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EMMA'S SAD CASE. Consider the sad, even pathetic predicament which faces Emma Goldmann, Berkmann and the cargo of Reds as impelled by the stout boot of Uncle Sam, they approach Russia. Deported by the United States for preaching terrorism, they will find upon arrival in Russia that Lenine and Trotzky have approached the 'Allied nations with an offer of peace, promising to do away with the terror and other forms of persecution and intimidation, and to drop their propaganda in other lands, the very things that Emma and her precious band have been revelling in for many years. Emma has consistently urged the utilization of the bomb, the torch and the knife in order to turn the American nation over to anarchy. Now the arch priests of anarchy, the supreme leaders of discord, who have been trying to sow the seeds of disorder and strife the world over, announce themselves as ready to discard violence and frightfulness and take to the decent methods of other nations. It will be a cruel blow to Emma and her Berkmann to learn that Rea Russia, so beautifully discordant, is about to adopt something of the manner of the "cursed" American democracy. "Long live the revolution" was Goldmann's last word to America, and it

BIRD FRIENDS.

world, Emma!

appears that she is about to experience a revo-

lution in the ranks of Russian anarchy, such

as she never imagined could take place. Grand

champion of disorder and pandemonium in the

New World, for her activities she is deported

to the home of anarchy, only to find it flirting

with order and sanity. It is a sad, topsy-turvy

To have once felt the exquisite thrill of wonder at the alighting touch of a tiny chickadee on one's hand and the awe of watching it feed, marvelling at the shy confidence of the wild thing, with the sacred privilege of seeing so closely the miracle of the glossy black head and bright, bead-like eyes, the tiny bill with the rich black dash of plumage imraediately underneath, the pale buff breast with the dainty little fluffy edge of down where the wings fit closely glimpsed something of the intricate and limit- of Mr. Chester Glass of New York. less beauty of fancy in the soul of the Creator. Given a rather quiet lawn with spruce trees or hedges of cedar for protection from the extreme cold, and a heart that loves and seeks to understand the little, flitting, feathered friends, it is a venture quite possible and beautiful to teach the birds to come to one's window and with patience and understanding, to coax them to alight on the hand for food, or to take it from one's lips. Two delightfully interesting people of London have a family of ten chickadees, a pair of cardinals, a pair of whitebreasted nuthatches and a pair of downy woodpeckers, and they are patiently awaiting the appearance of the red-breasted nuthatch to

make the group still more wonderful. On a grey winter morning to see poised proudly on the dark green of the spruce boughs the flaming scarlet of the male cardinal, tenderly aware of his matchless mate with her lovely pastel-tinted body, her bright, crimson beak and scarlet tinged wings, is to fancy oneself in the land of summer. More timidly than the chickadees, the cardinals seek the uncracked corn and crush it easily with their peculiarly fitted beaks, while a stray sparrow with usual audacity waits to seize the falling bits from the cardinal's feast. Cleverly hung inverted feeding stations hold choice bits of food held in readiness for the tiny visitors by the cooling of melted grease; plates of sunflower seed and bits of nuts, which are often taken and hidden in the bark of tree trunks for hungrier moments, are on the window feeding board, and bits of suct are spiked in naturally arranged nooks, or hung in the spruce trees. At one time the nuthatch, the woodpecker and a chickadee have all eaten from the one plate without quarrelling. As many as eight chickadees have feasted together on the window board, and one wee chap, a tittle more soiled than the others, is friendliest. As yet the cardinals have not been won to the intimacy of this particular window board, but there is every indication that they will soon be induced to come, by the airy example of the chickadees, which, with quiet unconcern, turn their backs to the one feeding them and chatting with them, this being a token of extreme confidence. Listening to the beautiful optimism of the happy little chorus "chickadeddee-dee" from the tree boughs and window perches, and the busy whirr of wings in joyous little flittings, one wonders why more people with the necessary surroundings are not feeding and making friends of the birds.

A REPREHENSIBLE STRIKE

Last week without warning the employees of the Montreal water works department went on strike, leaving the city without water for three days. The facts of the clash between the administrative commission and the men have not yet been made public in detail, but no matter what the points in the dispute may be, in leaving the city waterless, the strikers were acting in a most reprehensible, if not criminal manner. If the men were being unfairly treated in the matter of wages they had but to make this clear to the public. Public opinion would have compelled the city to do the right thing. By sticking to their posts during negotiations they would have sarned and so pay special pilotage rates,

cured the support of the general public. Instead of adopting this diplomatic and humane course, after but one meeting with the commission they walked out at midnight and brought a water famine on over half a million of their fellow citizens. The result was great suffering in the many hospitals of the city suddenly bereft of water and heat, and exasperating, danzerous and painful inconvenience in hundreds of thousands of private homes. In addition the city was left without fire protection. Had a great conflagration broken out during the water famine many lives might have been sacrificed and certainly there would have been stupendous property loss. By their reckless act the waterworks employees have antagonized every class in the community. Their strike was cruel and unnecessary and has lost them the backing of public sentiment as it should. It was no more excusable than the strike of the Boston police, which left that city in the hands of murderers, thieves and plundering mobs.

PRODUCTION A CONDITION OF PEACE.

What prices farm products will command during the next year or two cannot be stated with any degree of accuracy. No one can foretell whether or not Europe will be able to pay for her supplies next year or the year after, but all who have studied the situation feel able to state with reasonable certainty that it will likely take at least two years for the production of breadstuffs to meet the world's requirements and have over a moderate reserve as security against scarcity the following year; that it will be many years before the world's production of milk, butter and cheese can adequately meet the demand and that several years must elapse before supplies of cattle and hog products can be sufficient to provide for the natural requirements of the people who ordin-

The farmers of Canada will not make any mistake in producing as much as they can of needed. The world's prices in the main will be determined by conditions and factors beyond our control. But our farmers may depend upon being able to obtain the highest prices which the world's markets will afford. Canadian farm products have a preference in the markets of Great Britain because of their known superior quality; and in other European markets they are sure of an equality in price with the products of any other country The farmer cannot expect more than that. Whether he produces more or less, that is the highest rate to be had. The more we produce the more money our farmers will receive, the more quickly our nation will recover from the losses of the war, and the more will we help to bring good cheer to a world still reeling and scarcely yet conscious of the extent of the appalling waste of years of destruction.

EDITORIAL NOTES. Sinn Fein prisoners have started a hunger

strike. However, with Vienna starving there need be no waste of the food.

Recently The Advertiser reproduced in its editorial columns a letter in the New York Times on the League of Nations controversy around the little body, the wonderfully folded in the United States Senate. By an error this wings, so alert for use withal, is to have letter was credited to Mr. Carter Glass, instead

> Pope Benedict says that 1919 was one of the worst vears of humanity. A good many will take exception to this statement of His Holiness. True, it produced much misery, disorder and bloody strife, but on the other hand it witnessed a distinct start made in the progress towards a happier world. Not much has as yet come from the peace treaty and the League of Nations, but in these documents rests rich promise of better times. In its potentiality for good 1919 was one of the best of years.

THE ARGUMENT. [Francis Carlin.]

Between the duty road to kill And a grey mud-mason wall, A couple lived on Harney's Hill When I was small

Kind they were in deed and word And as peaceful as the next, Until they heard the singing bird That made them vexed.

"The little robineen." said she, "Is early in his bush." "Sure, woman, dear, o'dear," said he "It is a thrush."

Which lasted for a long Warm while of arguing, as to what Bird sang the song.

Four seasons passed away, and then Said he, "Dear woman, dear, Do you recall that we heard the wren

This day last year?'

"You mean the willy-wagtail," said The wrathful farmer's wife, And the old discussion that was dead Came back to life.

So on that day in every spring. The arguing couple's words Renew the case to which they bring Their different birds.

For I could end the long discourse The birds that sang among the gorse When I was small,

A PATHETIC WAIL. For the following reasons I am unable to send you the check asked for:

I have been held up, held down, sandbagged, walked on, sat on, flattened out and squeezed. First by the Canadian Government for Federal War Tax, the Excess Profits Tax, the Victory Loan Bonds, Thrift Capital Stock Tax, Merchants' License and Auto Tax; and by every society and organization that the inventive mind of man can invent to extract what I may or may not possess.

From the Society of John the Baptist, the G. W. V. A., the Women's Relief, the Navy League, the Red Cross, the Purple Cross, the Black Cross, the Double Cross, the Children's Home, the Dorcas Society, the Y. M. C. A., the Boy Scouts, the Jewish Relief, the Belgian Relief, and every hospital in

The Government has so governed my business that I don't know who owns it. I am inspected, suspected, examined and re-examined, informed, am, where I am, and why I am here. All I know is I am supposed to be an inexhaustible supply of noney for every known need of the human race and beg, borrow or steal money to give away, I have been cussed, discussed, boycotted, talked to, talked about, held up, hung up, robbed and nearly ruined; and the only reason I am clinging to life is to see what in hell is coming next.

SCARCITY OF SKY PILOTS. [Guelph Mercury.]

H. C. of L. is thinning the ranks of ministers in the United States, and the conferences are demanding a minimum that shall at least equal the pay of the sextons. Unless this is forthcoming, sky pilots will adopt a scale of prices that will make the rich

From Here and There

OVER THE HILLS OF HOME. [Lillian Leveridge.]

Laddie, little laddie, come with me over the hills, blossom the white May lilles and the dogwood

For the Spirit of Spring is calling to our spirits that

Over the hills of home, laddie, over the hills of home. Laddie, little laddie, here's hazel and meadow-rue, And wreaths of the rare arbutus, a-blowing for me And cherry and bilberry blossoms, and hawthorn as white as foam. We'll carry them all to Mother, laddie, over the hills

Leddie, little laddie, the winds have many a song And blithely and bold they whistle to us as we trip But your own little song is sweeter, your own with

So whistle a tune as you go, laddie, over the windy

Laddie, little laddie, 'tis time that the cows were Can you hear the klingle-klangle of their bell in the greenwood gloam? Old Rover is waiting, eager to follow the trail with

Laddie, little laddie, there's a flash of a bluebird's Oh, hush! If we wait and listen we may hear him The vesper song of the thrushes and the plaint of

Sweet, how sweet is the music, laddie, over the

the whip-poor-wills-

Whistle a tune as you go, laddie, whistle a tune as

you go.

Brother, little brother, your childhood is passing by. And the dawn of a noble purpose I see in your thoughful eye. have many a mile to travel, and many a task to do; Whistle a tune as you go, laddie, whistle a tune as

Laddie, soldier laddie, a call comes over the sea, A call to the best and bravest in the Land of Liberty To shatter the despot's power, to lift up the weak Whistle a song as you go, laddie, to answer you

Brother, soldier brother, the Spring has come back again, voice from the windy hilltops is calling your name in vain:

For never shall we together 'mid the birds and Over the hills of home, brother, over the hills of

Laddie! Laddie! Laddie! "Somewhere in France" Somewhere 'neath alien flowers and alien winds that Bravely you marched to battle, nobly your life laid You unto death were faithful, laddie; yours is the

Laddie! Laddie! How dim is the sunshine grown.
As Mother and I together speak softly in tender And the lips that quiver and falter have ever a single theme. As we list for your dear lost whistie, laddie, over the hills of dream

Laddle, beloved Laddle! How soon should we cease to weep. Could we glance through the golden gateway, whose keys the angels keep! Yet love, our love that is deathless, can follow you Yet love, our love that is deathless, can follow you where you roam.

Over the hills of God, laddie, the beautiful hills of hospital. There had been a wreck and

POINTED PARAGRAPHS. [Ottawa Journal.]

home.

Nearly every proposition looks a sure winner-on

are a good thing.

Most of the splinters in the balusters of life are Clean up the little tasks of today and be ready for the big tasks of tomorrow.

A woman can get a man to do anything she wants him to if she has tact enough to induce him to talk about himself. Don't get the idea under your hat that other on head;

people think as much of you as you think of your-The everyday Christian has seven chances to the

VALUABLE FOXES. [Listowel Banner.]

Like everything else, blue foxes are going up. A good skin of this much-prized animal will cost you at least \$200 in the coming winter.

which is a phase or variant of the common red fox; the same animal, that is to say, with a freak color (black, with white-tipped hairs), which may be perpetuated from generation to generation by selection and breeding. The blue fox is, in the same way, a variant of the

white Arctic fox, which has a brown and tawny pelage in the summer time. In other words, its color, which is a dark blue-grey, is abnormal and rare. But, for some unexplained reason, most of the foxes on the Pribylof Islands, in Bering Sea, are of

WHY GERMANY WEEPS. [Minneapolis News.]

Germany is weeping again. She has wept many Germany is weeping again. She has wept many times since the armistice. She will weep still more in the future. For, by her tears she hopes to dissolve the close association of America and the Allies. If the separation comes, Germany's future course of action will be clear. Preparations for revenge can be safely begun. All of Corrections in the separation and the Allies. If action will be clear. Preparations for revenge can be safely begun. All of Corrections in the separation and the separation comes, all of the separations are separation comes, all of the separations for revenge can be safely begun. All of Corrections in the separation comes, all of the separation comes, and be safely begun. All of Germany's plans for revenge depend on America's future attitude toward the warproven democracies of Europe. Let it become known that America is indifferent to her former comrades in arms, and the junkers and Pan-Germans will soon be back into power. They are best fitted to direct s policy of revenge. Once America drops out, they will drop in.

WHEN BRIDES MUST WEEP.

The wedding day in most countries is the bride's

The Advertiser's Daily Short Story

AN INDIAN MAIDEN FAIR.

Two men could not have been in frames of mind more directly opposite. Phil Lancaster was enthused, enraptured, excited, while his chum, Steven Marshall, was bored, disgusted and full of complaint. Phil gave a sigh of regret when the play was over, Steve a sigh of relief.

"What a dandy play!" "What a punk show!" The two men roiced their opinions as they rose from their seats in the front box.

"How do you make that out?" Phil turned to Steve ready to champion the cause of the play.
"It's the same old thing done over again, the most impossible of all the

mpossible plots—a white man falling in love with an Indian girl, a handsome and everything for squaw who saved his life. I'll rub it in in my critique, you can bet."
"You must be crazy!" Phil gasped am going to praise the play to the of the roof. Who wouldn't fall for top of the roof. an Indian girl like that one? I would yself in a minute."
"Of course, you would," Steve sneered, "that one wasn't an Indian girl.

was an American actress, and a mighty scenery to show her up. She much like a real Indian as I am. much like a real Indian as I am."

That is how the wager was made. Phil held to it that there were thousands of Indian sirls as beautiful as the actress who portrayed the part of an Indian maiden, but Steve would not admit it. Indian girls were beautiful enough in the eyes of Indian men, he admitted, but they could not come up to the but they could not come up to the standard of American white girls in the

estimation of the typical American white man—white men like the hero of the play. Why the thing was absurd! "Yeu would fall in love with an Indian girl yourself, if you came in contact with one," Phil argued.
"I bet I wouldn't," Steve laughed. "I can prove that I won't. I am spending vacation—six whole weeks this time the Canadian west, right near an

than the man who wrote that play ever

saw in his life, and I bet I don't even like the looks of one of them."
"I bet you five hundred dollars you marry one of them," Phil backed up his

with you."
"Taken!" Steve did not lack in sportsmanship. The wager was prompt The vacation season over! Steve leaned back in the seat of the Pullman and found it hard to realize that his six weeks were up and he was on his homeward journey. The wager! There it was in black and white. He had telegraphed Phil as he boarded the train, announcing himself the winner. He had seen very few Indian maidens, even though he had been within a few miles of their reserve and had fished on their territory by special permission, and the ones he had seen had not appeal him at all. He had been quite right in

his side of the argument.

He reached for his club bag to place the copy of the wager with some other important papers, found he couldn't reach it without standing and got to his feet. Then it happened. There was a sudden lurch, a crash! Steve feit himself shooting through space any all

Steve opened his eyes. It was quite some time before he could make out his he was injured. As his eyes became more accustomed to the light he noticed someone moving about him. A nurse—one of the prettlest he had ever seen! He watched her, fascinated, as she moved silently about, preparing omething that he guessed was fo It's a good thing to avoid neonle who think you Her very presence seemed to give him

"You are better!" There was just the faintest touch of accent to her rich, musical tone, as she looked down at him with her big dark eyes. "Much better,' Steve answered weak-ly. "Was I badly hurt?"
"Not badly—others go to Happy

Hunting Ground, but you only bumped on head; better soon." There was no mistaking her accent this time. was a real Indian maiden, but some-how that did not make any difference to Steve. She was more like an angel to him just at that time than anything

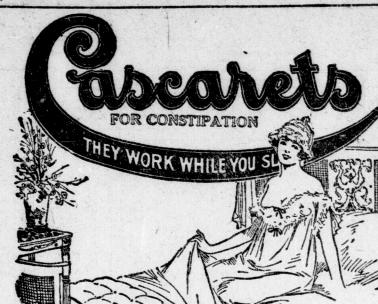
There was an odd mixture of feeling in Steve's heart as he waited in the library of Phil Lancaster's home for his chum. It was more than a menth after the train wreck, and Steve had been back in the city for nearly a It should not be confused with the silver fox, week, but this was his first call on

"Well, have you come to claim your wager?" It was Phil, advancing with outstretchel hand. "Welcome, old boy, I am glad to think you didn't fare any

a lucky beggar "Thanks, old man," Steve answered,

ing doing. I am a good sport, I'll pay "If anyone pays, I will," Steve had risen to his feet, and was shaking all

over. "What! Have you got an Indian hospital slaving away as a nurse, just because she was an Indian. For five weeks she nursed me. I loved her from the start. She was the cutest little thing alive, and her quaint little accent had the warmth of a whole nation in it. I left her like a cad, without saying good-bye, just because I couldn't trust myself, just because I thought I did not love her because of her race. But I do love her. The week that we have been separated tells me I love her more than anyone else in the world, and I am going back to her. To h—I and power.



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James Francis Sullivan,
formerly physician of Belle-TBUSINESS LIF vue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital, in commenting on the relation of strong nerves and physical endurance to the attainment of success

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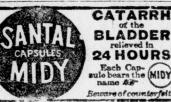
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