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BLACK BEAN CLUB

One Who Draws it Must Wed
Within a Year

(London Ideas)

There are many extraordinary clubs in existence in London today, and an idea representative was introduced to one of the most eccentric of them all the other evening. This is known as the Man-killing Club, the members of which glory in the fact that they have slain opponents in duels. Oh guest night a separate table is reserved for the visitors, who must be friends of members and must also swear that upon at least one occasion they have drawn an adversary's blood. An elaborate ritual is gone through, and no food is touched until the diners salute each other with their rapiers.

Another strange club is known as the Black Bean Brotherhood. Membership is strictly confined to forty persons, and the entrance fee is \$10, with an annual subscription of the same amount. The Fatal Bean.

The club meets only once a year, when a bag is handed round containing thirty-nine white beans and one black one. The member who draws the black bean is bound to get married during the ensuing twelve months, the committee furnishing a house for him and defraying the expenses of his wedding and a honeymoon. Before the meeting is dissolved, each of the remaining thirty-nine members has to swear solemnly that he will remain single until the date agreed upon for the next lottery. And then, again, there is the Sighing Club, which must be one of the funniest things in the world to witness. The institution, the club rules state, was founded solely for the benefit of love-sick swains. Silence is strictly enjoined at all meetings, and the members, who sit in solemn conclave, each holding a piece of ribbon, a lock of hair, or some possession of his beloved, are required to sigh heavily at least five times within

a quarter of an hour, under the penalty of a fine.

The Abduction Club

Suicide clubs are comparatively common, but have you ever heard of the Abduction Club? No. Well, this was started in 1776 by a number of young Irish "bloodes" who banded to arrange for themselves forced marriages with wealthy heiresses, each promising to assist the others. Soon the idea gained ground, but when in April, 1778, two young men, named respectively Gerald Byrne and James Strange Villard, were removed from their home and married the two daughters of a wealthy landowner in Waterford, the government deemed it time to interfere, and abduction was made a capital offence. Two years ago a club was formed for the purpose of dining backwards. That is to say, the dinner began with cigars, coffee and liquors and finished up with sherry and oysters. One such repast, however, seemed to prove more than enough for the members and on the morning after the inauguration banquet the club was disbanded and the dinner given up!

For Relay Race

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 22.—"Ted" McDevitt of the University of Pennsylvania track team will compete on a relay team representing the United States against a Canadian team. Other members of the United States team will be Melvin Sheppard, Thomas Halpin and H. A. Baker of the New York Athletic club. The date has not yet been selected.

A Bonanza

"What I want to see," said the reformer, "is a city that knows absolutely nothing of graft."

"That's what I'd like to see," replied the ward politician. "Wouldn't it be a gold-mine for the right parties?" Washington Star.

The first electric car to be run on a track was exhibited 66 years ago in the Town Hall in Dover, N. H. by its inventor, Moses G. Farmer. The track was two feet and a half wide and carried a car large enough to hold several

LOCAL NEWS

The St. John city liquor license commissioners met yesterday for preliminary consideration of the applications for licenses. Their decisions will be made at a later meeting.

Thorne Lodge will meet tonight at 8 o'clock, Clayton's Hall, Brussels street.

UNGAR'S LAUNDRY.

Fifty flat pieces 75 cents. Phone us, team will call.

Application for liquor licenses were considered last evening by the county license commissioners who met in the office of Inspector E. J. Neve. Licenses were granted to Mrs. Hugh McCormick, Charles Mayall and Mrs. Nellie Barker.

"THE DANCANT"

At The "Brown Betty" between the hours of 4 and 6—Dancing and tea, 50c.

Excellent ice and band at the Vic.

The senior members of the Y. M. C. A., with the members of the Young Ladies' Guild as their guests, enjoyed a sleigh-ride to Torryburn last evening. On their return to the city supper was served in the association building and an entertaining programme was carried out.

If you wish value for your money, ask your grocer for a pound of White Lily Pig Bars.

Hump—Hump—Hump—Every price at Pidgeon's is cut to the very lowest limit, offering such enticing values that no one can resist them—Corner of Main and Bridge.

Harry Wilson, who was arrested a few days ago for stealing a ride on the C. P. R. from St. John to Fredericton Junction was fined \$50 or two months in jail in the police court yesterday afternoon, but was allowed to go. George Brown, charged with assault was further remanded.

"Humphrey's Solid" is stamped on the soles of every pair of all solid leather shoes made by J. M. Humphrey & Co.

The attention of retail shoe clerks is directed to Waterbury & Rising's want ad. on page 6.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Cures Grip in Two Days. 25c.

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Ankle deep, feet get wet; don't you weep; Brindle's boots better plan; feel quite dry, happy man.—Brindle, 227 Union. Phone 100-21.

Special prices for smokers, page 7. Money saved for smokers, page 7. Smokers, read Louis Green's prices, page 7.

Look up page 7 if you use tobacco. Men Only—Read Louis Green's ad, page 7.

Not a clothing sale. Read Green's ad, page 7.

Cut price, cigars, tobaccos, cigarettes, page 7. 6918-1-28

An interesting lecture on domestic science in relation to the school curriculum was delivered by Miss K. R. Bartlett before the Natural History Society last evening and was listened to with great pleasure by a large audience. Miss Bartlett showed the relationship between the subjects of household science and the subjects in the general school curriculum. The lecture was illustrated with photographs.

IMPERIAL TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

Those who were prevented from seeing Miss Cecilia Loftus and the Broadway Company of players in "A Lady of Quality" at the Imperial yesterday will be privileged to enjoy this unusual treat tonight. The remarkable film-play will be produced at 7 and 8.45, along with the vaudeville novelty and Miss Ashe, soprano. The play has been held over at general request and because many could not gain admission to the theatre last evening. The matinee this afternoon is largely attended.

Tomorrow the new programme is as follows:—"The Mysterious Wax" by the Selig Co., "The Lost Diamond" by the Lubin Co., "A Corner on Popularity" by Lubin and A Day in Jerusalem by Edison. The specialty feature for the boys is "The Capture of a German Spy," an English war melodrama featuring the cadets and officers of the British Navy.



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10c. tin Bendor's..... 8c.
25c. tin Bendor's..... 33c.
40c. tin Bendor's..... 65c.
75c. tin Bendor's.....

DESSERTS
3 pkgs. MacLaren's Jelly.....21c.
10c. pkgs. Quick Tapioca..... 8c.
13c. pkgs. Chocolate Mould.....10c.
13c. pkgs. Chantrelle Russe.....10c.

SUNDRIES
21 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar with orders for..... \$1.00
1 tin Tomatoes..... 10c.
1 tin French Cauliflower..... 15c.
1 tin Small Carrots..... 15c.
1 tin Small Beets..... 10c.
10c. French Peas..... 13c.
12c. Box Figs for..... 3c.
12c. tin Baked Beans..... 8c.
2 pkgs. Corn Flakes..... 15c.
10c. tin Coleman's B. Powder..... 11c.
10c. tin Libby's Soup..... 10c.
1 pound Salada Tea..... 25c.
1 bottle Onion Salt..... 12c.
1 bottle White's Pickles..... 16c.
for..... 20c.
25c. bottle O. R. Pickles..... 20c.
25c. bottle Holbrook's Sauce..... 18c.
10c. pkgs. Shaker Salt..... 8c.
12 pkgs. Safety Matches..... 5c.
5c. cakes Sunlight Soap..... 21c.
5c. pkgs. Gold Dust..... 21c.
2 pkgs. Old Dutch Cleanser..... 17c.

SPECIAL

10c. tin Oxo Cubes..... 8c.
25c. tin Oxo Cubes..... 21c.
10c. pkgs. King Sodas..... 8c.

JAM

25c. pot Raspberry for..... 19c.
25c. pot Green Gage for..... 18c.
25c. pot Damson for..... 17c.

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No-Pee Bath Soap floats like a cork for..... 7c. cake

CANDY

1 lb. Peppermint Chewings..... 12c.
1 lb. Special English Gums..... 27c.
50c. Dutch Chocolates for..... 38c.
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25c. Laxative Cold Tablets..... 14c.

25c. Cream of Roses..... 14c.

100 Bland's Iron Pills 14c.

25c. Minard's Liniment..... 16c.

15c. Castile Soap for 11c. bar

25c. Pendleton's Panacea..... 18c.

50c. Sugar of Milk 37c. lb.

75c. Peroxide of Hydrogen (16 oz. bottles, best make) for..... 27c. bottle

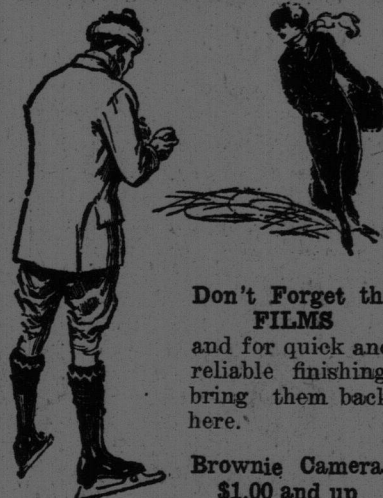
VINOL, \$1.00
The No Risk Tonic

25c. White Pine and Tar..... 17c.

3 dozen Quinine Pills (2 grs.)..... 10c.

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Ice Cream with Hot Fudge..... 15c.

SATURDAY CHOCOLATES

50c. Boxes for 39c.
New Cream Almonds.
Cream Maple Walnuts.
Fresh Horehound Stick.
60c. English Fruit Jujubes, 39c. lb.
Shippery Elm Lozenges, 3 oz. 10c.

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PECULIAR AFTER EFFECTS OF
GRIP THIS YEAR

Leaves Kidneys in Weakened Condition

Doctors in all parts of the country have been kept busy with the epidemic of grip which has visited so many homes. The symptoms of grip this year are often very distressing and leave the system in a run down condition, particularly the kidneys which seem to suffer most as almost every victim complains of lame back and urinary troubles which should not be neglected, as these danger signals often lead to dangerous troubles. Druggists report a large sale on Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, which so many people say soon heals and strengthens the kidneys after an attack of grip. Swamp-Root is a great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, and being an herbal compound, has a gentle healing effect on the kidneys, which is almost immediately noticed in most cases by those who try it. Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., offer to send a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root, on receipt of ten cents, to every sufferer who requests it. A trial will convince any one who may be in need of it. Regular size bottles 75c. and \$1.25. For sale at all druggists in Canada. Be sure to mention this paper.

After 28 Years

A curious and interesting case of a lost letter coming to light happened a few days ago, when John Henderson, town-clerk of Portrose, Scotland, received a letter which he had posted more than twenty-eight years ago. The letter was addressed to Captain Campbell, of the schooner Viking, of Portrose care of Lloyd's agent, Elsinore, and the Portrose post-mark is 28th September, 1885. It had apparently got to Denmark, though it seems doubtful when this could have been, as the next post-mark is Helmsingor, 2nd October, 1908. Then there is another blank space till London, 17th December, 1913. It would be interesting to learn how the time was divided. A pathetic touch is given by the fact that about twelve or fifteen years ago the Viking was wrecked near Looeemouth, and Captain Campbell was drowned. The letter showed that the weather was bad that year for harvesting, that trade was dull, and freights very low.

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Tourist—That's peculiar, considering you have no scarecrows.

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