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JAQUIN MILLER

The poet of the Sierras, who died the other day in his mountain home, leaving directions, that his body be cremated on a funeral pyre which he had built with his own hands, overlooking the Pacific Ocean.

TRIBUTES TO H. L. SPENCER

A lady formerly a resident of St. John writes from another city to Mrs. E. A. Smith, president of the Women's Canadian Club, and says:

"It is with great pleasure I have just read that the Women's Canadian Club of St. John are arranging a benefit evening for our dear old poet, H. L. Spencer. If everyone who has derived pleasure from his beautiful sonnets will give ever so slight an expression thereto, Enylla Alyne would be abundantly gratified and comforted in his declining years. I have before me a few of his sonnets which bring to remembrance the old days."

This lady refers pleasantly to a little coterie of literary men of whom Mr. Spencer was one, who often met in pursuit of their literary tastes, and who contributed articles both amusing and edifying to the press of that day.

There is every reason to believe that the benefit entertainment to be given by the Women's Canadian Club next Thursday evening in the Opera House, as a tribute to H. L. Spencer will be one of the most complete literary, musical, and artistic successes of recent years. But that which most highly pleases the ladies who are laboring for this success is the universal support they are receiving from the citizens. The general appreciation of his worth, and sympathy in the loneliness of his declining years, must gladden the heart of the venerable poet, just as it delights those who have the affair of next Thursday evening in hand. In addition to Mrs. E. Atherton Smith's lecture on Longfellow, which is one of her finest efforts, there will be a rare musical programme in which Mrs. L. M. Curren, Mrs. A. Pierce Crocket, Mrs. Dearden, Mrs. Gerow, Miss Blenda Thompson, Miss Frances Travers, Miss Louise Knight, and Miss Pauline Biederman will take part. An efficient committee is preparing a fine series of Longfellow tableaux for the close of the entertainment. The sale of tickets has already been large.

Tickets are on sale at E. G. Nelson's and Gray and Ritchie's bookstores.

BORDEN AGAIN CHALLENGED

Ottawa, Feb. 21—The naval debate was continued in the house this afternoon.

Hon. Mr. Crothers defended the contribution of three Dreadnoughts, maintaining that they did not constitute tribute. He charged that the Liberal policy had been twice rejected by the country and he sneered at the Liberal demand that a general election be called on the issue. He was challenged on that point by Hon. Mr. MacLean of Halifax, Mr. McMillan of Glengarry, and Hon. Mr. Graham.

Hon. A. K. MacLean in a thoughtful but forceful speech reveiwed the whole naval question setting forth the Liberal stand and riddling the government policy.

Mr. MacLean challenged the government to carry out its pre-election promise to the Nationalists, to repeal the existing naval service act. They dare not do it. As far as they dare go was to leave the training cruiser Niobe tied up in Halifax harbor instead of going out on cruises with a full complement of enlisted Canadians in training for the Canadian navy. The Niobe is tied up to a wharf and that is the price Canada is paying for the alliance of the Conservatives and the Nationalists. "I charge the government with cowardice in their administration of the Canadian naval service act."

R. C. Miller, prisoner of state, was conveyed yesterday from the parliament building and lodged in the Carleton County jail. He was given comfortable quarters and will order his meals from outside. Meanwhile his counsel is looking up the law with the intention of applying for a writ of habeas corpus to secure his release.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Lord Haldane is to address the American Bar Association in Montreal about September 14.

Ye Ho Na La, Empress Dowager of China, died yesterday. She was the widow of Emperor Kwangsu, who died on November 13, 1908. She had been ill only a few days.

The S. S. Batiscan from Antwerp to Halifax arrived at the latter port yesterday. She left Antwerp with a cargo of coal and was delayed so much by rough weather that the cargo was used at sea and the crew had to chop away some of the woodwork of the vessel to keep the fires going.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 21—Dr. John W. Russell, superintendent of the Mattewan State Hospital for the Criminal Insane, testified today before Governor Sulzer's committee of inquiry, that he had been offered $20,000 if he would release Harry K. Thaw. The offer, he said, was made during the latter part of 1912 by a lawyer, whose name he could not remember, in an "uptown hotel" in New York city, and was refused.

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A Comprehensive Exhibit of Late Models Produced by Leading Makers and in Such a Varied Range of Style That The Ideal Fit is Always Assured

Nemo "In-curve Back" Self-reducing Corset, low bust, improved self reducing front, fine white coutil. Price $6.00.

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At $3.85, corset of Dr. Deimel's Linen Mesh, medium bust, long hip, lightly boney yet giving the proper support, lace and ribbon trimmed, four suspenders.

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At $1.90, corset medium and low bust, reinforced spoon front, long skirt, four suspenders. A strong double boned model suited to average or full figure

At $1.75, corset with very low bust, long over hip, abdominal suspenders front and sides, well boned and durable.

At $1.50, corset, medium bust, very long directoire skirt, six suspenders, trimmed Val. lace. A model suitable for the average figure.

At $1.35, corset with medium bust, long directoire skirt, four suspenders, for average or slight figure.

At $1.15, corset long front and back, four suspenders. A comfortable model for short or slight figure.

At $1.15, corset with long directoire skirt, four suspenders.

Ferris Waists, for ladies, both button and clasp front, $1.45.

Ferris Waists, for misses, button front, $1.15.

Ferris Waists, for children 7 to 12, button front, 75 cts.

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Brassieres, crossed in back, 75c., 85c., $1.25.

Also a large variety of corset accessories of every description.

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In The Season's Most Fashionable Colorings

Novelty Bedford Cords, 44 to 52 inches wide, per yard 80c., $1.00, $1.50.

Whipcords, in plain and two-tone effects, 44 to 56 inches wide, per yard 60c., 90c., $1.10. $1.25, $1.50, $1.65, $1.85, $2.10.

Hairline Suitings, in Worsteds and Bedford Cords, 44 to 52 inches wide, per yard 80c., 90c., $1.00, $1.25, $1.50.

English Worsteds, mannish effects, 50 to 60 inches wide, per yard 80c. to $2.50.

English Tweeds, 50 to 56 inches wide, per yard 90c. to $1.75

English Cheviots, 50 to 54 inches wide, per yard $1.00, $1.25 $1.50.

Mohair Suitings, 54 inches wide, per yard 85c., $1.00, $1.10

Dress Goods Department.

Money to Be Saved at This Sale of Men's Colored Shirts

This is the big event of our Annual Spring Sale of Furnishings and every man who wants to economize should buy now for his later needs.

The shirts are all brand new in the best of the coming season's designs and colorings. Soft front, pleated front, and starched bosom shirts, also the favorite all-soft shirt with double cuffs and separate double collar with tie to match. Sizes 14 to 18.

Later these shirts will cost considerably more money, but while this sale is on, they may be had at these low prices.

Each, 65c., 85c., $1.15

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WILL VISIT MARITIME PROVINCES

J. H. Hare, Appointed to Investigate the Canadian Egg Trade

During the last year the live stock branch of the department of agriculture has been engaged in a preliminary investigation of the Canadian egg trade. Certain facts relating to the enormous loss that is charged back against the farmer and the unsatisfactory status of the trade as a whole have been collected and presented in Bulletin No. 16, entitled "The Care of Market Eggs." Realizing, however, the necessity of securing more detailed information before inaugurating any policy having for its object the bringing about of improvement in the condition of the business, the minister of agriculture has authorized the appointment of J. H. Hare, B. S. A., of Whitby, to undertake the necessary investigation.

Mr. Hare has held the position of district representative in Ontario County, Ont., and received his early training on the farm. He entered the Ontario Agriculture College in 1904 and graduated in 1908. Since taking up the district representative work in Ontario county he has devoted much time and has been very successful in the organization of co-operative egg circles. Not only has he paid particular attention to conditions of the egg trade as they exist in the rural districts, but he has also made a close study of poultry business in general and has written numerous articles, among which is a bulletin now in press. By virtue of his technical training and his practical experience Mr. Hare is, therefore, well qualified as a specialist in poultry work.

Mr. Hare will first be concerned with the collection of all data that is available on the grading of eggs as they have been received at wholesale produce houses of Canada during the past two years. The information thus obtained will be used to form a basis for such action as may be taken by the government in initiating a movement to improve and properly regulate the trade.

Mr. Hare will be located in Ottawa, but will travel extensively throughout the dominion, first in the east and later in the west.

BUSINESS CHANGE.

R. D. Taylor who has been connected with the Park Drug Store since its opening, has severed his connection with that business and sold out his interest to Chas. Vanwart. Mr. Taylor has accepted a position as manager for one of the principal drug stores in Sydney and left last week to take up his duties in that town. His many friends will wish him success in his new undertaking.

On Sale Tonight At Daniel's

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Fine Percale, neat patterns.
Tonight $1.59.

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Cream, White and Arab shades.
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Percale or Linen,
Tonight 49 cents each.

FRENCH CUSHION TOPS
Rich colorings, pretty designs
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20 MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS
Size 4 to 18 years, stylish makes, Good colors,
Tonight half price.

SOFT COLLARS
The new Lounge Collar in fine French repp, plain cord, or with small spot,
Tonight 19 cents each.

PLAID GINGHAMS
Extra special, dainty colorings, new designs, regular 12c. and 13c. yard,
Tonight 9 1-2 cents yard.

SATIN UNDERSKIRTS
Cerise or green shades,
Tonight $2.69.

HALF BLEACHED HUCK HAND TOWELS
Large size with damask border,
Tonight 10 cents each.

GLASS TOWELS
Large size, red or blue borders,
Tonight 10 cents each.

LONG WHITE KID GLOVES
12 and 16 button lengths
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Tonight $1.39 pair.

CHILDREN'S PERCALE DRESSES
Sizes 2 to 6 years, neat, serviceable,
Tonight 39 cents each.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' SWEATER COATS
White with red or sky trimmings, sizes 2 to 8 years,
Tonight 49 cents.

BLACK SATEEN UNDERSKIRTS
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RIGHT THIS TIME.

Little Willie, who regularly attended church with his father, always took particular notice of the board where the numbers of the hymns to be sung are placed. He evidently thought that the fourth number on the hymn-board should be the total of the other three numbers; but he never had found it so. But on going to church one Sunday morning his eye alighted on the board, and there saw the hymns to be sung were numbers 17, 3, and 22, which, of course, added together, made a total of 42, which on this particular day happened to be the fourth and bottom number on the board. The little chap couldn't let this go, and blurted out in church—"I say, dad, they've added it up right this time!"

The foods used for feeding the poultry should be varied in accordance with the time of year, since some are suitable for cold and others for warm weather; some, too, that are admirable for winter are not only unsuitable during the summer, but are positively dangerous.

Pennsylvania is great in its mineral resources, its manufacturing establishments, and in its agricultural interests.

HIS REPLY.

A tramp rapped at the door the other day and asked the woman if she could spare him a piece of bread. "No. I can't." replied the woman; "and if you knew who I was you wouldn't come here." "Oh, and who are you?" asked the tramp. "I am a policeman's wife, and if he were here he would take you." "Well," replied the tramp "if he'd take you he'd take anybody."

Lotteries are believed to have originated in Florence as early as 1530, and were legalized in France nine years later.