held in the Comox Hall on November 14 was, I may venture to say the success of the Season. The proceeds amounting to $75 (after deducting all expenses) is to be given to the Comox School for the purpose of furnishing a library for that place. It was a close call whether the costumes ordered dy the numerous masqueraders would arrive in time. Fortunately they came by S. S. "Charmer" and all those who could adapt themselves to the costumes they fancied, did so. As usual there were numbers of clowns and nurses. On entering the door I recieved a shock a very tall brown affair about eight feet high, was slowly walking up and down the Ball room, no head, no tail and apparently no legs and to make matters still worse a villainous looking convict dragging a cannon ball around the room attached to his ankle by a chain, Ye Gods men! if I hadn't paid my elegant money at the door I should have retired there and then! My ordered costume did not come so I made one myself and although I did not win a prize I certainly merited one. Other ladies who were not nearly so well dressed as I was were awarded prizes. Votes for women! what an unjust world this is. Bnt right here talking about awarding prizes I could say quite a lot, But just let me bring to the notice of the judges what our friend Mr. Collins says about the word "Original". A person of marked peculiarity, first, in order, primitive, prestine, inventive employed by the author. And secondly if Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ardley had not been given the prize for the most popular Lady and Gent I should ne er have written this write up and the chances are that Comox would never have seen one again. The Coon lady with a chicken in the basket she carried, which, by the way was stoutly secured (evidently she mistrusted the people of Comox) was to my mind excellent. The lady who represented the Dutch Cleanser was true to the pictnre of that commodity. Did you notice girls how thin she looked soon after she unmasked? I wouldn't have believed anyone could lose flesh so quickly. I was so glad Dr. Millard was in the room. By the way was Mike there? The Chinese costume was excellent. Miss Celia Davis must have made a great study of the part she played, Miss Tomlinas an Egyptian lady and Mrs. C. Piercey as White Swan Soap were both good costumes.

Don't you think girls, that Mr. Davis as the Comox P. C. was original? I did.

The man with the cannon ball on his leg was only Robbie Grant after all, really girls I could have hugged him I felt so delighted to know that I had nothing to fear.

I stand corrected but from observations I made out there was one pair of dark ladies called gold dust twins but later on in the evening I saw another brace only very much smaller. their make-up was most realistic—was I, right? And now girls don't you think that these soap people and other wholesale merchants should be content to advertise their goops in other channels. Personally I think there are lots of more interesting characters for a fancy dress dance than living advertisements for other peoples goods. When we give a fancy dress ball amongst ourselves we will have all soap people and others cut out, what do you think?

The music supplied by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Martin and Percy Smith was A1.

Prizes awarded were:--- Best dressed lady, Miss Porter; Best dressed gent, W. Urquhart; Most original lady; Mrs. Mc Kenzie; Most original gent, R. Grant; Best advertising lady, Miss Mathewson; Best adveriising gent, P. Dargy; Canada, Miss C. Fraser; best hobo, A. Grant; Hayseed, G. Whalen; Original costume, Mrs. A. McNeil; Prize waltz, W. Urquhart and Mrs. Goode; Two step, P. Eargy and Miss Beaton; Three step, Mr. Harding and Miss Covert.

Night and Indian Girl, names not known.

Mr. Witchell, the picture show man of Cumberland, was in town on Monday looking for a location to erect a theatre here.

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