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Icebergs.

By GEORGE FITCH.

Author of "At Good Old Siwash."

An iceberg is a misplaced competitor of the ice trust. Icebergs grow in the polar regions where they are of no use at all and drift down into the steamer lanes where they are of still less use if possible. An iceberg consists of from nine to forty-seven billion tons of fresh ice, all of which goes to dilute the salt water of the ocean and keep it cool enough to use for bathing purposes at Atlantic City and elsewhere. In the meanwhile the babies of the poor, a few hundred miles away, are dying for want of fresh milk.

Icebergs are formed by glaciers, which slide gently down to the sea in the frigid regions, and in the spring break up at the lower end into vast mountains of ice. Some of these chunks are half a mile long and several hundred feet high. They draw nine times as much in feet as their height, so that there is little chance that an iceberg will ever get into New York harbour and block navigation.

When the iceberg is spawned by the glacier it is seized by the restless ocean current and carried relentlessly seaward. This is exceedingly hard upon the berg. For all its vast size it is delicate of constitution and as the hot summer sun beats upon it, he comes exceedingly pale and dejected. Nothing looks more enduring and substantial than a vast iceberg. But the tourist who engaged passage upon one of these levitators in Baffin's Bay would discover to his horror upon reaching the gulf stream that he was without visible means of support.

All summer long the icebergs swarm down the northern ocean, melting industriously and cooling the atmosphere for miles around in spots where it is cool enough already for all practical purposes. Formerly these bergs were treated with quiet contempt by steamship crews, but of late they have been given every consideration and are allowed to roam the ocean in peace. Until governments employ vessels, however, to round up the wandering bergs and hang red and green lights upon them, no one else will feel very comfortable in their vicinity.

Science is gradually rolling up its shirt sleeves and attacking the great problems of the day, but it has remained silent and indifferent regarding the iceberg. In the iceberg fleets of the spring, vast national resources are going to waste. Let us look forward eagerly to the day when young and inexperienced icebergs will be harpooned by daring ice men and sawed into 100-pound blocks for the preservation of human comfort on shore.

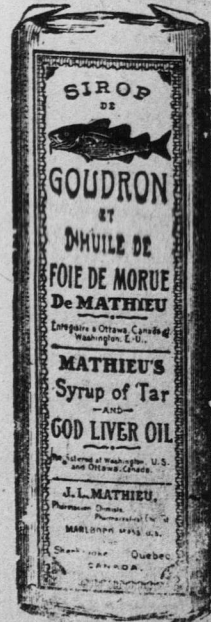
While you are looking over this paper, stop here and note that we have just opened some Xmas Plum Pudding and Cake sets. Thimble, Button, Ring, Pig, Wish Bone, Coin, etc. 60c. to \$1.50 per set. R. H. TRAPNELI—nov.17

POLICE CIRCLES.—Only three arrests were made last night by the police. The offenders were ordinary drunks.

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Labor Men Demand Asiatic Exclusion.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 19.—Committee reports were in order when the American Federation of Labor met to-day.

The resolution of President Berry, of the pressmen, urging the formation of a labor party, may be reported at any time, and is certain to precipitate a long debate.

With only five dissenting votes the Congress adopted resolutions demanding the exclusion of all Asiatics and a literacy test for Caucasians.

In a two hours' debate on the resolutions, most of the leading men of the Federation spoke, making clear that they opposed the immigration only of those Europeans who would be the prey of exploiters, and whose coming would tend to lower the American standard of living.

Fiercely speeches were made yesterday, attacking the Michigan Copper Mine owners, whose employees are on strike.

New Organ

For Halifax School of the Blind.

(Extract from Halifax Daily Mail.)
Halifax is to be congratulated on the splendid pipe organ that now is available outside of the Churches, and Dr. C. F. Fraser and the school for the blind are to be doubly felicitated on its installation.

The organ was opened last night by a brilliant organist—Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, of New York. It is a magnificent instrument, a credit to its builders and a means of delight to music lovers. The organ occupies the place at the rear of the platform in the assembly hall and in appearance it is dignified and imposing.

This was Dr. Baldwin's second performance in Halifax. It was he who opened the organ in St. Andrew's Church two or three years ago, and now he gives to music lovers another rich treat. He played with a master touch and his work abounded in color and bold and delicate effects. Dr. Baldwin's style is appealing and he is full of the spirit of harmony. One thing specially noteworthy about his playing is its perfect freedom. The organ became, as it were, a part of himself, and he rivetted attention with the concord of sweet sounds that it produced.

Dr. Baldwin was given several encores, in fact these were the rule and not the exception. After the Beethoven andante, Dr. Baldwin's response to the encore was a fine rendering of the old song, now being revived, "Silver Threads Among the Gold."

Scotland After Burns' Mss.

New York, November 20.—A London cable to the Tribune says:—

Just now the liveliest interest is being taken by the admirers of Robert Burns in the fate of the Glenelg manuscripts and letters formerly in possession of the Liverpool Athenaeum. Headed by the Lord Provost of Glasgow, many Scottish citizens recently combined for the purpose of purchasing and securing relics for Scotland, in spite of the fact that they are now in America.

Some months ago the trustees of the Liverpool Athenaeum sent them to Scotchby's for sale by private negotiation. Joseph Hornstein, a well-known book collector, paid Scotchby's a satisfactory sum, and in due course they dispatched the relics to his agent in New York, having in his mind a particular client interested in the famous Burns Manuscripts.

On being approached by the Lord Provost of Glasgow, however, Mr. Hornstein called his agent to withdraw the offer of the manuscripts and when he found the situation rendered all the more difficult from the fact the agent had sent an emissary with the relics to find the client away from New York—in fact, in the far west—he sent out a special representative from England. In the meantime the New York agent had despatched a man in pursuit of the precious relics.

Seen yesterday, Mr. Hornstein expressed hopefulness of ultimate success in the chase. At the same time he pointed out that as his client was on a wandering expedition the tracks of pursuers and pursued would be bewildering, and that even weeks might elapse before definite tidings could reach him.

Cape Report.

Special to The Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind north, fresh, weather dull, preceded by a north east ale and snow storm last night, nothing sighted today. Bar. 29.20; ther. 30.

FRESH SALMON.—Despite the inclemency of the weather, yesterday, quite a number of fresh salmon were on the market, and fetched good prices. They were of good size, some of them weighing over twenty lbs.

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