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THE CRESTON REVIEW

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October 22, Date of Creston District's Fruit, Vegetable and Poultry Show

SLIDES CLEARED TRAINS PROCEED

A great deal of excitement was occasioned during the early part of the week owing to the fact that on account of extensive mud slides near Field all main line traffic was diverted to the Crow's Nest line.

All trains held up on the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway by slides are now on their way east and west. The line was finally cleared at 11 o'clock this morning and all trains are now moving toward their destinations. Monday the population of field, the town nearest the slide which occurred between Pallister and Glenogle, 25 miles west of Field, was increased by the addition of 2000 passengers who were held up by the delay.

The slide, which was 300 ft. wide and 80 ft. deep was caused by the bursting of an old beaver dam high up in the mountains Superintendent MacKay at Revelstoke, says that the dam burst under pressure of heavy rainstorms last week. The stream down which the imprisoned waters rushed is ordinarily so small that a man could step across it. The slide carried the track away completely and it went clear across the Kicking Horse river, damming that stream and endangering the track above the slide. The river was completely blocked up and it was found neccessary to blast a new chanel for the stream to release the pent up waters.

The Canadian Pacific railway had two steam steam shovels on the job and 100 men toiled almost without stopping. Huge trees were brought down with the slide and boulders nearly as big as a box car made the job of clearing the track a difficult one. Some of the trees that came down bore the marks of the beavers' teeth, and the supports of the dam erected by the animals were plainly marked as such by the bleaching of their upper ends and the lower points coated with mud and slime. Those of the delayed westbound passengers who arrived this morning, expressed themselves as satisfied with the manner in which they were treated by the company

Fourteen trains, east and west bound were stalled by the slide. Some of the passengers were transferred across the wash slide over a narrow footbridge and others bound east were routed down the Arrowhead lakes and by way of the Crow's Nest pass east again over the main line.

NELSON FRUIT FAIR

All arrangements are completed for the Eleventh Annual Fruit Fair at Nelson, September 23 24-25, this years Fair promises to be the banner one and will be worth while visiting, a splendid line of attractions have been booked for the entertainment of the visitors and will be the best ever seen in the interior, some fifteen acts having been procured by the management.

A splendid program of fireworks has been contracted for with the well known firm of Hitt & Co. of Seattle, who have lately given the biggest displays in the West. In addition to the night display the latest achievements in pyrotechnics will be seen namely fireworks in broad daylight.

Other attractions will be horse racing, rock drilling contest, Human Pyramid Builders, The Dog and Pony Circus, The Dancing Geese, etc.

Single fare for the round trip will be in effect on all lines in B. C. between Calgary and Vancouver

What is a dust-pan social anyhow?

—Send for our prices on furniture, we pay the freight. C. C. S.

BABIES CONTEST AT PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION

Not an old fashioned beauty show but a new contest of correct proportions, fine human mechanism and intelligence.

That is the way the better babies contest is described and that this feature of the provincial exhibition, which will be held in New Westminster from September 30 until October 4 inclusive, will be a success is assured by the fact that it is being held under the auspices of the Local Council of Women.

A committee has been appointed of which Mrs. Van Liew, 108 Oakland street, New Westminster, is chairman and arrangements are now being made for the contest.

Entries must be made before 2p. m. of Friday, October 3 and judging will commence one hour afterwards.

Room To Let—On Victoria Avenue Apply to Mrs. W. K. Brown, Creston, B. C. 33-34 p.

S. A. HARVEST HOME SEPTEMBER, 20

Lieut. W. Cooper of the Salvation Army in Cranbrook arrived in Creston Monday and visited with his friend W. D. Smith for a few days. He was collecting in the interest of the Harvest Thanksgiving to be held in Cranbrook September 20. Any person wishing to donate fruit or vegetables, would please forward them to Cranbrook where they will be thankfully received by the Army. Lieut. W. Cooper returned home Wednesday.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Wharf at Kaslo B. C." will be received at this office until 4.00 P. M., on Tuesday, October, 7,1913, for the construction of a Pile Bent and Timber Decking Wharf at Kaslo, District of Kootenay, B. C.

Plans specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the office of J. P. Forde, Esq., District Engineer, Revelstoke, B.C C. C. Worsfold, Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster,, B. C. and on application to the Postmaster at Kaslo B. C.

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

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

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

By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, September 3,1913.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—472 70,

NEWSY LOCAL NOTES.

Printing as you like it at the Creston Review.

Creston District fruit, vegetable and poultry show will take place Wednesday, October 22nd.

C. C. S., SIGNAFIES CRANBROOK CO-OPERATIVE STORES.

W. D. Smith returned from Nelson Friday where he has been for the past month working with the bridge crew. They have completed their work there for this season. Six others of the bridge crew returned the same day.

—The C. C. S. of Cranbrook is selling Iron Beds with mattress and spring for $11.

CANYON CITY NEWS

Our population is growing two families moved to our city last week.

Mrs. Drysdale and daughter of Lethbridge, who has been visiting relatives for the past week returned to their home today.

Flossie White creates quite a sensation on Broadway with her famous steed "Bones" but like a singed cat he is better than he looks.

Miss Kate Wood has gone to Nelson for a holiday

On Friday, September 5 a very enjoyable social evening was spent at the home of Mr. Knott who has recently returned from the hospital at Cranbrook, looking much improved. With music, games and dancing, the guests, over forty of whom were present, had a very pleasant time, supper being provided by the ladies present.

The many friends of Mrs. Walett will be sorry to hear that she is at present in the hospital at Winnipeg.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN N. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

SOME persons are so unlucky that they always get the seat in the car next to the large lady who has been eating onions.

It is hard to make some people understand that what is yours isn't all their own and that things that are disagreeable to them may be odious to you.

You have to show up the cocksure fellow occasionally or there's no living with him.

Anyway, the people who are in the limelight can't have many dark secrets.

We hate to have our friends pity us and think them hard hearted if they don't.

Don't find fault. If you must work off your meanness, just get some sharp tongued person started on the subject you want to see ventilated.

Don't feel hurt if somebody else does your work better than you do it and gets your job if you don't properly attend to it yourself.

Some people wouldn't be satisfied with a chance to go to heaven unless they were furnished with a return ticket.

Probably the chief difference between being a schemer and a dreamer is merely one of practicability.

There is no sense in being a fool, for then you wouldn't be a fool.

FOR SALE—Democrat, only used five weeks. Cost $125.00 E. A. Penson Erickson, B. C. 33-36

Choice assortment of Tea Pots, also Flower Pots Just arrived at Creston Mercantile. Co.

WANTED—To rent a piano during fall and winter. No children in house. Apply P. O. Box 30, Creston. 34 t f.

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DUCK CREEK NEWS

Mrs. W. Touhey and Mrs. R. Dennis of Sirdar were visitors to Duck Creek Saturday last as the guests of Mrs J Bathie.

The Social Club picnic on Sunday was an unqualified success. The weather was all that could be desired and the attendance was good. The day was spent most enjoyable with games, strolls and swinging etc. Mr. W. J. Cooper took a number of photographs during the day.

Mrs. M. Hagen and Jimmy Thompson were visitors to Creston Monday.

E. Butterfield was a Creston caller Tuesday.

Misses Emma Johnson and Merle Bathie were in Creston Tuesday.

Jimmy Thompson was on Wednesday's train bound for Nelson.

O. J. Wigen was in Creston Wednesday,

Mrs. Mason was a visitor to Creston Thursday.

The Misses Florence Bathie ana Amy Johnson were visitors to Sirdar Wednesday.

Paul Hagen enjoyed a large dish of strawberries for supper on labor day.

Particular Notice: As there was a dance in Creston on Friday September, 12 there will be no dance on September 13 at Duck Creek. The next dance will be on the 20th.

THEY DIDN'T MIND DIRT.

In the Days When Clothes Were Dyed, but Never Washed.

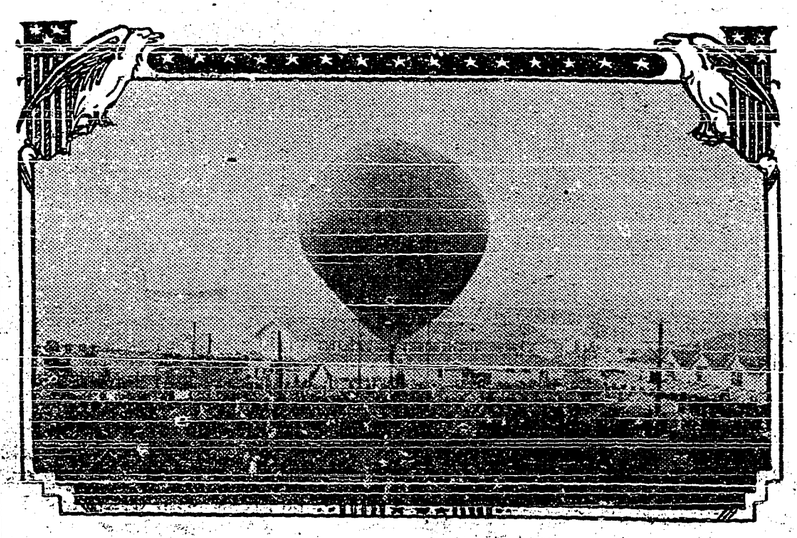
In the matter of the washing of clothes, not to say the washing of themselves, our ancestors were a trifle lax. The laundress of the twelfth century must have held a position which was practically a sinecure, while it seems within the bounds of possibility that in those days she did not exist at all. There were, insooth, few garments which would stand washing, and the dyer was driving a brisk trade before the laundress was even thought of. A little dye must indeed have covered a multitude of spots.

In the days of the Tudors and Stuarts washing was a trifle more in evidence than formerly, but those articles which were permitted to find their way into the "buck pan"—as the washing tub used to be called—were few and far between. The wealthy of the middle ages got over the difficulty of obtaining clean underclothing with primitive simplicity by not wearing any, while the lower orders wore course woolen garments that would no doubt have "shrunk in the wash." To prevent any casualty of the kind they remained unwashed.

Velvets, taffetas and richly dyed silks, such as those worn by the nobility and gentry, could not, of course, be washed, and should any person of high degree be the possessor of a linen shirt it was a thing which was carefully made known to all his friends and relatives as being extremely in mode and a fit subject for congratulation, but washed it never was for fear of injuring its pristine beauty.—London Tatler.

Captive Baloon at the Spokane Fair

These are the busy days at the Spokane Interstate Fair Grounds, and an army of men and women is hard at work getting everything ready for Monday Sept. 15, which is the opening day of the Twentieth Annual Fair. And it is some job, for there are a thousand and one different things to be done. The Exhibit Buildings with their superintendants and assistants, must be ready to receive the 15,000 different entries which will come to be judged, stalls and stables ready for the train loads of prize stock which are on the way, lawns and walks made spick and span and hundreds of benches and drinking fountains put out. The entire office force of the Fair is already at work in the big office in the Grand



Stand. A Bell Telephone Exchange, with more than 100 phones and three busy operators, is handling the numerous phone inquiries; the Telegraph Companies each have an office installed, the Branch Postoffice is open, a complete Transportation Bureau is handling thousands of express and freight shipments and two information Bureaus, one on the Grounds and one downtown in the Chamber of Commerce Building are answering questions of every conceivable kind and also helping visitors to find rooms and hotel accomodations. The free Nursery For Babies has been made twice as large in order to take care of the many babies expected to compete for the $500 offered in the Better Babies Contest, and the Emergency Hospital is ready to take care of any accident to visitors or workmen. Both the Fair Police Department and the Fair Fire Department are completely installed with a force of viligent officers and men on hand day and night, and the motto for every man woman and child on the job is, "Everything must be ready Monday morning."

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINIG REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta the Yukon Territory, the North west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior

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Water the Horses

This is the time of year when the horses, the motive power of the farm, suffer most. You would not get the hired man to follow the disc harrow, the plough or the binder long if a jug of cool water was not at hand frequently—why expect the horses to go for five or six hours without a drink? You say you have no water in the field. Then take some with you. Get a clean barrel or two. Put them in a wagon or truck—fill with water and haul to the field each morning and noon. Take a pail along and water the horses two or three times each forenoon and afternoon. Even if you only give them half a gallon each it will greatly refresh them. You should just as soon attempt to cut a harvest without twine as to cut a harvest without a barrel of water in the field for the horses.

A Careless Remark

Well, sad to say, I'll have to tear myself away.

That'll be ripping won't it?

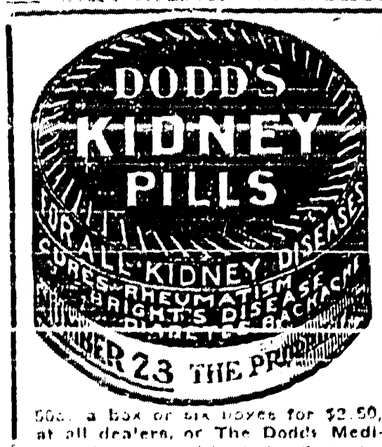
Most Unjust

A St Louis man went out fishing one day recently. He had a nice lunch fixed up, but upon arriving at the fishing place he discovered that he had lost it, so he retraced his steps until he met a large, satisfied looking colored man, who was seated by the roadside under a tree picking his teeth.

Did you pick up anything in the road? inquired the fisherman.

No, sah, I didn't pick up nuffin. Couldn't a dog hab found and et it up?

There is a deal of difference between being useful and being used.



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Interesting Data as to Icebergs

A three months game of tag between vessels of the United States revenue cutter service and the icebergs of the North Atlantic steamship lanes which has just been brought to an end, has resulted in contributions of great value to the mariner's store of knowledge about ice movements and their dangers to the great fleet constantly passing between Europe and America. The ice patrol itself was a direct result of the tremendous shock suffered by both Europe and America in the loss of the giant liner Titanic a year ago last April when more than 1,600 persons were drowned when the vessel collided with an iceberg in the same waters searched this year by the revenue cutters.

The vessel engaged in the ice patrol were the cutters Seneca and Miami, commanded by Capts. C. B. Johnson and A. S. Gamble respectively. Capt. Johnston was the senior officer in command of the ice patrol and in his final report are conclusions which ought to form the basis of study by all commanders and navigators of steam vessels in the North Atlantic ship lanes. The Titanic disaster brought to every ocean traveller with shocking vividness the reality of the danger to the transatlantic fast liners from the presence of ice in their tracks during the spring months. To all passengers of such steamers Capt. Johnston's report may serve well as an index to the measure of care and precaution necessary for any ship in the vicinity of the annual path of icebergs, and it has therefore a definite value for the travelling public as well as to mariners.

The mode of procedure in the ice patrol maintained by the Seneca and the Miami was for the two vessels to take turns in scouring the ocean for ice in the waters bounded by the fiftieth and forty-fourth parallels north latitude, and the fortieth and forty-ninth meridians of west longitude. All passing vessels reported by wireless to the patrol vessels any ice they had encountered in those waters, while the vessels in turn transmitted to the Naval Hydrographic Office at New York daily reports of all ice either seen by them or reported to them by other vessels. In a short time practically every berg in those waters had been located, identified and its general movements ascertained. Thereafter the task of the patrol vessels was to check up on the known bergs at frequent intervals, and by observation of their positions at each sighting, to learn the rate and direction of their movements. It is this secondary phase of the patrol that yielded the general observations of greatest permanent value to maritime interests.

It was found that the icebergs were brought south along the coast of Newfoundland and the Grand Banks by what is known as the Labrador Current. The southerly drift was found to vary from practically nothing to as high as thirty-two miles a day, depending upon wind and tide in its fluctuations. At the junction of the Labrador Current, accelerated by the flow from the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and the northward moving gulf stream from the gulf of Mexico the direction of the drift of icebergs is charged from southerly to north and east. The Gulf stream is more powerful than the Labrador current and dominates it, taking along in its course whatever ice may be brought into it. This change usually occurs in April and May, and those months become then the period of greatest danger to transatlantic liners from ice. The tracks of the liners hardly touch the Labrador current, but do lie along the path of the Gulf stream. The area of the ice danger is at the same time restricted, because bergs coming into the gulf stream do not last long in the warm water of that current.

Capt. Johnston is of the opinion that the quantity of ice brought down in the spring is in direct proportion to the severity of the winter preceding. The severity of the winters in the north Atlantic States, he says, depends upon the prevalence of strong north winds having their origin on the Labrador coast. Similarly it is these same winds which start southward the great mass of ice broken off from glaciers which appear in the steamship tracks as icebergs. Therefore the ice danger in the steamship lanes is always greatest after the most severe winters and less as the preceding winter has been mild.

Many of the icebergs in the southward drift becomes grounded on the Grand Banks and do not constitute any serious menace to the translantic liners. It is those which continue south parallel to and beyond the banks which threaten the safety of the ocean steamers; and it was to these that the revenue cutter patrols paid the most attention. Capt. Johnston said that the largest berg that was encountered was about 400 feet long, 300 feet wide and about 70 feet out of the water. The smallest ice which properly could be called a berg was 225 feet long, 100 fee. wide and 35 feet out of the water.

Capt. Johnston estimated the rate of deteriodation of icebergs floating in the Gulf stream is about 5 per cent. a day. He saw many melting so rapidly that waterfalls were pouring down their sides while others in the advanced stages of disaolution turned over daily as rapid melting shifting the centre of gravity. Sometimes icebergs were found literally covered with sea birds. Of the score of varieties of sea birds found on or near icebergs Capt. Johnston concludes that the presence of none but the murre, a bird common in northern latitudes, can be safely regarded as an indication of ice in the vicinity.

Too Late

A boy wrote home for a supply of cash. Appended to the letter was the following post-scriptum:

I felt so ashamed at having asked you to send me $10 that I ran to the post office to get my letter back. Unfortunately, it had gone.

Would Starve

You should always speak in a low voice.

You couldn't get anything to eat at our boarding house if you spoke that way.

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CANADIAN NEWSPAPERS ARE INCREASING

Over 100 New Papers Started in 1912

We have just received from the Publishers, A. McKim, Limited, Montreal & Toronto, a copy of the 1913 Edition to their Canadian Newspaper Directory. This work shows that within the last year over one hundred new papers have started to publish in the Dominion. In fact so quickly is our Canadian Newspaper field spreading out that A. McKim, Limited, have decided that it will be necessary in future to publish the Canadian Newspaper Directory annually instead of biennially as before. This Canadian Newspaper Directory gives full particulars of practically every publication in Canada, and is intended as a guide to advertisers, in selecting papers best suited to their requirements.

The work before us is most comprehensive, and gives the population of every newspaper town and the circulation of practically every paper in the Dominion. In all it describes 1,688 publications issued in Canada and Newfoundland, of these 152 are Daily, 1,231 weekly or semi-weekly, 232 monthly and 23 published less frequently.

This issue also contains a list of the principal British publications which will be of much value to the many Canadian Firms now advertising in the Old Country.

The firm of A. McKim, Limited, who are easily the leaders in the Advertising Agency Business in Canada are to be congratulated upon the splendid service rendered both to publisher and advertiser through this very complete Directory. The price of the work delivered anywhere is $2.00 per copy.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

The Rainy Day

Victor Grayson, the English parliamentarian, who was expelled from the House of Commons for obstruction, said in New York the other day:

Your multi-millionaires are the glibbest lot of hypocrites that history has ever seen. With one hand they make the gestures for a Sunday School address, and with the other hand they pick the people's pockets.

Those men, preaching good and doing evil so piously, remind me of the old fraud who said:

I believe in putting by something for a rainy day.

And so saying he stole his neighbor's mackintosh.

ADAMS VERMONT'S CHAMPION TRAPSHOOTER

E. Adams, of Barre, shooting a Remington pump gun at the Vermont State Tournament held in Springfield, June 18 and 19, won the state championship, breaking 93 clay targets out of a possible 100 in the main event.

A House Fly as big as a Cat

Many thousands of people have seen the big glass mosquito at the American Museum of Natural History in New York. Now it has a companion in a house fly 64,000 times as big as the one we are so often adjured to swat or starve. This model has cost nine months of work and study on the part of Ignasz Matausch, a Hungarian modelmaker in the service of the museum. The proportions have been preserved with the minutest care, Mr. Matausch having made his drawings and casts for the head and body and various members of the insect from dissection. Larvae and pupae of the fly are shown in models molded on the same scale, as are the eggs, which appear as little cucumber-shaped pieces of paraffin about two inches long. A real fly's egg is just visible to the naked eye. The same artist has painted an enlargement (1,500 diameters) of the hairy foot of the fly, showing the typhoid bacilli, of which the insect is the common carrier, one the claw-like tip of the member.

Two Immense Cables

For the purpose of hauling across the submerged pipes for the Capilano partnership pipe at Vancouver, two steel cables, twenty tons' weight each, have been conveyed to the north side of the First narrows. The cables, which were manufactured in England and which are 6,000 feet long are said to be the biggest ever shipped into Canada.

English vs. Continental Banks

The London correspondent of the American Banker contrasts British banks unfavorably with Continental banks as to the accommodation provided for travellers and others who have business with banks. At times he says in the English bank, the client has to discuss his business on foot at the counter, while on the Continent splendidly fitted reception rooms are provided and the utmost consideration is shown to customers.

Back Slap

She finished a tirade at her friend and ended with:

There, I think I have made myself plain, have I not?

Made yourself plain, dear? sweetly answered the once friend. Oh, no dear; you were born that way.

He Knew

I can prove to you the power of mind over matter, said the professor.

You needn't bother to prove it to the last man

But you may not understand it?

Yes, I do! My wife weigh only eighty-five pounds.

Weed Work for 1914

Now is the time to plan for a better kind of weed work for 1914—a kind that will be effective. It seems to the provincial department of agriculture that the most effective work could be done by appointing a good man to take over the whole work and devote all his time from the 1st of February. Arrangements have been made to hold a short course of three weeks' duration for the benefit of the men who will be doing the work in this matter. At the short course will be taken up lines of work that will in a way fit a man for general agricultural work. In other words, the weed work will be done on the basis that ninety per cent of the work is educational.

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Rainy Weather Made Popular

One of the large London insurance companies has lately issued a novel insurance policy against bad weather. It is primarily for the benefit of travelers who make trips in the spring and summer through England, and who complain if their trips are spoiled by variations of weather.

These policies are called, naturally enough, rain policies. The more you pay the greater, of course, is your compensation if it rains. You can pay $5 a week, and if it happens to rain for more than two days out of seven you get $40 for each such week.

There are four different classes, and all are arranged proportionately to the amount paid down.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Green and Brown are having a terrible row down the street.

What seems to be the matter?

I don't know, but they are calling each other thief and liar.

Did you say Green and Brown?

Yes.

I thought so. They are just having a friendly political discussion. Come on; let's go home'

The Way it Goes

Some women are born ugly.

I suppose so.

And others are both ugly and awkward'

Yes, and still others wear pink high heeled shoes.

Heading Him Off

Why do you always laugh at everything that man says?

Because I know he will say it again if I don't laugh at it when he says it the first time.

Sad Case

He's a hard man to get along with.

Well, why don't you do the other thing?

What is that?

Get along without him.

Because he insists on going along with me. He's my husband, you see.

Good All Round

aids to good health—and to the strength, comfort and cheerfulness which depend on the condition of health—are the famous, time-tested, safe and speedy

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HEREDITY IN HANDWRITING

Science Wakes up to a Fact That the Public Have Long Realized

Non scientific persons have long realized the remarkable similarity in handwriting of members of the same family, sometimes lasting for half a dozen generations, and now, it seems, science is at last waking up to this suggestive fact in heredity. Sir Rickman Goodlee, president of the Royal College of Surgeons, said recently:

I have lately been reading old letters dating back to the early part of the eighteen century, and I have been struck with the way in which mere handwriting is handed down from father to son, and mother to daughter.

It is impossible to trace quite clearly my great-grandfather's writing in that of my cousin's and father's and my own. If mere handwriting is thus transmitted, together with the tone of the voice and the shape of the nose, the question arises whether any one need be ashamed of his defects, sorry for his misdeeds, proud of his success, or satisfied with the consciousness of virtue. We may feel the long arms of our ape-like ancestors stretching out of the past and molding our characters. We may read all that has ever been written about free will from the time of Aristotle, and we may hug the notion that our actions have been predestined from the nebulous state of our planet.

But it makes no difference to us. We are still doggedly convinced that by taking thought we can add one cubit to our stature, or at any rate prevent it being one cubit less.

Miller's Worm Powders prove their value. They do not cause any violent disturbances in the stomach, any pain or griping, but do their work quietly and painlessly, so that the destruction of the worms is imperceptible. Yet they are thorough, and from the first dose there is improvement in the condition of the sufferer and an entire cessation of manifestations of internal trouble.

Woolen Cloths

The first woolen cloths manufactured in England were produced by a colony of seventy families of Dutch cloth-workers, who landed in England July 26, in the year 1331, having been induced to settle in England by a liberal grant from Edward III. Worsted manufacture was commenced in Norfolk a few years later, and the industry so launched soon reached large proportions. Every effort was made to protect the infant industry, and in 1463 it was enacted that no cloth but of Wales or Ireland should be imported into England. In the seventeenth century, during the reign of Charles II, a law was passed that all persons should be buried in woolen cloths. In 1700 an act was passed by parliament, prohibiting the importation into England of Indian muslins, chintzes, and cottons, which were threatening to supplant woolen cloths in popularity. It was not until the last century that cotton replaced wool as the staple commodity of English manufacture.

KEEP CHILDREN WELL DURING HOT WEATHER

Every mother knows how fatal the hot summer months are to small children. Cholera infantum, diarrhoea, dysentry and stomach troubles are rife at this time and often a precious little life is lost after only a few hours illness. The mother who keeps Baby's Own Tablets in the house feels safe. The occasional use of the Tablets prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if trouble comes suddenly—as it generally does—the Tablets will bring the baby safely through. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

He Would Pollute the Water

There was an amusing incident at the opening of Kelsey Park, Beckenham, the other day.

Mr. John Burns, who performed the opening ceremony, was interrupted several times by a man who evidently disapproved of him, and whose remarks were not in the best of taste. After a little the crowd became tired of the man's objectionable attitude.

Chuck him in the lake! somebody shouted.

No, no, no! cried Mr. Burns hastily. You musn't do that! Don't you know there are heavy penalties for polluting the water?

Drafts either from windows or banks.

Policemen.

Corns.

Locomotive.

Garden tools.

So Reckless

It is no use talking, remarked Banks, dejectedly. It is impossible to make a woman understand even the first principles of finance.

What's the matter now? inquired Henderson.

Matter! ejaculated the disgusted Banks. Why, when I was away yesterday the baby swallowed a dime. And what does my wife do but call in a doctor and pay him $5 for getting that coin back.

Some people can't even lend their moral support without charging interest for it.

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Cramming down ill-chosen food, and rushing back to work, leads straight to dyspepsia, with all it means in misery.

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The Trouble

The grand vizier was lolling among the cushions of his silken divan, drawing lazily from his jeweled chibouk, when a mameluke craved admittance for two of the Sultan's officers. The door swung open and the pair came forward and salaamed.

Speak, said the Grand Vizier. What message does the commander of the faithful honor me withal?

Without speaking, one of the officers handed a silken package to the premier. He kissed it respectfully and opened it. Then he gave a cry of alarm. It was the bowstring — the sign that he was under sentence of death.

What have I done to merit this? Speak, he cried.

You have insulted her gracious Majesty the Sultana.

Aha! This is another case of Potiphar's wife. The Sultan has been lied to by a scorned woman. Listen and I will tell you the real truth. The Sultana wanted me to elope with her and I refused.

That, O effendi, is the trouble.

Ready-made Medicine.—You need no physician for ordinary ills when you have at hand a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. For coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchial troubles, it is invaluable, for scalds, burns, bruises, sprains it is unsurpassed, while for cuts, sores, ulcers and the like it is an unquestionable healer. It needs no testimonial other than the use, and that will satisfy anyone as to its effectiveness.

Alfalfa Fireguards

Much of the loss to crops, buildings and other improvements, caused by railway fires in cultivated sections of the Prairie Provinces, could be avoided if farmers would raise some noncombustible crop on a strip of land adjacent to railway rights of way. Alfalfa is suggested in this connection, since this crop will not burn and a narrol strip will form a thoroughly efficient fireguard. Where clover can be grown successfully, it will answer equally well. The growing of potatoes, beets, or other root crops will serve the same purpose, where local market conditions will permit. This would be a step in the much to be desired direction of diversified farming. —C. L. in 'Conservation.'

Strenuous

I would be willing to work, said Tyre Dout, if I could get the sort of job I want.

What would that job be?

Well, I wouldn't mind calling out the stations on an Atlantic liner.

Little Willie, a city boy, on his first visit to the country was greatly excited on seeing a cow grazing in a field.

Oh, Cousin John, what is that? he exclaimed.

That is a cow, John replied.

And what are those things on its head?

Horns, answered John.

They had proceeded but a little farther, when Willie was startled by the long, loud bellowing of the animal.

Which horn did he blow? he asked excitedly.

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THE LIMITED.

Courage of Two Youngsters, and One of Them a Tenderfoot.

By SEWARD W. HOPKINS.

Dick Prescott sat huddled in his chair at the desk, his eyes staring at the receiver as though the innocent little piece of mechanism had suddenly developed venom. His right hand clutched a revolver, and his left worked convulsively around his left breast as though he was feeling something in side.

"It can't be possible!" he said once, then again: "It's a lie. I know it is Julie Gridon leader of a gang of robbers? No; it must be a hideous mistake."

But the words as they had come in dots and dashes to him from Bat Cross could neither be misunderstood nor effaced. And he knew Loomis so well—Loomis wouldn't say a word about a woman that could wrong her. And, besides, Loomis did not know that Prescott loved her. So the element of jealousy would not play a part.

But there was the message, repeated to make an error impossible:

Dick Prescott, Cow Corners:

You will receive package containing money from express messenger on limited. Twenty thousand dollars for James Beal. You will be accosted by Julie Gridon, leader bad gang, who will talk, hold you up. Jake Gridon coming later with gang. LOOMIS.

It wasn't a long message. Prescott laughed half insanely as he repeated it.

He got up and walked nervously to and fro.

"Loomis wouldn't lie," he said. "And see how true it has come so far. I've got the package. Limited went through on time. And now"—

He laughed again, but it was a strange, wild laugh.

"So this is the little girl who was so nice and cordial and even affectionate; the pretty girl I saved from drowning only a month ago; the girl whom I was going to ask— Suppose I had! Suppose it was her husband she, with Jake Gridon, was coming to rob! Suppose it! I can't suppose it. It's a—a"—

He stopped at his desk again and looked down.

"I've got it right," he said. "And Loomis wouldn't lie. But how did he learn it? How can he know?"

His nervous walk began again. He couldn't leave. His pony wasn't far away, but the eastbound express would pass soon, and then the switch must be turned for the night local. There was no one else. The ramshackle, one horse station had a porter daytimes, but at night, when all the deviltry took place, the company did not think he needed any one.

His brain was on fire. He had the package, and the girl he loved was coming with a gang to take it from him.

A sudden noise at the window made him jump. His revolver leaped from his pocket.

"Don't shoot me," said a quick, nervous voice. "Dick—Mr. Prescott, you received a package from the limited. You"—

"No," he said, facing the sun tanned face that looked in at the window. A glance told him she carried a rifle.

"You did not?"

"No," he said. "The limited went through without stopping."

"But it was sent—I know it was sent. I know it, I tell you."

"No, I received no package."

For a moment she looked at him steadily, and then a peculiar smile flashed across her face and disappeared again. With an agility for which she was far famed she sprang in at the window.

"Dick Prescott," she said sternly, "your face tells a different story. You did get that package for Mr. Beal."

"Miss Gridon, I"—

"Stop! I have misunderstood you, and I make few mistakes in men. Dick Prescott, you have opened my eyes tonight. I thought you were a man—a gentleman. You have proved me to be wrong."

She stood leaning on her rifle, and her great, fearless eyes looked steadily into his.

He felt himself trembling. How was he to let her know that Loomis had sent the news that had so unmanned him? Yet he must do something. Once more Loomis was proved correct. The package had come. Then she had come. The next would be the worst gang of cutthroats in Arizona, with Jake Gridon at their head.

"Julie," he said, "I am not well. I am going out for air."

"Yes," she said, "you don't look well. Come outside."

He started to the door.

"Stop where you are!"

He flashed a glance back. He could not pretend to be frightened. He was looking into the muzzle of her rifle.

"Dick Prescott, throw up your hands! Quick! You haven't a moment to lose."

Her eye was as steady as any man's of the southwest. Prescott was no coward, and he couldn't shoot the girl he loved for a hundred times $20,000. Up went his hands.

There was a peculiar sound in her throat as she stepped to his side. With fingers that seemed to have had much practice she took away his revolver, swept her hand inside his coat and took out the package.

"Now, Dick Prescott, obey every word of mine or I will shoot you. Stand still a moment."

She stepped to the desk. A few clicks had sent this message along the line:

Agent at Cow Corners robbed. Send relief on express.

"Now, Dick," she said, "walk out quietly. Leave things as they are here."

"But, Julie—my good name—my reputation"—

She laughed harshly.

"Your good name! Oh, Dick!"

She pointed sternly. He walked ahead of her. It was a dark night. The single lamp in the station was the only light visible. But the girl knew the way in the dark as well as Prescott. She ordered him to walk to his horse. He found her own tethered near it.

"Release both horses," she said. He obeyed.

His heart was bitter. He could not fight her. He might as well do as she commanded. He had little hope for mercy from the gang, but she had the money.

"Mount," she said. "Now ride to that clump of mesquite."

He rode in silence, she following.

"Wait!"

They sat there in their saddles, it seemed to him, for hours. Then the racket of the express could be heard and at the same time the pounding of horses' hoofs.

"Look!" she said tensely.

He knew the voices and did not need to see.

"Where's the whelp gone with the swag?" asked the voice of Julie's uncle.

"He can't be far. He couldn't expect us. Lucky we got the girl shut up."

The express was coming. The lights from the train were poured into the station.

"Come!" she whispered.

He could have shouted. Somebody would have heard. But there was something in his mind. He didn't think clearly. But what was this about a girl being shut up?

They rode swiftly, first along a gully. Then, crossing the stream, she swung in the saddle and spoke again.

"Dick," she said, "for the sake of old times I am giving you a chance for your life. I can't give you up to them. I have saved the money for Mr. Beal. I came to warn you. I did not think that you could be tempted. I knew they were coming. I heard them on a train. They locked me in the schoolhouse—me! I hurried as fast as I could. But you—you have gone wrong, Dick. I—we had been together some, Dick—I was beginning to love you. But it's all over now. I'll marry an honest man or none. Goodby, Dick. I've saved you from a crime. I'll see that Mr. Beal gets the money."

"Julie!" he cried. "Loomis telegraphed that you were coming first to keep me quiet for the gang. It's in there, Julie, written."

"And that was why you told me the package had not come?"

"Yes, Julie, I swear it. I was a fool to doubt you, but I was alone, and everything came out as Loomis said. I—Julie! I love you. I was going to ask you to marry me."

"Then I will," she said. "Hurry up. You can show the telegram from Loomis tomorrow. I'll be killed if my uncle gets me now. They'll take care of everything tonight. I'll take no chances. Here is your pistol. Now, ride like the mischief for Beal's ranch."

He swung to her once and kissed her, and then they started. It was midnight when they reached Beal's. Explanations were brief. Words are not needed down there.

"Well, for two youngsters, one a tenderfoot, you've done pretty well," said the grizzly old ranchman. "I'll put you up tonight, and we'll see that you're well married tomorrow. We can't afford to make any more mistakes with a couple like you. Wouldn't it be a fine thing for you two not to get hitched—wouldn't it? Get to your rooms now. I'll give you some of that wedding present in the morning—part of the twenty thousand, I guess. But I've got to figure how much I can spare, so good night. Don't worry none. Jake Gridon won't get you here."

And he couldn't, for Jake Gridon was dead.

Try to Do This.

Take a light chair and place it with its back to the wall. Stand in front of it, facing the wall, with the toes about a foot from the front feet of the chair, and, placing one hand on each side of the chair, lean forward until the top of your head touches the wall. The problem is to lift the chair from the floor and, without moving the feet, to take the head away from the wall and stand upright. Simple as this appears, it is impossible. Very few people, as you will find, would anticipate any difficulty in doing this. Get them to try. This trick is, of course, very like the old one of standing against a wall sidewise, with the shoulder and one foot touching the wall. It is then impossible to raise the outside foot without losing one's balance and falling away from the wall.

The Picnic Stove.

Picnic cooking, if in inexpert hands, will undoubtedly be better over a stove than an open fire. But you cannot carry a stove on a picnic or camping expedition, nor need you. A piece of thin sheet iron, thirty inches long by eighteen inches wide, is all the stove you want. This laid across two little banks of earth, with the fire between, or two logs, with the fire between, forms an excellent stove and not only makes it unnecessary to wait for embers for good cooking—since the flames cannot reach the food through the sheet iron—but is in itself an excellent griddle for making toast and flapjacks.—Woman's Home Companion.

JUST SUMMER, THAT'S ALL.

Crowded cars,
Sweeter buns,
Dresses white,
Pretty sight.
Wind blows through
Peekaboo,
Maud's and Tessie's
Pretty tresses,
To the park
For a lark,
Lots of mon,
Oh, what fun!
On the trolley,
Ain't it jolly?
Pretty girl tries to
Outstare you.
"How d'ye do?"
"Sir, how dare you?"
Good old summer,
She's a hummer;
Bathing, rowing,
Roller skating,
Girls so pretty,
Captivating.
Girls so homely
They're still waiting
For the man who
Comes, oh, never,
Ever, never.
Hardly ever.
Fat girls, lean girls,
Good girls, mean girls,
Girls by twos and threes
And sixes,
Saying yeses, noes
And nixes.
Summer time and
Girls, girls, girls,
With their dimples,
Smiles and curls.
Sure it comes but
Once a year,
But we're very
Glad 'tis here.

—Florida Times-Union

Logic.

Teacher — Who'll tell me what is meant by the floating population?

Kid—People who live in houseboats.—Kansas City Star.

Why They're Divorced.

It was their first day at housekeeping. The pictures were all up and carpets were all down.

She knew how to bake biscuits. But that was all, for she had spent only two years at a cooking school.

"Oh, goody!" she cried. "I'll give Harold a surprise. We'll have a biscuit supper."

Harold came home. He kissed her in the vestibule, the hall, the anteroom and so on out into the dining room.

"First course, biscuits!" she twittered as they sat down to dinner.

Harold, devouring her with his eyes, devoured the biscuits with his teeth and avidity.

"Second course, biscuits!" she carroled.

"How novel!" exclaimed Harold and devoured seven more.

The third course was biscuits, and as for the fourth—biscuits. It was a four course dinner, and Harold did justice to each course. For dessert there were biscuits.

Thus is revealed the secret of at least one divorce.—Detroit Free Press.

Why He Was Mercenary.

The editor of a great magazine sent for a certain author who had submitted an unsolicited manuscript.

"I am glad to make your acquaintance, sir," said the editor enthusiastically. The story you sent us is perfectly splendid. But why use a nom de plume? Let us publish it over your own name, and it will make you famous."

"I am not after fame," objected the author. "It's money I want."

"But you'll get just as much money in either case."

"No, I won't. If I publish it over my own name my wife will get the money."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Different With Roses.

"Plant any vegetables in your garden?"

"No; flowers only."

"I should call that rather extravagant. Why don't you save money by raising your own lettuce and radishes?"

"A pile you know about gardening. I can buy lettuce and tomatoes and such truck cheaper than I can raise them, but every time I pick a dozen roses I'm just $12 ahead of the florist."—Detroit Free Press.

Proper Regulation.

Mrs. Smith (to chemist)—I wish to buy a thermometer to regulate the heat of my room.

Chemist—What kind will you have, madam?

Mrs. S.—Oh, it does not matter, so you set it at 65, as the doctor said that would be the proper heat.—National Monthly.

Up to Date.

She—I really believe you men think more of your automobiles than you do of your wives.

He—Why not? We can get an improved make every year.—New York Mail.

You Never Can Tell.

Baker—I hate to be an outsider at a family reunion. It's awfully trying.

Barker—Yes. You never know whether the shabbily dressed old lady is a poor relation or a rich one.—Life.

The Barber's Story.

Barber—Shall I go over it again, sir?

Victim—No, thank you! I heard every word you said.—Boston Transcript.

WAITING FOR THE DROP.

When It Didn't Come It Got on His Nerves.

A traveling man stopped at an Indiana hotel. The proprietor told him he had not a room in the house. The man protested. He must have a room. Finally the proprietor told him there was a room, a little room separated by a thin partition from a nervous man, a man who had lived in the house for ten years.

"He is so nervous," said the landlord, "I don't dare put any one in that room. The least noise might give him a nervous spell that would endanger his life."

"Oh, give me a room," said the traveler. "I'll be so quiet he'll not know I'm there."

The room was given the traveler. He slipped in noiselessly and began to disrobe. He took off one article of clothing after another as quietly as a burglar. At last he came to his shoes. He unlaced a shoe and then, manlike, dropped it.

The shoe fell to the floor with a great noise. The offending traveler, horrified at what he had done, waited to hear from the nervous man. Not a sound. He took off the second shoe and placed it noiselessly upon the floor, then in absolute silence finished undressing and crawled between the sheets.

Half an hour went by. He had dropped into a doze when there came a tremendous knocking on the partition.

The traveler sat up in bed trembling and dismayed. "Wh-wha-what's the matter?" he asked.

Then came the voice of the nervous man:

"Hang you! Drop that other shoe, will you?"—Philadelphia Press.

A Lightning Change Artist.

A young minister was invited to spend his vacation at the summer home of a wealthy member of his congregation. The little daughter watched the young man very closely during the visit and one morning sat down beside him and began to draw on her slate.

"What are you doing?" the minister inquired.

"I'm going to draw your picture," replied the child.

The young man sat very still, and the little girl worked away very earnestly. Suddenly she stopped and compared her work with the original.

"I don't like it very much," she said. "I guess I'll put a tail on it and call it a dog."—New York Evening Post.

His Synonym For Quick Retreat.

In the sixth grade the teacher was questioning a boy about Napoleon's disastrous invasion of Russia and the subsequent retreat from Moscow.

"What did the French do then?" she asked.

"They ran away," replied the boy.

"Yes, that is what they did," said the teacher, "but 'ran away' is hardly the correct phrase to use. What should you have said?"

The boy's face lighted up with understanding.

"They beat it!" he exclaimed quite proudly.—Kansas City Journal.

Didn't Know When to Stop.

"The great men are all dead," she said with evident regret.

"But the beautiful women are not," he replied, looking earnestly at her.

"Of course," she added after a moment's reflection, "I always except present company."

"So do I," he said.

Then she asked if he would be good enough to conduct her to her husband.—Judge.

Knew His Ground.

"You say this man is no chicken stealer?" inquired the judge.

"Yassuh," replied Erastus Pinkley. "Da's whut I said."

"What do you know about the facts in this case?"

"I isn' s'posed to know nuffin' 'bout de facks in de case. I is an expert witness foh de defense."—Washington Star.

The Completed Work.

"Love for your daughter has driven me half crazy."

"It has, eh? Well, who completed the job?"—New York American.

Cuisine Ignored.

"I hope you can speak a good word for our place, sir," said the restaurant proprietor in his most conciliating tones.

"Um, yes, I can," answered the grouchy diner. "The view from this window is excellent."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Their Locality.

"Did you ever hear of a man who knew how to manage a woman."

"Lots of them."

"Then why don't they show other men how to do it?"

"Because they're all locked up in lunatic asylums."—Baltimore American.

CURIOUS LOVE TANGLE.

A Duel, a Cold Blooded Rival and a Capricious Beauty.

Gomez Lopez del Navarette, a well known diplomat of Barcelona, was in love with an actress, Dolorez Riverode Romanones, who is the daughter of an aristocratic Spanish family whose name she brought into great notoriety by going on the stage. A young but already famous surgeon, Dr. Dorado del Pozo, was also a suitor for Dolorez, and her affections wavered so uncertainly as to cause a duel between the young men in which the diplomat was wounded in the leg.

Immediately Dolorez was at his side and nursed him devotedly. Several doctors were consulted, but the leg only became worse. At last Dolorez persuaded her lover to consult his rival, the brilliant young surgeon. He did so, and Dr. Dorado del Pozo said that amputation would alone save his life, as gangrene had set in.

More persuasion by the actress, who assured him that her affections were now fixed, was needed before the young diplomat would consent to the operation. The operation was eventually performed and Senor Navarette provided with an artificial leg.

In spite of her previous protestations Dolorez had now to confess that she could never marry a man with one leg. Not long after she married the young surgeon. This aroused Navarette's suspicions, and he visited the doctors whom he had consulted before the operation. They all assured him that grangrene was, in their opinion, quite impossible. He is now bringing an action for damages against his successful rival.—Madrid Cor. New York Sun.

NAVAL EXPANSION.

Bitter Rivalry That Keeps England and Germany on the Jump.

In 1904 England had 202,000 tons of warships in the Mediterranean and none in the North sea. In 1907 England had 135,000 tons of warships in the Mediterranean and 166,000 tons in the North sea. In 1909 England had 123,000 tons of warships in the Mediterranean and 427,000 tons in the North sea. In 1912 England had 126,000 tons of warships in the Mediterranean and 481,000 tons in the North sea. At last accounts England had 50,000 tons of warships in the Mediterranean and 500,000 tons in the North sea.

There has been a steady increase of the navy in Germany. In 1900 the tonnage of warships and large cruisers over 5,000 tons was 152,000; in 1911 it was 823,000. The number of heavy guns in 1900 was 52; in 1911 it was 330. The horsepower of engines in 1900 was 160,000; in 1911 it was 1,051,000. The naval crews in 1900 numbered 28,326; in 1911, 57,353, and in 1913 the German naval personnel will consist of 3,394 officers and 69,495 men.

Between 1900 and 1911 the tonnage of the British fleet increased from 215,000 to 1,716,000; of the German fleet from 152,000 to 829,000.

In ten years British naval expenditure has increased from $172,500,000 to $222,500,000; in Germany the expenditure has jumped from $47,500,000 to $110,000,000. Out of these total sums Great Britain spends one-third and Germany one-half on new construction.—Scribner's Magazine.

Poincare Was There.

A story is told in illustration of the claim that President Poincare is the most punctual man in France. He had promised to attend a public banquet, but was detained by public business. Accordingly he sent his secretary to take his place at the table and announce that he might himself be expected at 10 o'clock. Doubts of his coming were expressed, but the secretary spoke confidently: "M. Poincare will come. He will be here at 10—to the minute." In due course the clock struck 10, and M. Poincare was still invisible. The secretary was chaffed on the subject, but he did not lose confidence. "M. Poincare is here," he said. "He is waiting for the music to stop before entering." The music stopped, and as the last note died away M. Poincare walked in amid vociferous applause.—Westminster Gazette.

A Literary Shrine.

Box Hill, which it is proposed to preserve from threatened danger by converting it into a Meredith memorial, is the center of a district rich in literary associations. At Burford Bridge Keats completed "Endymion," in November, 1827. Close by, at the Rookery, was born Father Malthus, the population economist. At West Humble Frances Burney, after her marriage with General d'Arblay, built Camilla cottage with the profits of her novel of that name. Sheridan lived at Polesden and John Stuart Mill at Mickleham, while other illustrious residents in the locality in earlier times were John Evelyn and Daniel Defoe. Every one knows, of course, that it was at Dorking, at the Marquis of Granby's, that Mr. Weller, Sr., made the fatal blunder of proposing to a "vidder."—Westminster Gazette.

Paid the Professor's Fare.

Professor William Howard Taft of Yale had a practical illustration of personal popularity a few days ago. He was a passenger on a trolley car on his way to the golf links. It was not a "pay as you enter" car, and when the conductor came within his reach the ex-president offered his fare, which was rejected with the remark: "That's all right. A lad on the platform paid for you, Mr. President." For a moment Mr. Taft looked puzzled, but then he smiled broadly and evidently appreciated the courtesy.—New York Tribune.

Woman's World

Miss Harriet Ware a Famous Composer.

MISS HARRIET WARE

Miss Harriet Ware, the young American composer, is now recognized among the foremost women composers of the world. Her work has been published only a few years, but from childhood she has expressed herself in musical composition.

When a young girl Miss Ware appeared as a concert pianist and won great praise for her interpretations of Bach. Later, during her study in Paris, she developed a sweet, true singing voice, and since then she has been a deep student of the art of singing.

It is this quality of pianistic ability, added to the understanding of the singing voice, which makes her songs a universal appeal to great artists and the public.

Her "Boat Song" and "The Cross," the words of the latter written by Edwin Markham; the "Hindu Slumber Song" and the "Sunlight Waltz" are some of Miss Ware's compositions that are to be found on the programs of famous vocal artists.

Miss Ware's more ambitious works are the cantatas "Sir Olaf" and "Undine," which were recently given in New York city with a chorus of 500 picked voices.

Miss Ware is a born naturalist, and her thoughts follow the suggestions of nature of melody and of rhythm, and she is not in sympathy with the modern trend of music, although this young composer is not insensible to the sincerity of men like Debussy, but she is restive at the thought of an imitative school of followers who acquire his theories without his genius.

"I must be absolutely myself," she says, "and I think there are both sanity and wholesomeness in American genius."

Watchman For Her Neighbors.

A girl who was obliged to be a stay at home each summer because the contents of her slim purse would not allow her any vacation conceived the idea one summer of acting as "watch woman" for her wealthy neighbors who went away each summer and closed up their houses.

They paid her well for her services, as they knew she was honest, reliable and conscientious in her duties.

She kept the keys to their homes in her possession, as well as the addresses and long distance phone numbers of the owners, so that she could notify them immediately if anything went wrong, such as fire, burglary, etc.

Every day she went the rounds of inspection, going through each house to see that everything was undisturbed and locking it securely on leaving.

At Summer Resorts.

A young woman clever in the use of water colors has for several summers made a substantial sum of money by painting sets of paper dolls and offering them for sale in exclusive summer hotels. They create a perfect furore among the little girls, who are eager to buy each new set as it appears, and in most cases the hotel management has been quite willing to handle them at the candy or cigar counters free of charge. It is always a problem to know how to amuse the children at summer resorts, and the grownups welcome so clean and quiet an occupation as paper dolls. High school girls would find this an easy way to secure extra frocks or frills for commencement time.

English Peeress Becomes Editor.

The first peeress to become an editor is the Marchioness Townshend, who has been selected in that capacity by the new magazine Our Dumb Friends.

The first number was recently issued for private circulation. It is understood that to make the magazine pay there will be other features than those pertaining to animals, such as a social department and a sporting page "featuring" particularly dog and horse exhibitions, all of which will be under the direct supervision of Lady Townshend.

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A. B. S. Stanley - - - - - Editor and Manager

Just before a dull period sets in, the air is usually charged with rumors of its approach.

A year ago these were heard all round. Now the contrary is the case. Everybody says that times are going to be good again. We are not quite sure just what value is to be placed upon the movements of the stock market, but we observe that the leading railway stocks are quoted higher. Canadian Pacific, which has been hovering around 218 for a week or two, has passed 220, which is a figure it has not touched in some time.

The leading financial people are beginning to say good things about Canada again.

We have a suspicion that some of them think they rather overdid their precautionary advice so freely offered in the early part of the year. A country that will produce from its soil the vast quantity of food products which Canada will yield this year, is a pretty safe one to bank on. It is interesting to note that notwithstanding the activity of of certain panic-mongers a few months ago, the people of Canada never for one moment lost faith in this country.

One and all refused to be pessimistic. Now things look as if the financial world was beginning to realize that it would be a very serious mistake to hamper the legitimate demands for money Canadian development. Of course, we shall continue to have owllike deliverances about real estate. We do not believe real estate buying has done any real harm, although it may have hampered some people financially. One thing we cannot understand, and that is, why it should be a perfectly proper thing to borrow money from bank to beton the fluctuations of the stockmarket, but a very wrong thing to draw out your own money to buy land.—Colonist.

A FAMOUS OLD HOAX.

Keely's Motor, With Which He Baffled Scientists For Years.

The story of the Keely motor hoax will live long. Its interest will be enhanced by the preservation in the Franklin Institute of the model of the remarkable motor that Keely built to deceive intending investors and enrich its inventor until the fraud was exposed after Keely's death.

For twenty-five years Keely astounded eminent scientists of Europe and America with the machine that he claimed had solved the secret of perpetual motion. The inventor or this machine would start his device going, apparently, by playing a tune on a mouth organ. He convinced many clever men that he told the truth, and stock in the new concern sold freely.

To the day of his death Keely declared that his discovery was a genuine one, and it was only when the house in which the machine was placed was thoroughly overhauled that the colossal fraud was discovered. Keely had wired the walls of the building. He ran his machine by high pressure hydraulic power. When the wires attached to the machine were the subject of investigation Keely would file them to show that they were solid and could not be used for any purpose other than that for which they were attached.

Pieces of wire thus filed are to be seen at the Franklin Institute. The broken pieces show that the wires were hollow and that the inventor of the wonderful motor carefully stopped his filing short of perforating the center, which would have exposed the fraud.—Scientific American.

FORMATION OF COAL.

Conditions on Our Planet While the Process Developed.

What may be said to be the strangest period through which our earth has passed is the one that was responsible for the formation of coal. The planet is described as having been at that time flat and smooth as to surface and peculiar as to vegetation. The continents were just beginning to rise above the ocean and the land had not yet become dry. Mountain ranges had not arisen from the swamps, and the atmosphere was thick with fog. In this state of affairs there sprouted and flourished the plants which were later to furnish the world with its coal supply.

These plants grew as big as our largest trees, taking deep root in the morass and flourishing like the lush grasses in moist meadow land and developed into the strange shapes now found in tropic vegetation. The forest looked, the scientists assure us, like dense growths of weeds, rushes and enormous ferns. Some of them grew in the shape of cacti, having spines all over them. This kind of vegetation was very rich in carbon, which it derived from the warm, moist atmosphere. Then the millions of years rolled by, the forests of giant weeds were buried by deposits of earthy material and the chemical change took place which slowly changed them into coal. This process ceased with the carboniferous age, so that when the present supply of coal is dug out of the ground there will be no more.—Exchange.

Sealed Orders.

The custom of having warships sail under sealed orders arose from the desire of maritime powers to prevent the plans from becoming known to the enemy. In the American navy such orders come from the president and are delivered to a commander of a ship or squadron by a confidential messenger who knows nothing of their contents. Sometimes they are in cipher, but they are always sealed with the official seal of the navy department, and the package cannot be opened until the time marked on it, which is usually several hours after the hour of leaving port. By this precaution the newspapers are prevented from disclosing prematurely the movements which may be of the greatest importance, and the spies of the enemy are rendered useless so far as their ability to discover the secret of such movements is concerned.

Primrose For Memory.

The primrose of old was credited with a medicinal as well as a superstitious value. Even now in some country parts a decoction of primrose leaves is supposed to restore a failing memory, and in 1654, when Culpeper wrote his "London Dispensary," the primrose was regarded as an almost universal panacea, curing "convulsions, falling sickness, palsies, etc.," and strengthening "the brain, senses and memory exceedingly." And even the healthy did not disdain to eat it, for primrose pasty was once a popular Lancashire delicacy.—Family Doctor.

Youthful Independence.

"Father," said the fair girl, "I have arranged a very important interview for you this evening. Harold is going to call on you."

"To make a formal request for your hand, I suppose?"

"Not at all. He wants to look you over and see how you would do for a father-in-law."—Washington Star.

Condensed.

"Here is an article on 'How to Live a Hundred Years.'"

"Yes, and the whole subject can be condensed into two words."

"What are they?"

"'Don't die.'" — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Cheerfulness can become a habit, and it is wonderful how a good habit of this kind will help us over hard

Tax Sale of Lands

For Unpaid Delinquent Taxes, in the Nelson Assessment District, Province of British Columbia

I hereby give notice that on Saturday the 11th day of October, 1913, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., at Court house Nelson, B. C., I shall offer for sale by Public Auction, the land hereinafter set out of the persons mentioned hereunder, for the delinquent taxes unpaid by the said persons as on the 31st day of December, 1913, and for interest, costs and expenses, including cost of advertising of said sale, if the total amount is not sooner paid.

Name of Person Assessed	Description of Property	Acreage	Tax under Assess't Act	School Tax	Interest	Costs and Expenses	Total
KASLO AND SLOCAN RAILWAY GRANT LANDS Lot 812, Groupe 1, Kootenay District.							
Munro, Mrs. Gertrude	Sub-div. of Lot 812, E½ of Block 2	20.00	5.00	4.00	.40	2.00	11.40
Powers, O. H.	Sub-div. of Lot D, Blk. 15	15.15	3.05	....	.15	2.00	5.20
Chudleigh, E. L.	Block 1	80.00	20.00	16.00	1.60	2.00	39.60
Chudleigh, M. R.	" 67	9.76	16.00	2.20	.80	2.00	21.00
	" 68	9.76	16.00	2.20	.80	2.00	21.00
Chudleigh, M. R.	" 69	9.77	16.00	2.20	.80	2.00	21.00
Canyon City Lumber Co.	" 85	9.77	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
" "	" 102	10.03	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
" "	" 103	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
" "	" 104	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
" "	" 105	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
" "	" 106	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
" "	" 107	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
" "	" 108	9.85	1.72	....	.05	2.00	3.77
" "	" 109	9.85	1.73	....	.05	2.00	3.78
Browell, William	" 114	5.40	....	1.05	.05	2.00	3.10
Bruce, W. A.	" 136	9.31	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Bruce, E. A.	" 137	9.31	10.00	1.38	.50	2.00	13.88
Leveque, Edith M.	" 171	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Mawson, Leonard	" 173	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Mawson, Leonard	" 174	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Mawson, Tom	" 186	9.85	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Canyon City Lumber Co.	" 187	9.85	10.00	1.38	.50	2.00	13.88
Swanson, Mabel	" 217	9.77	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
CROWN GRANTS KOOTENAY DISTRICT							
Holm, Mrs. Anna A.	Block 11 of Lot 98, Gp. 1	7.90	3.00	....	.15	2.00	5.15
Lang, Wm.	One-half interest in part of Lot 229, Gp.1	86.90	8.70	....	.35	2.00	11.05
Johnson, Asbury F.	Blocks 1, 2, & 3, of Lot 251, Gp. 1	30.49	1.50	....	.05	2.00	3.55
Johnson, Asbury F.	Blocks 5 & 6, of Lot 251, Gp. 1	19.85	1.00	....	.05	2.00	3.05
Johnson, Asbury F.	Block 9 of Lot 251, Gp. 1	10.56	.50	....	....	2.00	2.50
Johnson, Asbury F.	Blocks 11 & 12, Lot 251, Gp. 1	19.86	1.00	....	.05	2.00	3.05
Hibbert, A.	Block A of Lot 251, Gp. 1	39.65	12.00	....	.55	2.00	14.55
Lawrence, J. S.	Block 259 of Lot 304, Gp. 1	....	.38	....	....	2.00	2.38
Ransome, F., and Stedile, L.	Block 271 of Lot 304, Gp. 1	66.67	7.00	....	.30	2.00	9.30
Ford, J. W.	Part of sub-Lot 1 of Lot 306, Gp. 1	168.00	33.60	....	1.65	2.00	37.25
Francis, Bros.	Sub-Lot 5, Lot 306, Gp. 1	206.00	40.00	16.00	2.40	2.00	60.40
Swain, Howard	Block B, Sub-Lot 1 of Lot 308, Gp. 1	10.00	9.00	....	.40	2.00	11.40
Swain, Howard	Easterly portion of Block C, Sub-Lot 1, of Lot 309, G. 1	7.00	5.00	....	.25	2.00	7.25
Russell & McAlpine	Lots 5 & 6, Block E of Lot 309, Gp. 1	....	2.00	1.52	.15	2.00	5.67
Sammons, Fred. J.	Lots 7 & 8, Block E of Lot 309, Gp. 1	....	2.00	1.52	.15	2.00	5.67
Hogan, Nora	The most Easterly 100 acres, 6 chains, 25 links x 160 chains, of Lot 367, Gp. 1	100.00	10.00	....	.45	2.00	12.45
Fitzgerald, C. Violet	Block D, Lot 526, Gp. 1	5.00	7.50	7.65	.65	2.00	17.80
Arrowsmith, Emma J.	Block B, C, E & F, of Lot 526, Gp. 1	63.00	....	19.21	.85	2.00	22.06
Oliver, Harry	W ½, Block E, of Lot 619, Gp. 1	10.00	2.38	....	.10	2.00	4.48
Benedict and Hood	Block G, of Lot 619, Gp. 1	5.00	1.50	....	.05	2.00	3.55
Gansmer, C.	Blocks 1, 2 & 3, of Lot 2548, Gp. 1	40.00	12.50	....	.55	2.00	15.05
Kwong Wing Chong	Block 9, of Lot 2548, Gp. 1	10.00	1.75	1.92	.15	2.00	5.82
Kwong Wing Chong	Block 10, of Lot 2548, Gp. 1	10.04	1.75	1.92	.15	2.00	5.82
Kennedy, Samuel J.	Block 14, of Lot 2548, Gp. 1	10.02	5.00	3.30	.35	2.00	10.65
McFarlane, Jas. M.	Blocks 13 & 15, Lot 2548, Gp. 1	20.04	10.00	6.60	.75	2.00	19.35
Davys, M. S.	Surface rights of Royal Charter Mineral Claim, Lot 3205, Gp. 1	57.20	2.50	1.65	.15	2.00	6.30
Toye, W. J., and McQuarrie, M. R.	Lot 4401, Group 1	57.98	21.00	....	.95	2.00	23.95
Teberghien, E.	Blocks 2 & 9, of Lot 5079, Gp. 1	24.40	6.00	3.96	.45	2.00	12.41
McClary, O. B.	Blocks 1, 2 & 6, Lot 6305, Gp. 1	37.50	....	3.71	.15	2.00	5.86
Darrough, Duncan	Block 3, Lot 6305, Gp. 1	14.00	1.00	1.10	.10	2.00	4.20
Lindblade, A. G.	Part of Lot 6307, Gp. 1	60.00	10.00	6.60	.75	2.00	19.35
Bell, R. H.	Lot 6886, Gp. 1	37.24	9.00	....	.40	2.00	11.40
Blackburn, Jos., and Walmsley, Chas. F.	Lot 7874, Gp. 1	191.00	25.00	13.75	1.70	2.00	42.45
Croze, B. & G.	Block B of Lot 7876, Gp. 1	12.00	3.00	1.20	.20	2.00	6.40
Foley, Geo.	Block C of Lot 7876, Gp. 1	39.92	5.00	2.00	.30	2.00	9.30
Bleasdale, A. W.	Lot 8076, Gp. 1	160.00	24.00	....	1.10	2.00	27.10
Rooke, E. G.	The most westerly portion of Lot 8081, Group 1	160.00	24.00	....	1.10	2.00	27.10
Tonnett, Mike	Block C of Lot 8257, Gp. 1	18.00	2.85	....	.10	2.00	4.95
O'Kell, Arthur	Lot 8645, Gp. 1	33.60	9.00	3.60	.55	2.00	15.15
Paulsen, P. A.	Lot 8740, Gp. 1	117.50	12.00	....	.55	2.00	14.55
Ross, R. H.	Lot 8778, Gp. 1	160.00	22.40	2.87	1.10	2.00	28.37
Rendall, Thos. and Stewart A.	Lot 8781, Gp. 1, Kootenay District	240.00	12.00	14.22	1.20	2.00	29.42
Maher, William	Lot 8972, Group 1, K. D.	160.00	2.50	2.55	.25	2.00	7.30
Collins, Aug.	Lot 9268, Group 1, K. D.	40.00	6.40	.82	.30	2.00	9.52
Pacific Exploration Co.	Block B, Lot 9284, Gp. 1, K. D.	33.80	.68	....	....	2.00	2.68
Bleasdale, W. H.	Lot 9401, Group 1, K. D.	160.00	24.00	....	1.10	2.00	27.10
Bleasdale, A. W.	Lot 9402, Group 1, K. D.	160.00	24.00	....	1.10	2.00	27.10
Bleasdale, H. T.	Lot 9400, Group 1, K.D.	160.00	24.00	....	1.10	2.00	27.10
Grafton, Joseph	Blocks 1 & 2 of Lot 9403, Group 1, K. D.	40.00	8.00	1.02	.40	2.00	11.42
Grafton, Joseph	Blocks 4 & 5 of Lot 9403, Group 1, K. D.	40.00	8.00	1.02	.40	2.00	11.42
Grafton, Joseph	Block 7 of Lot 9403, Group 1, K. D.	20.00	7.00	2.55	.40	2.00	11.95
COLUMBIA GARDENS SUBDIVISION							
Burley, Leonard	Block 26	113.00	6.00	7.80	.60	2.00	16.40
Gowanlock, J. B., and McMillan, R.	Blocks 12, 12a & 12b	32.32	....	9.75	.40	2.00	12.15
KASLO AND SLOCAN RAILWAY GRANT LANDS Lot 222, Group 1, Kootenay District							
Starkey, Fred.	Block 5a	3.96	3.00	1.20	.20	2.00	6.40
McAstocker, Claude J., and T. H.	Blocks 7 to 13	66.68	30.00	12.00	1.45	2.00	45.45
Quinn, Robert	Part of Block 14	14.30	14.00	5.60	.85	2.00	22.45
Shovelton, Wilfred	Lot 3, Block 19	10.00	5.00	2.00	.30	2.00	9.30
Starkey, Fred.	Lot 2, Block 20	10.00	7.50	3.00	.45	2.00	12.95
	Lot 1230, Group 1, Kootenay District						
Campbell, Peter	That part of E. ½ of N.E. ¼, Sec. 26 & E. ½ of Sec. 35, Tp. 13, lying East of Lot 273, Gp. 1,	90.00	30.00	18.00	2.40	2.00	52.40
Carney & Benzie	That part of N. ½ of Sec. 26, S.W. ¼ of Sec. 35 & E. ½ of E. ½ of Sec. 34, Tp. 13, lying West of Lot 273, Group 1	210.00	....	....			
	Lot 1237, Group 1, Kootenay District						
Foote, Ben. T.	In S. ½, S.W. ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 14, & In S. ½, S.E. ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 15	94.23	4.70	2.00	.30	2.00	9.00
Foote, Ben. T.	In Sec. 6 & 7, Lots 1 & 2, Tp. 14, & in Sec. 6 & 7, part of Lot 3, Tp. 14	28.55	4.00	2.04	.30	2.00	8.34
McLaren, W.	In N.W. ¼, N.E. ¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 15	15.73	1.00	.25	.05	2.00	3.30
	Lot 1238, Group 1, Kootenay District						
Wright, Harry	In Sec. 28, Tp. 36	92.39	5.20	....	.25	2.00	7.45
	Lot 1242 Group 1 Kootenay District						
Rotherham, Geo.	In Sec. 21, Tp. 17	10.00	2.00	....	.10	2.00	4.10
Philbert, John	In Sec. 27 & 28, Tp. 17	51.29	5.12	.68	.25	2.00	8.05
	Lot 1243, Group 1, Kootenay District						
McDermott, F. H., Hammond, B. F., Hunt, C. A., Waddell, Hugh	In Sec. 8, 9, 10, 15, 16 & 17, Tp. 17	3840.00	384.00	32.00	18.70	2.00	436.70
CENTRAL PARK SUBDIVISION Being a sub-division of sub-lots 10 and 21, of Lot 4598 and part of Lot 367							
Sheard, Alex.	Block 17	8.20	1.25	....	.05	2.00	3.30
Sheard, Alex.	" 25	7.00	.85	....	....	2.00	2.85
Sheard, Alex.	" 33	10.50	.75	....	....	2.00	2.75
Black, Rev. James	" 44	12.70	1.70	....	.05	2.00	3.75
Bearisto, P. R.	" 48	12.10	1.70	....	.05	2.00	3.75
Hebditch, Wm.	" 49	11.70	1.45	....	.05	2.00	3.50
Jackson, Isaac	" 56	11.00	1.20	....	.05	2.00	3.25
Sheard, Alex.	" 57	13.50	1.55	....	.05	2.00	3.60
Sheard, Alex.	" 59	13.00	1.35	....	.05	2.00	3.40
Irving, James	" 60	11.50	.90	....	.05	2.00	2.95
Paule, John	" 61	12.10	1.25	....	.05	2.00	3.30
Sheard, Alex.	" 63	10.80	1.20	....	.05	2.00	3.25
Hoppner, Alex. E.	" 65	9.00	2.20	....	.10	2.00	4.30
Sheard, Alex.	" 66	4.00	1.30	....	.05	2.00	3.35
Sheard, Alex.	" 67	11.00	.90	....	.05	2.00	2.95

Tax Sale of Lands

Name of Person Assessed	Description of Property	Acreage	Tax under Assess't Act	School Tax	Interest	Costs and Expenses	Total
	KOOTENAY VALLEY LANDS Being a sub-division of Lots 9554, 9550 9551, 9552, 9553, 9555, 9556, 9558 and 9427.						
Richardson, Chas. H.	Block 14	7.22	3.50	3.57	.30	2.00	9.37
Huscroft, Geo.	S. ½, of Block 5	19.55	....	20.40	.90	2.00	23.30
	Lot 891, Group 1. Kootenay District.						
Young, G. A., and O'Kell, A.	S. ½, Lot 1, Block 4	....	....	2.04	.10	2.00	4.14
Quaife, Thos.	Block 7	....	1.00	1.02	.10	2.00	4.12
Lindley, A.	Part of Block 18	10.11	....	1.00	.05	2.00	3.05
Hatfield, Sam. H.	Subdivision 2 of sub-Lot 7 of Block 14	.50	.25	.13	....	2.00	2.38
	Lot 892 Group 1. Kootenay District						
Taylor, Egbert T.	Block 9	40.00	12.50	12.75	1.20	2.00	28.45
	B. C. SOUTHERN LAND GRANT Lot 4595, Group 1. Kootenay District						
McTavish, P. D., and D. N.	Sub-Lot 2	160.00	16.00	1.36	.75	2.00	20.11
Norreys, H. A.	Block 4, of Sub-Lot 20	9.51	4.75	....	.20	2.00	6.95
McTavish, P. D., and D. N.	Sub-Lot 31 (excepting Lot 23 of Sub-Lot 31)	160.00	16.00	.80	.75	2.00	19.55
Grafton, Joseph	Blocks 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 15 & 16 of Sub-Lot 63	81.28	16.00	....	.75	2.00	18.75
Griffiths, W. M.	N. ½, Blocks 1 & 2 of Sub-Lot 63	10.01	4.00	....	.20	2.00	6.20
Sibbald, Jas.	Sub-Lot 72a	166.86	10.00	.50	.45	2.00	12.95
Down, John	Sub-Lot 81	160.00	80.00	....	3.50	2.00	85.50
Craig, John	Sub-Lot 88	382.14	44.00	....	2.20	2.00	48.20
Lathrop, Otto T.	Sub-Lot 132	223.60	....	.50	....	2.00	2.50
McTavish, P. D., and D. N.	Sub-Lot 130	640.00	63.20	12.48	3.20	2.00	80.88
O'Kell and Young	Sub-Lot 140	671.39	....	1.35	.05	2.00	3.40
	SUBDIVISION OF SUBLOTS 6, 43, 44, and 45 and part of Lot 784, Wyndell Fruit Lands						
McLachlan, Alexander	Blocks 2, 4 & 5	11.13	32.00	.52	1.60	2.00	36.12
Chudleigh, E. J.	W. ½ Block 19	9.84	30.00	1.50	1.60	2.00	35.10
Chudleigh, E. L.	Block 20	19.68	20.00	1.00	.95	2.00	23.95
Chudleigh, E. L.	Block 22	19.68	20.00	1.00	.95	2.00	23.95
Chudleigh, E. L.	W. ½ Block 23	9.52	24.00	1.20	1.25	2.00	28.45
Chudleigh, E. L.	Block 25	19.51	20.00	1.00	.95	2.00	23.95
Chudleigh, E. L.	Block 26	19.51	20.00	1.00	.95	2.00	23.95
Rice, Grant E.	E. ½, Block 27	9.60	20.00	1.00	.95	2.00	23.95
Chudleigh, E. L.	Block 28	19.70	6.00	2.40	.35	2.00	10.75
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When he is through?
Will each bird family be bereft
By what he will do?
Well, not
Exactly. His plot
Sounds large,
But when he makes the charge
The birds may be elsewhere,
Feeling pretty fair,
While the owner of the
Nearby cow
May allow
That he'll have to be paid a lot
For picking out the birdshot
From Bossy's wide
Side.
Oh, the city hunter,
Wild, ferocious man
That he is; his plan
Goes oft astray.
For, say,
Instead of picking the prize
He is in luck to get
Exercise,
But it is nice
To know that a few birds may generally
Be bought at a reasonable price.

He Knew.

"I can prove to you the power of mind over matter," said the professor.

"You needn't bother to," said the big, fat man.

"But you may not understand it."

"Yes, I do! My wife weighs only eighty-five pounds."

Explained.

"All the world loves a lover."

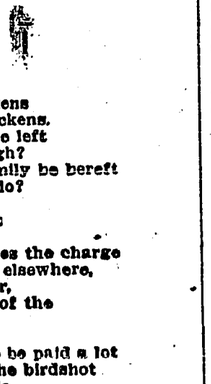
"Is that so?"

"Yep."

"Why?"

"Huh! Why? Because he is such an easy mark!"

Not a Clear Title.



"Does Thompson bear a good reputation?"

"Let me see—Thompson?"

"Yes."

"No, I don't think so."

"Why?"

"He ran for office once."

Couldn't Be.

"The people of the law firm are no gentlemen!"

"What makes you say so?"

"Because they all three belong to the same college sorority."

The Earth's Shadow.

The earth has a shadow, but very few ever see it, except in eclipses of the moon, or else few recognize it when they see it. Nevertheless many of us have noticed on fine, cloudless evenings in summer shortly before sunset a rosy pink arc on the horizon opposite the sun, with a bluish gray segment under it. As the sun sinks the arc rises until it attains the zenith and even passes it. This is the shadow of the earth.

Premonition.

He was brought to Bellevue hospital with some injury to the skull, and a surgeon, having examined the wound, determined to keep the man in the ward for a day or two.

"Oh, doctor," cried the patient, "do you think that I'll lose my head?"—New York Times.

Too Slow.

"Why has your daughter dropped her hospital work so soon?"

"She found she'd have to nurse poor patients for two years before they intrusted her with any millionaires. So she's going on the stage in a musical comedy."—Kansas City Journal.

Utility.

"Of what use is a fly, anyway?" asks an exchange.

Well, if there is only one out and it happens to be a long one it will score a man from third.—Detroit Free Press.

Most of Them Do.

"It only needs determination to live a hundred years," says a well known health writer. A great many people have determined to live a century or die in the attempt—and they have died in the attempt.—New Orleans Picayune.

Good Plan.

It is a good plan while waiting for your ship to come in to kill time by going to work to earn something.—New Orleans Picayune.

His Ruse.

"He doesn't know much."

"He talks as if he did."

"Oh, that's just to confuse you so you won't find him out."

His Viewpoint.

"What are you doing for a living?"

"Working."

"Is that the best you can do?"

"No; the worst."

Had Doubts.

"I am dying to go up in an airship.

"I'd sort of like to do that, too, only I am afraid that the dying might materialize."

That Razor.

"Does your husband ever swear?"

"Well, he shaves himself."

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(Continued)

Again Reuben hesitated. I wasn't looking that way, but I didn't see or hear anything until Mr. Francks and my sister entered.

You heard them talking, what did they say?

Reuben smiled. I don't know. I didn't listen.

After a few more questions he was allowed to go, and Inspector Heriot entered the witness-box and described how he had been called up by telephone from Scotland Yard late in the afternoon. He gave his evidence very slowly and concisely, reading the statements Francks and Mr. Velnhardt had made. He then produced Francks' pocket-handkerchief which had been stained in several places and which stains Doctor Maitland deposed were caused by tincture of aconite. There had also been a small stain on the cuff of the shirt Francks had been wearing at the same time.

The silence which held the lookers in the stuffy court-house seemed to deepen as the sense of tragedy deepened. The suggestions that many had lightly made, or listened to, that Francks had killed his wife commenced suddenly to take tangible shape, almost to threaten certainty.

This calm, fresh complexioned detective was deftly connecting link by link the deadly chain of evidence. The eyes of all in court were fixed on him, now and then shifting to Jimmy Francks' face.

But the latter seemed perhaps the least interested of all present. Outwardly he was calm, impurturable.

The coroner put numerous questions to Heriot, almost as if trying to find a flaw in one of the links, but without avail.

Two of the servants in the hotel were next called, and the page-boy who had brought Francks the telegram, and had heard him express a threat to kill.

When Francks was again put into the witness box and questioned as to this, he was unable to give a satisfactory answer. Neither could he explain why he had thrown the bottle he had upset into the fire-place. To each question addressed him his answers became more evasive, until at last the tension placed on all present became unbearable.

If reason had not suggested their instincts would have told them that Jimmy Francks had murdered his wife.

But the reason, the cause?

Inspector Heriot asked to be allowed to put Mr. Saintsbury into the witness-box again.

Outside the crowd waited patiently in the rain, increasing every moment. The clouds grew heavier and a thick grey mist crept up from the river. The gloom in the court-house increased, here and there lights were lit which seemed to accentuate the darkness.

Very deliberately, as if choosing each word carefully, Mr. Saintsbury described his first meeting with Jimmy Francks, when he himself was a young man and the latter little more than a boy. Once or twice the coroner stopped him, remarking that his evidence seemed to have no bearing on the cause of his daughter's death. Inspector Heriot begged that the lawyer might be allowed to tell his story in his own way, and Saintsbury was allowed to continue. He confessed that he had practically forced Francks to break off his engagement with Iris de Fontaigne and marry his daughter. He acknowledged that he was in financial difficulties, and admitted that while she was on their honeymoon he had written to his daughter for money. She had refused to send him any, and he gave her reasons — that she and her husband had quarrelled on their wedding night and were husband and wife in name only.

When he had finished, there was a sensation in court The coroner asked if Saintsbury could produce the letter. He replied that it had been destroyed. But as he was about to leave the witness box the heavy figure of a man rose from the crowd near the door.

Mr. Saintsbury sold the letter to me.

Aaron Robert's voice rang clearly through the silent room. There was a startled murmur, a rustling of dress and shuffling of feet, which was instantly subdued.

The cries of 'Order' had scarcely died away when another interruption occurred. A messenger had entered the court and placed a letter in Inspector Heriot's hands. He glanced at it, held a whispered conversation with the coroner, and then formally asked for an adjournment.

The excitement was painful in its intensity now. Everyone present, witnesses, officials, jurymen, held their breath. The coroner did not seem anxious to accede to Heriot's request. Then the foreman rose and announced that the jury was willing to sit late into the day if the adjournment could be avoided.

From the evidence we have already heard— he commenced unsteadily, when the coroner stopped him.

If you think it's absolutely necessary, the latter said, looking closely at Heriot, I'll order an adjournment, though I myself hoped sufficient evidence had been forthcoming for the jury to decide on their verdict to-day.

For the first time since the proceedings had opened, Inspector Heriot looked flustered and ill at ease. He said something in an undertone to the coroner, who in turn spoke to the foreman of the jury again.

Then rising he announced that the inquest was adjourned.

An audible sigh arose, it might have been of relief, it might have been of disappointment. Before it died away Francks was on his feet. He raised his hand as if to ensure silence.

Mr. Coroner—

Before he could proceed further he was seized in a grip of iron, forced back into his seat and held down there.

Turning his head he found himself face to face with the Jew, Aaron Roberts— Suddenly a commotion arose in the body of the court, and rising to his feet, while he still kept his grip of Jimmy Francks, Roberts saw Ernest Laughton pushing his way through the crowd carrying the unconscious form of Iris de Fontaigne in his arms.

CHAPTER XXVII

The tension had been more than Iris de Fontaigne could bear. She had waited for the end, for the verdict of the coroner's jury hoping, believing, that it would be an open one, or else one of misadventure. But as the proceedings drew to a close, and Inspector Heriot summoned his facts and his witnesses one by one, and mercilessly linked up the terrible chain of evidence which threatened to convict Francks of the murder of his wife, her strength and courage began to fail.

The honor and the life of the man she loved beyond all others in the world was in danger. Up to that very last moment she had refused to admit to her heart that any body of men could seriously believe him guilty of such a terrible crime as murder. The idea was outrageous.

When Heriot entered the witness-box, she had no fear of him, rather she regarded him as a friend who would clear up the dreadful and unaccountable mystery.

The truth came suddenly — in a flash. The detective believed Jimmy Francks guilty of killing his wife. He intended to prove his guilt to the coroner and jury—and then arrest him.

As in a paroxysm of fear she looked at the faces surrounding her in the court-house, she realised that nearly all present had grasped the situation, and were only too willing to believe the detective and the evidence he produced and to condemn Francks.

And she sat spellbound, like a figure of stone. Her heart as cold as stone, and as dead—watching, listening. She wondered why she did not get up and cry out aloud that Francks was innocent. For she knew! They would believe her—they must.

It was just at the critical moment when the coroner was expected to commence his summing-up, and the interruption came, that Iris, staggering to her feet to plead for her lover's life, mercifully fainted.

Ernest Laughton had been watching her, and he caught her as she fell, and carried her out quickly. Francks' motor car was waiting outside, and forcing a passage through the crowd he helped Laughton place the unconscious girl safely in the car. Reuben had followed on their heels, and before the crowd outside the court had learnt the result of the proceedings, the motor car was swiftly whirling three of the principal actors in the drama towards Kensington.

It drew up at Abingdon Villas, and Reuben entered the house and saw Mrs. de Fontaigne. She had been warned by Iris' maid and Reuben might be leaving London that afternoon to stay with some friends in the country; it was her wish they should both be away for a few days and absence and no little time was wanted in packing up.

Mrs. de Fontaigne's health had been in a very critical condition for some time. She had been carefully kept in ignorance of the tragedy and the nurse who attended her could be relied upon to take care of her and prevent any disquieting rumors from reaching her ears.

Iris was still in a state of semi-consciousness when the car started again.

It's barely a fifty-mile run. We shall do it well inside a couple of hours with any luck, Francks whispered to Laughton.

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On those parts of the coast where the red, porus rock of the genuine cliffs has been too badly honeycombed by the seas, hundreds of thousands of tons of cement have been used to strengthen the face.

Heligoland has long been an important naval centre. It is defended by the most powerful guns, and is said to be prepared for a seige lasting three years. It is, indeed, the North Sea storehouse of the German fleet. Visitors are only allowed in the tiny port the high plateau that forms the rest of the island being carefully guarded from the public.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Explained

Pa, what is mean by the sins of omission and of commission?

Those that are committed by a commission house, I guess.

Not a Clear Title

Does Thompson bear a good reputation?

Let me see—Thompson?

Yes.

No; I don't think so.

Why?

He ran for office once.

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Near It

I found one honest man.

Was he in the poorhouse?

No.

Where then?

On the way to it.

Etymological Dispute

A chefonyear is a sort of bureau.

Tain't nothin' of the kind. It's a man what drives an auto.

If you were as strong, proportionately, as the beetle is, and were a man weighing a couple of hundred pounds, you would be able to lift with ease 400,000 pounds. For a beetle can lift a weight that is just 200 times its own weight.

Or if you could jump about with the same ease as the grasshopper you could spring over the tallest building in the Chicago loop district without much effort.

Or, again, if you wanted to be nearly as strong as the bee you would have to drag after you a load weighing 4,000 pounds.

It seems, apparently, from such observations made by naturalists that the greater in size the animal the greater is the muscular energy needed to move it about, and that there is not much left for outside force.

The only thing that some men won't take is a chance at hard work.

Do you have your shirts done up at a laundry? asked Brown. I do, replied Robinson, and it requires only about three washings to do them up very exhaustively.

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A Way Some People Have

A doctor said:

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"There's a Reason."

Sounds From a Rainbow

It seems incredible that a beam of light could be made to produce sound, but such a thing can be done. A ray of sunlight is thrown through a lens on a glass vessel containing lampblack colored silk or worsted, or any like substance. A disk having slits or openings cut in it is made to revolve swiftly in this beam of light, so as to cut it up, thus causing alternate flashes of light and shadow. When one places his ear to the glass vessel he hears strange sounds so long as the flashing beam falls upon the vessel.

A still more extraordinary effect is produced when the beam of sunlight is made to pass through a prism, so as to produce what is called the solar spectrum. This disk is turned and the colored light of the rainbow is made to break through it. Now, if the ear be placed to the vessel containing the silk or other material, as the colored lights of the spectrum fall upon it, sounds will be given by the different parts of the spectrum, and there will be silence in other parts.

For example, if the vessel contains red worsted and the green light flashes upon it, loud sounds will be given out. Only feeble sounds will be heard when the red and the blue parts of the rainbow fall upon the vessel. Other colors produce no sounds at all.

Green silk gives out sound best in a red light. Every kind of material gives more or less sound in different colors and no sound at all in others.

The Ear of the Owl

It is held by naturalists that, in order to capture its prey the owl must depend even more upon its sense of hearing than upon that of sight. The tufts of feathers that distinguished the short-eared and the long-eared owls are, of course, no more ears than they are horns.

The true ear of the owl is a most remarkable organ.

The facial disk of feathers that gives the owl its characteristic appearance serves as a kind of sounding board or ear-trumpet to concentrate the slightest sounds and to transmit them to the orifice of the true ear, concealed in the small feathers behind the eye. Even in the barn owl which possesses the least complicated arrangement of this kind, the orifice of the ear is covered by a remarkable flap of the skin, while in the other species there are striking differences in the size and shape of this orifice and its covering flap on the two sides of the head.

The exact way in which owls utilize this elaborately specialized apparatus has still to be discovered.

More Drinking in Italy

Till a few years ago the Italians were amng the most temperate peoples in Europe; but with the growth of industrialism and social luxury an enormous development has been witnessed of the bar system.

The marked increase in direct crime and insanity due to the abuse of intoxicating drink roused the attention of the Government, and a Bill for checking the evil was introduced in the Chamber of Deputies, prohibiting the sale of liquor to children and drunkards, limiting bars to two for every 500 inhabitants in the smaller towns, and one for every 500 citizens in the larger centres. The latest figures show one street bar for every 159 inhabitants.

He Smiled and Got the Limit

A young man from Pittsburgh, charged with driving his motor about London while intoxicated, and exceeding the speed limit, smiled when he was arraigned before the judge. Presumably he expected a $10 fine. That magistrate had to break the news to him that the charge was no laughing matter, and that conviction meant imprisonment. Odd, isn't it, that those Britishers should take it so seriously when a man gets a little jingle and imperils the lives of a lot of people in a city? Don't they know that boys will be boys?

I Should Worry

Mrs. Smith was repeatedly reminding her husband that she owned the silver, that she owned the furniture, that the piano was her own private property, and so on until poor Smith began to wonder what she'd claim next.

The other night Mrs. S. woke in alarm. Strange sounds were heard in the lower parts of the house, and quickly rousing her husband, she cried:

John, John! Get up! There are burglars in the house!

Eh? inquired Mr. Smith, rubbing his eyes.

Burglars downstairs, repeated Mrs. S.

Burglars? said Smith, as he turned over. Well, I should worry. I don't own anything.

Diner—I say, waiter, isn't there some soup on this bill of fare?

Waiter—Not now, sir. There was, but I wiped it off.

Between Two Fires

I can't afford to marry her and keep a cook.

You can't afford to marry her and not keep one.

Reason for It

Mazie—Fred says it will take me all season to learn how to swim.

Daisy—Who'se teaching you?

Mazie—Fred.

Proud Father—My Willie is a musical rascal. Just now, as I held him over my knees in front of the piano and gave him a beating, he reached out and played an accompaniment.

Its Equal

I don't know anything more idiotic than the way women follow freak fashions.

Don't you?

No.

I do.

What?

The comments men make about it.

Why He Wasn't

Are you superstitious?

Not a bit. I always think bad luck comes to superstitious people.

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Unwed at 101

Miss Mary Thearin is apparently the oldest unmarried woman in all the world. She lives in Denver, Colo., and not long ago celebrated her 101st birthday.

Really she is a most wonderful woman, according to the reports of her friends and relations. She claims never to have been sick a day in her life, and furthermore, having lived in single bliss all her life, vigorously insists that she never regretted it.

Evidently she is of the opinion that unmarried women are just as happy as married ones—that, in fact the unattached women are likely to get a great deal more out of life, for they are not as apt to spend their days bound down to domestic duties and labors.

Miss Thearin is still perfectly healthy and expects to continue so to enjoy a number of more years in the same cheerful state.

A Remedy for Bilious Headache.—To those subject to bilious headache, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are recommended as the way to speedy relief. Taken according to directions they will subdue irregularities of the stomach and so act upon the nerves and blood vessels that the pains in the head will cease. There are few who are not at sometime subject to biliousness and familiar with its attendant evils. Yet none need suffer with these pills at hand.

How to Save Your Tires

A tire manufacturing company gives this advice about the care of motor car tires:

The idea seems universal among motor car owners that the tire cost of their equipment far exceeds all other costs that they have to deal with. It is true that the tire cost must necessarily be greater than any other cost of running connected with the machine but is far from necessary that the cost shall bear such a ratio to the other expenses as is generally the case today.

This is especially true where pneumatic tires are used. If tires were loaded only to the maximum loads for which they were designed, if they were kept inflated always to the pressure called for by the tire manufacturer, if they were not run in ruts, if they were properly and quickly repaired when damaged, and if they were run on wheels which did not wobble, their cost of upkeep would be cut in half.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

One of the reasons why English is expected to become a world language is that English people refuse to learn another. A correspondent sends the following example: At Muscat, at the entrance to the Persian Gulf, there lived for many years an Englishman, supposed to be the only, or almost the only British resident on the 1,500 miles of Arabian coastline from Aden to Kowett. It would seem that he could hardly have escaped knowing Arabic. Yet he confessed that he could not speak a dozen words of that language.

But how do you carry on your trade some one asked.

Oh, he replied, the beggars have to learn English.

Oh, that my son should wish to marry an actress! shrieked the proud mother. Now, ma, don't take on so, urged the undutiful heir. She isn't really an actress; she only thinks she is.

The Chicken Was There

One morning Jenkins looked over his garden wall and said to his neighbor:

Hey, what are you burying in that hole?

Oh, he said, I am just replanting some of my seeds; that's all.

Seeds, shouted Jenkins angrily, it looks more like one of my hens.

That's all right. The seeds are inside.

Jones is mighty solid with his wife.

How does he do it?

Simple enough. When he goes to see his mother he tells his wife that he like to get back to wife's cooking.

Married Men Live Longest

Married men live longer than bachelors or widowers because they have loving wives around to say: One nip's enough, John and to see that hubby gets his dose of quinine when he comes home with wet feet.

The Journal of the American Medical Association reaches this conclusion in its current issue, published recently. The journal also comments on the fact that married men, deprived of their wives by death or the divorce court, pine away and die at a speedier rate than bachelors.

Undoubtedly the lower death rate among married men is partly due to the fact that married men live much more regular lives and consequently avoid many of the dangers of irregular living, says the Journal. This view would seem to be corroborated by statistics as to the mortality among married men who have lost their wives either by death or divorce. The mortality rate among widowers and the divorced is almost double that of married men of the same age.

Desired to Know

What on earth are you talking about?

I don't know.

Then why do you talk?

To find out.

Find out?

Yes. You seem to know it all so I thought perchance you could enlighten me.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

High Finance

A man sent his neighbor's little boy to the drug store to buy five postage stamps. He handed him two dimes, the extra one being for himself. Some time afterward the boy came back blubbering and said he had lost one of the dimes.

But why didn't you buy me the stamps? asked the man

Because mister, replied the boy, it was your dime I lost.

PRESIDENT SUSPENDER
NONE SO EASY

A Proof

Does Emily dote so on that young man of hers?

Does she? At this moment she is changing her brown hair to golden because he likes blondes best.

Oh I see. She's positively dyeing for him.

Soft corns are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Cures will draw them out painlessly.

No man is sure of himself, which is perhaps the reason he asserts his opinion so positively.

County fairs may get along without stock, races or agricultural exhibits. But they must have peanuts, taffy, a merry-go-round, an orator and a flying machine.

I am looking for the man who runs this office.

He is out just now.

But I have a big deal I want to put over.

You might see the office boy.

Old Man (who has been chased by a bull and only just scrambled over a gate in time)—You infernal, ungrateful beast! An' me been a vegetarian all my life!

Well dear, I guess the honeymoon is over.

Why do you say that? pouted the bride.

I have been taking stock and I find that I am down to $2.65.

Speaking of that fish you caught. What about it?

I notice you modify its size to your various listeners.

Well, I never tell a man more than I think he'll believe.

Woman Is As Old As She Looks

No woman wants to look old. Many in their effort to look youthful resort to the "beauty doctor's" prescriptions. Their mistake is that they visit the wrong department in the drug store. Beauty depends upon health.

Worry, sleepless nights, headaches, pains, disorders, irregularities and weaknesses of a distinctly feminine character in a short time bring the dull eye, the "crow's feet," the haggard look, drooping shoulders, and the faltering step.

To retain the appearance of youth you must retain health. Instead of lotions, powders and paints, ask your druggist for

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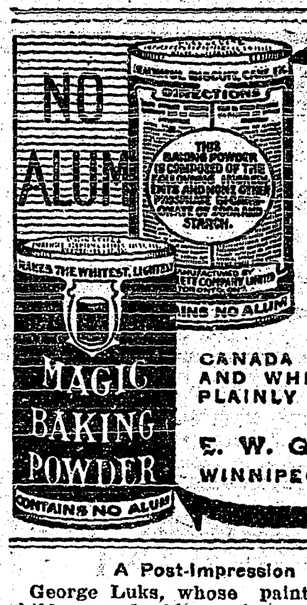

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A Post-Impression

George Luks, whose paintings of children and old people made a recent sensation in a Fifth avenue gallary, was talking about the post-impressionists.

But Luks, said a magazine editor, what is a post-impressionist?

With a jolly laugh, Mr. Luks replied:

A post-impressionist, my dear fellow, is an artist who aims to give you the post-impression that he has orders for more pictures than he can paint.

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In the Grand Stand

Daisy—Do you understand baseball?

Kitty—Perfectly; but why does that man run so hard with nobody after him?

The fellow who loses his temper isn't different a great deal from the high tempered man who is exhibiting his.

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Exacting

What is he kicking about? asked the manager.

Wants his nickel back, replied the beautiful ticket seller.

What's the complaint?

The moving picture didn't talk.

Manager—You have too much rouge on for a milkmaid.

Actress—But I thought milkmaids had very red cheeks?

Manager—On the contrary, they're all pail girls.

Carried Weight

That was the heaviest storm I ever saw.

How much did it weigh?

I don't know, but it had things its own way.

When a man's business goes up his financial reputation is likely to come down.

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Interesting People

Of King Nicholas of Montenegro somebody writes that he stops people to examine their guns and pistols, and rates anybody who carries them unloaded—which recalls an anecdote related of himself by Count Moltke, when, in 1856, he accompanied the crown prince of Prussia to Moscow to attend the coronation of Alexander II. At a ball in the kremlin Moltke was introduced to a group of picturesque potentates from central Asia, with their girdles stuck full of daggers and pistols, in the present day Albanian manner and he begged to know whether these firearms of theirs were loaded. Why should I carry them if they were not loaded, replied the spokesman of the party; and in a letter to his English wife Moltke confessed that he had never experienced such a set back all his life. Here at last, he said, I have found 'un homme serieux,' a man who is what he looks and means what he says.

All along the road to Lexington from Cambridge, Mass., there are monuments to rebel colonists who slew British soldiers on April 19, in 1775, but the most striking is that which is raised to the memory of Samuel Whittemore. He was 80 years of age at the time and he killed three British soldiers with his own hand. The stone records that for this he received punishment of three kinds. He was shot, he was bayoneted and he was beaten. He was then reasonably enough left for dead. The old fellow must have had a magnificent constitution and a spirit which the most devoted optimist must envy. For the inscription goes on to say that he recovered and lived to the age of 93.

Mr. Roosevelt's successful count of his glasses to win his libel action contrasts present customs with those of England 80 years ago. G. W. E. Russell recounts: Mr. Gladstone, conspicuous from his Oxford days for his moderation in the use of wine, told me that until Sir Andrew Clark limited him on grounds of health to a certain number of glasses he had never thought of counting them. One drank what was put in one's glass without counting or questioning.

His Bequest

One of the briefest and queerest wills on record is that of an old western farmer, who though reputed to be rich, died penniless. His will ran: In the name of God, amen. There's only one thing I leave, I leave the earth. My relations have always wanted that. They can have it.

Blankets of Bark

They have trees for blankets in Ecudar, and they like them, too. They are fond of the firm touch of the bark against them as they sleep.

We would probably think they were 'zero in covering,' and we would doubtless work up in a much bestiffened condition if we slept under a wood covering.

But the native Indians are most enthusiastic, according to J. Jameson, a traveller and lecturer, who has recently returned from those parts.

The blankets are made from the bark of a tree which is cut particularly thin. It is pounded and moistened and then pounded some more and put out into the sun to dry. And a most desirable and economical blanket it is, lasting anywhere from two to five years.

Armed with guns and huge gamebags, the two Irishmen sailed forth in search of sport. It was their first venture at shooting, and they were dreadfully keen.

Suddenly Casey spotted a bird and taking aim, prepared to fire the fatal shot. Then Pat seized him by the arm frantically. For mercy's sake don't fire, Casey! he yelled. Sure, an' ye have forgotten to load yer gun! That's as may be, my lad, retorted Casey, but fire I must. Begorrah, the bird won't wait.

A huntsman called on Hodge to settle for damages done by a run to hounds and found only Mrs. Hodge at home.

Has your husband, he inquired, made an examination yet?

That he have, sir, replied Mrs. Hodge, with a curtsey.

Rather a cursory examination, I suspect?

Oh, dreadful, sir. Such langwidge I never heard—never.

Between the woman who wants a husband and the woman who wants to get rid of one society in many a town is kept amused and interested.

Behind the Times

Looks like a dark horse on both tickets.

That seems so behind the times.

What would you have?

A red automobile.

Sarcastic

Is this your umbrella?

Yes.

It looks like mine.

Yes; I have often noticed that yours looks like mine.

Virtue has its own reward, and many a woman who sticks to the right gets left.

WHEN AN AIRMAN SHOULD QUIT

Once the Nerve Is Gone a Man Should Fly no More

He who flies constantly must look to one personal risk, which may vary according to the characteristics of the individual. This is the danger a man may incur by becoming a little careless while in the air. There is the possibility, in fact, that familiarity may breed—not actual contempt—but a temporary relaxation of vigilance, and piloting an aeroplane needs such watchfulness, such minute precision, that any staleness on the part of the man at the wheel, or lever, represents a peril that is very real.

The pilot who flies a great deal should remind himself constantly that there is no room for error in the handling of aircraft.

A loss of confidence not difficult to understand is suffered by an airman, sometimes, after he has been the victim of a serious fall, and in similar circumstances a jockey, or say a racing motorist, may be robbed of nerve and when a pilot does lose judgment, as the outcome of a bad mishap, his wisest course is to cease to fly. With a broken nerve, he is a menace to himself and to others as well.—Claude Graham White, in the National Review.

Anglo-Russian Friendship

A practical suggestion to help the Anglo-Russian friendship was made by Baron Heyking, Imperial Russian consul-general for Great Britain, who inspected a big gathering of Boy Scouts, Church Lads' Brigades and Boys' Brigades at Chiswick recently. The baron remarked that chivalry and knighthood of mediaeval centuries had its weak side, but the fundamental idea of serving not oneself, but others, was excellent and worthy of praise. The Boy Scout movement of our day was a revival and at the same time an improvement upon mediaeval chivalry. They were the little knights of our time.

Replying to a vote of thanks by Assistant Commissioner Martin, who was in command, Baron Heyking said he could not help thinking that it would be a good thing if it could be arranged for some of them to visit the Russian Scouts—the Poteshnigo. They were different to the English Scouts, but their ideal was the same, and he was quite sure that such a visit would help to foster Anglo-Russian friendship and relations. He would be delighted to arrange for their reception in Russia.

He Agreed Too Soon

The celebrated French Poet, Saint-Foix, who in spite of his large income was always in debt, sat one day in a barber's shop waiting to be shaved. He was lathered when the door opened and a tradesman entered who happened to be one of the poet's largest creditors. No sooner did this man see Saint-Foix than he angrily demanded his money. The poet composedly begged him not to make a scene.

Won't you wait for the money until I am shaved?

Certainly, said the other, pleased at the prospect.

Saint-Foix then made the barber a witness of the agreement, and immediately he took a towl, wiped the lather from his face and left the shop. He wore a beard to the end of his days.

A Homely Thing

An enthusiastic young settlement worker, in her kindness of heart, decided to take to the seashore a little six year old child who had never breathed purer air than that of a city street.

Jennie's delight will do me good, she said to those who expostulated with her. It will help me to rest in my vacation to see her growing rosy. How she will enjoy it!

But it turned out that Jennie was a young woman with views of her own. As the train drew into the station of the seaside resort they could see from the car window a wide stretch of beach and sea.

Look, Jennie, exclaimed her philanthropic companion. There is the ocean!

Bursting into tears, Jennie flung herself, sobbing, into the arms of her friend. Oh, my, ain't it homely, she cried.

The Man With Asthma, almost longs for death to end his suffering. He sees ahead only years of endless torment with intervals of rest which are themselves fraught with never ceasing fear of renewed attacks. Let him turn to Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy and know what complete relief it can give. Let him but use it faithfully and he will find his asthma a thing of the past.

On the Lion

A Baltimore man, interested in the education of the young, recently visited a kindergarten in that city. After the first exercises the visitor was asked to put a few questions to the pupils. To a boy of 5 the caller said:

Have you ever seen a lion's skin?

Yes, sir, came in ringing tones from the youngster.

And where? asked the visitor, impressed with the child's earnestness.

On the lion, answered the boy.

A girl exclaims: How romantic! when she hears of an engagement; a man: How tedious.

Had Doubts

I am dying to go up in an airship.

I'd sort of like to do that, too, only I am afraid that the dying might materialize.

It is much easier to be good when living with people who laugh than those who always notice that the wind is in the east.

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Builds Houses for Birds

A picturesque method of fighting an insect may be seen from the train windows at Marshfield, a wide, outlying cranberry bog, dotted over with white bird houses on stakes. The owner of the bog, Capt. B. G. Cahoon invented this method of fighting certain pests destructive to cranberry vines and berries some thirty years ago, and is still enthusiastic over the success of it.

Capt. Cahoon has installed 100 new bird boxes on a seventeen acre bog, thus inviting and surely housing a large colony of swallows, whose all day occupation will be to swoop down upon obnoxious moths from their cottage watch towers and stuff the same down the throats of voracious youngsters still in the nest. It is a neat little scheme by which everybody seems to be pleased and benefited except the moth. Incidentally other bogs also are benefited, although but few similar bird houses are to be found yet in other parts of the great Cape cranberry area.

In the earlier days of the experiment the bird boxes were placed three on a stake, rather near together. On the last log laid out of seventeen acres, 100 boxes were placed forty feet apart, on tall stakes, following the line of the ditch crossings, having the appearance of great regularity when seen from the right point of view, but merely scattered about when looked at from across the bog. Looking down the line the dazzling white cottages, each neatly topping its stake, lifted high above the soft gray green level of blossoming vines, look like the habitations of some odd little nature people, possibly engaged in tilling the field beneath.

Capt. Cahoon based his original experiment on the simple observation that swallows liked moths and private lodgings. To tempt them to live on the very battlefield was the idea. It is expected of them that they keep down the numbers of three separate cranberry caterpillar pests by capturing the moths in such seasons as they appear, during the extended time of swallow housekeeping.

The little houses are roughly sawed out at a nearby mill and nailed together, and painted and mounted on their stakes as a sort of winter knitting work by the owners of the bog. The expense is small in proportion to the value of the crop saved and being carefully taken up, and in winter the plant lasts indefinitely.

Whiskey Insurrection

The first rebellion against the federal government in the United States was the whiskey insurrection of western Pennsylvania, which had its beginning 122 years ago, when a meeting was held in Brownsville, Pa., to protest against the imposition of an excise tax on spirits distilled from grain. This measure had been devised by Alexander Hamilton to bring revenue into the treasury of the infant republic. It provided for a tax of from 9 to 25 cents a gallon, according to the strength of the liquor. The farmers of western Pennsylvania were hard hit by the tax. Owing to the high cost of transportation, they could make a living out of grain growing only by converting the product of their fields into liquor. Feeling ran high after the Brownsville meeting, and one of the tax collectors was tarred and feathered. President Washington issued a proclamation in which he earnestly exhorted and admonished the rebellious farmers, but they paid no heed to it. Five hundred strong, they attacked the house of Gen. Neville, western Pennsylvania revenue collector and in the battle the leader of the insurrection, John Holcroft, or Tom the Tinker, was killed. The insurrection was finally put down by federal troops under Lighthorse Harry Lee.

The Only Kind That Will

Angelina is a great friend of mine.

Awfully fascinating, I suppose?

Oh, no; but she is so comforting. She always helped me out of all my difficulties.

Gee! Is she as homely as that?

Consoling

What are you using bad language about? inquired the farmer.

Oh, growled the motorist, this machine's broken down and I can't get it to go!

You're in luck! said the farmer; the last man I saw round here got all broke because he couldn't get it to stop.

TIMELY AID

Western Recognition of the Great Work the C.P.R. is Doing for Canada

The confirmation by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy of the intention of the C.P.R. to expend $100,000,000 in the extension of its lines and perfection of its system in the west, comes at the present time as a piece of very welcome news indeed and furnishes moreover ample opportunity for the people of Canada to review the situation and examine into the relations which subsist between the Dominion of Canada and this great corporation. When the evidences of a world wide trade depression which is now coming on are to be seen on all sides and the money situation is becoming all the while tighter, the announcement of a gigantic expenditure of this kind, and at this particular time appears like a veritable rift in the clouds before the storm has had time to break.

We have all heard the C.P.R. damned for one thing and another and many of us may have done a bit of it ourselves at times when we didn't happen to think that things were coming sufficiently our way; but nevertheless where is there another corporation that has so thoroughly identified itself with the interests of a country as this mammoth railway and steamboat company has done? Neither is this the first instance when British Columbians in various districts and at various times have seen infant industries nursed along by the company in a way that was truly paternal, and it does not detract from the situation in the slightest where it may be seen that in doing so they were merebuilding up profitable business for themselves in the years to follow. It is now twenty years since they placed a steamer on Okanagan Lake that was far beyond the capacity required at that time, and many a lean trip was made before there was business enough to justify the expenditure. Any settler on the shore of Okanagan Lake had only to moor a log or two at the shore to serve as a wharf and display a white flag when he wanted the boat to call, and he and his little bit of produce or belongings was taken aboard. The mining industry in the Boundary was fostered along the same way, and when it was a matter of life or death to mine owners to determine whether the low grade ores of the Boundary could be made to yield a profit, the C.P.R. did their part to help out the situation by giving a rate of 35 cents per ton for the transportation of ore to the smelters at Greenwood, Grand Forks and Boundary Falls long before there was any other road to share this business with them.

In fact, Sir John A. Macdonald, farseeing statesman as he was, builded even better than he knew when he tied up with the men who risked their fortunes in the gigantic scheme of giving Canada a railway from ocean to ocean; and any aid which he and his parliament were able to give at critical periods to help it through, was bread sown on the waters, which is since coming back in countless ways and this latest manifestation in the expenditure of $100,000 in the extension and improvement of their system in the west at this particular time as but another magnificent instance of the policy they have seen fit to pursue and the national sentiment which has inspired it. To do the right thing at the right time is a happy faculty that is unfortunately not possessed by all, and neither are all in a position to do it, but it is fortunate for all that those who are in a position to do so, have the will to do so.—Hedley, B.C. Gazette.

They were in the antique section of the art museum and were gazing at a mummy swathed in its cloth. Auto or aeroplane accident, evidently, one man remarked. Guess it's the former returned his companion, for see, there is his number, and he pointed to a card reading 'B.C. 87.'

Doctor—For dinner a should take forty minutes.

Timid Patient—Would it be dangerous to add a bit of meat and some vegetables?

Somebody had given her a Brazilian parrot and she was showing it to a friend who is somewhat of a practical joker.

You know, she explained, this parrot came from Brazil, and the Brazilian parrots are so intelligent that they are almost human. This bird whistles 'Home, Sweet Home' so beautifully that the tears run down its beak.

Yes, replied her friend, I know all about those Brazilian parrots. I used to have one and it whistled 'The Village Blacksmith' so beautifully that sparks would actually fly from its tail.

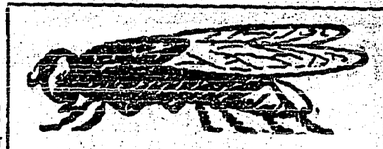
His Viewpoint

What are you doing for a living?

Working.

Is that the best you can do?

No; the worst.



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Caring for Caged Birds

Vegetable food of some kind is a necessity for the caged bird. A lettuce leaf, water cress, a small piece of apple, a grape or a small thin piece of raw potato if there is nothing else should be given every day. The staple food should be canary seed mixed with a small percentage of rape and golden millet, but occasionally, in cold weather add a little hem seed.

Should the bird's nails grow too long, take him in your hand, loosely, but firmly, hold his feet in a cup of warm, soapy water for several minutes to soften the nail, then cut the extreme end with a pair of sharp nail scissors.

A bird should be accustomed to having a bath every morning. The best best plan to encourage this is to remove the bottom of the cage, put a small dish of water on a sheet of paper, and set the top of the cage over it. Many birds have to be coaxed into taking a bath, and if your bird has not been accustomed to it, it will help matters to remove the seed and water dishes. After he has bathed hang the cage in a warm pleace so that there may be no fear of the bird becoming chilled.

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Gentlemen,—In June, 98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I began using. The effect was magical; in five hours the pain had ceased and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

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Lord Ballyrot in Shropshire

Having finished my repast in a public dining room you know, I arose and requested of the waiter that he regain my hat and my walking stick. The fellow summoned a boy in uniform and addressed him like this:

Hey kid, this gent wants his lid and his lumber. Go over to the coat-tree and shake off the fruit until you come across a gasstove toque and a yellow wagger-mast. Don't worry, Mister. The kid'll fetch your freakelly and your groper.

My word!

Cost Her Nothing

That Mrs. Naybor dropped in this afternoon and got off a lot of cheap talk.

Cheap talk?

Yes, she used our telephone for a full half hour.

Nothing but Beach

Mildred was sitting on her father's knee watching her mother arrange her hair.

Papa hasn't any waves like that, said the father laughing.

Mildred, looking up at her father's bald pate, replied:

No, no waves; it is all beach.

I ordered this steak not well done, said the impatient guest. I know it answered the intellectual waiter. But the cook is one of those people who believe that no matter how small a thing is it should be well done.

Looking Ahead

Little Norah, aged 8, to Edith, aged 10—What a big girl like you playing with a Teddy bear!

Edith—Yes; haven't you got one?

Norah—Mine is locked up in the cupboard, where it shall stop until I am married, when I may bring it out for my children to play with.

Edith—What if you don't have any children?

Norah—Well, then in that case it will do for my grandchildren.

When a bank selects a quick cashier it doesn't always find a fast young man.

Neuralgic Condition Of the Nerves

In this age of nervous disorders neuralgia is fearfully common. The first thought is of neuralgia in the head or splitting headache, but neuralgia may affect any part of the body in which there are sensitive nerves.

The teeth are often blamed and extracted in error, when the cause of the trouble is in the impoverished condition of the blood and the starved nervous system.

While neuralgic pains are usually sharp and shooting, and consequently difficult to locate, the seat of trouble is usually sore and tender under pressure.

Neuralgia is pain and as such is the symptom of a disease—nervous exhaustion. The nerves must be restored before cure can possibly be effected.

In many cases neuralgia is easily curable by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. The patient is thin and bloodless and needs tonic treatment to form new, rich blood.

The application of cloths rung from hot water will afford relief from the suffering, and the regular use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for a few weeks will completely overcome the neuralgic condition.

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PERFORATED COINS.

Uncle Sam Tried Them Several Times but Without Success.

Perforated coins were never in favor in the United States, though various efforts were made to popularize them. The first United States coin with a perforated center was a gold dollar issued in 1849, which had a square hole in the middle of the planchet. It was the forerunner of the gold dollar issued by the United States mint in 1849. The coin was engraved, not struck from dies.

The next United States coin with a perforated center was issued from the Philadelphia mint in 1850 and was of the denomination of 1 cent. It was about the size of the bronze cent now in use. At that time the large, old fashioned copper cent was in general circulation, and the perforated coin received the name of "ring cent." The designer reasoned that by means of the perforation the cent could be distinguished by touch from the dime. Another perforated cent issued the same year showed two rings in the field with the words, "Cent, One-tenth Silver." The reverse showed an olive wreath around the perforation and the words, "United States of America."

The mint authorities undertook to design a coin that would answer all requirements, and the pieces were struck with both pierced and perfect centers in silver, copper, nickel and composition metal, six varieties in all, without counting the various metals, but none of the designs was favored by the government authorities, and consequently they were never put in general circulation.

The only gold half dollar ever produced at the United States mint was struck in 1852. It had a perforation in the center, and the obverse showed a wavy circle around the perforation, with the inscription, "United States of America," around the border. The reverse was blank. The coin was exactly half the weight of the dollar. Regardless of the generally accepted idea the gold fifty cent pieces with which the public is familiar were not an issue of the United States, but were manufactured by California jewelers. There has not been any attempt to introduce the perforated coin in the United States since 1884. In that year two pieces of the denominations of 1 and 5 cents were issued at the Philadelphia mint.—Harper's Weekly.

Usual Result.

Sillicus—Do you believe that two can live as cheaply as one? Cynicus—Well, after they get married I suppose they generally find they have to.—Philadelphia Record.

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This notice was posted on the ground on the 26 day of August 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Ashley Cooper (Applicant).

MINERAL ACT
(Form F)

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Skookum Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located—on Summit Creek adjoining the Bayonne Mine. Take Notice that I, A.H. Green, acting as agent for Joseph Campbell, Free Miner's Certificate No- 40340B intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate fo Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, Must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

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