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The Month's Bright Sayings

William Whyte—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has always remained perfectly neutral in election contests, and the instructions issued to all Superintendents has always been to treat both parties with fairness.

Bernard Shaw—Society makes vice by refusing to pay virtue decently.

The Golden Star—Toronto society belles attended a ball disguised as farm girls, but the farm girls are too modest to attend a ball disguised as Toronto belles.

Miss Alice Roosevelt—I did not receive an offer of marriage from the Sultan of Sulu. The circulation of such nonsensical stories is the only outcome of my whole trip that I have to regret.

The Picayune—The negro is rapidly leaving the cotton and sugar fields for the factories and the towns, and such as remain in the country are becoming yearly more shiftless and unreliable.

George Barlow—Swinburn is one of the world's very great spiritual poets.

Detroit Journal—The tall savage seized the newspaper which the waves cast upon the tropic strand and eagerly pursued it. "Clothing," he exclaimed, coming to the advertisements, "is as cheap as dirt!" "But not so durable," urged the stout savage, who was notoriously inclined to be benighted, not to say reactionary.

Toronto News—A drunken man in Winnipeg died from drinking carbolic acid. First time we have heard Winnipeg whiskey called by its right name.

The Czar—My will is sovereign, and it is my unalterable will that the admission of elected representatives to the works of State shall be regularly accomplished.

Calgary Herald—"If I were to give you an orange," said a judge, "I would simply say, 'I give you the orange,' but should the transaction be entrusted to a lawyer to put in writing, he would adopt this form: 'I here y give, grant and convey to you all my interest, right and title to said orange, together with its rind, skin, juice, pulp and pits; and all rights and advantages therein, with full power to bite, suck or otherwise eat the same, or give away with or without the rind, skin, juice, pulp or pits; anything hereinbefore or in any other deed or deeds, instruments of any nature or kind whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.'"

The Presbyterian Synod of Manitoba—Be it hereby resolved that this Synod commends the action of those presbyteries in upholding the principles, reaffirms its approval of the principle of national schools.

Prince Louis of Battenburg—President Roosevelt looks what he is, the masterful ruler of a masterful people; is determined, bold, courageous. He is an extraordinary as well as a charming man.

Anna Evangelisti—Italian women have no taste for gadding; they are not eager, like women of the German stock, to frequent beer gardens and cafes and other public places.

Ram's Horn—Power and progress come through pain.

Goldwin Smith—If you succeed by the help of the militarists in goading us into military expenditure the result will be further need of taxation and the raising of Customs duties with

no exception in favor of British goods. Canadians are here not to form empires in clouds; but to make their bread.

Hon. Dr. Pyne—The educational system of Ontario instead of being well could only be remedied by a thorough upheaval of the system.

Los Angeles Express—Twinkle, twinkle, little Czar, how I wonder where you are. Hope you're locked up good and tight, in your bomb-proof for the night.

Maxim Gor'ky—The bureaucracy is trying to extinguish with blood the fire of conscience which is gleaming in the Russian people, at last awakened to the knowledge of its right to choose its own form of existence.

British Weekly—It is those Jingo Imperialists who are the danger of the Empire. The meddling mother-in-law is unpopular, but Great Britain has long since ceased to play the role. The meddling daughter-in-law is more intolerable still. Let Australian politicians and clergymen mind their own business.

Frank Carpenter—Canada is twice the size of India. It is bigger than Australia, and it is thirty times as big as Great Britain and Ireland. It is bigger than the United States, including Alaska, Porto Rico, Hawaii, Samoa, and the Philippines all put together.

Puck—"Sure, I'd lay down my loife for yez, Norah." Norah—"But would you lay down a carpet for me, Patrick?"

Margaret Brewster—"I don't believe half the men are as black as they are painted; no, nor the women as blonde as they are bleached."

Winston Churchill—Mr. Chamberlain will never mislead this country again. He promised us a wealthy, loyal, and white South Africa; he has given us sedition, bankruptcy, and the Chinaman. Instead of 30,000,000 golden sovereigns, he has given us 30,000 yellow serfs.

"M. T."—We cannot very well afford to sniff at the vulgarity of Dickens when we remember the reach of his reforming influence.

Griffith-Jones—There is no great task, privilege, or duty that is worth doing that does not first appear to us as a vision.

Punch—Warts may be cured by rubbing them for seven or eight hours a day with a piece of pumice stone. As often as the pumice stone is worn away, begin again with a fresh piece.

An Excellent Piano.

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