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## Circulation of The Times.

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MONDAY	6,995
TUESDAY	7,015
WEDNESDAY	7,010
THURSDAY	6,985
FRIDAY	6,973
SATURDAY	7,358
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>42,336</b>

Daily Average

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1906, . . . . . 6,791

## DELINQUENT BOYS

The police magistrate is called upon far too frequently to deal with youthful delinquents. Scarcely a week passes without reports of unruly conduct on the part of boys who should be at home at the time the offences are committed, and during the last few weeks the record has been especially disgraceful. The bad boys are not confined to one street, or one section of the city. The source of complaint is widespread.

The fault, primarily, does not lie with the boys, although they must accept the responsibility and the result of their bad conduct. Obviously the first fault is that of parents who neglect their children, and allow them to go out at night to learn the evil lessons of the street. But it is hard to keep vigorous young people housed in the early evening, and that would not be necessary if any provision were made for healthy play or entertainment that would enable them to exercise their faculties in a beneficial way. Nothing of the kind is provided in a general way, nobody takes a sympathetic interest in the boys, and the result is seen in the development of a class of youths who are a menace rather than a credit to the community. There are, of course, many bright, well-behaved boys, whose parents look after them carefully and guide their energies in right ways; but there are far too many for whom it would pay society at large to interest itself in a kindly way, who are simply permitted to drift into evil practices.

The season of long evenings is now upon us. Ought not those religious and other agencies laboring for good in the community to make some special provision for the case of the boys of the street? Society has not done its duty when it draws its skirts aside and asserts that bad boys should be sent to the reformatory. They should rather be saved from the influences that drive them in the direction of that institution.

## NEWSPAPERS AND CHURCHES

In an article referring to Carleton Baptist church affairs the Sun says: "A prominent member of the congregation expressed the opinion that the city could get along better with fewer newspapers rather than with a smaller number of churches."

A newspaper is a business proposition. Each newspaper seeks to get subscribers and advertisements in competition with the others. Does the Carleton brother imply that it is so with the churches on the west side? Do they invade each other's territory, offer special bargains in pew rents, distribute premiums, send out agents to give reasons why their way to Heaven is the most desirable—and in general endeavor to put each other out of business, as rival newspapers sometimes do?

The Times held the opposite view—that the churches were all in harmony, striving together to accomplish the greatest good for all, in time and in eternity. It seems obvious enough in this view that the union of two small churches, in a small community with many churches, would result in more effective work.

The Carleton brother is assured that if all the newspapers were laboring for one cause, and had no conflicting interests, about three of the five would be cut off without delay and without remorse.

## GREY AND DUFFERIN

The recent address of Earl Grey before the Canadian Club at Vancouver, B. C., suggests to the Vancouver World the following interesting allusion and comparison:

"Regarded as a specimen of oratory, it is quite on a level with the memorable address of Lord Dufferin at Government House, Victoria, in August, 1876. Lord Dufferin, however, had a most difficult role before him. He addressed a meeting of disaffected westerners with a grievance, who claimed that they had been deceived and betrayed into confederation by the Ottawa government, who had failed to keep their solemn covenant with the province. Lord Dufferin discharged his duty with greater ability and address, and it has often been remarked that his words on that occasion prevented a popular outbreak that might have endangered the permanence of the confederation. He was listened to in silent silence. Earl Grey, speaking at Vancouver thirty years later, met a loyal, contented and prosperous people. He had on ulcers to heal or apologies to make for broken pledges. Not one discordant or disaffected note was heard. His every word was listened to with gratified attention, and as point after point of his address was revealed, the manifestations

of satisfaction were frequent and enthusiastic. Earl Grey is to be congratulated upon his brilliant address and the country upon the fulness of prosperity which his excellency predicts in the immediate future."

## WALL STREET'S VIEW

The Wall Street Journal may be taken as a typical exponent of the views of the great financial and commercial interests of New York relative to the nomination of Mr. W. R. Hearst by the Democrats as their candidate for the governorship of the state, and the nomination of Mr. Charles E. Hughes by the Republicans. The contrast presented is striking. We quote:

"If there were any truth at all in the proverb that there is a special providence for fools, the Democratic party of New York should be under peculiar protection. It has a capacity for throwing away opportunities enjoyed by no other political party in the world. It has a record for nominating the right man at the wrong moment, and the wrong man at the right moment which is simply unparalleled. Its tale of surrenders to the bully, the charlatan and the demagogue is a long one. Wednesday's surrender to Hearst beats all its own records, and no other party ever made records like them."

"If the gods, in destroying the Democratic party of New York, first drive it mad, they must look with a kindly eye upon the Republicans. When the man not of their choice is forced upon the Republican leaders they find a Roosevelt who saves them in spite of themselves. When the alliance of corrupt finance and crooked politics makes a Republican defeat at the state elections a practical certainty, with any reputable statesman at the head of the other ticket, the gods send a Hearst to disfigure the respectable element among their opponents."

"Once more the Republican convention nominates a candidate who is above his party and bigger than his machine, Charles E. Hughes is the living ideal of the enforcement of law. He has stood for that essential in the conduct of our public affairs as no other man save President Roosevelt has stood for it, throughout the terrible revolutions of corporate dishonesty of the past few years."

"The issue is now raised above the shibboleths of party, a plain contest between the apostle of order and the incarnation of lawlessness. The last presidential election had something of a record for Democratic votes passed for the Republican candidate. The coming state election should show every decent Democrat united in designated protest against the most shameless Democratic nomination of modern times."

## ABOUT NEWSPAPERS

A comparison between the Daily Telegraph and the Daily Sun this morning—or any morning—shows how far the former has outstripped its rival in the journalistic race. If the Sun is worth two cents, the Telegraph, to the man who wants the news, should be worth four.

The Telegraph this morning, for example, presented its readers with ten pages, and the Sun has but eight. The Telegraph has an infinitely superior special and general telegraphic service, giving columns more of live news. It has twelve columns more of advertising than the Sun, being a great business directory for the people. The Sun lifts columns of news from the pages of the Star of the night before.

Of course it costs more to get live news by wire than to wait a day and use the news, and the great merit of the Telegraph is that it gets the news at first hand and gives its readers the best possible service. In this respect it has no rival among morning papers east of Montreal. Visitors to St. John are surprised at the excellence of its newspapers, but especially of the Telegraph in the morning and the Times in the afternoon field.

In this evidence before the insurance commission yesterday Hon. Mr. Foster stated that he came out of politics poorer than he went in. That has been the experience of a good many men, and is certainly not to their personal discredit. Some men come out richer than their legitimate opportunities would seem to warrant.

One after another the reputable Democrats are separating themselves from any suspicion of an alliance with Hearst. But the latter through his own newspapers, continues to make the most audacious bids for popular favor, without regard for facts or fair play.

Mr. Charles E. Hughes rightly describes the New York state election as a contest for decent government. His speech in accepting the nomination for the governorship was a ringing call to honest men and a fighting challenge to the evil forces masquerading in the robes of honesty.

The St. John delegation received welcome assurance and evidence of support in Montreal, in their effort to have all necessary dredging done in St. John harbor before the big steamships come.

The provincial government will take steps to guard the public interest in connection with the proposed great game preserve in the heart of the province.

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## AFTERWARDS

After we are dead!  
Lovers will go on loving.  
The old, old words will be said

New buds will bloom in April,  
And white be the apple-bough;  
June will return, the birds troop back,  
The earth be as glad as now.

The long, green pageant of Summer  
Will march its accustomed way,  
And year after year the Autumn pomp  
Will crimson the pallid day.

Lovers will go on loving,  
The words that we said will be said,  
When you and I are forgotten,  
When you and I are dead!

—Charles Henson Towne, in Smart Set.

## IN LIGHTER VEIN

WHERE SEX COUNTS.

She—Is there any difference between a fort and a fortress?  
Her Husband—Well, I should think that a fortress would be harder to silence.  
—Tit-Bits.

## QUITE THE CONTRARY.

"How about Miss Sharpey?" inquired the returned traveler. "I suppose you are still friends?"  
"No, indeed," replied Smarley. "Why, we've been married for over a year."  
—Philadelphia Ledger.

## FOR A.D. LEWIS.

"Does your chauffeur have any perquisites?" asked Mrs. Van Uppoon.  
"He had one the very first week he was with us," replied Mrs. Newton, "but I induced him to sign a pledge and he hasn't had any since."  
—Chicago News.

## WASNT SHE MEAN.

Miss Elder—Miss Rimer wrote a poem about me.  
Miss Younger—He'll never sell it.  
Miss Elder—You horrid thing! Why not?  
Miss Younger—The subject is too old.  
—Cleveland Leader.

## VERY TRUE.

"In spite of all the discussion about it, there is one fact which conclusively proves marriage to be a failure."  
"What fact is that?"  
"That every single woman is mismatched when she marries."  
—Baltimore American.

## ONLY SEEMED SO

"What were the details of the affair," asked the lawyer.  
"Well," said the witness, "the Colonel and the doctor had made a horse trade, and it seems the Colonel wanted to back out because he thought he had cheated the other man."  
—"You don't suppose you can make the jury believe that Colonel Sharpey wanted to back out of a horse trade on any such grounds as that, do you?" interrupted the lawyer.  
"No, sir, what I said was that it seems he did."  
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## DOWN ON THE SANDY BEACH

Suddenly the summer man gave a start and hastily removed his arm from the waist of the summer girl.  
"What's the trouble, George?" she asked, in alarm.  
"Why," he replied, nervously, "those boarders up in the beach hotel have been training opera glasses on us for the last ten minutes. I bet they are saying this is the funniest comic opera they have ever witnessed."  
The summer girl smiled.  
"Don't worry, George; you can depend on it that I don't think it is comic opera."  
"And what do you think it is, dear?"  
"Grand."  
And after that the ripples of mirth that drifted down from the hotel verandah failed to disturb them.—Chicago News.

## Being annoyed by persons who left his church before the sermon, a Devonshire vicar, says an English newspaper, has met the case by fixing in a prominent position a notice which is written to this effect:

"All adults who are unseated or possessed by devils should leave the church before the sermon. Otherwise they should remain till the conclusion of the service."

## MR. HEARST'S EDITOR

What the New York Candidate for Governor Pays for Brains.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The Boston News Bureau Journal says: Arthur Brisbane, Mr. Hearst's brilliant editor, has been receiving a salary of \$8,000 per month, and as editor he talks directly to more people than any other editor in the world ever spoke to daily.

Mr. Brisbane who is now considerable of a capitalist, desired to retire from his vocation of exposing the wickedness of wealth, but Mr. Hearst has plunged him still deeper in the millionaire's riches by making a contract with him for a term of five years at an annual salary of \$100,000.

This will permit Mr. Hearst to give his attention to the business end of his enterprises, which can now be profitably advanced only by use of a national political party.

Hearst's missionaries are in Wall Street to neutralize the belief that he is a man-ace to value. They are saying the Hearst estate has \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 invested in corporation stocks and bonds.

## MISSIONS IN THE WEST

The Rev. Dr. McLaren Says Men and Money are Badly Needed.

TORONTO, Oct. 2.—The Rev. Dr. E. D. McLaren, secretary of the Home Mission Society for the Presbyterian church has returned from his trip to British Columbia, Northern Alberta and Saskatchewan, where missions have lately been established. Speaking of the mission work generally in the west, Dr. McLaren said that the difficult proposition facing the church was the demand for men and money to keep pace with the material progress of the country. The only territory in which the work meets with reverse is the mining districts, where there is always a fluctuating population.

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