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## RICH AND POOR

Under a rightly ordered social system there would not be such extremes of riches and poverty as exist today, and no one man would have it in his power either to hold or to distribute millions to the extent done by some American millionaires. Andrew Carnegie deserves no great credit for giving back to the people in some form a portion of the enormous wealth he has accumulated. It is true that his conduct, compared with that of most American millionaires, appears in a most favorable light, but it is only because he is a Scotchman, and the Scotchman is a more thrifty and more industrious people than the American. The possession of great wealth should carry with it a deep sense of responsibility, for the more money a man can live to himself alone, not can the grasping millionaire rise to the moral height of the almost penniless man who recognizes his duty to his fellow-men. The highest conception of duty, after all, is service; and they who serve, in the sense of helping others, attain to what is highest and best in the realm of moral development. Having such enormous wealth, Andrew Carnegie would not make it the instrument of good to the world. He simply recognizes the obligation, and devotes his energy to such a pursuit as will best befit him. He has a good example to many others, who, however, are not likely to profit by it, because of avaricious ideas which largely obscure the indifference of the enormously rich to the sufferings and trying problems of the poor, and the question is being asked with more and more insistence why Andrew Carnegie does not give more, and a growing spirit of independence points to a time when trusts and trusts and speculative agencies will be less potent than at present.

## A BOSTON INSTANCE

That that the St. John city council has not yet decided whether it is to cost three hundred thousand or half a million, there may be some encouragement in the experience of the city of Boston. The fact that the city of Boston has not yet decided whether it is to cost three hundred thousand or half a million, there may be some encouragement in the experience of the city of Boston. The fact that the city of Boston has not yet decided whether it is to cost three hundred thousand or half a million, there may be some encouragement in the experience of the city of Boston.

## NOT PEACE AND GOOD WILL

There has been some discussion of late concerning the security of even for the Christian ministry. A curious fact in connection with the work of preparing men for the ministry is set forth by Everett T. Tomlinson in the World's Work. He makes the charge that American theological seminaries have a demoralizing system of hiding for students. We quote: "One professor in a prominent theological seminary freely admitted the competition to the writer and acknowledged the demoralizing effect; but he justified the action of his institution on the ground that it was compelled to do so if it did for its own self-preservation. The unde of a brilliant young seminary student, himself a clergyman, informed me that his nephew, who was as bright as he was brilliant, after he had graduated with high honors from a certain Canadian college, attended several seminaries in 'The States' against one another for inducements to him, until at last he closed with an offer equivalent to \$700 a year. "Within a few months a certain seminary president complained bitterly that five students who had practically decided to enter his institution had been 'bought off' by another seminary and had been enrolled there. These facts are quoted to illustrate the naturally demoralizing effect of a system which rests upon the very ones that employ it. And they are being recognized. "Recently the heads of a number of societies that were created to secure funds for the system met in consultation to consider the very point. "It is a natural course, to apply business principles to the conduct of a theological seminary, as well as of any other educational institution, but if they are to be commercialized to the point of so sharp a scramble for students that charges of

## THE WAR

A writer in the Boston Transcript, whose sympathies do not appear to be strongly with Japan, gives the following reply to statements that have been made to the effect that the defeat of Togo would not necessarily lead to the defeat of the Japanese army in Manchuria: "If Togo is beaten and Russia gains complete command of the sea in the Far East, Japan loses her leadership in North-eastern Asia, and her sacrifices in Manchuria will have been in vain. This is not said in expectation that the Japanese will be the final victor, but the element of luck, indications point the other way, but to contradict these foolish friends of Japan who are forever crediting her with supernatural powers. With Russia in control of the sea it would be only a question of time when Japan would have to sue for peace—this on the assumption that no outside power came to her assistance. Meanwhile, Russia could secure reinforcements by water as well as by land, and eventually render the position of the Japanese army untenable. The same writer accepts as true a Russian official statement to the effect that the Russian losses of men at Mukden were greatly overestimated by the Japanese, and the losses of guns insignificant. The events of the next few weeks will probably show that the Japanese fleet is in no danger of destruction, and that the Russian army in Manchuria is not able to hold its own.

One of the worst things that could happen to the port of St. John would be a strike of the laborers. It would be bad for the shipping interests and bad for the laborers. It is sincerely to be hoped that a settlement satisfactory to both parties will be reached.

Having waited all winter the street railway company can now wait another week or two, until the newly elected city council has looked into that question of extension of the line in Oakton.

The sudden death of Mr. A. O. Hastings will be sincerely regretted by the business community of St. John. During his period of residence here he has made many warm personal friends.

Mr. Leonard Kelly denies the charges made against him by the Carleton correspondent of the New York Herald. Of course there will be an investigation.

The Lancaster people believe a street railway should be operated or removed. That appears to be a reasonable proposition.

## THE BIG FOUR

Roosevelt, La Follette, Deussen and Folk, Says Mr. Jerome.

"There are four men today," said District Attorney Jerome in New York, "upon whom the attention of the United States is riveted—Roosevelt, La Follette, Deussen and Governor Folk. These men have the plain people behind them." They were a "big four" and deserve to be named together. Roosevelt, as legislator, civil service commissioner, police commissioner, assistant secretary of the navy, governor, president, has waged a universal war upon crime, graft, and wicked and lawless greed. La Follette, single handed, took by the throat the corporations which were running Wisconsin in their own interest and choked them until the state has them under control. Deussen fought crime as state's attorney of Chicago, and he is struggling for good laws and good government as governor of Illinois. Folk, as district attorney and official, hoodlum lobbyist and other criminals, and he has inaugurated a campaign for the enactment of an anti-boodle law to make Missouri an extremely uncomfortable state for bribe givers and bribe takers. Differing widely in personal characteristics, the "big four" have sought by similar means to gain similar ends. They have not risen by exceptional intellectual capacity or political astuteness, although they have their full share of brains. They have attained their high offices and nation-wide popularity by fighting aggressively and courageously the battle for lawless, honest government in the interest of the people. It is becoming good politics, as it always has been good morals, to be bold and even truculent in the cause of right and decency. There is a popular demand for politicians who are not mere tricksters and statesmen who have admitted qualities besides ability. The need of ability in public affairs is recognized, but the people have their eyes open to the fact that a public man who has only superior ability to recommend him may surprise his followers only in the success in which he furthers his own selfish interests and those of greedy corporations. The people may soon forget this fact, as they sometimes have; but until they do statesmen like Mr. Jerome's "big four," who have honesty and vigor as well as brains, will keep the centre of the stage.

Queens Preceptor No. 62 met tonight at their hall, Germain street, at eight o'clock.

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## OBITUARY

Alexander O. Hastings, the Maritime agent for the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, died suddenly last evening at his residence 163 Charlotte St. Mr. Hastings enjoyed a drive to Millbrook yesterday with Edward King, and after he returned home in the evening, wrote a letter. He had just addressed the envelope when he was stricken and fell to the floor. His wife, in an adjoining room heard an unusual sound, and rushing into the room, found her husband expiring. Medical aid was quickly summoned, but all that could be done was to unavail.

Mr. Hastings, who for fifteen years had been the Maritime agent for the Lake of the Woods Milling Company. He was known as an honest and clever business man and was held in high esteem by his friends. He had been suffering from an aneurism, but was thought to be improving. Mrs. Hastings, who was Miss Henderson of Montreal, will be tendered much sympathy in her bereavement. G. V. Hastings, of Winnipeg, general manager of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, is a brother of the deceased. The late Wm. A. Hastings, who died two years ago, was also a brother. A younger brother at present in the United States, Mr. Hastings was 45 years of age, and at one time was active in the Canadian militia.

A service will be held at his home at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The body will be taken to Montreal for burial.

## Mrs. Jane Miller

Mrs. Jane Miller died at her residence, Princess St., last evening. She was seventy-eight years of age. Four daughters survive—Mrs. E. J. Armstrong, Mrs. Rose McKinnon, Mrs. Alex. Duff and Mrs. Wm. Smith. One son, Thomas, resides in Olan New York.

## Hints to Pipe-Smokers.

Don't refill a heated pipe. Lay it away to cool, take another pipe and fill up with Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco.

## THEY WANT A DOCTOR

It is probable that in the near future an application will be made to the common council by the request of the Salvage Corps for the appointment of a surgeon to the first department whose duty it will be to attend all fire and render aid to members of the fire department who may require his services. At present there is a physician attached to each company of the Salvage Corps, but they do not attend all small fires. The women say it would hardly be fair to expect a doctor who gets nothing for his services to attend every little alarm that is sent in. The proposal is that a surgeon be engaged at a small annual salary to attend all fires.

## JEFFERSON'S FUNERAL

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., April 27.—The funeral of Joseph Jefferson will be held on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Crow's Nest, the summer home of the late actor. The night and immediately after the funeral service at Crow's Nest, which are expected to conclude at noon, the body will be taken to Bay View cemetery in Sandwich.

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## NEWS FROM KENTVILLE

Death of Wm. Chipman ---The Easter Monday Ball---An Excellent Entertainment.

KENTVILLE, N. S., April 26.—News was received in Kentville last evening of the death of William Chipman, only son of Col. L. De V. Chipman of this town. Mr. Chipman, who had been manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, at Middleton, had been in failing health for some time, and last fall, accompanied by Mrs. Chipman and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Starr, of Kentville, went to California in the hope that a change of climate might prove beneficial. During the spring months, however, he gradually grew worse, and it was thought best to start for home. The party left California April 24th, and on Monday night, the news has cast a cloud of sadness over the Kentville people, as Mr. and Mrs. Chipman and their two sons have spent most of their lives here. Mrs. Chipman, of London, England; Mrs. Dorek, Mrs. Barclay Webster, of Kentville, and Mrs. Roseford, of Halifax, are sisters of the deceased.

On Monday evening, the quiet of the Lenten season was broken by the Easter ball which was given under the auspices of the Quindry club, and proved one of the most successful dances of the year. The music was excellent, being provided by the Halifax Harpers, and the floor was crowded with dancers up to a late hour. Tuesday morning, the electric light was not on its good behavior, and for a moment the hall was in complete darkness, but beyond affording a little amusement, it caused no embarrassment. Some of the guests were exceedingly merry. Mrs. Fred Wickwire was most becomingly dressed in cream point d'espirt over pink silk, and was pronounced by many the belle of the occasion. Several other ladies had many admirers. Among those named were Miss Bonnie King, who wore a pretty gown of white silk; Miss McCarthy, whose dress of spangled net over silk was greatly admired, and Miss Lyndard, who was very dainty in a gown of white organza over silk.

On Tuesday the county council held their session at the Court house, Kentville, and business of importance to the county in general was discussed. In the evening the new warden, Messrs. Hargreaves, entertained the council as a banquet at Hotel Aberdeen. The invited guests numbered about sixty, and included the county and town council, Messrs. B. H. Dodge, M.P.P., and Hon. H. H. Wickwire, M.P.P., besides a number of other gentlemen from the town. The affair was most successful, and some excellent speeches were made in reply to the numerous thanks.

Another of those interesting entertainments which show to advantage the local musical and dramatic talent, was given in the Opera House on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Kentville orchestra. This ambitious group of musicians has been organized only about a year, under the leadership of Mrs. P. C. Woodworth, and by their playing of a practice are now able to provide excellent music. The following are the members: Mrs. Woodworth, piano; Snook Hastings, bass; Mrs. Grace, 2nd violin; Mr. Basilio, cello; Mr. Solomon, cornet; Lewis Ellis, trombone. The four orchestral numbers were well received by the audience and the soloists, Mr. Hastings and Mr. Basilio, were heartily cheered. Miss Gladys, who made her appearance as a vocal soloist, and was a decided success, and Mr. Beckwith, of the Union Bank staff, was loudly applauded for his song. The entertainment ended with a most laughable farce, entitled "Turn Him Out," in which Miss Smith, Miss Minnie Yould, E. Parker, Mr. Telfs, and Mr. Pinks were the actors. The most prominent part was taken by Mr. Pinks, who well sustained the reputation he already has in Kentville as a comic actor. His songs were especially well received, and the local talent was the original rendering of a song which dealt with the apple man, the small-pox scare, and dry Kentville, brought down the house. The other actors carried their parts well. Mr. Telfs appearing to perfection as the much abused man of his acquaintance.

Sir Frederic and Lady Borden, accompanied by their friend, Miss Agnes Brown, returned to Ottawa on Monday.

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## A PLEASANT FUNCTION

A party of young people, numbering about 40, drove out to Kamp Kumbort last evening and enjoyed a dance in the new club house that has just been finished at Renforth. The party left the city about 8 o'clock in two large buses, reaching the Kamp about 9:15. A programme of fifteen dances was carried out, and all thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Supper was served at 11:30. Buses were entered for the return home about 1:30 o'clock. The affair was gotten up in honor of Miss Mae Hornbrook, who is to leave on Saturday to resume her studies in nursing at Bridgeport General Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. E. Seely, Mrs. Rupert Taylor, and Mrs. J. W. Hornbrook acted as chaperones. Before leaving for home three hearty cheers were given for Miss Hornbrook, the chaperones, and Kamp Kumbort.

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