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OUR TOWN.

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LOCAL JOTTINGS.

A few drunks were arrested the early part of this week.

F. C. Lang and W. McNeish went to the coast on a business trip.

R. F. Wilson and N. Smith left on Wednesday for Ontario.

Mr. Jim Connacher came in from the west Monday evening.

Miss O'Neill of Banff was a visitor for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Inches from Field paid Golden a visit on Tuesday.

Capt. and Mrs. Gordon were registered at the Queen's this week.

Reeder of the Ben Ton Bakery receives fresh vegetables every morning.

The popular parson of Field—Mr. Fasken—paid us a flying visit the latter end of last week.

Messrs. Jim McKay, Geo. Geary, Bert Low, A. P. Cummins and Dave Dickie were in town this week.

Mr. Chas. Wyckoff of Carlin & Lake's store Field, has been assisting in the store here this week.

Mr. Chas. Tom came in from Calgary Tuesday morning. He will remain here for a couple of weeks.

Go to Reeder's for the Rosendale potatoe, this potatoe took the first prize at the World's Fair.

Messrs. Townsend Shaw and Gray owners of the International, went up country per ss Hyak to take a look at the property.

Mr. G. E. Jacques, jeweller, of Calgary, was here on a business trip this week. He proceeded west to Donald on Tuesday.

As Mr. Gould the photographer leaves next week for the east this is the last chance Goldenites will have of obtaining a good picture for some time to come.

Mr. C. A. Warren is very confidential this week. He tells the public that he is selling dry goods, gent's clothing, etc., cheap for cash. Call and examine his stock.

Mr. J. W. Connor has had an exceptionally fine crop of vegetables this year. Parties desiring anything in this line will do well to see Mr. Connor. Orders by mail will be promptly attended to.

Golden is keeping up its reputation as a sporting town. Efforts are being made to form a gun club and the chief movers in the matter are meeting with great success. A meeting will probably be held next week when the club will be duly organized. The boys have been practicing at the trap on the old race track all week and judging from the progress being made the feathered tribe this season will have a poor show of escape.

Joe Dumond, a young Frenchman in the employ of the Saw Mill Co., met with rather a painful accident on Tuesday. "Betsy" was taking a flat car down to the depot when Joe jumped off ahead of the car to open the switch. In some way or other his foot got caught between the ties and before the engineer on "Betsy" could stop up the car was on Joe's foot and severely crushed it. Joe was taken to the hospital where he is being attended to by Dr. Taylor.

At the curler's meeting on Monday night, Mr. G. B. McDermot in the chair, the committee appointed to canvass for subscriptions and to find out what the building of a rink would cost reported that $800 had been guaranteed for the building of a curling rink only. They also stated that there were several parties in town who would take shares in the rink if it was made a combination rink for curling and skating. After some discussion the committee were instructed to find out what the skaters were willing to do in the matter. If sufficient interest is taken by the skaters in this plan there ought to be no difficulty in raising enough cash to put up a building that will accommodate both curlers and skaters. The committee will call a meeting at an early date and make their report.

Golden School District.

Tenders will be receided until the 30th day of August at 6 p.m.

1st for carpenter work.
2nd " earth work.
3rd " building a belfry.
4th " furnishing 8 cords of wood

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J. F. ARMSTRONG,
Secretary.

DONALD NOTES.

It seems with the mercury over 80 there is nothing happening, either people are too lazy or the effects of the heat prevent them from having parties.

All the talk now is about next winter sociables. Some of the citizens are advocating a toboggan slide and a subscribtion list is out now for a joint stock company to erect it on ground back of the depot. By the list of names so far secured it looks as if it is going to materialize.

I mentioned some time ago that the Odd Fellows were talking of building a hall; by all accounts it is to go ahead in the near future.

Mr. J. C. Pitts arrived here from the east with his family and intends to build a residence for himself as his former residence is leased for nearly a year more.

Mr. Moodie and Mr. Wilson of Golden were visitors this week.

Mr. Herbert Pitts, formerly of Three Forks who was burned out in the recent forest fires, arrived in town on a visit to his brother J. C. Pitts.

The citizens here sympathize very much with Mr. Harry Connacher in his sickness and everybody wishes him speedy recovery.

The postponed Court of Assizes for East Kootenay will be held in the Court House here on the 17th day of September at 11 o'clock.

There is talk of a football game next Saturday afternoon between the shops and town teams.

—NEMO.

For Sale.

Good banjo with case for sale, patent keys. Enquire at ERA office. Price $20.

A Musical Treat.

Goldenites had an opportunity last evening of hearing Prof. Ferguson's grand specialty olio. To say that they were delighted is to express it mildly. The evening's entertainment closed with a dance.

The Golden Era

The GOLDEN ERA is published every Saturday morning in time to catch the east and west mail trains, also the mail for the upper country, Vinternere, Fort Steele etc It is the only advertising medium in the East Kootenay district.

Subscription Rates: $2.00 per annum IN ADVANCE.

Advertisements and changes must be in the office not later than 12 a.m. on Thursday to insure insertion.

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The Golden Era Publishing Company,

SATURDAY, AUG. 25, 1894.

RELATIONS BETWEEN THE MATERIAL AND SPIRITUAL.

[BY A. D. MACKINNON.]

The relations existing between the material and spiritual are intricate and transcending. We speak of them existing in relation with one another but we do not mean by this that the one is in juxtaposition to the other for such is not their true connection, but one of perfectly fitting union: bound each to each, the one within the other, giving meaning and direction to both. This is speaking of them as they are known to us by experience. As the spiritual and material are known to man in himself they are indissolubly knit together and upon the harmonious working of the one within the other in the whole tapestry of his existence depend the fullest development of his noblest capacities.

To take away from man the requisite amount of material possessions for comfortable livelihood is to degrade and stint him and thus prevent his progress spiritually as well as physically. When man is deprived of his spiritual advantages we find his true progress is likewise marred. It is only where the spiritual development is the object of the material concerns of man that the highest and fullest life is found - the highest culture and civilization. It may be true that certain amount of material success may follow a country or people regardless of spiritual development or progress but at best it can only be partial, and temporary at that. That there is any sucsess at all is because nature does not refuse to give returns when worked along certain of her lines whether he who so works is conscious or not of the far transcending significance and meaning which these have when properly worked out other than the mere material and sordid purpose to which they are put by him It is only when man uses the material universe and her laws to the development of his widest and richest capacity we feel assurred they are finding the highest expression of their purpose or end. Man being the highest creature and susceptible of the widest development of all creatures we think that using the laws of nature for the bringing about of the best conditions of his life in society is utilizing them to the sublimest purpose known to him. It is true these lines, which are but sections of the infinite lines that weave the web of existence, are themselves expressions of the infinite mind and it is because they are so man is capable of eternal progress along them. Man finds his progress conditioned on the discovery and adjustment of his own wants to the natural workings of these laws. When he learns to take advantage of them he learns his freedom and his freedom is bound up with them. As far as he is ignorant he is enslaved but in every act of knowledge another link of the unlimited chain of progress is melted from the ice of ignorance and added to the slow increasing length of the tether of liberty. The conditions for the discovery and applications of these lines are not found in man alone. They must be of such a nature as to admit of man's freedom being found in them There must exist between them a relation of compatibility and on this relation depends man's discovery. A mutual co operation is found in the nature of each - in the laws of nature which are already expressions of reason and in the rational intelligence of man. If these conditions were not wrapped up in the constitution of the material universe man would in vain seek for the realization of his true self in this world, and we may believe that the order and lines which we find permeating existence here do not cease where we fail now to follow them. In all things we find that this mutual co-operative relation is the essential in all nature which makes possible the order and unity of the whole. Where there is instinct for one thing or another in the lower forms of life we find realities corresponding thereto. In the bee there is the instinct to gather honey to lay up for future consumption, and from flowers and plants we find there is honey for it to gather. Where there is the fin of fish adapted to service in water there is water for it to swim in The wing of bird made to fly in air finds favorable conditions in the air to fly. But none of these instincts could find their complete realization unless there was a mutual relation existing between them and their corresponding realities. The same is true of man in relation to his potentialities and their realization. Though the potentialities of his developed life are intuitive in him yet he could not find their complete realization apart from the mutual co operative conditions found in the material of the universe. It is therefore evident that between the material and spiritual exist the closest relations and which relation makes possible for man progress in his true life. Development in either one would be abnormal while contemporaneous development is normal, therefore good. When man gathers or accumulates wealth for its own sake his energies are expended meaninglessly; but when he accumulates wealth to afford him leisure to be filled with the highest activiti s of spiritual reason accumulation has a sublime end in view. As the hording of the material is meaningless without having for its object the intellectual development so the material in itself or alone would be meaningless. The material in itself is nothing. It does not in reality exist apart from the mind. It is but a shadow of the real; but a shadow true to life - to reality, for nothing can better represent the real in form than the shadow. This shadow of real and spiritual has meaning for us only in so far as we make use of it for our highest end and thus the image or shadow becomes for us a living and life-giving reality, for such an idea it truly represents. We feel to-day that the spiritual and natural are not at war with one another but living in the full enjoyment of peace if properly directed. As man discovers these directions one by one of the implements of war may be hanged upon the labyrinthian walls of progress. But the condition of living this state of peace between material and spiritual is found in both, and when this condition is discovered there is no longer this dualism which at first sight appears to exist, they merge into one. Thus the material becomes spiritual as the spiritual is the greater and to which in richer abundance belongs the terms of peace and progress. The apparent dualism vanishes before the light of truth and freedom. It only exists where man is in a low and primitive state.

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"Table and Kitchen" is the title of a new cook book published by the Price Baking Powder Company, Chicago. Just at this time it will be sent free if you write a postal mentioning the GOLDEN ERA. This book has been tried by ourselves and is one of the very best of its kind. Besides containing over 400 receipts for all kinds of pastry and home cookery, there are many hints for the table and kitchen, showing how to set a table, how to enter the dining room, etc; a hundred and one hints in every branch of the culinary art. Cookery of the very finest and richest as well as the most economical and home like, is provided for. Remember "Table and Kitchen" will, be sent, postage prepaid, to any lady sending her address (name, town and State) plainly given. A copy in German and Scandinavian will be sent if desired. Postal card is as good as letter. Address Price Baking Powder Co., Chicago, Ill.

Interesting Paragraphs.

Siberia has 5,000,000 square miles of good farm land.

One-third of the world is controlled by the Anglo-Saxon race.

Leather trunks were used in Rome as early as the time of Caesar.

London has a foreign population roughly estimated at 271,000.

The world annually produces 2,000,000 tons of butter and cheese.

The longest clock pendulum ever made is that of the Eiffel tower - 377 feet.

No fewer than 364 persons were killed by vehicles in the streets of London last year.

The frigate-bird, the fastest of all fowl in flight, can cut the air at the rate of 100 miles an hour.

If Jupiter is inhabited, the people there must be of an average height of 50 feet, according to the scientists.

The largest bronze statue in the world is that of Peter the Great at Saint Perersburg. Its weight is about 1100 tons.

A frog cannot breathe with its mouth open. Its breathing apparatus is so arranged that when its mouth is open its nostrils are closed.

Australia is a country without orphans or an orphanage. Every waif is taken to a receiving house, where it is kept until a country home is found for it.

The name Sandwich islands is English. When Captain Cook discovered the group in 1779, he christened them in honor of Lord Sandwich, of the English admiralty.

More than 41 per cent. of the English people could not write their names when the queen ascended the throne. The proportion in that condition has now been reduced to 7 per cent.

Ancient ruins, similar to those at Zimbabye, have been discovered in the south east of Matabeleland, near Dhladhlo. Pieces of pottery, silver and copper utensils, and gold ornaments are amongst the articles found.

Canada has a homestead law. Farm lots of 200 acres are granted to each head of a family and 100 to each male adult, on condition of their building a log house 16 by 20 feet, cultivating 15 acres in every hundred, and residing 6 months in each year during five years on the property. - London Budget.

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IN HIS NAME.

There's plenty of work to do in the world,
For those who incline to do it,
And Satan can still find mischief enough
For those who idle through it.

To dress and to visit, to dance and to ride,
Is not the whole of life's mission,
Seek out the poor in the by-ways of life,
And help improve their condition.

Speak comforting words to those who are sad,
"Twill help them to bear their sorrow,
Though the clouds of life lower black to-day,
The sun will shine bright to-morrow.

Arise and go forth to the Master's work,
Nor waste time in idle pleasure;
A record is kept, and the work we do
Is paid for, measure for measure.

—Housekeeper.

MUST MARRY MONEY.

Montmorency Crane had been brought up to believe that he was to "come into his property" when his majority was attained. But, on the morning of that eventful day, his mother had revealed to him, in a long and serious interview, that his "property" existed nowhere but in his own imagination.

"I have done everything for the best," Mrs. Crane had said in confusion. "Instead of scraping and pinching to save you a few pitiful thousands, I have, on the contrary, brought you up with the most expensive habits, and to associate with only the richest people. I have not spared any pains to turn you out a gentleman; in fact, the last of my ready money has gone for your initiation at the Howling Exclusives' Club, and so set you up with your horse and trap, with just sufficient in reserve to pay your expenses at Saratoga for the summer. I have kept back absolutely nothing for myself, and now have only my small annuity to live on, which, as you know, dies with me. It is true that I have accustomed you to look forward to a brilliant future, but that future now depends entirely on yourself."

Montmorency moved uneasily.

"But what do you expect me to do?" he asked after a short pause.

"You must marry money, of course," was his mother's reply.

Montmorency changed color, and while he played with his eye-glass in a helpless sort of way, a vision of pretty Jennie, the lodging-house keeper's daughter, down the street, rose suddenly before him.

"But suppose—I should prefer—or—going into business?" he ventured, tentatively.

"That would never do, Montmorency!" Mrs. Crane said decisively. "You haven't brains for anything in the world but to be a gentleman! You are all Crane, my dear boy; and there never was such a fool about money matters, as your poor dear father!"

Late that same afternoon, as Montmorency drove in his neat turnout down the street, he was still revolving in his mind all that his mother had said during that fateful interview; and he could not help acknowledging a certain justice in her conclusions. Indeed, he was in so deep a study that he forgot to look up at Jennie's window until after he had passed by. Then glancing back over his shoulder and catching sight of her pretty, smiling face, he groaned in the anguish of his spirit.

But by evening, when he gave a dinner to a party of his intimates at the club, in honor of the occasion, he had himself so well in hand that he was able to respond to their toasts with even a feebie show of wit, and to dodge their most searching questions relative to his "property" and his future plans.

"You see, boys, I really haven't decided anything yet," he said at last, with a fine assumption of candor, "except that I shall spend my summer in Saratoga."

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Without his mother's assistance, Montmorency would never have been able to make his choice among all the rich and pretty girls he met at the spring. But Mrs. Crane was too wise to let her son run the risk of a refusal, and soon she had settled upon a handsome and spirited young woman from the West.

"There's your opportunity, Montmorency," she said. "Pork-packers, with enormous wealth? The old people are good-hearted, but common. They have come East on purpose to marry their only child to a gentleman, and they don't care what it costs them. You can't afford to be too particular, and the girl has style and spirit. Besides, a wife always rises to the rank of her husband. Montmorency, your path lies clear before you. Just do as I tell you, and as soon as you get things settled I shall go home with an easy mind."

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Notwithstanding that Montmorency had come of age, he apparently had no will apart from his mother's; and having followed her instructions to the letter, it was not long before he found himself the accepted suitor of the handsome Edna Barlow of Chicago.

But in spite of his enviable position as prospective son-in-law to one of the richest men of the West, Montmorency was low-spirited and miserable; and his avoidance of his former associates gave color to the story that was generally circulated, that "Monty has been caught by a couple of old schemers for their handsome daughter."

For all Montmorency knew, his fair fiancee might be a charming young woman; but somehow—poor fellow!—he had never felt quite at his ease in her presence since the day she had passively allowed him to slip the brilliant solitaire, still unpaid for, upon the slim third finger of her small left hand.

One afternoon, however, it chanced that the two were sitting alone together side by side, and Montmorency was emboldened to let his arm slip down from the back of the sofa upon which it had been resting, and encircling her slender waist, he bent forward to press a lover-like salute upon the tempting cheek.

The first attempt at gallantry was met by a sudden and stinging repulse. With the vigorous box which fell upon his ear it seemed, for a moment, that the room had turned upside down. Then, as things righted themselves and his scattered wits returned, Montmorency saw his fiancee erect before him, with angry eyes and flaming face.

"Don't dare to touch me! Do you hear?" she cried. "Oh, I hate you! I hate you! What shall I do?"

"You hate me," Montmorency echoed, in a slow, puzzled way, "and yet you're going to marry me! Why, what does it all mean?"

Her slim fingers were interlacing nervously.

"I cannot help it," she said, half defiantly, half in desperation. "They will have it so! But, until then—until then, at least—you shall not touch me! I will not permit it!"

A great light broke in upon Montmorency's slow intelligence, and with it all shadow of resentment died away.

"Poor girl! I'm sorry," he said, simply. "You see, there are—two of us in this fix. Come, let's talk it over reasonably. Isn't there something we can do?"

After this breezy little episode, to which, fortunately, there had been no witnesses, tranquility was restored. Nay, more, a certain cordial understanding seemed to exist between the engaged couple, which the fond parents of the bride-elect regarded with evident delight.

Instead of avoiding Montmorency, as she had done at first, Edna now actually betrayed impatience if he failed to come at the accustomed hour. Mysterious letters frequently passed between them; and the girl no longer invented impossible excuses to avoid tete-a-tete drives with her betrothed in his jaunty turnout.

One beautiful, bright September morning, however, Montmorency, appearing rather earlier than usual, received the intelligence that a sudden indisposition would prevent his fair fiancee from accompanying him upon his drive. After expressing much regret and promising to return in the hope of seeing her later in the day, Montmorency drove away alone. Once out of sight of the hotel, he whipped up his horse and fairly flew along the level road, until, just beyond a turning, Edna herself appeared, all smiles and sudden blushes. He paused then, but only long enough to help her up beside him, and, more swiftly than ever spun away until he drew up at last before a quiet country church, where a good-looking young stranger from the west was awaiting them with hardly repressed impatience.

A hurried, ecstatic conversation followed, and then the trio hastened up the aisle together to where the forewarned minister, with his witnesses, stood in readiness.

The marriage service was begun, and at the question: "Who giveth this woman to be married to this man?" Montmorency stepped forward, and with an elegant air of importance and satisfaction, he placed the hand of his beautiful betrothed into that of the other fellow.

The brief ceremony was ended, and when they were again in the vestibule, the smiling bride turned to Montmorency with outstretched hands.

"You are more than a gentleman, you're a perfect angel!" she cried. "We never could have done it without you; and—and—and—you may kiss me now, if you like!"

"It's awfully hard on the dear old people," she continued regretfully, after the short pause caused by Montmorency's now permitted salute. "But they can't help forgiving their only child by and by, for, after all, their greatest desire was for my happiness. Only they wanted to see it accomplished in their own way, and they couldn't believe that I'd never be happy with any one but John, the dearest fellow in all the world," smiling up at the radiant bridegroom, "though I must say, Montmorency, you do come next!"

John's outburst of hearty gratitude was cut short by Montmorency's observation that train-time was fast approaching. So, having seated them in the dog cart side by side, Montmorency sprang up in the groom's place behind, and they drove away gayly to the nearest railroad station.

At the very last minute Edna slipped something into Montmorency's hand.

"I'm so happy, I almost forgot it," she said, "but here it is, and I'm sure you'll want it again very soon for—you know whom!"

The train came rushing down its iron pathway, paused a moment, and then rolled on its way, carrying into their new life these two so newly bound together for better or for worse, and Montmorency was left standing on the platform, twirling a sparkling ring between his fingers; while, with a peculiar smile upon his lips, he thought of the jeweler's unpaid bill and of how he had deliberately thrown away his golden "opportunity," and had thereby shattered his mother's fondest hopes.

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The storm which broke with the discovery of Edna's runaway marriage with her old Western lover was an unpleasant one to weather, even although her parents never dreamed of the part which

Montmorency had played in their daughter's elopement. His position, now, at best, was an awkward one, and he was glad to make his exit from the scene at Saratoga as speedily as possible.

But at home he found it even worse, for there he had to face his mother's bitter disappointment, and her constant lamentations and reproaches made his life miserable.

So one fine morning, having actually succeeded in persuading pretty Jenny into following Edna's example, he boldly presented his blushing bride to his astounded mother.

This, then, was the ending of her ambitious dreams! That Montmorency should have risen in such open rebellion, after submitting himself to her authority so long, was a cruel and crushing blow to the elder Mrs. Crane. She gave no voice to her anguish now, for this grief was too deep for tears; but she packed up her most cherished belongings and without delay went over to Italy, where she had been told that she could not only live comfortably on her annuity, but with even a semblance of luxury, determined to end her days a voluntary exile from the country where her ungrateful son had fallen a victim to his own short sighted folly.

"Montmorency has had his opportunity and missed it!" she said bitterly. "But I might have known how it would be, for he's Crane to the backbone, and the Cranes are all soft-hearted and obstinate and perfect fools wherever money is concerned!"

Montmorency's first care, after his fall from grace, had been to dispose of his jaunty turnout and to resign from the Howling Exclusives' Club; and by so doing he had dropped out of sight, nay, had sunk fathoms beneath the notice of his old set of acquaintances and chums.

All this Mrs. Crane the elder had foreseen, but worse was yet to come; and when she learned that her fallen idol had actually accepted the situation of clerk in a fashionable drygoods shop, which was the only position which offered itself to his limited capabilities when Montmorency set out to fight the battle of life for Jennie's support and his own, she felt that, though the ocean rolled between them, she could never hold up her head again.

Nothing New Under the Sun.

Egyptian figures found on obelisks mounted on two-wheeled vehicles show the Pharaohs had some idea of the velocipede.

THE CHURCHES.

Milan cathedral will contain 37,000 persons.

The assessed value of the church property in New York city exempt from taxation is $55,000,000.

There are about 1,700,000 Christians in India, out of a population of 260,000,000. The Christians are mostly Roman Catholics.

There are 855,089 members in the churches connected with the Northern Presbyterian assembly and 188,526 with those connected with the Southern.

At the present time there are 17,051 Wesleyan Methodist Sunday schools in England, an increase of 500 in ten years. They have 950,000 pupils, an increase of 106,557 during the same period.

INDIVIDUALITIES.

Samuel Edison, father of the inventor, has passed his ninety-first birthday.

The Bavarian government has awarded Ridgway Knight, the American painter, the cross of the Royal Order of St. Michael.

Sig. Salvini is in Florence. He never acts now, but he takes the keenest interest in all he theatrical affairs of London and elsewhere. He is in excellent health and reputed to be very rich.

SEVEN STEPS TO HEALTH.

A noted physician says if you want to be healthy and to live to a good old age you must climb up stairs and live at the top. The stairs consist of but seven steps, and you must make a pause on each step and follow his directions:

First Step—Eat wheat, oats, corn, fruits, beef and mutton, plainly cooked, in moderate quantity, and but two meals a day.

Second Step—Breathe good air day and night.

Third Step—Exercise freely in the open air.

Fourth Step—Retire early and rise early.

Fifth Step—Wear flannel next your skin every day in the year, and so dispose your dress that your limbs shall be kept warm. Bathe frequently.

Sixth Step—Live in the sunshine. Let your bedroom be one which receives a flood of light, and spend your days either out in the sunlight or in a room which is well lighted.

Seventh Step—Cultivate a cheerful temper. Seek the society of jolly folks. Don't be afraid to laugh.

Go up this flight of stairs. Live above. Catarrh cannot climb up there.

CYCLING PROVERBS.

Grit makes a man, but mars a bearing.

Neither men nor bicycles steer well with tight heads.

Like a friend in need, the handle-bar is only appreciated when the road is rough.

The world, like a bicycle, would soon come to a stop were it not for the cranks.

Ambition is like a bicycle saddle; though much sat upon, it generally manages to be on top.

Politeness is like a pneumatic tire; there isn't much in it, but it eases many a jolt in the journey of life.

A pleasant disposition, like oil in a bicycle bearing, reduces friction and prevents a world of wear and tear.

Like a link in a bicycle chain, we may not amount to much individually, but collectively we make the wheels go around.

Like balls in a bearing, the lives of many of us must be one continued grind that others may enjoy themselves.

Life is like a bicycle run; some worry, fret and scorch along, and soon reach the end, while others take it easy and enjoy themselves as they go.

PEOPLE ONE READS OF.

Mary Hamilton, an English female fraud of the eighteenth century, married fourteen of her own sex.

The crown princess of Denmark is a royal "highness," by nature as well as by birth—being six feet three inches tall.

Royalties have, as a body, defective eyesight. Princess Maud of Wales is the only royal lady who wears a single eyeglass.

Mrs. Adeline Knapp, who has been for several years race-track reporter for the San Francisco Call, rides man-fashion, in Turkish trousers, a cutaway coat, and a silk hat. She owns a number of fine horses.

It is well known the empress of Austria smokes innumerable cigarettes every day, but she does more than this. In the evening she not only lights a cigar, but she lights one from the other, and, moreover, they are strong.

COMMUNING WITH NATURE.

There are six hundred varieties of cotton.

In Stuttgart there is a rosebush which covers a space of two hundred and thirty square feet.

Out of one tree felled near Shelton, Wash., was taken thirty thousand feet of merchantable lumber.

A larch tree, one hundred and forty feet high, the tallest in the Inverary forest, Scotland, was blown down in one of the recent gales.

The Victoria lily of Guiana has a circular leaf from six to twelve feet in diameter. It is turned up at the edge like a tray and can support, according to its size, from one pound to three hundred pounds.

EPIGRAMS OF HISTORY.

The Leisure Hour offered prizes for wise sayings connected with historical events. The editor awards the first and second prizes, both of which are won by women. He says: "A careful analysis proves beyond a doubt that the most popular sayings of wise sayings connected with history are the following:

"Oliver Cromwell's—'Put your trust in God, but keep your powder dry.'

"Cardinal Wolsey's dying words—'Had I but served my God as diligently as I have served my king, he would have not have given me over in my gray hair.'

"Latimer to Ridley at the stake—'We shall this day light such a candle, by God's grace, in England as I trust, shall never be put out.'

"Sir Robert Walpole, in the declaration of the war with Spain—'They may ring their bells now, but they will soon be wringing their hands.'

"Nelson's—England expects every man to do his duty.'

"Wolfe at the Heights of Abraham, repeating the stanzas of Gray's Elegy—'I had rather be the author of that poem than take Quebec.'

"Sir Walter Raleigh at his execution—'What matter how the head lie, so that the heart be right?'"

WOMEN AS A WOMAN SEES THEM.

Vanity is woman's conscience.

A woman's day should begin at night.

Where there is a will there is a woman.

If you want to know a woman, marry her.

Women are very good to eat, but very bad to digest.

Many women can make every home happy but their own.

A woman's love is bewildering, till you get it, then it is embarrassing.

A woman is strongest when she is weakest; a man is weakest when he is strongest.

Tell a child that he is good, a man that he is great and a woman that she is beautiful.

Women are always wishing that men were true; men are always wishing that women were new.

A woman generally makes the worst of a good husband; a man generally makes the best of a bad wife.

Any man with a heart is attracted towards those who suffer; any woman who has a heart is attracted toward those who prosper.

ANTIQUITIES.

Egyptian monuments represent hats in nearly the shape of the Mexican sombrero.

It is estimated that one of the largest stones in the pyramids weighs fully eighty-eight tons.

The "rock cork" mentioned by Pliny and other ancient writers is thought to have been asbestos.

In an old Indian burying-ground in St. Simon, Ga., the bones of a warrior over eight feet long were excavated recently.

A prehistoric human skull found at Anniston, Ala., in 1890, measured 24 inches in circumference just above the ears.

Petrified horse tracks are among the curiosities attributed to Missouri. They are said to be found in the bottom of a creek in Ray county.

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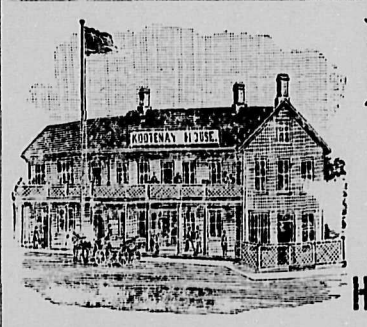

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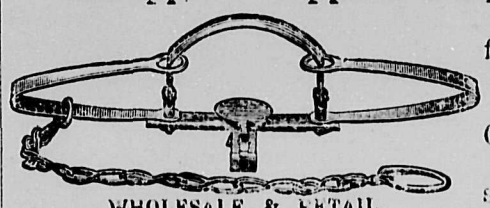

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W. Alexander, Calgary.

F'ELD NOTES.

August 23rd.

Mr. W. Jarvis McCormick of New Whatcom, who has been spending several weeks with his wife and daughter at Mount Stephen House, returned home on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Geo. A. Stewart of the National Park, Banff, returned home on Friday last.

Messrs. C. E. Fay and R. F. Curtis of Boston, Mass., came in by No. 2 Friday evening and registered at Mt. Stephen House, leaving on Monday for Laggan.

Conductor McNeill of Medicine Hat renewed acquaintances Saturday morning and proceeded west.

Mr. S. A. Shepherd and wife of New York registered at the C.P.R. hotel Sunday evening and took the east bound train for Winnipeg on Monday.

Messrs. Jacques, McNaughton and Critchley Bros., all of Calgary, were among the passengers on Monday's train for the Pacific.

Messrs. J. W. S. Tomlin, A. J. Wethered and L. R. Majendie, all of Oxford, England, came in by No. 1 Monday morning and registered at the Mount Stephen House, leaving for the Glacier House on Tuesday's west bound train.

Mr. Turnbull, C.E., came in from the east on Tuesday.

Messrs. Woodman and Stocks were in town on Tuesday and proceeded west Wednesday morning.

Mr. W. H. Boorne, Calgary, took another trip by the Pacific express on Wednesday.

Miss Unwin, of Batley, Eng., and Mrs. Chas. Unwin of Moose Jaw, the sister and sister-in law of Brakeman Unwin are visiting the latter and wife at their home here.

Our almond-eyed celestial is somewhat of a diplomat. The past few months has brought Sam a fair share of prosperity and a desire for matrimony. He remarked the other day: Lot's washee, me want wifey, war China belley good, lots Chi-men get kill, then wifey belley cheap. Me get wifey flom China nex year.

Mr. Bennett went out bear hunting on Wednesday and brought down a fine specimen with the second shot. He reports three others in the immediate neighborhood and the boys are all anxious to make their immediate acquaintance.

The sombre clouds have vanished, the silver streak has gained the surface and domestic harmony reigns again o'er the hearth of the local rhymer factory. It is not for me to dive into the sacred intricacies of our local bard's domesticity beyond drawing a simple inference from the tenor of her weekly contribution.

In the present instance it would not be rushing the imagination too severely to remark that she has gained her point (as the ladies always do) and that henceforth she can pile on the glittering daub to suit her own sweet will. But what mostly strikes the unsophisticated bachelor is the artless manner in which she has effected the compromise. Verily her lord and master must have an uncommonly avaricious molar, as our fair rhymer's magnum opus on the pastry board has readily achieved a decided victory:

RECONCILED.

The storm is o'er,
Love rules again;
And in lines four
I'll just explain.

To tell the truth,
To "dye" I must.
I've touched his tooth
With my pie crust.

—G-MIMA.

Welcome Social.

The following extract from the Carman Standard gives a brief account of a reception tendered the Rev. W. R. Ross during his visit to his former home in that town:

On Friday evening a social gathering of the members of the Presbyterian church during Rev. Mr. Ross's pastorate here, was held in Mr. Clandening's grove, a large number of the old-timers being present to meet their pioneer pastor. An abundance of good things in the way of refreshments had been provided by the ladies. After all had satisfied the wants of the inner man, Mr. F. D. Stewart called the people to order, and explained the object of the gathering, stating that as Rev. Mr. Ross's visit was of necessity of short duration, it was thought that a gathering of this kind would be the best means of bringing pastor and people together. Rev. Mr. Ross, who was suffering from the effects of an accident he met with in Winnipeg the other day through being thrown out of a carriage, made a splendid address, thanking his friends for the kind welcome he had received at their hands, and stated that he was pleased to know that Carman was prospering. He gave a graphic account of his labors among the people of British Columbia, of the resources of that country, of the depression existing there at present, owing to the suspension of mining operations, and to the great losses the people had sustained in the Fraser river valley, owing to the floods there the past spring. The speaker thought the people of this part of Manitoba had much reason to be thankful for the blessings of Providence, and that we had but a faint conception of what adversity was, compared with what the people of British Columbia had undergone. In conclusion Mr. Ross stated that he did not know whether or not he would ever have an opportunity of meeting his people in Carman again, to whom he was greatly attached, but if not he hoped to meet them again beyond the great divide.

News Notes.

Wheat is down to fifty cents at Hamilton.

Another big labor strike is on in Massachusetts.

Sir John Thompcon spent Monday in Toronto.

Hon. Mr. Laurier addressed a public meeting at Brantford on Monday.

Chinese and Japanese armies are nearing each other and a battle is imminent.

Five men were drowned by the capsizing of a boat at Joe Creek, Washington.

A. S. Henderson, of San Francisco, is champion hundred yards' sprinter of America.

Japs are coming west from New York en route for Japan to assist in the war.

A suit that may throw light on the Chamberlain personation case has been begun in Toronto.

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"Table and Kitchen" is the title of a new cook book published by the Price Baking Powder Company, Chicago. Just at this time it will be sen free if you write a postal mentioning the GOLDEN ERA. This book has been tried by ourselves and is one of the very best of its kind. Besides containing over 400 receipts for all kinds of pastry and home cookery, there are many hints for the table and kitchen, showing how to set a table, how to enter the dining room, etc.; a hundred and one hints in every branch of the culinary art. Cookery of the very finest and richest as well as the most economical and home like, is provided for. Remember "Table and Kitchen" will, be sent, postage prepaid, to any lady sending her address (name, town and State) plainly given. A copy in German and Scandinavian will be sent if desired. Postal card is as good as letter. Address Price Baking Powder Co., Chicago, Ill.

TABLE

Showing the dates and places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

*Nelson	Monday	10th September
*Donald	Monday	17th September
Clinton	Thursday	20th September
Richfield	Monday	24th September
Kamloops	Monday	1st October.
Vernon	Monday	8th October
Lytton	Friday	12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday	6th Novemb'r
Vancouver	Monday	12th November
Victoria	Tuesday	20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	27th November

*Special Assizes adjourned from the Spring by Mr. Justice Walkem and now fixed for these dates.

NOTICE.

Application for Certificate of Improvements.

INTERNATIONAL MINERAL CLAIM.

Take notice that I, Arthur P. Cummins, Administrator of the Estate of the late Archibald McMurdo, free miner's certificate No. 474 53, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 18th day of August, 1894.

A. P. CUMMINS,
Administrator of the Estate of the late Archibald McMurdo.

NOTICE.

Application for Certificate of Improvements.

PRINCESS MAY MINERAL CLAIM.

Take notice that I, A. L. Hogg, Free Miner's certificate No. 23317, intend, 60 days from date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of above claim.

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NOTICE.

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