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VICTORY AT YPRES WILL SHORTEN THE WAR

Field Marshal Sir John French Tells His Troops They Did Marvellous Fighting.

(Nelson News)

London, May 30.—Field Marshal Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces in France, in an address to the troops who fought in the second battle of Ypres, which he called one of the most desperate fights of the war, declared that they had done much to shorten the war.

"You may have thought," he said "that because you were not attacking the enemy that you were not helping to shorten the war. On the contrary, by your splendid endurance and bravery you have done a great deal toward that end.

"In this second battle of Ypres the Germans tried by every means in their power to get possession of that unfortified town. They concentrated large forces of troops and artillery and further than that they had recourse to that mean and dastardly practice hitherto unheard of in civilized war, namely the use of asphhxiating gases.

"You have performed the most difficult, arduous and terrific task withstanding a stupendous bombardment by heavy artillery, probably the fiercest fire ever directed against any troops, and you warded off the enemy's attacks with magnificent bravery."

CHANGE IN BOAT SERVICE

Steamer Now Leaves Later and Also Arrives Later.

A change in the time of arrival and departure of the Okanagan lake boat became effective on the first of this month. The lake boat therefore leaves Penticton at seven in the morning instead of five-thirty as previously, leaving Summerland at 7:45, Peachland at 8:40, Kelowna at 10, and arriving at Okanagan Landing at 1:00. On the return it now leaves the Landing at 1:45, arriving at Kelowna at 3:35, Peachland at 5:15, Summerland at 6:40 and Penticton at 7:45. Passengers going north do not have such a long stop at Vernon as formerly, getting there at 2:40 and leaving at 3:55 for Sicamous.

HOME-CURED HAMS NOW

Summerland People Are Working Towards Self-Sustenance.

Summerland—Home-cured hams and bacon have now appeared on the local market, thus marking another step toward the desired end of *making* our community more nearly self-sustaining. For a number of years past thousands of dollars have been sent out annually for hams and bacon and other pork products, including lard.

With the introduction of the pig in many of the orchards this heavy drain on the community's exchequer depreciated, but it is yet a large item of import. That it will soon cease entirely and that we may soon be exporting, now seems probable. For the last two or three years, Mr. H. C. Mellor has been giving a good deal of attention to the production of pork, and has lately begun curing and smoking on his premises, and already Mr. Mellor has been receiving a number of compliments on the excellent quality of his smoked meats.—Penticton Herald.

SPAIN REMAINS NEUTRAL

Madrid, May 30, via Paris—The government yesterday officially declared the neutrality of Spain in the war between Austria-Hungary and Italy.

Just because a man does not bother to contradict you does not prove that he believes all you say.

B. C. LAND PRE-EMPTED

About 700 Parcels of Land Opened For Pre-emption on May 18—Demand for Waterfront Lots.

On Tuesday, May 18th, about 700 parcels of surveyed land on the Mainland Coast Redonda, Cortez and Thurlow Islands in Vancouver Land Division, on Nootka and Malcolm Islands in Alberni Division, in Fernie, Cranbrook and Fort George Divisions, were opened to pre-emption. These lands, which had been reserved, were sub divided for pre-emption, and the news that they were to be opened was widely circulated for some months prior to the opening date, and a series of pamphlets, containing maps and full descriptions of the various tracts freely circulated. In order to relieve intending pre-emptors from a long vigil at the doors of the various government offices, tickets were issued to applicants guaranteeing their priority.

At Vancouver, although 242 tickets were issued, but 80 of the 102 parcels offered were taken up, the demand being chiefly for some close-in waterfront lots in a tract near Sechelt, about 26 miles from Vancouver. There were twenty parcels in this tract, and the first twenty men in the line recorded these lots. At Alberni, where 247 lots on Malcolm Island and 39 lots on Nootka Island were offered, but six of the total 286 lots were recorded, though Malcolm Island was considered as offering better agricultural possibilities than the logged-off areas opened on the Lower Mainland Coast. At Cranbrook 21 of the 97 parcels offered to pre-emptors were recorded; and at Fernie the 6 lots opened were taken up.

The demand was for waterfront lots on the Coast, especially the tract near Sechelt, and many of those who gathered at Vancouver, turned away without considering the other lots when these were recorded by the first twenty men in the line. These men assembled at the office of the Government Agent at Vancouver, six weeks prior to the opening date, and received in order of their arrival. Of the 102 lots offered the 80 taken up included all of those situated on the waterfront. There were 58 lots in New Westminster district, near Sechelt, on the Malaspina peninsula, near Lund, and on Homfray channel, and 46 were taken up. Of the 11 lots on Cortez Island 5 were taken up, and of the 33 lots on Redonda and Thurlow Islands and at Jackson Bay, Sunderland Channel, 29 were taken up. Eighty pre-emptors who filed on the lower Coast lands included 51 from the United Kingdom, 20 Canadians, 2 Americans, 2 Swedes, 2 Fins, a Dane, a Russian and a Hollander.

It was anticipated, especially in view of the "back to the land" movement, that there would have been a great demand for lots on Malcolm Island.

Of 247 lots offered there and the 30 on Nootka Island, advices from Alberni show that but six were taken at both places. The demand is seemingly confined to the waterfront lots close to the cities.

Malcolm Island, a timbered, low, undulating plateau divided from Vancouver Island by Broughton Strait, was reserved in 1901 as a Finnish colony. The colony continued for some years, operating and carrying on business as a community basis. Circumstances finally caused the abandonment of the community system, and the greater number of the original settlers took up land individually, others locating on Vancouver Island and places in the vicinity. There are now living on the island about 250 people, chiefly members of the original Finnish colony. The main settlement is at Sointula, where there are two excellent schools; one having an average attendance of forty-seven pupils, government wharf, post office and co-operative store. During the past summer about 10,000 acres was subdivided and is now being opened to settlers. The lots on Nootka Island, where there has been much settlement during the past few years, are subdivisions of former timber licenbes.

The 98 lots opened to pre-emption in Cranbrook district are subdivisions of former timber limits near Cronbrook, Kimberley, Fort Steele, Mayook, Colvalli, Wardner, Ryan and Tochty. Only 21 of these lots, little over a fifth of the total, were taken up. The district is well supplied with transportation facilities, railroads and highways, and many of the blocks adjoin railroads and roads.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From the Hedley Gazette of June 1st, 1905.)

Wm. Y. Williams and J. Rogers, of the Granby, are in town.

Mr. J. F. Royer accompanied the flyer on its trip in on Monday night.

A load of steel rails for mine tracking went through yesterday by Innis's teams to Voigt's camp.

George E. Winkler, who has opened an office in Princeton for his firm of Winkler & Mohr, real estate, was in town last week.

J. D. Brass has made a wonderful improvement in the appearance of Mrs. G. B. Lyon's store by putting in a new and modern front.

Work commenced on Friday morning on Finlay Fraser's new business block and hall on the southeast corner of Scott avenue and White street.

Barley four feet high is growing at L. A. Clark's on Green Mountain. A fine bunch nicely headed out was sent in for the Gazette's inspection a few days ago. Green Mountain evidently deserves its name.

As we go to press a fatal accident has occurred on the electric tramway by which Fred Brunskill lost his life. He was riding on the ore train and in attempting to walk towards the motor fell between the cars and was killed instantly.

Mr. J. J. Irwin of Vancouver arrived in town on Tuesday night to take a position in the Bank of B. N. A. Mr. Winter, who has been acting manager since the opening of the bank in Hedley, will be leaving in a few days. Mr. MacHaffie will remain in Hedley and will be in charge.

While Mr. Spier, of the Eastern Townships bank, was in Hedley last week he sold to W. A. McLean the house and lot where Mr. McLean is now living on the corner of Scott Ave. and White Street. The property formerly belonged to Mr. Munson and the consideration is said to have been about $1200.00.

Mr. L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., came in on Friday night last and spent this week in Hedley. He has had a busy time of it at Penticton in connection with the Southern Okanagan Land Company's business and is needing a rest. It is quite probable that Mr. Shatford will build in Hedley this summer and that that portion of his riding will have more of his time than it has had during the past year and a half. His stores at Fairview and Hedley have received very little of his attention for the last two years, his time being taken up with his legislative duties and the weighty undertaking of handling the Ellis estate which he and his brother so successfully accomplished.

56,000 CANADIANS OVERSEAS

Total Will Reach 70,000 by July 1st.—Recruiting Proceeds Steadily—Keep Ranks Filled.

Ottawa, May 31.—Up to the present time nearly 56,000 officers and men have been despatched overseas by the Canadian government. It is anticipated by July 1 the number will reach approximately 70,000. More than 500 nurses have also gone forward. The recruiting, enlistment and organization of additional forces is steadily proceeding and is the more necessary by reason of the heavy casualties which have been suffered by the Canadians during the past five weeks in the fighting near Langemarck and its vicinity. The gallantry, resourcefulness and tenacity of the Canadian troops during these battles have never never been surpassed.

PROVINCIAL AND GENERAL

The Harvard Varsity eight, should it defeat Yale in the annual race at New London next month, will be sent to Seattle and San Francisco to meet the winner of the Poughkeepsie regatta and western eights.

The Canadian exhibit at San Francisco has so impressed the people of California that a movement is on foot to prepare a similar display of the products and resources of that state to be shown wherever there is an exhibition of any magnitude.

The Dominion Government has arranged to appoint a commission to investigate the iron ore resources of Canada and the best means of their development, as well as the establishment of iron and steel works to handle the manufacturing end of the business in the Dominion.

Up to May 11 the British lost 201 trading ships of all sorts and conditions by the war. There are over 8,000 British merchantmen travelling the ocean steadily. That is 2½ per cent. in numbers, but in tonnage the loss is considerably less, as the number includes many trawlers and very small ships.

Three hundred shacks along the waterfront of Seattle, some containing families, others single inhabitants, and together giving shelter to a popula- that would, if assembled, make a large community, are about to be destroyed by the board of health, which says the houses are breeding places for flies, rats and other vermin.

Ten submarines which the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation is constructing at Quincy, Mass., for the British Government will be launched early next month, within five months of the time their keels were laid. The trial trips will follow soon after. The boats could be ready for commission by July 1, although they are not to be delivered until after the war.

The New York World reports that 73 of 100 leading editorials about the Lusitania that it received on a single day last week spoke of the crime with horror and detestation. Only two took a German view and only two were neutral. Fifteen counselled patience and seven discussed military or other points of view. As these papere represented all classes and sections, the classification is sufficiently suggestive of American feeling and judgment.

Canadian soldiers in France who want to spend the intermissions between battles in playing baseball, will be supplied by American leaders of the game with the paraphernalia which they cannot obtain abroad. The soldiers complained to their friends and relatives in Canada that baseballs, bats and gloves were scarce in France, and official attention was called, with the result that President Johnson of the American League and others were appealed to. President Johnson has promised to contribute several boxes of new baseballs.

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American Notes.

The German reply to the American note gains nothing but time. It does interest the United States whether the Lusitania carried munitions of war. All merchant ships from the United States to belligerent ports contain such consignments. United States citizens have a right to send them, and the fact that they do so does not give Germany authority to kill civilians and neutrals on board the ship. All this will doubtless be set forth by the President and Mr. Bryan in their reply. Both Mr. Woodrow Wilson and his Secretary of State are fine academic controversialists. They can easily be drawn into long and ingenious correspondence with Berlin. But they will expect the German submarines to wait until the dialetics have been concluded and this may prove to be the breaking point. The luxurious recreation of writing despatches to form a Purple Book cannot go on while Germany slaughters United States citizens.

Aliens in Canada.

The letter of Mr. Stephen Wyatt appeals to the common sence of justice. We have in Canada many thousands of settlers born in Germany or Austrain dominions but never willing subjects of these countries. Mr. Wyatt mentions the Danes of Schleswig-Holstein, and the French of Alsace-Lorraine, who are technically Germans; also Poles, Bohemians, Serbs and Italians who were subjects of Austria by conquest or annexation. He might have added Armenians, Greeks and Slavs who were born subjects of Turkey. These "enemies of our enemies" should not be treated as hostile people. Canadian authorities are not making much mistake when they intern Teutonic subjects of Germany who are still aliens, especially if they have been long enough in this country to be naturalized. Exception may be made in the case of settlers on the land, in rural districts, when they declare their loyalty to Britain and are known by their neighbors to be inoffensive and no longer interested in Germany. Teutonic Austrians may be classed as Germans, though as a body they are loss dangerous on account of the difference in their training and environment in their native land. As the war goes on it will be necessary to increase the number of Germans under guard by adding all who by act or word show themselves hostile to the Empire in which they have made their home. It seems difficult for these aliens to understand that the liberty they enjoy in this country is a matter of grace and not a right.

"Awful Treatment!"

The Kaiser has received the following reply from the American Ambassador in London as to the treatment afforded German submarine prisoners in England:

"Officers and men at Chatham in good health, and supplied with money. Officers receive 2s. 6d. per day from British government. None in solitary confinement, but are kept in separate rooms at night. Size of room 8ft. by 12ft. Men eat together in one room, and officers in another mess; officers and men have same food. Dietary composed of bread, cocoa, tea, sugar, potatoes, suet pudding, pork and pea soup, cheese, beef, mutton and milk. Officers may have butter; men supplied with margarine. All supplied with books and tobacco. Officers allowed servants from among crew. All have use of well-equipped gymnasium daily at stated periods. Permitted to write letter once a week, and to receive money, parcels and letters. Both men and officers exercise in association, but at different times. Recreation quarters indoors as well as outdoors.

Officers complain of being held in detention barracks, rather than in officers' camps, but no complaint as to quantity or quality of food. No complaint as to treatment or as to character of accommodation. Hygiene and sanitary requirements excellent. Rooms and all surroundings specklessly clean."

The forces of Austria and Germany are not taking Przemysl easily or quickly, and it is now doubtful that they will take the beleaguered city at all. If it is done at all it must happen within a few days, for Russian reinforcements are arriving fast and in great numbers. Many times in the last ten months the Teutonic Allies have made successful thrusts into territory previously occupied by the Russians, but always they have found after a few weeks that they had the work to do over again. Russia takes a great deal of beating.

The fifty-seventh only true account of the origin of the name Uncle Sam, as applied to the United States, has been published. What it is does not make any difference to anyone. One explanation is as good as another. Did you ever happen to hear it said that the $ sign is really derived from the letter U superimposed upon the letter S, a combination which stands for Uncle Sam as well as for United States? As a matter of fact, the sign comes from the Spanish coin known as the dollar, upon which was represented the "Pillars of Hercules," otherwise the Straits of Gibraltar.

Some folks abuse the trolley car, in accents rather bitter; but I uphold it strongly, for it is a helpful critter. And here is just the stuff, by jing, my gratitude is made of—the trolley is the only thing an auto is afraid of.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Quong Fat Wing Co., heretofore carrying on business as merchants, at the town of Keremeos, B.C., on the 26th day of May, 1915, sold out their business including stock in store, good will and lease of store premises to Wing Hung Chung Co., who will in future carry on such mercantile business.

All accounts against Quong Fat Wing Co. are to be presented to Wong Tun Li, of Keremeos, for payment. 20-1

NOTICE

Liquor Act, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 21st day of June next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for transfer of the license for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Central Hotel, situate at Keremeos Centre, British Columbia, from Haliburton Tweddle to Leslie Hutcheon, of Keremeos Centre, British Columbia.

HALIBURTON TWEDDLE.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1915. 18-5

WATER NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Similkameen Water Works Company, Limited, of Hedley, B. C., will petition the Minister of Lands for a Certificate of Approval of its undertaking to divert and use water out of Twenty Mile Creek, for supplying the town of Hedley, B. C.

This petition will be heard in the office of the Board of Investigation, at a time and date to be fixed by the Comptroller of Water Rights. Objections may be filed in the Office of the Comptroller, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, or in the office of the Water Recorder for this District at Princeton, B. C.

Dated at Hedley, B. C., April 29, 1915.

THE SIMILKAMEEN WATER WORKS COMPANY, LIMITED,
GOMER P. JONES, Agent.

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SEE THAT IT IS Made In Canada

Synopsis of Coal Mining 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 sub-divisions 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 coa mined and pay the royalty thereon. I the coal mining rights are not being operated such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal m ing rights only, but the lessee may be perm o to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 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.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. 9-6m

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¶ Are they among the people with whom you associate?

¶ Are they with the neighbors and friends with whom you do business?

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TOWN AND DISTRICT

Today is King George's birthday!

Rev. Father LeChêne was in Hedley last Friday and Saturday.

Thos. Bradshaw was in Hedley for a few hours on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Wirth and Mrs. Bowerman returned from Oroville on Saturday.

Mrs. E. M. Daly and son, Eric, of Keremeos, spent the week-end visiting friends in Hedley.

N. V. R. Hains, inspector of branches of the Bank of B. N. A., went out to Penticton by auto on Friday night.

Rev. F. Stanton has returned from the coast and will conduct service in the Methodist church here on Sunday evening next.

Mrs. T. Y. Griffin went out on Tuesday's train bound for Boston, Mass. She will spend a few days at Spokane en route.

F. M. Gillespie left on Saturday afternoon on a visit to New York and other points in the east. He expects to be away several months.

W. W. Corrigan is improving the appearance of his residence on Scott avenue by the erection of a picket fence around it.

The dance given by the Band on Friday night last was a decided success. About thirty couples were present and all had a good time. The music was furnished by the band.

By the appearance of the flag on the public school flagpole, it looks as though it is about time the School Board were "blowing" themselves for a new one.

We regret to hear of the accident which befel Rev. G. D. Griffiths while out riding near Princeton last week. He was thrown from his horse and dragged a short distance, sustaining a fracture of his jaw bone.

Messrs. G. Bowerman, W. J. Forbes, Jas. Nash, Thos. Roberts and J. Casey left on Tuesday afternoon for The Pas, Manitoba, from whence they will proceed to the new gold fields at Herb Lake. They went out by auto to Penticton.

Last week the Penticton Herald came out in enlarged form, containing twenty pages of up-to-date advertising, well-printed cuts and excellent writeups of all the prominent business men and industries of the thriving municipality of Penticton. The Herald is to be congratulated on the quality of its product on this occasion.

KEREMEOS SERVICES

Divine service will be conducted in the church on Sunday, 6th. Morning service, 11 a.m.; subject, "The word of the kingdom diversely received." Evening service, 7:30 p. m.; subject, "The true and living way." A hearty invitation is extended to all. Preacher, R. G. Stewart.

BUSH FIRES CHECKED

From advices received from the Hon. W. R. Ross reporting on fire conditions, it would appear that rain has been general throughout the province during the past week, checking and extinguishing fires, and stimulating vegetation, which acts as a barrier against forest fires. The Hazelton, Lillooet and Fort George districts report the fires in those areas as being under control, thirteen outbreaks in the first named division having been fought by the G.T.P. It is noteworthy that slash burning in the Cranbrook district continues, the logging operators being alive to the necessity of reducing one of the main fire hazards.

For the time being the fire situation is pronounced safe, so far as green timber is concerned. Fires may continue to break out on cut over lands or on old burns, but the extremely dangerous conditions which existed a week ago have passed away.

"ONE SPOONFUL ENOUGH" SAYS DRUGGIST

F. M. Gillespie states that the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka, is causing great surprise as just ONE SPOONFUL relieves constipation, sour or gassy stomach almost IMMEDIATELY. It is so thorough a bowel cleanser that it is used successfully in appendicitis. Adler-i-ka acts on BOTH lower and upper bowel and the INSTANT effect is astonishing. It never gripes and is perfectly safe to use.

TO NON-ADVERTISERS

A hen is not supposed to have
Much common sense or tact,
Yet every time she lays a egg
She cackles forth the fact.
The busy little bees they buzz;
Sheep bleat, and cows moo;
And watch-dogs bark, and ganders quack;
And pouter pigeons coo.

The peacock spreads his tail and squawks;
Pigs squeal and robins sing;
And even serpents know enough
To hiss before they sting.
Yet man, the greatest masterpiece
That Nature could devise,
Will often stop and hesitate
Before he'll Advertise.

—From "The Galloway Gazette."

Close Figuring.

Postal Clerk—Your letter just balances, miss. If it weighed any more you would have to put on another stamp.

Pretty Blonde—Gracious! I'm glad I didn't sign my middle name!—Judge.

"Rough on Rats" clears out Rats, Mice, etc. Don't die in the House. 15c. and 25c. at Drug and Country Stores.

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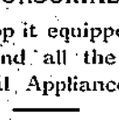

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STARTLED CARLYLE.

How Charles Godfrey Leland Brought the Cynic to His Senses.

Charles Godfrey Leland said that on his first meeting with Carlyle the wise man showed himself in a somewhat cynical frame of mind, from which he was aroused only by a bit of wholesome opposition.

"And what kind of an American may you be—German or Irish or what?" Carlyle asked.

"Since it interests you, Mr. Carlyle," replied Leland, "to know the origin of my family I may say that I am descended from Henry Leland, a noted Puritan, who went to America in 1636."

"I doubt whether any of your family have since been equal to your old Puritan great-grandfather," growled Carlyle, and this, combined with some slurring remarks which he had previously thrown out in regard to America and her history, roused Leland's spirit.

"Mr. Carlyle," he said deliberately, "I think that my brother, Henry Leland, who got the wound from which he died standing by my side in the war of the rebellion, was worth ten of my old Puritan ancestors. At least he died in a ten times better cause. And allow me to say, Mr. Carlyle, that I think in all matters of historical criticism you are principally influenced by the merely melodramatic and theatrical."

Carlyle looked utterly amazed and startled, though not at all angry.

"Whot's thot ye say?" he cried in broad Scotch.

Mr. Leland repeated the remark. A grim smile as of admiration came over the stern old face. It was with a deeply reflective and not displeased air that he replied, still in Scotch.

"Na, na, I'm nae thot," he said. And he dropped into a milder strain and made the interview an occasion to be treasured long in memory.

AN ELECTION TRICK.

One Sample of the Dodges to Which They Resort In England.

Canon J. George Tetley tells the following story of the late Justice Denman, who in 1865 ran for election at Tiverton, in England. He was advertised to address the electors on a certain morning. In order to fulfill his engagement it was necessary for him to leave by the 9:15 express. He had taken the precaution of ordering a cab overnight and was quietly eating an early breakfast when attention was called to two or three men who seemed to be hanging about in the neighborhood of his house. He thought little, however, of the matter, but presently sent his servant to put his luggage on the cab, which was due to arrive. The cab approached the door, but before the portmanteau could be located one of the mysterious strangers jumped in and was driven rapidly away.

And when this happened a second time it became evident that something very definite was intended. So Mr. Denman consulted his watch, and, directing his luggage to be sent after him, he buttoned his coat and, calling to his aid all his old Cambridge training, took a bee line for the station. He met not one empty cab till too near the terminus to be of any service to him. He dashed through the "booking office" on to the platform, seized the handle of a carriage door as the train was actually starting and flung himself into a compartment.

On arriving at Tiverton he found his committee in a state of extreme anxiety which gave place to astonishment and relief on his appearance, for the walls of the town were covered with placards warning the Liberal electors that their candidate would not keep his engagement to address them.

Virtues of the Swiss.

I did not meet a tramp, encounter a beggar or a person the least intoxicated during my stay in Switzerland. Of how few countries in Europe or America can this be truthfully said. There may be a small percentage of drunkenness, but if it exists it is kept out of sight. A thriftier, cleaner, more wholesome body of people, who carefully observe sanitary laws in their homes, I have never met in my various travels. They are as tidy and neat as the housewives of Holland or the Pennsylvania Quakers. No wonder Switzerland is a prosperous country. It owes much of its good fortune to the practical intelligence of its law abiding citizens.—London Caterer.

Hand Outs.

Dealer—Here is a cigar that is all right for the money. We sell it seven for a quarter.

Customer—Well, that is a good many.

"Yes, but you don't have to smoke them, you know."

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Too Sensible To Give Up.

"Will you promise," she anxiously asked, "not to do anything desperate if I say it can never be?"

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He—But you've been careful who you've told of our engagement, darling? She—Oh, yes, dearest. I've told everyone, and, what's more, I didn't say that it was a secret.—Judy.

The secretary of the British Dental Association has proposed that a dentist shall be attached to each Board school. At present the most severe punishment that may be inflicted is a birching.—Punch.

He (wildly)—Angelina, you're false! I say it to your teeth! She—You rude man! You're no gentleman, or you wouldn't take any notice of my misfortune!—Pick-Me-Up.

Described.—"What kind of a girl is she?" "Well, she's the kind of a girl who will flirt desperately for six months and then want to be a sister to you!"—Sketchy Bits.

Naming His Wife.—Wife—Here is a letter in a paper advocating that we should eat cats. Husband—How horrible, my dear! Fancy my eating you!—Pick-Me-Up.

Daughter—I lost my heart last night, dad. I accepted Mr. Hardup. Dad—You didn't lose your heart. You must have lost your head.—Illustrated Bits.

A Cruel Jest.—"Have you heard of the joke Gertie played on young Huggins?"—"No; what was it?"—"She married him!"—Sketchy Bits.

"But you say the master caned you for answering his question?" "Y-yes, pa."—"H'm! What was the question?"—"Whose pea-shooter it was."—Judy.

A Difficult Job.—Buffin—I'm going to have forty winks. See that I am not disturbed. Servant—Very good, sir. When shall I call you? Buffin—I'll ring the bell when I want calling.—Ally Sloper's Half-Holiday.

How, Indeed.—Mrs. H.—Her husband simply won't listen to her. H.—How the deuce does the lucky fellow manage it?—Illustrated Bits.

Australian.

In Extenuation.—Gentleman—What do you mean by putting your hand in my pocket? Light-fingered Individual—Excuse me, sir; I'm so absent-minded. I used to have a pair of trowsers exactly like yours.—Sydney Town and Country Journal.

Mrs. Newbridge—Do you keep a cook? Mrs. Oldwed—No. Does anybody?—Melbourne Weekly Times.

As Put.—Mother (to a new nursemaid):—If you can't keep the children quiet, send them up to me for a while, and I will sing to them. Nurse—Oh, that won't do any good; I've threatened them with that already.—Sydney Town and Country Journal.

Dumley—By George. I believe I'm the greatest fool in the world. Synnex—That makes it unanimous.—Melbourne Weekly Times.

Merely Suggested.—"You know that man Flippe, who claims to read character at a glance?"—"Yes."—"Well, he swindled me out of £10."—"Indeed! I didn't think he ever put his boasted talent to any practical use."—Sydney Town and Country Journal.

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