

THE WASHINGTON OF THE NORTH.

When Ottawa—which likes to call itself the Washington of the North—was selected as the capital of Canada, a vast pile of Government buildings were begun.

There was no roadside city design like that of which Washington has been fabled up in spite of itself to the level of a great capital.

Crowning the boldest promontory that juts into the river, the great Gothic tower of the Library of Parliament soars like a mountain peak into the sparkling Canadian air.

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In completeness of effect Ottawa is incomparably more fortunate than Albany. The New York State Capitol cost six times as much as the whole group of Government buildings at Ottawa.

When the buildings were designed practical men at Ottawa thought they were laid out on a scale of waning extravagance, but they have since been overwhelmed by their own success.

At the foot of Parliament Hill are the locks of the Rideau Canal. It is not often that a canal in one of the attractions of a city; but the Rideau's long flight of stone locks, running up the hill from the river like a giant stairway, is a decorative feature and a source of endless entertainment.

People stand for hours watching the boats lazily climb the stairs, while the shipper's wives nurse their babies on deck. It lies between two parks, an attraction for each and a permanent refutation of the theory that business and ugliness must necessarily go together.

In 1899 the Dominion established a permanent improvement commission and endowed it with a standing revenue of \$20,000 a year—very much, but enough to make a show when judiciously used.

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They issued bonds based upon their promised appropriations, and in that way raised enough to do at least one thing which would have had to be spread over a number of years.

HOW MEN DRESSED THEM.

Knickerbockers of New York Wear the Dress of Their Grandfathers.

At a recent period dance in New York all the guests wore suits and dresses worn by their forefathers before the war.

It needed just such a garment exhibition to emphasize the sartorial achievements of the Semi-ready tailoring system in the present period.

Perhaps the most striking odd of any thing an American girl who has never before seen far from home sees in Mexico is the way the men "rubber" at the theatre.

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Calling Up a Husband on the Telephone. (From Collier's Weekly.)

Calling a husband up maliciously on the telephone day and night, has been ruled in Massachusetts not to be an actionable misdemeanor in a wife.

Getting Over a Difficulty. (From Lippincott's.)

Hardly Worth the Expense. It is still a question, even with the more enthusiastic chauffeurs whether the prestige accruing from being arrested for violating the speed limit is really worth the fine that is imposed.

One Cold and Another The season's first cold may be slight—may yield to early treatment, but the next cold will hang on longer; it will be more troublesome, too.

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NO WASTE IN CANDY BUSINESS.

Scrap Made Use of—Seasoned Confections Best.

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The Regulations of Demand. Every merchant who knows anything at all about his business fits his stock to the public needs.

Teach the Boy. Teach the boy: To be true to his word and work. To face all difficulties with courage and cheerfulness.

Then He Went. "No, I have no business," said the cheerful idiot, "I just dropped in to kill a little time."

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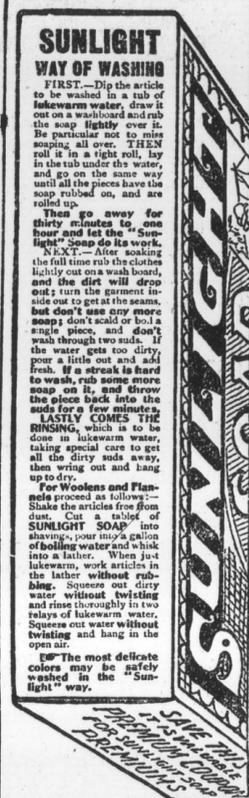
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