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Local Items.

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Mrs. H. O. Lee will receive on Wednesday of next week at her home, 64 Ninth avenue, west.

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Mr. Otto Marstrand, Danish Consul, returned on Thursday from an extended trip in the interior.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Manning have moved from Eighth and Prince Edward, to 2110 Scotia street. Mrs. Manning will receive the 2d Tuesdays.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell have moved into the new house recently built by Mr. Thompson on Eighth avenue, near the house of Rev. G. H. Wilson.

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Mrs. R. H. Flitton's many music pupils, and friends, will be pleased to know she is able to be out again after three weeks attack of acute pneumonia.

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Mr. Geo Wood of Vernon, en route to the Methodist Conference at Victoria, was the guest a few days this week of his brother Mr. W. A. Wood, Howard street.

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Mr. McMullen who has been with King's Market since it was started by Mr. E. H. Peace, will assume the Manager of the business from Monday next.

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N. S. Davidson has started his Soda Fountain for the summer, where you can get the only Ice Cold Drinks at the Waiting Room corner of Ninth and Westminster avenues. Ice Cream.

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July 23—West End vs Maple Leafs.
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The B. Y. P. U. of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church held the first of a series of Musical Evenings on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Clark, Lansdowne street The program was entirely music, vocal and instrumental. Local and downtown talent contributed to the enjoyment of the evening. These Musical Evenings will be held every two weeks.

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MOUNT PLEASANT BAPTIST CHURCH.

The pastor, Rev. Herbert W Piercy, will preach morning and evening on Sunday. Morning subject: "The Father's Will"; evening subject: "Why Roman Catholics are not in Love with Holy Catholics."

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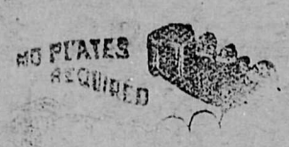

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Miss L. Murphy returned to Seattle on Wednesday, after a three weeks visit with her parents, who have recently moved into their new home on Tenth avenue, next to Mr. Gow's.

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Mr. Adams who has been Manager for King's Meat Market, will leave with his family for the Cariboo Country on Sunday, where they will make their home.

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Advertise in "The Advocate."

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Mr. Sheldon Wells has returned to Grand Forks, after a week's visit with his family on Thirteenth avenue. Mr. Wells is a Mason Foreman on the C. P. R.

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Rev. C. H. M. Sutherland and Mrs. Sutherland, of Revelstoke, en route to the Methodist Conference at Victoria, visited friends on Mt. Pleasant Sunday and Monday last.

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Changes for advertisements should be in before Thursday noon to insure their publication.

Mr. Thos. Duke is confined to his bed with an attack of appendicitis.

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Mrs. Oscar Burritt and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham left Tuesday for Victoria, to attend the branch meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church now in session in that city.

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Rev. Mr. Zimmerman will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock, and in the evening the Rev, Louis Turnbull and Mrs. Turnbull will conduct the service. After the evening service Mr. and Mrs. Turnbull will address a meeting of the Epworth League.

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Mrs. J. I. Smith of Epworth, entertained the Ladies' Aid of Mt. Pleasant Methodist Church on Tuesday evening of last week at her home on Westminster road. About twenty-five ladies were present and after a business meeting a delightful social time was passed, Mrs. Smith serving refreshments. Rev. A. E. Hethering was present.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. C. J. Coulter is building a new residence on Thirteenth avenue.

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Mr. Daniels, nephew of Health Inspector Marrion, is visiting his uncle and family.

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Rev. A. E Hetherington left Wednesday for Victoria to attend the Methodist Conference.

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WOOD.—Fir Edgings or Slabs, 3 loads for $5, single load $2. Telephone 2434.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Pengelly leave today for North Vancouver, where they will camp for the summer.

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Miss Annie Morrison, Matron of the "Hillside," is home from a two weeks visit at Harrison Hot Springs.

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See our Lawn Mowers, J. A. Flett Ltd.

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Messrs. Fred and George Crocker have entered into the wood business, and making a specialty of giving a big load of cedar for $1.50.

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Miss Ethlin Sim, daughter of Mrs. P. G. Drost, Manitoba street, will leave next Tuesday for a three months visit with friends in Manitoba

Mrs. Archibald of Lorne street, entertained at a party in honor of her daughter Miss Boak, who recently arrived from the East, on Thursday last.

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Continued from last week.

CHAPTER XV.

It was a fluke, of course, aided by Polly's sharpness; and it is to be hoped that it will not inspire the sagacious reader to sit down and write a play, either in one or three acts.

It was put in rehearsal at once, and, of course, the troubles which always beset a play, from its birth to its production, and not seldom afterwards, at once set in. There was a part in it for which Mr. Harcourt cast the low comedy lady—she used to be called a soubrette—but the lady didn't like it—said it wasn't "strong" enough.

"Not strong enough, if you please!" exclaimed Polly to Nina with a snort. "Why, it's as strong as Sandow, only it's in a new and quiet way. She likes a part that let's her tear about the stage and knock the men's hats off; and, of course, this doesn't suit her. Not strong! Why, listen to this!"

She did a bit of the part, and Nina's eyes sparkled. But she said nothing; she could be as secretive as Polly—it is a gift which most women possess—but the next evening she gave Polly a letter for Mr. Harcourt.

He read it, stared fixedly at Polly, frowned doubtfully, then said with acute misery in his voice and countenance:

"Well, you can try it—only try it, mind! We'll see how you get on at the next rehearsal. Now, what are you staring at?"

"I don't know what you mean," said Polly.

"Oh, don't you? Well, your friend, Mr. Wood, wants you to have the part of Sally Brown."

Polly uttered a cry and the tears sprang into her eyes.

"Oh, Mr. Harcourt!" she gasped. But Mr. Harcourt sniffed and hurried off; perhaps he was unaccustomed to gratitude.

Polly, when she got home that night, kissed Nina very quietly.

"You know you are giving me the chance of my life, dear?" she said, gravely. "But, oh, if I miss it I shall spoil your play!"

"You won't miss it, and you couldn't spoil my play if you tried," said Nina, tenderly. "I mean that you will play the part splendidly."

"If you'll only help me I'll—I'll do my best," faltered Polly.

They went over it there and then, and kept at it until the dawn peeped in at the window at two pale-faced, excited girls; so that at the next rehearsal Polly was not only perfect in her words but in her business. The stage manager did not throw up his arms in delighted satisfaction—they only do this in novels—but he grunted and nodded at her, and Polly thrilled with pride and hope.

Nina suffered a great deal during the rehearsals because she could not be present. ("You couldn't cut off that beautiful hair of yours and come down to the theatre in a blue serge suit and a limp?" suggested Polly.) But the little play was well cast, and the stage manager knew his business.

Polly reported every day, reported fully, and Nina gave a hint or two which Polly—heaven knows how—managed to convey to the other actors.

Presently Polly brought her an advertisement announcing the play, and Nina, when she was alone, bent over it with a strange mixture of ecstacy and sadness; for even the production of this her first effort could not bring her perfect happiness. The fly is still in every piece of amber which we mortals carve for ourselves.

But at the last rehearsal Polly got permission for "Mr. Wood's" sister to be present; and Nina, hot and cold by turns, watched it from the stage. It sent her down to the lowest depths of despair; because even a last rehearsal is a hopeless and appalling thing.

"I didn't think it could be quite so stupid," she said, meaning the play. "The poor people won't be able to sit it out. Oh, Polly, I'm so sorry for all the trouble I've given you and everybody else concerned! Do you think Mr. Harcourt would let me withdraw it?"

"I don't know; but I'll ask him if you like. You silly, it's splendid, and they all know it. Miss Tracey was tired, and I don't mean to give myself away till the night. It will go with a rush, you see. And, oh, Decima, we'll—we'll have a supper at the Cri—and a bottle of champagne—a big one!"

The night arrived. Polly wanted Decima to have a box, but Nina said she preferred her old seat behind the pillar in the upper circle.

"No one will see me, and if it's a failure—as it will be—I can slip out and drown myself quietly and without any fuss."

"Better hang yourself—round my neck," said Polly.

Nina crept to her place. One or two persons were already seated, and they glanced curiously at the lovely girl with the white face and anxious eyes; but she drew well behind her pillar and tried to possess her soul in patience.

A first night is a bad time for the manager and the actors—to say nothing of the audience—but it is worse for the author, because he, poor wretch, can only look on and endure in inaction. Nina thought the overture would never end, the curtain never go up; but it ascended at last, and the play began to a crammed pit and gallery, an upper circle fairly well filled and a sprinkling in the dress circle and stalls.

For a moment or two the scene swam before Nina's eyes, and she could not see the actors nor hear their voices; but presently sight and hearing came back to her, and, incredible as it may seem, she almost forgot her authorship in her interest in the play. Were these sparkling words hers? Was it she who wrote the lines that, spoken by Miss Tracey, brought the tears very near her, Nina's, eyes? Did she invent the business which in Polly's clever hands caused the theatre to ring with laughter? Oh, how sweet, how sweet was the sound of that laughter in Nina's ears! The color stole to her face her eyes grew bright. Was her poor little play going to be a success—really a success?

She began to glance round the theatre—only glance—for she could scarcely take her eyes from the play. What did these gentlemen in the stalls, the critics, think of it? She saw one whom she supposed belonged to the awful tribe laugh and nod to a fellow member. Was he really satisfied?

The people were laughing, the play was going smoothly and "strong." Her heart beat with almost painful rapidity, but still fearfully, for your author is a modest and a timid coney. How splendidly Miss Tracey played! And Polly—oh, you dear, sweet girl, to make them laugh every time you open your lips! How, how do you do it?

Her eyes wandered from the stalls to the boxes and scanned the faces of the few occupants with eager, anxious inquiry. Then suddenly she forgot her anxiety, the players, the play itself, and her face grew pale and her eyes fixed as she gazed spellbound at the box nearest the stage on the first tier.

A lady and gentleman had entered. A lovely woman with auburn hair with golden lights in it, with sapphire eyes of wondrous hue, with a face of clear ivory, and lips on which men might swear away their lives, their honor, their souls. The man was young-old, beautifully dressed, with an orchid in the silk facing of his irreproachable coat, and a fixed smile on his painted lips. But Nina had no eyes for him. She knew the woman in a moment—at the first glance.

It was the original of the portrait in Vane Mannering's coat; it was the woman he loved, the woman whose name he had breathed as Nina had leant over him that night in the men's hut. It was Judith!

As Judith Orme sank into her chair, and, dropping the opera-cloak from her white shoulders, looked round the house with a languid and yet serene gaze, Nina felt as if the sapphire eyes were fixed on her, and her heart seemed to cease beating. Her breath came in painful gasps. She tried to look at the stage again, but her eyes, as if magnetized, wandered back to the exquisite face, the exquisite grace of the woman.

The young-old man went out of the box, and presently another, a younger man, entered. He was dark, almost sallow, with brilliant black eyes and thin lips. Both eyes and lips seemed restless as he bent over Judith's chair, and Nina fancied that she could almost see his hand tremble as it rested on the chair-back.

"Oh, are you here?" said Judith, with a slight uplifting of the beautiful brows, a curve on the perfect lips.

"Yes," he said in a low voice with the thrill in it which passion alone can give—the passion that burns like the smouldering fire of a volcano, the fire that, though it seems so still, so innocent, may burst into a death-dealing flame at any moment. "Yes; you said you were coming, and—I am here."

She smiled with the woman's tolerance for the love she does not desire.

"You may stay," she said. "My father—well, he may look in for a moment before the musical farce is over. Are you alone? Is"—she paused an imperceptible instant—"is Lord Mannering here?"

The question was put in the most casual way, but a cloud descended on the sallow face and the lids drooped over the brilliant eyes.

"Vane is here, or will be here, I think," he replied. "I came early. I wanted to see—this new piece."

"Yes?" she said. "It is rather good, is it not? The people are laughing a great deal."

"But not the piece alone," he went on in a lower voice. "You said you were coming early, you remember."

"Did I?" with a smile. "I forget."

(To be Continued.)

THE POINT OF VIEW.

They sat before the kitchen range,
The corn was bobbing in the pan,
She was a sweet and loving lass,
He was a brave but bashful man.

For full a year on her he'd called
And looked the love he bore the maid,
But still it seemed he never would
Declare himself without her aid.

So, weary of the long delay,
A hint resolved to give him,
She said: "Look at the frisky corn.
I do declare it's poppin', Jim!

"It's poppin', poppin', Jim! Dear me!
What is it tellin', don't you know?"
He blushed and rose. "I guess," said he,
"It's tellin' me it's time to go!"

—Henry Waldorf Francis in Woman's Home Companion.

The Use of Sarcasm.

For many years one of the states was represented in the senate by a man who possessed many fine qualities, but who frequently injured the causes he advocated and alienated those who desired to be friendly by his sarcastic manner both in speaking and in writing. The senator had an intimate friend who had written to him to urge the appointment of another friend to a position under the government. To this letter the senator returned a very sarcastic answer, declining at the same time to recommend the appointment. It is said that he never forgot the merited rebuke he received from the friend who had suggested the appointment.

"My Dear Senator—I think it would be well for you to reserve your sarcasm for the rapidly increasing number of your enemies instead of offering it to the decreasing number of your friends, of whom I am one."

Soon after the senator received this communication he brought about the desired appointment.

Voluble.

"Have you seen Professor Gabbleton, the scientist, lately?"

"Yes; I listened to him for more than an hour at the club last night."

"Indeed! What was he talking about?"

"He didn't say."

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If there was ever any doubt as to the popularity of the diary feature of Dr. Chase's Almanac it can certainly no longer exist, and judging by the nature of the entries in these books they must prove of great value to persons keeping such records.

This is a copy of the report sent in by the committee of newspaper men who acted as judges :—

Toronto, Feb. 10, 1906.

Messrs. Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto:

Dear Sirs,—We, the undersigned, have carefully examined the Dr. Chase's Calendar Almanacs submitted for the Diary Contest for 1905, and take pleasure in announcing that we have awarded the prizes as follows:—

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Fifth, $5 in gold, Mrs. Richard Whyte, Lyons, Ont.
Sixth, $5 in gold, Mr. Wilford Van Wart, Hampstead, N.B.
Seventh, $5 in gold, Mr. Robert Robertson, North Georgetown, Que.
Eighth, $5 in gold, Mr. James E. McLachy, Windsor, N.S.
Ninth, $5 in gold, Mrs. Sarah Jane Burroughs, Shellmouth, Man.

While the work of selecting the prize-winners has been rather difficult, we have favored those who kept the most complete and most useful record of everyday events.

(Signed.) J. F. MACKAY, Bus. Mgr. The Globe.
CHAS. C. NORRIS, Mail and Empire.
H. E. SMALLPIECE, Adv. Mgr. The World.

The 1906 edition of Dr. Chase's Almanac has been placed in every home in Canada, so far as possible, but owing to incomplete lists in the West there are many families we have been unable to reach.

The Almanac will be sent free, postpaid, to all who send their name and address to Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto, and mention this paper. It contains full particulars about the diary contest for 1906

FEAST DAY COOKERY.

Squash In the Shell, Salad, Jelly and a Turkey Trick.

There are several ways of serving baked squash. One of the best is as follows: Cut or saw through the shell and separate into individual portions. Lay shell side down in a baking pan, turn in a little hot water to keep the pan from burning and bake in a hot oven until tender. Serve folded in a napkin. Eat from the shell with butter, salt and pepper. When convenient bake the bits of squash, as potatoes are baked, on the grate, dry heat being preferable, says Boston Cooking School Magazine, which is the source of this and the following suggestions:

A Crisp Salad.

A crisp salad is an essential part of a rich Thanksgiving dinner, and for this no ingredients can be more appropriate than celery and apple. Mayonnaise dressing is suitable for an evening spread or a chafing dish supper, but it is entirely out of place for the dinner of the day. So also is the boiled dressing. French dressing lightly applied is the only item that fills the bill. To prepare this mix all the ingredients together to form a complete emulsion, then mix with the prepared salad materials or dress the materials with oil, seasonings and acid in the foregoing order.

Cranberry Jelly.

If cranberry jelly rather than sauce please your fancy the directions given must be followed explicitly. To one quart of berries add one cup of water, cover and cook quickly about five minutes or until the berries burst. Lift the cover occasionally lest the foaming fruit overflow the dish. Press at once through a sieve. A puree sieve that fits firmly into the lower part of a double boiler and a wooden pestle will enable you to do this part of the work in about three minutes. Add at once to the puree two cups of sugar, mix thoroughly and turn into a mold.

Pumpkin Pie.

Select a small, fine grained pumpkin. Steam or bake it until perfectly tender, then press through a colander. To a pint of the sifted pumpkin add one quart of rich milk, three well beaten eggs, one small cup of sugar, one teaspoonful of ginger and half a teaspoonful of salt. Line two deep pie tins with good pastry, pour in the pumpkin mixture, sift a little sugar and a dusting of nutmeg over the top and bake until firm in the center and golden brown in color.

A Wrinkle In Baking Turkey.

A New Yorker suggests a novel way of securing a moist and well flavored roast turkey. When the fowl has been trussed and made ready for baking smear over the surface of the bird with thick sour cream, let stand some hours or, better still, overnight or even longer in the refrigerator. Then with proper baking a peculiarly tender bird is the result. In spreading steaks and roasts with olive oil and vinegar we follow out the same principle. In both cases the oil (in one butter fat) excludes the air and preserves the flesh, while the acetic acid in the cream and vinegar respectively is softening the fibers.

The Gilded Man.

At the headwaters of the Orinoco the Spanish traditions located the land of El Dorado, "The Gilded Man," a potentate whose country was so rich in gold dust that he had his body anointed with oil and sprinkled with gold every morning, so that he shone in the sun as though gilded. It is a curious fact that the country in which tradition located this marvelous being has never been explored by a white man.

The Word "Jag."

In many English country dialects the word "jag" is found. It originally meant a small load of hay, from which it came to mean a load of drink so big as to overcome one. "Jag" possesses an infinite number of meanings. The original meaning, "a load," has been extended to the journey with the load, the saddlebags which held it and the act of carrying it, while in certain districts it signifies a blister, the head of a flower, calf leather and fatigue, in addition to coinciding with "jog" and figuring in ordinary English to denote rough or "jagged" edges.

The Golden Crested Wren.

The golden crested wren is the smallest not only of British but of all European birds. Its average weight is only about eight grains troy. The length of the feathers is about three and a half inches and the stretch of the wings about five inches, but when the feathers are taken off the length of the body does not exceed one inch.

A Poor Trade.

"Yes," said the African chieftain pleasantly, "I gave eight mules for my wife, and I must say that I got badly bunkoed."

"So?"

"That's what. It was found a case of swapping eight for one."

Geographies to Blame.

Ask any hundred English men, women or children what is the name of the capital of Russia, and every one of them will reply, "St. Petersburg." It may be a small matter, but in point of fact the proper name is "Petersburg." The English are the only folk who insist upon the "Saint." The city was founded by Peter the Great and is named after him. It is quite true that Peter was one of the most extraordinary men that ever filled a throne, but no one would have been more astounded than himself at being dubbed a saint. He neither lived nor died in the odor of sanctity, and it is hard to find out how it became the English fashion to miscall the splendid town he founded.—London Mail.

Witches In Eggshells.

When Napoleon III. was approaching sovereignty he asked a judicious friend to observe him carefully for a week and to point out to him anything that he did which was not according to the severest code of the manner of a well bred man. At the end of the week there was only one practice which his friend had noticed. The emperor after eating a boiled egg invariably thrust his spoon through it. Whence this practice has arisen, at one time not uncommon, it is difficult to say. Some date it from a very early period and assume that it was done originally in order to prevent witches sailing in the eggshells.

Clock Washing for a Living.

"I've been washing the faces of clocks for close upon ten years," said a man to Answers recently, "and the few of us in this line of business manage to do pretty well at it."

"Is your work anything like that of the steeple-climber?" he was asked.

"No," he replied, with twinkling eye, much amused. "only in one thing and that is that mostly sailors take up the trade. That's because we're good climbers, you know. I've washed the faces of church and city clocks that were 180 feet from the ground and it took me two or three weeks to do it. I'm a practical clock repairer, too,—have to be, you know—and do my work in a huge wooden cradle made for the purpose. Some clocks get their faces dirty in a year or so; others remain clean ten years, and so on. Big Ben, Westminste 's great clock, is exepected to keep clean fifteen years.

"In the old days the trade was more dangerous. We used to work from scaffolds and got many nasty falls. Now we have the cradles, and all the fixings and comforts, and if a man keeps his head, he can work as well as on the kerb."

20 Years of Vile Catarrh.—Chas. O. Brown, journalist, of Duluth, Minn., writes: "I have been a sufferer from Throat and Nasal Catarrh for over 20 years, during which time my head has been stopped up and my condition truly miserable. Within 15 minutes after using Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder I obtained relief. Three bottles had almost, if not entirely, cured me." 50c.—73

Plot Against the President.

New Orleans.—Declaring that her life would be taken unless she assassinates President Roosevelt, a young woman who gave her name as Mrs. W. B. Lewaller, of Philadelphia, applied at the central police headquarters for protection. She spoke rationally on all general subjects, but the police and coroner decided to detain her for examination. Mrs. Lewaller said that she fell in with a party of socialists in Philadelphia and that she was taken to a room there and made to take an oath against the President, being told that she would be destroyed if it was not executed. She said she fled to Houston, Texas, but that the men followed her there and that she had then come to New Orleans.

WESTERN ASSURANCE REPORT.

Annual Statement Shows Company to be Enjoying Prosperity.

The annual statement of the Western Assurance Company will be found in another part of this issue, and will be seen to be one that does much credit to this progressive company. The year's transactions resulted in $86,340.12 being devoted to dividends, and $133,254.69 added to the reserve fund, which now amounts to $1,742,020.42. The liability for unearned premiums on unexpired risks is estimated at $1,322,183.46. By deducting this sum from the reserve it is seen that there is a surplus over capital and all liabilities amounting to $419,836.96. The fire premiums during the year amounted to $2,888,590.34, and the marine premiums to $705,764. The fire losses were $1,547,906.20, and the marine losses $665,157.57. The excellent list of assets which is published in the annual statement shows that almost one-third of them consist of municipal bonds and debentures.

The Turkish Soul.

The primitive religion of the Turks in Central Asia included the worship of water, air, earth, as also the sacrifice of oxen under the shade of huge trees. Even to this day one witnesses in Asia Minor and in the vicinity of Constantinople gigantic plane trees held in reverence by successive generations. After their exit from their land of origin the Turks successively became Buddhists, Nestorians, Christians, Mohammedans, with perfect indifference according to the nature of their conquests and the necessities of their politics. This entire absence of concern in matters moral was counterbalanced by their esprit de corps, discipline, and passive obedience to their chief. A military people, they possessed the qualities and defects of a soldier on the march; they were bloodthirsty and brutal, but also candid and generous, obstinate, but nrm on the point of honor; now wrathful and then mirthful, on the spur of the moment, now full of activity, succumbing without transition to a state of utter indolence.—From Armenia.

THEY MADE THIS COUPLE HAPPY

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS DOING GOOD WORK AROUND PORT ARTHUR.

Mr. Dick Souvey and Wife Both Had Kidney Troubles, and the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy Cured Them.

Port Arthur, Ont., March 12—(Special—That Dodd's Kidney Pills cure te Kidney ills of men and women alike has been proved time and again in this neighborhood, but it is only occasionally they get a chance to do double work in the same house. This has happened in the case of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Souvey, a farmer and his wife, living about seven miles from here. In an interview Mr. Souvey said:

"My wife and myself have used Dodd's Kidney Pills, and have found them a big benefit to our health. We had La Grippe two winters and were exposed to much frost and cold. Our sleep was broken on account of urinary troubles and pain in the kidneys. We each took six bottles of Dodd's Kidney Pills and now enjoy good health.'

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught made a tour of the diamond mines at Kimberley.

Spain has 600,000 titled persons; that is to say, about one in every thirty-eight inhabitants.

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The king of Italy has 200 horses each with its name printed in white over its manger.

One of the leading bankers of Athens recently died and left the bulk of his fortune to the state.

Canadian Cheese.

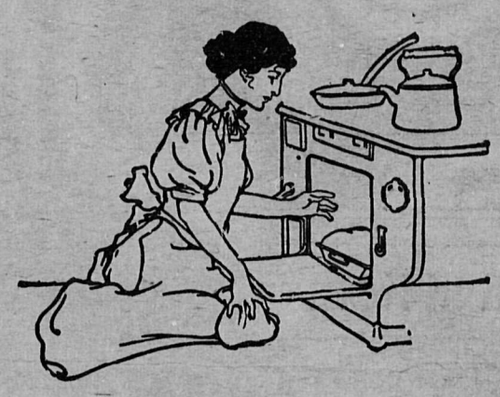
The splendid position which Canada enjoys in the British cheese market is shown by the fact that we not only supply well up to three-quarters of Britains import of cheese, but that the goods which we send bring a higher price than those shipped from any other country. During January Canadian cheese sold in London, according to Weddell & Co.'s Colonial Dairy Produce Report up to 65s per long hundredweight, while choicest New Zealand sold for 64s, and choicest American 53s. Canadian cheese in January of this year was selling at 13s higher than for the same period last year.

Shortsighted Animals.

So far as naturalists have been able to ascertain there is no such thing as shortsight among animals in a state of nature. In the case, however, of domestic animals and wild ones in confinement shortsight is by no means unknown. Many people who have kept dogs and cats will remember instances of pets which were unable to distinguish friends from strangers at a short distance. Horses, too, frequently suffer from shortsight and other derangements of the vision, and this kind of thing is sometimes met with in the case of cattle. The diseases of the eye which frequently affect wild animals in captivity are to be chiefly attributed to the narrow space in which they are confined. The eyes are never exercised upon distant objects and therefore lose the powers which use of this kind calls forth.

The Glowworm Cavern.

The greatest wonder of the antipodes is the celebrated glowworm cavern, discovered in 1891 in the heart of the Tasmanian wilderness. The cavern or caverns (there appears to be a series of such caverns in the vicinity, each separate and distinct) are situated near the town of Southport, Tasmania, in a limestone bluff, about four miles from Ida bay. The appearance of the main cavern is that of an underground river, the entire floor of the subterranean passage being covered with water about a foot and a half in depth. These wonderful Tasmanian caves are similar to all caverns found in limestone formation, with the exception that their roofs and sides literally shine with the light emitted by the millions of glowworms which inhabit them.



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31st December, 1905.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
United States and State Bonds	$ 157,118.00	Capital Stock	$1,500,000.00
Dominion of Can. Stock	65,350.00	Losses under Adjustment	175,359.36
Bank, Loan Company and other Stocks	425,698.05	Dividend payable Jan. 5th, 1906	43,697.50
Company's buildings	110,000.00	Reserve Fund	1,742,020.42
Municipal Bonds and Debentures	1,128,949.32		
Railroad Bonds	403,533.64		
Cash on Hand and on Deposit	329,379.92		
Bills Receivable	98,480.89		
Mortgages	20,100.00		
Due from Other Companies (Re-assurances)	150,840.38		
Interest Due and Accrued	21,786.95		
Office Furniture, Maps, Plans, etc.	34,125.47		
Agents' Balances and Sundry Accounts	515,714.66		
	$3,461,077.28		$3,461,077.28

Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	1,742,020.42
Security to Policyholders	$3,242,020.42
Losses paid from the organization of the Company to date	$43,012,687.45

DIRECTORATE:
Hon. Geo. A. Cox, President; J. J. Kenny, Vice-President and Managing Director; Hon. S. C. Wood, H. N. Baird, Geo. R. R. Cockburn, W. R. Brock, Geo. McMurrich, J.K. Osborne, E. R. Wood.

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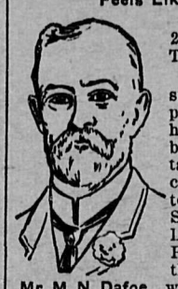

Mr. M. N. Dafoe

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GARNETT CLAY PORTER.

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Managing Editor of the Calgary Herald.

Garnett Clay Porter is a Kentuckian by birth and a Canadian by adoption. The combination is a fortunate one, if unusual, and the result has been the publication of one of the brightest and most up-to-date newspapers in Western Canada, "The Calgary Herald." Garnett Clay Porter is generally referred to as Colonel Porter—as much on account probably of the state of which he is a son as because of the fact that he was a member of the military staff of the Governor. A gentleman with the name Garnett Clay Porter—and a Kentuckian—has a traditional right to the title of Colonel and the world admits it.

There is nothing particularly bellicose about Colonel Porter's appearance, neither does he bear the outward and visible signs of the Kentucky Colonel of anecdote. He may have a suspicion of the soft southern drawl in his speech and at times the masterfulness of manner of the descendant of the owners of slave-manned plantations, but he doesn't require a moustache and chin-whisker, a sombrero, and a fondness for mint juleps to be almost unconsciously addressed as Colonel. Without these attributes, the hall-marks of conventional belief, Garnett Clay Porter, editor of a paper published in far off western Canada, is recognized, greeted, and made friends with as Colonel Porter, of the Calgary Herald. This merely shows that this "Colonel" business is not limited to one State of the American Union, or merely a local peculiarity of the people. If Garnett Clay Porter should ever allow his probably deep religious convictions to break loose to the extent that would make him seek the pulpit as a means of expounding them, there is very little doubt that he would be known in the evangelical religious world as the eloquent and pious Rev. Col. Porter. The title of Colonel sort of rounds him off.

Colonel Porter was born in Kentucky more years ago than his beardless face and youthful energy proclaim. He became a master printer at the age of fourteen, so young, in fact, that he believed that he had time for another profession. He went to college and afterwards incidentally became a lawyer and was enrolled as an attorney of the State of Kentucky.

The future editor of the Calgary Herald had, however, absorbed printer's ink into his system and the disease of journalism is incurable.

He began his journalistic career under a renowned fellow-colonel, also a Kentuckian, Colonel Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, one of the most powerful newspaper editors in the United States.

Whether is was that there was not room enough for two colonels, even on a Kentucky paper or that Colonel Porter's strong personality sought means of advancement on individual lines of his own choosing, or whether it was that the latent Bohemianism which had guided him into journalism demanded an outlet, is difficult to say, but for several years he accepted important positions on the editorial and reportorial staffs of leading papers in Kansas City, Chicago, Omaha, San Francisco, and the City of Mexico, and other large centres and went through the experiences customary under the circumstances, of editing country weeklies in various parts of the United States.

During this time he formed a professional connection with the New York Sun and the Associated Press, and was their a credited correspondent on several important assignments. Col. Porter's bright, swinging style, combined with his acute newspaper instinct and ability to cover the news, brought him recognition as a clever special writer an he contributed many stories to such well known periodicals and magazines as McClure's, Carter's and the Windsor, and to the great story syndicates of the United States, in which his special abilities were noticeable in the news character of his contributions.

In 1900 Col. Porter came to Canada and accepted a position as special writer on the Toronto World. His engagement on the World, one of the brightest papers in Canada, was a distinct event in the newspaper life of Canada, and some of his work was the best newspaper "stuff" that has ever appeared in the daily service of a Canadian newspaper. Among the articles of special interest were those on Goldwin Smith and J. J. Hill, for which he travelled half across the continent and completed in four days, the Wanstead wreck on the Grand Trunk Railway, and the riots at Sault Ste. Marie. Col. Porter spent three years in Toronto, holding a leading position in the journalistic field and becoming enamored of Canadian life, Canadian institutions and Canadian possibilities.

In 1903, possessed with the belief that the future of Canada lay largely in the progressive West, he accepted the position of managing editor of the Calgary Herald.

In the two years and a half that Colonel Porter has been editor of the Herald he has become a prominent factor in the social and business life of Calgary and in the political situation in the young province of Alberta.

Clever, quick, and adaptable, he has readily adapted himself to Western Canadian conditions. A ready writer of distinct descriptive ability, a firm believer in the greatness of the Canadian West, a naturalized Canadian, of public spirit and progressive ideas, and above everything a thorough, all round newspaper man, Col. Porter is a man of consequence in the political and material progress of the young province he has adopted as home.

Only one person out of twenty-two on board were saved from the wreck of a passenger steamer on the Japanese coast.

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A Holy Man's Feat.

Some wonderful things are said to have been performed recently by the Tashi Lama of Shigatse, the most holy of the holy men of Tibet. The proceedings connected with his visit to the Tower of Benares, where Bhudda is supposed to have first preached to his five Brahmin disciples, is thus described in the Statesman, of Calcutta: "Around this tower the Tashi Lama burnt three maunds (150 pounds) of clarified butter, lighted nearly 300 lamps, scattered flowers and cakes in abundance, and uttered prayers in adoration of Buddha for more than an hour. After circumambulating the tower several times the Tashi Lama himself assumed the form of Buddha, while other lamas and laymen worshipped him instea of the tower."

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In the appointment of a General Agent at Winnipeg the Allan Steamship Company have not withdrawn their tickets from the agents of the Canadian Pacific railway between Port Arthur and Vancouver, and as heretofore, passengers can purchase tickets to or from Europe from any agent of the Canadian Pacific railway in the North-West, or British Columbia, over the Allen line, or any other Atlantic Steamship Company.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Truly Rural.

The 17-year-old daughter of a certain Wall Street man recently visited for the first time the fine farm in Duchess county for the past year owned by her father. The girl immediately became much interested in the prize cattle that are the special pride of her parent, and she asked many questions relative to their breeding, etc. One evening, just at dusk, as the girl was standing on the verandah of the farmhouse, talking to the manager, there came the low, mournful note of a cow.

"Just listen to that poor cow," said the girl to the manager, "mewing for her colt!"

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An Historic Spot.

The pretty Breton fishing village of Roscoff—the home of so many of the victims of the Hilda disaster—is interesting to the student of English History, and especially to Jacobites, as being the spot where Prince Charles landed after his escape from the bloody field of Culloden. Here he prayed at the little church of St. Ninian, which was built two hundred years before to commemorate the landing of his ancestor, the little Scottish queen, when she went over to marry the Dauphin Francis II. The ruins of the little church are still to be seen on the seashore, and many suggestions have been made that a fund be raised for the restoration of the historic shrine.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Advice for Lovers.

Once the introduction is over it remains mainly with the man to make the most of his advantages. He will find out what interests her people. He will bring her father rare cuttings for his garden or introduce him to a choice brand of cigars. He will lend her mother books, or teach small Tommy to ride a bicycle. As to the lady of his heart, he will begin by sharing her pursuits only as a means to an end, for when love making once steps in, other pursuits are neglected. This transition stage requires great tact. He must not startle her by too sudden a development. The average girl loves to have time to enjoy being wooed and won. She basks in the gradual unfolding of her love; she rejoices in each new phase of their courtship.—The Etiquette of Engagement and Marriage. (London).

Rheumatism will Succumb to South American Rheumatic Cure because it goes right to the seat of the trouble and removes the cause. Many so-called cures but deaden pain temporarily only, to have it return again with doubled violence. Not so with this great remedy. It eradicates from the system the last vestige of the disease and its cures are permanent.—74

Sixteen deer in one bunch were seen in the Qu'Appelle valley last week.

A startling story comes from the north, to the effect that Haywood for whose murder Charles King was hung at Edmonton, is alive.

A lady writes: "I was enabled to remove the corns, root and branch, by the use of Holloway's Corn Cure." Others who have tried it have the same experience.

The new C. P. R. hotel at Victoria will be opened in June.

The Grand Trunk bridge across the Welland canal at Port Colborne is completed.

Good Digestion Should Wait on Appetite.—To have the stomach well is to have the nervous system well. Very delicate are the digestive organs. In changes affect them. When they become so sensitive that atmospheric come disarranged no better regulator is procurable than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They will assist the digestion so that the hearty eater will suffer no inconvenience and will derive all the benefits from his food.

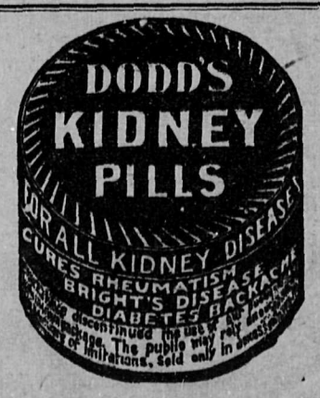
The biggest chimney west of Toronto is being erected in London by the London Electric Company.

Women health inspectors are to be appointed at Chicago.

Itch, Mange, Prairie Scratches, Cuban Itch on Human or animals cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. It never fails. At all druggists.

A thief looted a case in the state mining exhibit at San Francisco.

British people drink 40 per cent. more tea than they did thirty years ago,.



Getting Aroused.

Many people seem to think that ambition is a quality born with us; that it is not susceptible to improvement; that it is something thrust upon us that will take care of itself. But it is a passion that responds very quickly to cultivation, and it requires constant care and education, just as the faculty for art or music does, or it will atrophy.

If we do not try and realize our ambition, it will not keep sharp and defined. Our faculties become dull and soon lose their power if they are not exercised. How can we expect our ambition to remain fresh and vigorous through years of inactivity, indolence, or indifference? If we keep letting opportunities slip by us without making any attempt to grasp them, our inclination will grow duller and weaker.

"What I most need," as Emerson says, "is somebody to make me do what I can." To do what I can, that is my problem; not what a Napoleon or a Lincoln could do, but what I can do. It makes all the difference in the world to me whether I bring out the best that is in me, or the worst—whether I utilize ten fifteen, twenty-five or ninety per cent of my ability.

Everywhere we see people who have reached middle life or later without being aroused. They have developed only a small percentage of their success possibilities. They are still in a dreamy state. The best thing in them lies so deep that it has never been awakened. When we meet these people we feel conscious that they have a great deal of latent power that has never been exercised. Great possibilitie- of usefulness and achievement are, all unconsciously, going to waste within them.

If you interview the great army of failures, you will find multitudes have failed because they never got into a stimulating, encouraging environment, because their ambition was never aroused, or because they were not strong enough to rally under depressing, discouraging, or vicious surroundings. Most of the people we find in prisons and poorhouses are pitiable examples of the influence of an environment which appealed to the worst instead of the best in them.

If a cough makes your nights sleepless and weary, it will worry you a good deal, and with good cause. To dispel the worry and give yourself rest try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It exerts a soothing influence on the air passages and allays the irritation that leads to inflammation. It will subdue the most stubborn cough or cold, and eventually eradicate it from the system, as a trial of it will prove to you.

John Mitchell, proprietor of the Hanover Post, is dead, aged 53.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

The highest railroad bridge in the world is to be built across the Royal gorge in Colorado.

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Gentlemen. — Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine, was completely cured of rheumatism after five years of suffering, by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

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St. Isadore, Que., 12th May, '98.

The Crystal Palace, London, will now hold 100,000 persons.

About £140,000 is the cost of the engines on a first-class man of war.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c.

In many parts of England last January proved one of the wettest Januaries on record.

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60 Specialists on the Case.—In the ordinary run of medical practice a greater number than this have treated cases of chronic dyspepsia and have failed to cure—but Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets (60 in a box at 35 cents cost) have made the cure, giving relief in one day. These little "specialists" have proven their real merit.—72

Oddest Patrol Wagon.

Writing of the local patrol wagon, the Penang correspondent of the Straits Times, Singapore says:—"It forcibly calls to mind at first sight a four-wheeled baker's cart, bar the fact it is drawn by the slowest pair of bullocks in the settlement. There is nothing grim at all about it, for it is commanded by a sleepy Malay constable perched upon a box, its roof and sides are formed of white canvas, and it has no door to close at the back, but merely an opening at which another Malay constable half slumbers. Two or three other constables ride inside, sitting on the benches with the the prisoners, who seem to be too struck with the novelty of the ride to make any attempt at escape. I should say that an escape from this prison van would be as easy as falling off a log."

VAGARIES OF CRANKS

The Freakish Customs by Which Rich Eccentrics Relieve the Monotony of Wealth.

In Vienna there is living to-day Count K—, a wealthy nobleman of Polish origin, who occupies a sumptuously furnished flat in the most fashionable part of the city. When he wants his servants he summmons them by bugle calls, much to the annoyance of his neighbors. His favorite pastime is to hire an omnibus, and, dressed like an ordinary driver to drive his cumbrous vehicle wherever aristocratic equipages are most numerous. He spends a fortune every year on the ostliest of clothes, yet never wears any but the suits discarded by his valet; appears in the ballroom decked from head to heel in virgin white, with the exception of a black shirt and tie, and when he dines—always at one of the most exclusive of restaurants—he begins his meal with a cup of black coffee, and, working his way backwards, winds up with the soup.

It is but a short time since there died at Como a rich old man who was noted for a very strange eccentricity. Although for years he had never been outside his grounds, he would proudly inform his visitors that he had that very day walked to certain villages in the neighborhood. What he actually did was this. Whenever he made up his mind to visit a distant village or town he made an estimate of the distance and covered it on foo on a carefully measured walking track in his grounds. When he wished to call on his friends in the district he would not only do it by proxy, but would conduct a conversation for hours by sending a servant to and fro with questions and answers.

A well known Italian Count who died recently at an advanced age, had for many years defied the weather by drinking a solution of camphor, which he considered an efficient substitute for clothes. Summer and winter alike he would sleep without a particle of covering, and with the windows of his room thrown wide open, and would walk for hours in his garden on a bitterly cold day in the garment most people devote to night wear.

Not long ago, too, there lived near Hastings ,a gentleman whose eccentricities naturally excited considerable attention. Punctually at the stroke of noon each day he would appear in his front garden with a gaily colored turban on his head, his feet shod with richly jewelled and embroidered sandals, and with a coolie cloth around his waist; and, quite indifferent to the amusement he was providing for a crowd of spectators, would first pray aloud to the sun, "the father of light and good," and then prostrate nimself before a quaint miniature temple, in which was enshrined a grotesque idol with diamond eyes.

There is at Cape Breton a worthy much married gentleman who has just taken his eighth wife to his heart and home. And a gruesome home it must be to greet a home coming wife, for seven of its rooms, each painted in black and white, and liberally garnished with skulls and crossbones are dedicated to wives numbers one to seven. As the birthday of each of these departed spouses comes around the by no means disconsolate husband entertains his friends in the room dedicated to her memory, and improves the occasion by telling anecdotes to illustrate her many virtues.

An Ancient Mystery.

The location of the earthly paradise or Garden of Eden is still a matter of dispute among Orientalists and scriptural scholars of highest reputation. Some have endeavored to locate it by the fruits and mineral productions named in the Biblical descriptions as they appear in the second chapter of Genesis; others by the rivers mentioned in verses 11 to 14 of the above mentioned chapter. The weight of investigation and tradition inclines to an agreement that the Tigris and the Euphrates of modern geography are the third and fourth rivers mentioned in the Biblical description of the garden. Those who agree so far differ widely as to what rivers should now be regarded as the ancient Pison and Gihon. The Buddhist scholars, although they reject our Bible in the greater part, incline to the opinion that the Pison is the sacred Ganges, and that the Gihon is none other than the Nile. As to the last, it is altogether probable that they are correct on that point, because the Biblical account plainly says that Gihon "compasseth the whole land of Ethiopia."

Some investigations confirm that Eden was a spot of comparatively small area located on the tablelands of what is now Armenia, from which rise the Tigris and Euphrates. A few scholars of distinction argue that the Adamic paradise was located in Africa in the vicinity of the Mountains of the Moon. Still another school of Orientalists locate the celebrated garden in the vicinity of the ancient city of Babylon.

You will notice, however, that none of these theorists has been able to get the four rivers mentioned in the Biblical account properly located. Neither have they found a place where one great river "separates into four heads." This being the case it is hardly necessary to state that the exact location of Eden is a mystery that will probably never be solved.

Only one person out of twenty-two on board were saved from the wreck of a passenger steamer on the Japanese coast.

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Jews in Mediaeval England.

We are showing much righteous indignation over the Russian treatment of the Jews, but it is only a matter of 700 years since we were on the side of the offenders ourselves. In 1275 the first Edward, as the chronicler tells us, "being shocked at the connivance of his father in giving the privileges of Christian natives to the Jews," not only deprived them of all the rights of citizenship, but also ordered that they should wear badges on their upper garments by way of distinction. He seems, however, to have been against illegal violence from the first; for when 200 Jews were hanged in London for clipping the coinage, it is pleasant to read that this was only after a fair trial had been given them, and that several Christians, their accomplices, suffered with them. It was the Archbishop of Canterbury, who, in 1285, ordered all the Jews' synagogues to be destroyed in the City of London. This was paving the ordinance by which, in 1290, all Jews were banished from England, "they having rendered themselves infinitely odious to the whole nation by their usury and extortion." They were allowed only "such sums as were necessary to defray the expense of their voyage to the Continent," the rest being confiscated by the king. Edward I. again showed his sense of justice even in doing this act of injustice, for "when many of these unhappy wretches in their passage were murdered by the mariners, through hopes of finding treasure concealed about them, the king severely punished the assassins on their return to England." In some ways mediaeval England was ahead of modern Russia. To show the futility of all ordinances professing to be "forever" the Jews were recalled in 1654 by Cromwell, he "being influenced by a desire of improving commerce."

A Pill for Benerous Eaters.—There are many persons of healthy appetite and poor digestion who, after a hearty meal, are subject to much suffering. The food of which they have partaken lies like lead in their stomachs. Headache, depression, a smothering feeling follow. One so afflicted is unfit for business or work of any kind. In this condition Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will bring relief. They will assist the assimilation of the aliment, and used according to direction will restore healthy digestion.

It is rumored that the taotai of Shanghai has been appointed governor of Pekin.

The Rand has now a population of 114,000 out of 290,000 whites in the Transvaal.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Chancellor Von Buelow declares that the Moroccan conference will have a satisfactory result.

It Lays a Stilling Hand on Pain.—For pains in the joints and limbs and for rheumatic pains, neuralgia and lumbago, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is without a peer. Well rubbed in, the skin absorbs it and quickly and permanently relieves the affected part. Its value lies in its magic property of removing pain from the body, and for that good quality it is prized.

About one per cent of the population of Japan is Christian.

The lace trade affords employment to 200,000 persons in France.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Japan is now able to construct battleships of any size in her own dockyards.

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Baby's Own Tablets has a smile in every dose for the tender babe and the growing child. These Tablets cure indigestion, wind colic, constipation, diarrhoea, and feverishness, break up colds, and bring natural, healthy sleep. And the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that this medicine contains no opiate, narcotic, or poisonous "soothing" stuff—it always does good and cannot do harm. Mrs. Joseph Ross, Hawthorne, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets and find them just the thing to keep children well. You can get them from from any medicine dealer or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.,

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Home Life of the Czarina.

A charming, simple home is the Alexandra palace but there is one room, which must, I think, have been—must be still—supremely painful. It is the library, panelled with mirrors, against which are affixed, like brackets small half-models of all the vessels in the navy—the mirrors completing the image. I had the use of that library during the summer I spent at Tzarskoe-Selo, and paused most frequently (after selecting my book) before the odd circular Popovka, named after its designer, Admiral Popoff. Not in this palace does the Czarina have to wear the adaptation of the national costume which Katherine II. established as the court dress that is reserved for "national" days at court such as New Year's Day, the Epiphany, Easter and so forth. That is the costume which, in Miniature, and in the pretty adaptation of the kokoshnik (or coronet) the Empress has provided for her four intelligent and attractive little daughters on special occasions. Such is the coronation gown (in cloth or silver), which is preserved, together with all the accessories, down to the the gloves, fan, stockings and slippers in the museum of the Kremlin in Moscow.

Austria-Hungary's tariff treaties with Germany, Italy, Russia and Belgium have become effective.

Wells, the man who broke the bank at Monte Carlo, has been sentenced to gaol for fraudulent practices.

English Drummers.

Travelling men in England have special dining rooms, special rates and special lots of things," said E.K. Simmons, of Manchester, England.

"When you go into the lobby of an English hotel you may be surprised to find a great open fire burning in one end of the room. Great comfortable chairs will be found about the lobby and you need not exclaim if you see several salesmen smoking long pipes and reposing their stockinged feet upon large footstools. Empty shoes can be found in many portions of the room.

"The English lobby is a parlor or sitting room, a place of comfort, and in no instance bears the stiff, varnished, emblazoned appearance of your American hostelries. When you go to the dining room you may be surprised to hear the clerk ask if you are a travelling man. If you are you are ushered into a simply but homely furnished room containing one long table. The apartment is more like a private dining room, and everybody is everybody else's friend.

"The meal is especially served, the waiters show especial deference, and everything bears a tone of home life. As each man leaves the table he is seen to drop a halfpenny in a little box. This is an unwritten law of the land , and the money thus collected goes to pay for schools and orphanages for the children of travelling salesmen who die without leaving sufficient means for their support. Several of these schools and orphanages are maintained throughout England.

"English travelling salesmen take life easier than do the men following a similar occupation in America. They as soon forget to wear a collar or coat as to expect to do business with out having their shoes carefully polished. All hotels look to this and a "boots" gets your shoes each night, marks them with chalk, polishes them and returns them before you are awake the next day."—Louisville Courier Journal.

The "Russianizing" of Hungary is to be pushed by the imperial authorities to exasperate the Magyars.

Wong Kai Woh, Chinese commissioner to Japan, was suffocated by charcoal fumes at Yokohoma.

"Worn Out" People

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Mt. Pleasant continues to grow and prosper. Each day sees new residents moving on the Hill, and each week new business houses opened. Property on Mt. Pleasant in the past month has advanced in price most astonishingly and is changing hands rapidly. So ideally situated it is obvius that Mt. Pleasant must become the choice residential part of Vancouver as the growth of the City will necessarily result in business streets extending into the non-residential part.

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Advent Christian Church (not 7th day Adventists), Seventh avenue, near Westminster avenue. Services 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., Sunday School at 10 a. m. Young peoples' Society of Loyal Workers of Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock. Prayer-meeting Wednesday nights at 8 o'clock.

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MONDAY.

The 2d and 4th Mondays of the month Court Vancouver, I. O. F., meets at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY.

Mt. Pleasant Lodge No. 19, I.O.O.F. meets at 8 p. m.

THURSDAY.

Vancouver Council No. 211a, Canadian Order of Chosen Friends meets the 2d and 4th Thursdays of the month.

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Local Items.

Mr. Al Murphy is out again after a severe attack of la grippe.

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If Dame Rumor is correct there are a number of weddings to take place in June.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton will movein to their new home on Twentieth avenue next week.

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Don't forget to attend the Auction Sale at 1036 Keefer street Thursday next at 2:30 p. m.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Harford of Ruskin, B. C, spent a few days on Mt. Pleasant this week visiting relatives.

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Mr. J. Martin, 1st Assistant at Strathcona School, is able to be out again after a week's illness with tonsilitis.

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Roy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Owens of South Vancouver, who sustained severe injuries from a kick of his horse Saturday evening last, is slowly improving.

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Miss Gertrude Copeland left Tuesday for Victoria, to represent the Mission Band of Mt. Pleasant Methodist Church at the branch meeting of the Normal Missionary Society.

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CREHAN – WILKINSON.—Matthew Joseph Crehan and Mercy Ellen Wilkinson married at St. James' Church, by the Rev. H. G. Fiennes-Clinton on May the 5th.

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ANDERSON—CULLEN.

Mr Thomas W. W. Anderson and Clara Cullen, both of this city, were united in marriage at the Manse of the First Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening, the Rev. Dr. Fraser officiating. The bride wore a very pretty and becoming costume of pearl grey with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will reside at 431 Seventh avenue, east.

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Is it true that Cobalt is the richest silver camp in the world? This is a question which Wallace McLean seeks to answer in the May number of "The Busy Man's Magazine." He writes, "Judging from the lavish way huge nuggets and slabs of silver have been scattered over the surface of the earth at Cobalt one would conclude that there must be a great store house of the precious metal in the immediate vicinity. That there is such a storehouse is generally admitted and that it must be below the earth is also admitted. So far the lowest depth reached is in the neighborhood of 300 feet, but of this the lower 200 feet was made by a diamond drill. This depth has been reached on the property of the Larose Mining Company and the proprietors report that as depth is reached the ore bodies increase in quantity and richness. It will take several years to ascertain what the rocks of Cobalt really contain. Up to date the diagnosis is most favorable and it is firmly believed that Cobalt will not only prove its claim to possessing the greatest and richest silver ore in the world, but also to possessing the greatest and richest silver mines in the world." There are many other interesting articles in "The Busy Man's Magazine" for May.

Births.

BURKHOLD.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burkhold, South Vancouver, May 8th, a daughter.

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SOUTH VANCOUVER.

An adjourned meeting of the School Trustees of South Vancouver was held on Wednesday afternoon the 2d, in the Municipal Hall, all the members of the Board being present, Chairman Hodgson presiding Chairman Hodgson reported the interview he and Trustee Wells with the Reeve and Councillor had with the Hon. Mr. Cotton. The questions discussed were: the sale of Westminster Avenue School site and the purchase of another, opening of a school in District Lot 472 the Government providing grounds, grading and fencing of Eburne school grounds, and a few other matters. Mr. Cotton promised to have the Government consider the questions. The Chairman and Trustee Farr was instructed to get building and necessary furniture ready for opening of school in District Lot 472 The Secretary was instructed to prepare a list of salaries of Teachers to 31st of March for the Municipal Council, and request them to make a temporary advance to the Board for the purpose of payment. The Secretary was instructed to write Superintendent of Education as to grant for salaries of teachers. After passing accounts the Board adjourned to meet again on May 9th.

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OBITUARY.

After several weeks illness, the death of John McGregor Foster occurred at Kamloops on Monday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellison. The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Foster, Tenth avenue, and was 27 years old. Mr. Foster and his mother were on their way home from Tranquille, where they had gone for the benefit of Jack's health. On arriving at Kamloops it was found that Jack was not strong enough to stand the journey home. The kind and wholehearted way in which Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellison ministered to the comforts of Jack and his mother in their hour of need will always be remembered with gratitude by the family. Mr. Foster was one of the most highly esteemed residents of Mt. Pleasant; he was genial, studious, a faithful worker and devoted to his home. Free from the incompleteness of the present life, out of the weary world into the rapture of rest, into the Eden where fairest of flowers shall never wither away, yet all who knew Jack will regret his death, and his memory will ever be cherished by his associates. The parents, brothers *and sisters have the deepest sympathy* of a wide circle of friends in their bereavement.

In accordance with the wish of the deceased, the flowers with the exception, of wreaths and other designs, were sent to the General Hospital to be distributed among the patients who are without friends and relatives in the city.

The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon from the family residence, 234 Tenth avenue, the Rev. Geo. A. Wilson of Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian Church officiating The pall-bearers were: Duncan Muir, James Cuthbertson, John Grant, Arnot Hewton, J. Laughlin, J. N. Boult There was a large number of beautiful floral tributes, as follows:

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The death occurred on Monday of Mrs. John Willox at her home, Sophia street. Deceased was born in Scotland, and emigrated to Souris, Man., in 1881, being a pioneer of that place. Three years ago she and her husband and family, consisting of two sons and two daughters, all of whom survive her, came to Vancouver. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the funeral arrangements being in charge of Armstrong & Edwards. There was a large attendance of sorrowing friends. The funeral services were conducted by the Brethren led by Rev. C. Wood and were very impressive The pall-bearers were H. J. Douglas, J. Glass, R. Hearn, J.W. Burr, M. P. Perry, J. Richmond.

Stanley, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark, 2546 Scott street, who died Monday from heart failure was buried Tuesday.

The death occurred Wednesday morning of James Street, aged 59, of 3180 Westminster avenue. The deceased came to Vancouver from Kent, England, three years ago, and was a painter by trade. He leaves four daughters and two sons, all of whom are resident in Vancouver. The funeral was held Thursday morning, the Rev. G. H. Wilson of St. Michael's Church being the officiating clergyman.

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Of all the joy, dear heart,
That life has brought,
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Has come unsought.

For we have learned to know
This wisdom sweet,
That choicest blossoms grow
Close to our feet.

In quiet paths, today,
Our footsteps press,
And love has led the way
To happiness.

—Eugene C. Dolson.

Telephone Numbers of Local Preachers.

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