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A REAL BOY WONDER

THE PHENOMENAL EARLY CAREER OF WILLIAM PITT.

Although Sickly and Delicate, This English Lad Was Intellectually One of the Most Remarkable Youths the World Has Ever Known.

One of the most remarkable boys the world ever saw was William Pitt. He astonished folk with his learning at the age of seven. He became prime minister of England when he was twenty-four.

He was a sickly boy, but he took all the out of door exercise his delicate frame could bear and was as eager to study as most boys are to play. He would not let his weak body stop his work, and he was reading ancient history at an age when most children are reading stories written in words of one syllable.

His father was the great Earl of Chatham, and the boy was brought into contact with all the great men of the time in England. When he was thirteen years old he wrote a tragedy which he called "Laurentine, King of Clarnum."

At this age, too, he was able to read Greek and Latin almost as well as he could English. He also was well informed on the politics of the day and on a variety of subjects about which only men of learning are supposed to know anything.

At fourteen he was able to take the works of Thucydides, written in Greek, and read page after page, turning it into excellent English as he read, and this off hand translation of his is said to have been almost without a flaw.

His father spoke of him as "eager Mr. William, the counselor, the philosopher." At the age of fourteen he entered the great University of Cambridge in England and at once, in spite of his youth, took a high place among the students at that celebrated place of learning.

When he went to Cambridge, the boy was in such feeble health that he had to be accompanied by a nurse, and all through his course there he was in so poor a condition, physically, that it was doubted if he ever would be able to finish the course.

But hard study seemed to agree with him, and when he was graduated, at the age of seventeen, he was much stronger than when he entered the university.

At an age when most boys are preparing to enter college, or, if they are very clever, have just become freshmen, young Pitt won the degree of master of arts from one of the greatest universities in the world and began the study of law.

At twenty-one he was admitted to the bar, and the same year was elected a member of parliament, to become prime minister three years later.

While he was yet a law student and only eighteen years old he attracted the attention of prominent men by his clear views on the questions of government, which then were perplexing the rulers of England. The boy was invited everywhere, and men holding the most important offices listened to his advice and asked his opinions.

His friends wanted him to go into parliament when he was twenty and all predicted for him a brilliant career. It was curious to see this delicate stripling, a boy in looks and years, meeting the great and wise men of the country as an equal and conversing on even terms with the most learned scholars of the day.

Young Pitt used to like to listen to the debates in the British parliament, and Mr. Fox, the great statesman, meeting him once after a debate, was astonished at the manner in which the boy criticised the eminent men who had spoken and pointed out where they could have made their argument stronger.

One of the hardest works to understand that ever were written is a book called "Cassandra," written by a man named Lycophrontis. It is written in Greek. A learned man placed the book in the hands of young Pitt when the boy was sixteen years old, and he read it at first sight, translating into English as he read and explaining it in a manner which made the learned man declare that he had not seen it he "would have believed it to be beyond the power of human intellect."

When Pitt was sixteen, his father declared that he would be a great statesman and was the hope of the country. Other folks soon became of his father's way of thinking, and that is why they put him into parliament when he was so young and made him prime minister so soon after.

He fulfilled all that was expected of him and ruled England during thirteen of the most eventful years of her history.

A Slander.

"See here!" said the city editor. "You speak of the bride as being 'led to the altar.'"

"Yes, sir. What of it?" replied the reporter.

"What of it? Why, it's nonsense. There was never a bride yet who couldn't find her way there, no matter what were the obstacles."—London Tit-Bits.

Natural Sequence.

"Yes," concluded the medical raconteur, "she became insane through excessive dancing."

"One might say she was hopping mad, I suppose!" gurgled the cheerful idiot.

A Difference.

The Friend—Is your daughter happily married?
The Father—Well, happily she's married.

Good order is the foundation of all good things.—Burke.

FANCY MATERIALS.

From Very Expensive to Simple Materials All Are Sheer and Dainty.

Oriental satin, Japanese silk and point d'esprit net are very pretty for blouses, and all manner of pretty and expensive trimmings are being used for them. Then there are smart little coffee and theater jackets of net and lace, which effect a really marvelous transformation when required to conceal the defects of shabby evening bodice or blouse.

Many of the new fabrics show a lace effect. For instance, we have colored grass lawns as fine as chiffon. Lace striped silks in new designs show inlet



EVENING TOILET.

bands of chine silk. Other materials appear to be composed of one strip of ribbon and one of lace, and fine silk foulards have printed lace stripes.

Green muslins are a novelty. The new muslins fine as lisse, old world mull muslin, clear swiss, hand embroidered and ecru muslins in blue, pink, green and yellow are popular. Old laces attain fabulous prices and are being eagerly sought after by connoisseurs. The more transparent a dress can be made the more smart it will be.

The illustration shows a gown of soft ecru mull having embroidered flounces. The sleeves, hips and top of blouse are shirred.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

SUMMER STYLES.

Smart White Costumes—Colored Embroideries on Silk.

For smart costumes cream and ivory white, together with that paler shade of mastic which is barely deeper than old ivory, are to be much adopted, and a little later on soft materials in silk and wool mixtures, such as crepe de chine, crepe de sole, with etamine and eolienne, will be generally worn. Gray was much seen during the winter, though it is quite a spring color, and now only the palest shades are favored, and there are invariably touches of bright color or of black.

Colored embroideries on silk and tasseled ornaments in silk passementerie are extremely popular, but the little separate tassels strewn aimlessly over



ROUGH STRAW TURBAN.

a gown are things of the past, and only a few of the larger type of tassels are now used.

Handsome fringes are used on the more elaborate gowns, and these are most graceful on a deep pelerine or to border a sack coat.

Very unique effects are obtained by a combination of panne, face cloth and silk passementerie all in one tone or with the panne just one shade deeper. The passementerie is used as detached medallions, laid on panne and applied to the cloth. Skillfully managed, the effect is delightful.

The picture shows a turban of rough red straw suitable for traveling and ordinary wear. JUDIC CHOLLET.

PERFECT-MANHOOD

A rightly yours; but if you are not the man you should be, if you are losing your energy, your vital force, shrunk parts, and feeling you don't care what happens, you are suffering from Lost Vitality; it creeps upon men unawares; do not deceive yourself or remain in ignorance while you are being dragged down by this disease; no matter what the cause may be, whether early abuse, excess, or overwork and business cares, the results are the same: premature loss of strength, emaciation, impotency, Varicocele and shrunken parts. THE LATEST METHOD TREATMENT WILL CURE YOU. I guarantee it as a positive cure for these conditions. Read the following award additively. Testimonials used unless patients give sworn permission.

This is to certify that I had been a sufferer from Nervous Debility, lost vitality and weakness for a long time; had been doctoring both in Canada and Detroit without receiving any benefit, and placed myself under Dr. Goldberg's care, Dec. 28, 1898. I noticed an improvement in my condition in less than one week; was discharged entirely cured April 10, 1899, and have had no return of said trouble.

Signed, A. J. LA CROIX, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of January, 1899.

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COULD NOT WALK

A Young Lady Tells the Torture She Suffered from Rheumatism

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Daily.

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West Lorne	"	"	"
Dutton	"	"	"
St. Thomas	"	"	"
Leamington	7:58 a.	4:15 p.	
Kingsville	"	"	"
Windsor	9:05 a.	11:00 a.	5:40 p.
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