

Just Folks.

By EDGAR GUEST.

CLEVERNESS AND SINCERITY.

One was clever, and one sincere.
One was handsome and one was plain.
One drew laughter and left a tear.
The other winced at another's pain.

And he seemed dull when the clever spoke,
And he seemed slow when the wit began.
For never he sharpened a fibe or joke
To wound the soul of his fellow man.

For he could feel, as it were his own,
The sting of envy and malice keen.
And he knew, ere ever the barb was thrown,
The cruel hurt such a hit would mean.

Now the clever man had a greater fame
For laughter pleases the care-free throng.
But he who toiled with a humble name
Had a truer knowledge of right and wrong.

We laugh at the jibes, be they foul or fair,
We smile when a nimble mind is near,
But of cleverness must we all beware,
So we give our love to the one sincere.

Majestic Theatre

Scene of Unparalleled Excitement

"A LOST LADY," FIRST CLASS FEATURE.

The Majestic Theatre was the scene of much excitement yesterday afternoon and from all accounts, the Pony Contest promises to be one of the most popular events pulled off in the city for some time. The balloon event attracted thousands of children to the vicinity of the Majestic Theatre, yesterday afternoon, and much enthusiasm was evinced by the children and others in the combat for the much prize balloons, one of which contained a \$10 cheque and amongst the others were fifty \$1 bills. After the balloons had been released and captured, the children thronged into the Theatre and, ere the show started, fully two thousand had filled the spacious auditorium to capacity. Special pictures were screened for the children and, needless to say, were thoroughly enjoyed. The Majestic are making a special point to cater to the children in the Wednesday and Saturday afternoon matinees.

Last night "A Lost Lady" won the approval of Majestic patrons. It is one of those first class features in which Irene Rich plays her foremost part. She is assisted by George Fawcett, John Roche, Jane Marlowe, Matt Moore and other noted stars. It is a strong, appealing story—a melodrama that wins the interest of the fans from the very beginning to the last reel. "A Lost Lady," is one of those stories which is possible in everyday life, and certainly starred Irene Rich to the best of her ability. The many who saw it last night claim it to be one of the best pictures exhibited for some time. It will be repeated to-night for the last time, and those who failed to see it last night should make it a point to witness it to-night.

If you cannot eat try BRICK'S TASTELESS. For sale everywhere.—sept23.1t

Partridge Cookery

Like all game birds, partridges when young should be plainly roasted, garnished with watercress, and served with brown gravy, browned crumbs, bread sauce (if desired), and a green or an apple and celery salad. Old birds, however, may be converted into most desirable dishes, such as:

Partridge Hot-Pot—Two partridges, 2 to 3 sheep's kidneys, 1 onion, 1 gill of stock, salt, pepper, 1 dozen oysters, 6oz. of bacon, 1oz of butter, 1lb. of potatoes, parsley.

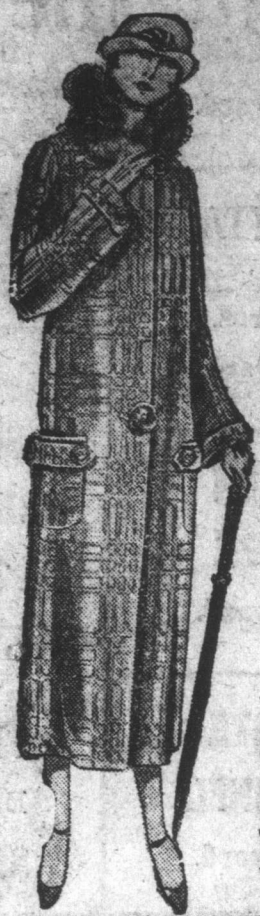
Pluck, draw, and clean the birds and cut into neat joints. Skin and slice the kidneys. Peel and chop the onion and slice the potatoes thinly. Grease a casserole with the butter. Place a layer of bacon at the bottom, then put in layers of partridge, onion, kidneys, bearded oysters, and seasoning. Pour in the stock. Put more bacon on the top and cover all with the potatoes. Melt the remainder of the butter and pour it over the potatoes. Cover with greased paper and bake in a moderate oven for about two hours. Remove the paper. Sprinkle chopped parsley over the potatoes, and serve in the dish in which it was cooked.

Partridge Mousse—Two partridges, ½ gill of brown sauce, 2 eggs, pinch of nutmeg, pepper, 1oz. of butter, 3oz. of ham, ½ gill of cream, 1 tablespoonful of mushroom ketchup, salt, 3 gills of tomato sauce.

Remove the meat from the uncooked partridge and skin. Put the meat through a mincer with the ham. Pound it in a mortar with the butter. Add the eggs one by one, and the brown sauce. Rub through a wire sieve. Add the mushroom ketchup and lightly. Season well. Put the mixture into greased moulds. Cover with greased paper and steam for about 1 hour. Turn on to a hot dish and coat with tomato sauce.

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Are You a Good Judge of Bargains?

Even should you possess but a mild interest in values, a single glance at these prices will open your eyes.

Just read this List for FRIDAY & SATURDAY

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Get Your NEW COAT Early and Begin Enjoying it Now

We offer some Great Values for Fri. & Sat.

MISSIE'S JERSEY KNICKERS—Very fine quality with close-fitting elastic finished waist and legs. Pink only, to fit from 8 to 12 years. Regular 40c. pair. **Friday and Saturday \$35c.**

MISSIE'S FLEECE LINED VESTS—Pure White in round neck style with long sleeves; nicely finished with heading and lingerie tape to tie in front. Sizes to fit 8 to 10 years. Regular 65c. each. **Friday and Saturday \$57c.**

MISSIE'S SWEATER COATS—Union Wool in nice close-fitting styles, made to fit the figure comfortably. Colors: Cardinal, Navy, Brown, Scarlet. Size 24 and 26. **Special for Friday and Saturday, each \$1.28**

WOMEN'S PULLOVER SWEATERS—Tastefully made in round neck style with long sleeves; fancy stitching finishes the cuff and neck. This garment can also be used as an overblouse, sizes 34 to 40. Reg. \$2.10 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.80**

WOMEN'S CLOTH & TWEED COATS—Several pretty models; some are fur trimmed at collar, cuffs and around the tail, others are in plain tailored style with slash pockets and nice wide cuffs. Altogether a good variety at a very moderate price. Reg. \$16.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$13.75**

WOMEN'S SCARVES—Knitted Art Silk in beautiful combination colors of Cocoa, Honeydew, Jade, Peach, Black and White; attractively finished at ends with long silk fringe, 12 inches wide and 55 inches long. Reg. \$1.85 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.62**

WOMEN'S LEATHER UNDER-ARM BAGS—Made with strap across side or top and fitted with mirror and pocket inside; all the newest shades. Reg. \$1.95 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.75**

WOMEN'S PATENT LEATHER BELTS—Different widths, with large metal buckles and perforating in various designs. Reg. 40c. ea. **Friday and Saturday 33c.**

CHILDREN'S GLOVES—Fine quality wool and cotton mixtures in Navy, Canary, Grey, Fawn and White. Reg. 20c. pair. **Friday & Sat. 16c.**

MISSIE'S COATS—Of Mixed Tweed in Brown, Fawn and Grey; made with large collar to button closely around the neck; imitation cuffs and trimming of buttons. Reg. \$4.60 each. **Friday \$3.85 and Saturday \$3.50**

MISSIE'S TWEED COATS—Mixed effects of Fawn and Grey, nicely made and well finished; sizes 30 to 34. Regular \$4.20 each. **Friday \$3.50 and Saturday \$3.25**

FANCY HAT ORNAMENTS—Of Feathers, etc., in quill style with felt finishing; all the newest are here. Reg. 50c. each. **Friday & Saturday 38c.**

VANITY CASES—Brass finished Metal Cases containing flesh color Face Powder, Compact and Puff. Reg. 35c. each. **Friday & Saturday 28c.**



You Can't Help Looking with Admiration at our Line of Boys' Suits

Boys' Tweed Suits—In Brown, Grey and Dark mixtures. Coat with beated back and belt all around the waist. Pants in open knee style. Serviceable and durable Suits for boys from 6 to 13 years of age. Reg. \$9.85. **Friday and Saturday \$8.75**

Boys' Tweed Pants—For boys of 4 to 8 years. Made to button at hips. Browns and Greys only. **Special for Friday and Saturday, per pair 79c.**

Boys' Box Calf Boots—Good durable quality with heels. Sizes 1 to 5. Reg. \$3.90 pair. **Friday & Saturday \$3.72**

Boys' Striped Cotton Shirts—In assorted light colors, made with laundered neck bands and soft double cuffs. Sizes 12½, 13, 13½ and 14. Regular \$1.55 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.37**

Boys' Overcoats—Rich Heather mixtures in serviceable Blanket Tweeds of heavy make. Made with wide storm-collars, double breast and belt all around the waist that can be worn or left off at desired. Sizes for boys from 10 to 15 years. Regular \$12.20 ea. **Friday and Saturday \$10.95**

Size for 14 to 17 years. Regular \$16.50 each. **Friday and Saturday \$15.00**

HERE ARE OBJECT LESSONS IN ECONOMY ON Strictly Serviceable Household Goods

ENGLISH WOOL BLANKETS—That are as good in quality as anything offered "at Sale Prices" that compare with the regular price of these Blankets. We have only a small quantity left and we advise all who can to come early for these. Size 68 x 84 inches. Regular \$11.50 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$10.70**

Unbleached Sheetting—Fine twill made in a soft quality that will give exceptionally good value. 60 inches wide. Reg. 95c. yard. **Friday and Saturday 84c.**

Bed Ticking—English, Linen finish Bed Ticking, very close weave and durable quality. 60 inches wide. Regular \$1.25 yard. **Friday and Saturday \$1.03**

Circular Pillow Cotton—Pure White material for making Pillows and Bolster Cases that will launder well and give great service; 40 and 44 inches wide. Reg. 70c. yard. **Friday and Saturday 62c.**

HEARTH RUGS—Exceptionally good value are these desirable Rugs. Choice fancy floral and scroll effects on Fawn, Blue, Grey and Red grounds. Size 73 x 66 inches. Regular \$7.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$6.30**

BEST QUALITY FELTOL MATS—In Green and Brown. Fancy block patterns. Size 18 x 36 inches. Regular \$8.00 each. **Friday and Saturday 35c.**



THESE CUTS ON Yard Materials

REPRESENT GOOD REVENUE TO THE PURCHASERS.

Wool Tweeds—Choice weaves in Grey and Brown Checks. The season's newest, very reasonably priced for this sale; 42 inches wide; \$1.10 yard. **Friday and Saturday 95c.**

Black and Navy Wool Serge—Very close ribbed Wool Serge of fine quality offered at good price reductions. **Friday and Saturday**. You can do no better than get a length from this if you'll soon require Dress Serge. 40 inches wide. **Special for Friday and Saturday \$1.23**

Dress Meltons—Of medium weight. Very nice for making Children's and Misses' school dresses. Colors: Navy, Brown, Green and Wine; 36 inches. Regular 48c. yard. **Friday and Saturday 43c.**

Men's Suit Tweed—Heavy make, most suitable for making men's Work Suits and Pants. Also very serviceable for boys' wear. A good wearing quality, in a very wide width, being 56 inches. Regular \$1.10 yard. **Friday 99c. and Saturday 95c.**

Time to Change



Underwear

We are offering "Stanfield's" Wool Underwear, Friday and Saturday at very low prices. All Wool Unshrinkable quality in a full range of sizes from 34 to 44 inch. Regular \$2.25 garment. **Friday and Saturday \$1.98**

STANFIELD'S GOLD LABEL UNDERWEAR—Unshrinkable quality, all pure Wool. In every size for men. Regular \$2.00 gar. **Friday and Saturday \$2.75**

Everything that's Good in GROCERIES

SOME OF THE LINES ARE OFFERING AT SALE PRICES FRIDAY & SATURDAY

LIBBY'S RASPBERRIES—In rich, heavy syrup. They are gathered when thoroughly ripe and tinned shortly afterwards and in this way all the deliciousness of the fruit is brought to the table. Reg. 55c. tin. **Friday & Saturday 45c.**

LIBBY'S ROAST MUTTON—Parboiled and steam roasted. Many tempting dishes may be made from this excellent meat; 12-oz. tins. Reg. 35c. tin. **Friday and Saturday 31c.**

"HAPPY VAL" TOMATO KETCHUP—Best quality. Large size bottles. Regular 35c. each. **Friday and Saturday 30c.**

CARTONS H. P. SAUCE—A combination of the choicest Oriental fruits, Spices and Pure Malt Vinegar blended with the utmost care to ensure a digestive relish. Regular 35c. bottle. **Friday and Saturday 30c.**

VAN CAMPS SOUPS—Concentrated Julianne and Pea Soup, in tins containing 10½ oz. Reg. 12c. each. **Friday and Saturday 10c.**

"LYNN VALLEY" BRAND STRING BEANS—Choice new stock. Regular 30c. tin. **Friday and Saturday 26c.**

"VOGTS" PHILADELPHIA SCRAPPLE—Made according to the manufacturer's original recipe from selected Pork products, Indian Cornmeal, Herbs and Spices; 1-lb. tins. Regular 38c. **Friday and Saturday 34c.**

GOLDEN PRESENT TEA—Regular \$1.00 lb. **Friday and Saturday 85c.**

GOOD QUALITY CORNED BEEF—Special. **Friday and Saturday, per lb. 10c.**

WHITEHOUSE COFFEE—Regular 70c. lb. **Friday and Saturday 60c.**

We have just opened up a complete stock of MEN'S SUITS

Men's Navy Serge Suits

Just the quality we like to sell because of their good durable make, fine finish and all-round service-giving quality. We feel that these Suits will be picked up quickly, at this low price. Regular \$20.50 Suit. **Friday \$18.75 and Saturday \$17.50**

Men's Tweed Suits

Serviceable Dark Greys and mixtures. Well made and finished and a bargain at so low a price as that quoted below. Sizes 4, 5, 6 and 7. Regular \$13.00 Suit. **Friday and Saturday \$11.90**

Men's Silk Neck Ties

A new line in a very large assortment of the newest patterns. Wide flowing ends. Reg. 85c. each. **Friday and Saturday 72c.**

Knitted Silk Neck Ties

Here we offer the cream of value in stylish, desirable neckties that will wear exceptionally well. A big variety of new colors. Reg. 20c. each. **Friday and Saturday 17c.**

Men's English Broadcloth Shirts

Eccu. White and Pale Blue, in tunic style with collar detached. Soft double cuffs. Reg. \$2.90. **Friday and Saturday \$2.56**

Men's Sweater Coats

Navy and Black, all pure Wool with belt and Polo collar. Size 38, 40 and 42. Reg. \$4.20 each. **Friday and Saturday \$3.67**



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New Rights for Mothers

CONSENT TO MARRIAGE NEEDED
(By Arthur S. May.)

The equalization of the sexes has now brought about a considerable change in the law relating to the marriage of a minor.

Since the passing of Lord Hale's Act in 1753, such a marriage has required the consent of the father only, so long as he lived. It was a right of which none could deprive him, however unfitted he might be to exercise it.

After October 1, when the new Guardianship of Infants' Act comes into operation, the mother's consent as well as the father's will be required, so long as husband and wife are living together. If father and mother fail to agree, recourse may be had to court of law—High Court county court, or court of summary jurisdiction, at their option. The child can perhaps appeal, too, to hope to wear out obdurate parents by taking them to one court after another.

The Act directs that when one of the parents cannot be asked to consent owing to "absence, inaccessibility, or some disability," the consent of the other may be sufficient. Where the sole person having the right to give the consent is the father, a similarly inaccessibility consent may be dispensed with altogether, or one of the courts mentioned may be invited to consent instead.

This is a useful provision, for when the father has vanished or become mad the only practical way out of the difficulty hitherto has been to put the child on Roman Catholic and others whose scruples made them object to a ceremony according to the rites of the Church of England. And if it happened that the marriage could not stand over for the necessary three weeks—for instance where one of the parties was going abroad—it could not take place at all.

Under the new Act the right of consent is lost in various ways. If the parents are divorced or separated by agreement it goes with the custody of the child. If one deserts the other only the one who is deserving will have it. If both parents are deprived by a court of the custody the right will go to the person to whom the custody is committed by the court.

Illegitimate minors have not within recent years required any consent to their marriages, as they have no lawful parents. They must henceforth obtain the consent of their mother. It would seem that if a wife deserts her husband and takes her child with her it will not be she but her husband who will have the right to consent when the child comes to be married. The Act is silent as to what is to happen where the parents have been divorced without any order for custody being made.

Whenever the marriage of a minor is to take place otherwise than by banns the written consents of the persons named in the Act must be procured. In the case of marriage in church after banns, which is the way most people marry, it will not be necessary, and unless any of such persons express their dissent to the clergyman before the ceremony is performed it will go through as heretofore.

Remember October 17th is the day of the Halifax Road Race. Winners in the Halifax Marathon Sweep, which is based on this race, will share \$6,450.00—will your name be among them? The drive is on for the ticket in the Blue Envelope—secure your tickets now—it may be impossible to procure them next week hence.—oct7.4t

Westminster Gazette Comment

ON RESIGNATION OF SIR HENRY GRAY, FROM MCGILL.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—(Canadian Press)—The Westminster Gazette, commenting on the resignation of Sir Henry Gray, K.B.E., from the position of Surgeon Chief of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, as a result of differences between him and Sir Arthur Currie, Principal of McGill University, thinks there is something wrong with a system which results in a call for the retirement of so eminent a surgeon as Sir Henry Gray.

"No body of men should find difficulty in assimilating and working with a man of admitted distinction," the Gazette says, "and it comes as a shock that one heard of this incident in connection with McGill University, which stands among the universities of the Dominion, perhaps even among the universities outside of Europe, for its progressive character."

The Gazette expresses the hope that for the good name of McGill University the full facts of the case, which made known, will weaken the had impression made by Sir Henry Gray's resignation.

A very chic costume consists of a tailored blouse of white muslin, black cloth underskirt and a black and white shadow-plaid cloth tunic.

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