

A Queen's Pointers.

No book in Europe today is attracting more attention than the one entitled "Thoughts of a Queen" which has just been published in French, and the author of which is Elizabeth, Queen of Roumania, who is better known to the literary world under her nom de plume, Carmen Sylva.

She began to write prose and poetry at an early age, having apparently inherited the poetic gift from her grandmother, Princess Louise of Wied, who was a poetess of no mean rank.

"Thoughts of a Queen" she frankly expresses her opinion on many subjects. Here, for example, are some of her views about man:—"It is the human body carefully we shall find that the soul is not far away.

"A woman is expected to give her love freely, to take care of a household and to educate her children, moreover, she must be pretty, elegant and lovable. Yet in spite of all this men say that women are weak.

"The truth is," said the legless man, "I bought an apartment house last week, and promised to pay ten thousand dollars on the bargain to-night, and unless I get away pretty soon I'll get there too late and forfeit the amount already paid down."

"The friend was speechless with amazement, and his astonishment grew when he heard a few weeks later, that the apartment house which the poor man spoke to him about was the third which he had purchased since he went into the begging business.

"In November thousands of women will be colouring dresses, skirts, jackets, coats, vests, pans, shawls, wool yarns and carpet rags.

"The dyeing operation is an important one and demands great care. The principal point is to secure the right dye—colours that are pure, bright and fast washing and sunlight.

"About friendship she says:—"Words of sympathy fall on the sorrow stricken heart as drops of water fall on melting butter; they cause it to overflow.

"Here are her thoughts on happiness and unhappiness:—"There is only one happiness—duty. It takes a hundred lovely and fragrant leaves to make a perfect rose, and it takes a hundred pure joys to make perfect happiness.

"Love, hatred, jealousy and fate blind in or to see clearly a man must first depart from this life. "A man never becomes weary of life; he only becomes weary of himself."

"Great thinkers and lofty mountains elevate us in our own eyes."

"Carmen Sylva has evidently not a high opinion of women who interest themselves actively in politics, for in a smart little epigram she compares them to erratic hens.

"A prince need only possess eyes and ears, and there is no reason why he should gaze his mouth, except for the purpose of smiling."

smiling." This may seem a little cynical, but turn over a few pages of the book and you will find the same writer lauding virtue and telling men how they can best pursue that course in life which leads to true happiness.

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Lunenburg, Oct. 16, to the wife of Jeremiah Hebbly a daughter.

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Lube, Me., Oct. 10, John S. Gilmore to Belle Macle.

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New Glasgow, Oct. 11, to the wife of J. W. Bliss, a son.

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Moist Hope, Oct. 11, to the wife of Z. Durland, a son.

BORN.

Milton, Oct. 18, to the wife of Frank Whiston, a son.

BORN.

Windsor, Oct. 1, to the wife of Henry Pattison, a son.

DIED.

Truro, Oct. 23, Robert McLellan, 27.

DIED.

Windsor, Oct. 19, Charles Main, 15.

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Windsor, Oct. 21, Dnos Fancy, 48.

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