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## Woman's Way!

HER DETERMINED FIGHT FOR PLACE AND POWER.

(By M.T.W. in Liverpool Weekly Post.)

To-day women are meeting men on an equal footing in almost all departments of life. They have with great success demanded entrance into nearly all our professions and trades, and in many cases they are earning wages equal to those paid to men. One sometimes wonders where all this will end, and who in the long run will be left at home to look after the home? That, however, is a question that will have to be faced in the future if the progress of woman in this workaday world continues at this rate. In the meantime let us get hold of some of the facts.

**Women Engineers.**  
This week the announcement is made that a company is being formed with a factory in the Midlands, and that the concern will shortly be opened with a staff entirely composed of women, from the works manager downwards. It should be noted that the works manager is a girl, who during the war was in charge of a machine shop, and has served a three years' apprenticeship as a mechanical engineer. The secretary of the company is another clever woman engineer. This experiment is one that will be watched by the public with some curiosity and interest. But, as women have made good in so many and varied spheres, there is no reason to doubt their ability in this particular direction. To a press representative the other day, Miss Hazlitt, secretary to the Women's Engineers' Society, said, "The factory is situated in the neighbourhood of an engineering college, so that the girl workers will be able to continue their technical studies in the evenings. They will work the regulation 48-hour week in the factory and be paid the district rate of wages for engineers."

Miss Hazlitt also gave the further interesting information that there are at least 100 qualified women engineers who have served their apprenticeship at a factory in Scotland, where a certain number of women are employed on skilled engineering work. A large number of others have had three or four years' experience in munitions factories, which makes them almost equally skilled. So many of these girls were anxious to carry on their engineering work that it was decided to start a factory controlled by women.

### The Lady Doctor.

In the medical profession women are seeking to make for themselves secure positions. Indeed there are

so many aspirants to the post of woman medical that the question is being asked is the profession going to be over-crowded. The prospects, according to an educational expert, are, to say the least of it, uncertain. The woman medical cannot find a living salary at once. The course is a long one, but good appointments do not come until an applicant has a record of work. In private practice it appears that private patients still favor the man doctor, that the mother does also for her children, and that even the mass of the women patients prefer the man doctor.

The returns from local universities show that there is a probability that the profession will soon be over-crowded. Exact figures are not available, but supposing there are 30,000 or 40,000 doctors in the country a supply from all the universities and "schools" of 4,000 or 5,000 a year would soon make the profession overstocked.

### Women in the Pulpit.

Lately we have, both in London and the provinces, seen and heard the woman preacher. As one writer put it: "The force of all that is comprised in the 'advance of women' has been felt in religion as strongly as elsewhere." Our bishops have accepted the claim that women should be allowed a larger share in the government and work of the Church, and in approving of the revival of the Order of Deaconesses, sanction the admission of women to Holy Orders. Some women claim the right to be admitted to the priesthood itself, but this the bishops, pre-emptorily disallow, declaring, "We believe for women the Order of Deaconesses is the one and only order of the ministry which has the stamp of Apostolic approval." Plainly there are to be no "women priests" in the Anglican communion.

### Fair Sex in Law Courts.

Women lawyers may soon become as familiar to us as women doctors. There are already a number of ladies who have become "learned in the law" and have sought to assert their rights in this particular department of life, but they have "yet to win their spurs" before, as Fortia, their sweet voices will be heard in the law courts. Still in some branches, or should one write off-shoots of the law-courts, women are taking equal position and responsibilities with men. They are to-day to be seen in the jury box, weighing with considerable thoughtfulness and skill the evidence of witnesses, and no doubt when the jury finds it necessary to retire to consider the verdict—giving with tact and wisdom sound advice to the male jurors who have had for so many years to decide on difficult points without the aid of lovely wo-

man. Then again whilst the lady juror sits in one part of the court she has, at times, before her in the witness-box the female police officer, who since her advent into the department for the suppression of crime and vice has done much to help to make the streets of our cities cleaner and more attractive for everybody.

### Other Useful Spheres.

Attired in suitable garments, woman has also come to stay on our farms, and her natural adaptability to circumstances has made her valuable as a worker on the land as well as in other places on the farmstead. She is also quite at home in our market gardens, and in this occupation as well as in that of farming she can command good wages.

In this brief survey I am aware that I have only touched upon some of the many useful spheres filled by women, specially mentioning those that have but lately engaged the attention of the girls who either have, or prefer to earn their own living. I do not overlook the fact that many now occupy seats in the offices of our merchants, and others who have given special attention to their studies make clever and careful dispensers. But when all is said and done, one feels compelled to assert that women shines with greater lustre in the home as wife and mother. Man does not object, speaking generally, to see woman working by his side, but really he feels much happier when he sees her at the head of his table or caring for his children, and he even overlooks then her little flights of frivolity occasionally as she puffs a cigarette—but, oh, goodness, not a pipel—just to show that she has "just as much right to indulge in such things as a man."

## Walking Through Fire.

A striking demonstration of the fire which he is the inventor, was given recently by a discharged soldier named Truro at the Chelsea Football Club's ground, Stamford Bridge. Leading members of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade were present. The most spectacular item on the programme was the walking through fire by Mr. Truro clad in a suit of khaki treated by his fire-resisting solution. Shavings were soaked in petrol and set alight, and the inventor not only walked through the blaze, but knelt down in it without his clothing being ignited, or he himself, apparently, suffering the slightest inconvenience.

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## Masonic Service in New York Cathedral.

Representatives of more than 200 Masonic lodges in New York filled the Cathedral of St. John the Divine recently at their annual service under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York. The Rev. Simon Raymond Cohen, rabbi of the Keap Street Synagogue, Brooklyn, a Grand Chaplain, read from the Scripture. The Rev. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, pastor of the Central Congregational Church of Brooklyn, also a Grand Chaplain, preached the sermon and walked in the procession beside the Very Rev. Howard Chandler Robbins, Dean of the cathedral.

Bishop Charles S. Burch, another of the five Grand Chaplains, made an address of welcome. Rabbi Cohen read the first thirteen verses of Chapter 6, Deuteronomy, and the New Testament lesson was read by the Rev. Dr. Cornelius Woolfth, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church. Canon E. Briggs Nash was master of ceremonies.

The flag of the grand lodge hung opposite the American flag and on the chancel rail were two banners of the lodge. Every seat was occupied and many stood.

A feature of the service was the singing of the "Star-Spangled Banner" by the assemblage, led by the choir under Dr. Miles Farrow, organist and choirmaster, while an altar boy stood in the centre of the chancel and held aloft the Stars and Stripes.

Those who arranged for the service were: Hugh Robinson, Grand Master; Arthur S. Tomkins, Deputy Grand Master; Harold J. Richardson, Senior Grand Warden; Charles H. Johnson, Junior Grand Warden; Christopher C. Mollenhauer, Grand Treasurer; Robert Judson Kenworthy, Grand Secretary.

After welcoming his fellow masons, Bishop Burch said it gave him special pleasure to welcome to the cathedral pulpit the speaker of the afternoon, "my brother in Masonry, my brother in religion and my dear friend."

Dr. Cadman wore a Geneva gown, a scarlet divinity hood, his collegiate hood and his lodge medal suspended from his neck on a purple ribbon. He pleaded for a more profound reverence for the past. "Our own age is now sorely wounded in its own soul," he said. "We have not so much to fear from a revival of the paganism of Plato as we have from the paganism which preceded the year 1914."

"I exhort you not to cultivate the spirit of cowardice. Masons as a class have never been accused of that. Especially, I exhort you thus in a Presidential campaign when every sort of confusion clouds the air. The integrity of all men means more than compromise."

"There never was a day in the history of America when she was so in danger of losing her greatness as in this day. She has to watch very carefully that she is not lured from her great responsibility and her great power. She will have to use discipline."

Dr. Cadman closed by praising the pronouncement on the need for the reunion of Christendom, made by the recent Lambeth Conference. "The Christian Church is coming back to her own," he said.—Ex.

## Jazzola Masquerade Ball

About 100 couples attended the Jazzola masked ball in the C. C. C. Hall last night. The costumes were very pretty and the scene as the dancers moved around was dazzling. Miss E. Joyce as a ballet dancer was awarded first prize for the ladies, and Mr. Frank Bennett, as Mephistopheles, won the gentlemen's first prize. Mr. J. Robinson attended to the catering in his usual first class manner.

## The Other Side.

Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir,—The attention of the Provisional Dominion Council has been called to a lecture delivered by the Rev. Dr. Jones on the 4th inst. The lecturer touched upon so many points that a complete reply is impossible here, but the Press Committee of this Council will shortly present the other side of the shield on the issues of Ulster, economics, murders and "reprisals," and the general policy of the present national movement in Ireland. Of more immediate concern than these questions, which in Newfoundland are of only academic interest, are the Rev. lecturer's assertions about this League. He is reported as having described it as "admittedly anti-British" and as having stated that it excites sectarian and racial animosity in this country. He is further reported as having hinted that the League has sought to use improper pressure on the newspapers, and as having said that it "should be disbanded."

If the Rev. Doctor is correctly reported he has been grossly misinformed about the League, and we regret that if he desired information about it he did not come to us. We shall deal with the above allegations serially.

1. We do not know who it is that admits that the League is anti-British; certainly this Council does not. We deny the charge emphatically. The League holds that the right of self-determination—which, "foolish phrase" though it be, was held good enough to be embodied in the war aims of the British Empire—ought to be immediately extended to the Irish nation. Considerations of abstract justice and of sympathy with Ireland's misfortunes have helped us to this conclusion, but there is also another powerful consideration which has swayed us and which we recommend to the attention of the Rev. lecturer. As a component part of the British Empire Newfoundland has a right and a duty to see that the Empire's reputation for freedom and justice is kept unimpaired. If we may share the pride in the noble deeds that have been done in the British name, then we must also share the shame that attends such incidents as those of Balbriggan and Trim. The best friend of the Empire is he who seeks to preserve the lustre of its high reputation, to restate it in the confidence of the outside world, and to heal its most serious malady by striving to end the Irish quarrel in the only way in which it can be ended. If men like Asquith, Smuts, Chesterton, Henderson, Gibbs, Gough, Scott, Gardiner and Masingham—to mention only a few—are anti-British because they have ventured to criticize acts of what used to be called "Prussianism" on the part of the British Government, and to advocate that the Government live up to its word, we have no more to say than that at least we are in good company. But for our own part we consider these men far better friends to British institutions than those who decry every criticism as treason.

2. "The League inclines to racial and sectarian strife." We have only to say that the League welcomes to its membership men and women of every race and every creed, that its meetings are open to the public, that its principles involve neither racial nor religious distinctions, and that it has always treated all creeds with the highest respect. It has even made it clear that its quarrel is with the British Government and not with the British people.

3. The hint that the League seeks to exert improper pressure on the press is one that can only be characterized as utterly without foundation. If the rev. lecturer really meant to convey that impression he should have given the particulars. This League will never willingly give rise to any division among the people of Newfoundland. If any incitement to ill-feeling comes it will not be from the Self-Determination League. It asks only a fair hearing. But the members of the League hold firmly to their belief in the righteousness of the cause they are pleading, and they will be neither silenced nor intimidated in the exercise of their undoubted rights as free citizens of a free Dominion.

We have the honor to remain, Sir, Yours very truly,  
PROVISIONAL DOMINION COUNCIL,  
S.B.I.L.N.  
R. T. McGrath,  
Chairman.

Nov. 5, 1920.

## No Lack of Applicants.

ANOTHER SIGN OF THE TIMES. From early this morning crowds of men seeking employment in the lumber woods, lined Water Street from Browarigg's corner to Callahan the tinsmith's. If the company had taken every applicant, they would have enough men to cut every stick of wood in Newfoundland. Experienced men only are given jobs, and out of every 100 applicants about 20 are being selected. The police had all they could do to keep a passage way open for pedestrians and prevent the crush breaking through the windows of the stores nearby, and for a time the Finance Minister's window stood in great danger.

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## Supreme Court.

(Before Justice Kent.)

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In Chambers, Before Justice Johnson. The W. K. Johns Co. Ltd., vs. C. W. Johnson.

This is an application on the part of the plaintiff Co. that it be at liberty to sign final judgment for the sum of \$444.45. H. A. Winter for plaintiff, is heard in support of the application. T. P. Halley for defendant, is heard. It is ordered that orders for final judgment go as asked for.

## More Price Cutting.

### CONFUSION SPREADING.

It is reported that there has been a reduction in the price fixed for Labrador fish in the United Kingdom, and that a sale has been made at a figure below published regulation prices. It appears, so from what we have been informed by a fish exporter, who says that he offered a firm a cargo of fish at the Regulation price, and in a subsequent message an offer from the same firm was made him, which was nearly 5¢ below the regulation and at which he refused to sell. A further message from the firm informed the dealer that a cargo had been purchased by them below regulation prices. It is conceded by many fish exporters that the fixing of prices has become a farce. In fact the regulations as to qualities are now so intricate that the whole fish business has become balled up. All the fish shipped from the Labrador, except one cargo, was marked prime, but on arrival across, owing to the alterations in the regulations, the grade became second, and buyers refused to accept it for No. 1.

## Coastal Boats.

### GOVERNMENT.

S. S. Prospero left Seal Cove at 6 a.m. to-day, coming south.

S. S. Fortia sails at 10 a.m. to-morrow for the westward.

GOVT. RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Argyle left Placentia at 2.30 p.m. yesterday on the Red Island route.

Clyde—No report leaving Port Union.

Diana left Humbermouth at 3 a.m. yesterday, going to North Sydney.

Glencoe left Hr. Breton at 11.30 a.m. yesterday, going to Port aux Basques.

Home left Lewisporte at 3.05 p.m. yesterday.

Kyle at Port aux Basques.

Petrel left Clarendville at 4.30 a.m. to-day.

Sagana—No report since leaving Rigoulet, coming south.

Senet leaving Lewisporte to-day.

Watchful left Port Blandford at 7 a.m., inward to Port Union.

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