Mainly About Women

BY ELIZABETH BAILEY TELEPHONE 2380

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sales left last night for a holiday at the coast.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Larrabee left this week on an extended trip to the coast.

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Miss Dafoe of Winnipeg is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dafoe of this city.

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Mrs. W. G. James and family have gone to the foothills, where they remain till the end of August.

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Mrs. E. N. Harper and Miss Harper left on Wednesday for Toronto, where they will spend the summer.

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Miss Georgie Shibley has her sister, Miss Shibley of St. Hilda's college, Calgary, with her on a week's visit. Saturday News.

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Miss Helen and Miss Olive Bradley left yesterday for Kelowna, where they will spend the summer.

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Miss V. Coone has gone to Edmonton, en route east. On her return she will take up her classes as usual.

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Miss E. M. Frame of Vancouver is visiting Mrs. W. W. Waugh, Second street east.

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Mr. and Miss McKinnon of Belleville, Ont., are in the city visiting their son, A. McKinnon, 415 13th avenue east.

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Mr. W. M. Duffy, formerly a member of the Vancouver Sun, is in the city and contemplates residing here permanently.

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Mrs. Sidney Houlton will entertain this afternoon for her guests, Mr. and Mrs. James Houlton and Miss Houlton of

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The new organ is being installed in St. John's Anglican church, East Calgary. It is expected that the work will be completed at the end of the month.

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Mrs. A. H. Mellor, 1304 Fifth street west, entertained a group of ladies Tuesday afternoon, complimentary to Mrs. Cook of Denver, Colo., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Ferguson. Five Hundred was played during the afternoon, after which a delicious two-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

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AMERICAN WOMEN'S PICNIC

The American Woman's club of Calgary will hold a picnic for members and their families at St. George's Island Thursday, July 25, at 4 o'clock. Husbands invited to come for six o'clock supper. All bring well filled baskets, also cups and plates. Ice cream and coffee will be served by the club.

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will celebrate its first anniversary next Sunday. There will be special services, at which Dr. W. J. Clarke, brother of Rev. J. A. Clarke of this city, will preach. Dr. Clarke will preach at the morning service, and Rev. J. A. Clarke will assist at the evening one.

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A social will be given by the Scandinavian Good Templars' Building company, limited, at Nolan's Hall, 127 Eighth avenue west, on Saturday, July 20, at 8.30 p.m. A good program has been arranged. Music by T. M. Greig, supported by best local talent. An address will be delivered by O. Larson, of Brandon college. Refreshments will be served. All Scandinavians cordially invited to attend.

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Mrs. Adamson's Tea.

Mrs. J. G. Adamson, of the post office block, entertained at a five o'clock tea yesterday afternoon as a complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. W. Engle, the post patron and past matron of grand chapters of the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges.

Mrs. Adamson chose for the occasion a becoming gown of brown foulard silk, combined with brown messaline, and finished with brown fringe and cream lace, while Mrs. Engle's gown of purple broadcloth, with Irish lace collar and cuffs, was much admired. Mrs. Adamson was ably assisted by Mrs. E. Graham of Glasgow, who was wearing a brown costume.

Covers were laid for ten at a prettily decorated table, centred with a tall vase of American beauty roses placed on a pale blue ribbon. Embroidered satin bows of colored ribbon, representing the five colors of the five points of the star, were hung from the electroliers.

Mrs. Adamson is a member of the Hillhurst Bow Valley branch of the Eastern Star in Calgary.

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Mrs. Breckenridge's Tea

Mrs. John Breckenridge was the hostess at an extremely smart function at her beautiful home on Thirteenth avenue west when she was at home at about one hundred and thirty guests in honor of her interesting guest, Miss Alice Murcheson, of Seattle.

Mrs. Breckenridge received her guests in a beautiful gown of yellow crepe de chine with pipings of pale blue and garniture of lace while Miss Murcheson wore a modish gown of pink satin with gold touches, which was very becoming.

Mrs. Howell's orchestra was present and the music was enjoyed very much.

Mrs. W. Dunlop, Mrs. W. Fowler, did the tea table honors the first hour while Mrs. Clancey and Mrs. James Findlay presided the second hour. Mrs. T. B. Lowe cut the ices the first hour and Mrs. George O'Brien cut them the second hour.

Mrs. W. S. Fair ushered the guests to the tea room and little Elizabeth Fair attended the door.

The Misses Collicut, Marie Costigan, Freda O'Brien, Hillocks, M. Jameson, and B. Findlay assisted in serving.

The drawing room was decorated with pink and white carnations while the table had a cut glass vase of the same fragrant flowers placed on a cluny lace centre. Candalabra with pink shades carried out the pink and white color scheme and festoons of asparagus fern hung from the chandeliers was very effective. The library was adorned with red carnations.

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CUPID'S KNOTS

WISDOM—CATTNACH.

Mr. Robert Norman Wisdom of Acme, Alta., and Miss Mina May Cattnach of Sterlingville, Alta., were united in marriage by Rev. J. A. Clarke on Wednesday afternoon. The attendants were Miss Edith Sutphin of Olds, and Mr. Floyd Cattnach of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wisdom will live in Acme.

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REDD—ALLOWAY.

Rev. J. A. Clarke united in marriage on Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Ernest Overton Redd of Mount Pleasant, Calgary, and Miss Anna Alloway, of Elsbuhr, Missouri, at the manse. The attendants were Mr. F. Alloway, father of the bride, and Mr. Alfred Judge of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Redd will live in Calgary.

Dr. Piper of London has arrived in the city and will locate here permanently.

JAPAN COURTING GERMANY WOULD NOW DROP BRITAIN

Berlin, July 18.—That the tour of Europe, recently begun by ex-Premier Prince Katsura of Japan, was undertaken to negotiate an affiance between the Mikado and the Kaiser, is asserted in diplomatic circles here today. It is said that the Japanese want to dissolve partnership with the English, and are prepared to guarantee protection to German interests in the event of an Anglo-German war. The Kaiser is reported to look askance at the plan, however, principally because he thinks it would embarrass him in the event of a friction between Japan and the United States.

ROBLIN'S STATEMENT

Manitoba Premier Confirms Leasing of Elevators—Refused Much Better Offers

Winnipeg, July 18.—Premier Roblin when asked this morning if it were true that the government elevators had been leased to the Grain Growers, made the following reply:

"The government and Mr. Crerar, representing the Grain Growers, have been in discussion for some time, and have reached a basis of six per cent on the capitalization as a rental. But Mr. Crerar could not accept finally until it had been submitted to the annual meeting of the Grain Growers. I have not yet heard from him, but judging from the newspaper reports I presume that his action has been confirmed.

"The government has refused much larger offers at least 25 per cent more than what they are willing to accept from the Grain Growers. This conclusion was reached from the standpoint that the elevators were bought for the farmers, and therefore it was the duty of the government to place them at their disposal at cost.

"The capitalization has a fixed charge of 46 per cent, leaving 2 per cent for maintenance, which is ample judging from my experience.

"I personally always had doubts as to the wisdom of operating them by a commission for and on behalf of the government. That conclusion was reached after very careful consideration of the matter at Regina with Premiers Rutherford and Scott."

Her Natural Way

Gasso—I notice that you have no tool chest on your car and that you do not carry any repair kit. What do you do in case of trouble?

Miss Speeder—Why, I have hairpins.

FOR THE SUMMER RESORTS—A pretty frock for the summer girl made in spotted muslin trimmed with tiny frills and lace.

POLITICIANS FALL DOWN WITH THE MANITOBA ELEVATORS; FARMERS TO THE RESCUE

(Continued from page 1.)

date elevators owned by local formers' elevator companies. An elevator at Elva was purchased for $5100.00, which when built in 1897, cost $3210.

The Saskatchewan Plan.

"The Saskatchewan government started a year later with this question, appointing a commission to go into the whole matter thoroughly and acting on the report of this commission, the government evolved the Saskatchewan Co-optrative Elevator company scheme. This scheme provided for the creation of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator company. The selling of this company's stock is confined to farmers. The share-holders pay 15 per cent on the stock subscribed for, the provincial government advancing the balance of 85 per cent upon the security of the elevators. Each elevator is built and managed by local associations under the direct control of the central office of the company.

"Tributary to each elevator, there must be grain acreage in the proportion of 2,000 acres to each 10,000 bushels elevator capacity, and the cost of the elevator is limited at the outside to $1.00 per acre for suchacreage. In this way an absolute co-operative enterprise that the farmers were directly financially interested in, and that was absolutely free from political influence was started.

Success Was Instantaneous.

"Its success was instantaneous, and there are now 8,000 farmer shareholders who by next fall will have over 126 elevators in operation. This co-operative scheme promises to be the real solution of this question, and Alberta farmers are preparing to ask for similar legislation from our provincial government.

"The failure of the Manitoba government elevators and the probable turning over of them to the Grain Growers' Grain company has caused much comment, a lot of it incorrect as to facts, and much criticism which has been unfair to the farmers and the company. The Grain Growers' company is absolutely and entirely a farmers' company. It was organized by farmers in 1906 with the principle of one share-holder, one vote, irrespective of the number of shares he held, and forty shares the limit allowed to one man. The election of the directors occurs yearly from among the share-holders, who must be farmers, and every forward step to be taken must be referred to the share-holders at their annual meeting. The company from the start has prospered.

Object Is To Sell Grain.

"In intention and practice it is mainly an agency for selling the farmers' grain on the world's markets; it is not only an agency for buying the farmers' grain, except in so far as it is absolutely necessary at the request of the farmers. The company has about $600,000 capital paid up by about 12,000 farmers throughout the west, and it has this past season handled about one-seventh of the crop marketed in the west.

"Considered when started as a "bubble" soon to burst, the company has not reached its present position without every imaginable opposition and attempt to disrupt its organization. The farmers have, by joining the company yearly in increasing numbers, shown their resentment of certain mithods used in efforts to disrupt their organization from the inside, whe nall attempts to break it from the outside had failed.

Directors Get High Praise.

"Above all, the share-holders have reason to be thankful for the good judgement they have displayed in the election of their directors. The men they have elected have given of their best for th esmallest monetary reward, and thtir re-election by the hundreds of share-holders present at the annual meeting just ended, is sufficient to show what the men most vitally interested think of them. The company, besides benefiting its shareholders, has by its entrance into the grain business, particularly the export ind of it, kept the value of our grain on our home markets closer than ever before to the values on tht world's markets, and has thus benefited every grain growing farmer in the west.

"The farmers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta, are today alive to the fact that they must depend on themselves for the improvement of the conditions under which they live. They have shown in the Grain Growers' Grain company and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator company that they can themselves succeed in the business of the handling of their own products. They have gained confidence, and the failure of a political scheme in Manitoba will not deter them.

Answers Call of Manitoba Farmers.

"The Grain Growers' Grain company is taking over the government elevators in Manitoba in answer to the overwhelming request of the Manitoba farmers. We hope to make a success through our own organization of what has been so far a failure. So far this organization has not failtd in anything it has started to do, and prospects for continued success were never so bright as today.

"The many other smaller local co-operative organizations are however, only items in the scheme the farmers in the west are today working out. With co-operation as their slogan, the farmers' associations in the different provinces are increasing their numbers daily, and with all the different organizations working together and presenting united front to the difficulties ahead of them, the farmers are going to find solutions for the many problems which at present are pressing on them as heavy as burdens.

President Crerar Quoted.

"To quote the words of President F. A. Crerar of the Grain Growers' Grain company. 'I believe that clearly and unmistakably the spirit of true democracy is growing today in this Canada of ours, as it is undoubtedly in every civilized country in the world. The wise truth stated ages ago that "No man liveth unto himself" is coming to be realized with its full true meaning, and in spite of ourselves, the conviction is coming home to us with an irrtsible force that our happiness and prosperity in the world is bound up with those around us. It is our earnest wish that our influence in the future, unconscious or otherwise, may always be directed to aid in developing the spirit that seeks to give in life equal opportunities to all and special privileges to none.'"

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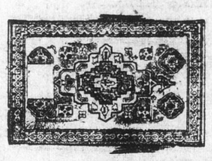

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Is Modern Education a Failure?

A duty and discipline movement has been started in England. A book of essays on the above subject has been written by eminent people and the appendix of the book composes thirty pages of approvals and expressions of opinion of some of the most prominent English thinkers of the day and everybody agrees the movement is a splendid one and everybody approves of the campaign against indiscipline. Far be that I should be so presumptous as to have an opinion that should disagree with these profound thinkers, yet, when the Earl of Meath "ventures to suggest" that one of the faults of modern education is that, "Neither the boys nor girls are taught that the call of duty must be cheerfully obeyed whether or not its due performance entails hardship or suffering."

He continues: "In our desire to give the children a good time, we are weakening their moral fibre and producing a generation of men and women which is in a large measure content to shirk hard work and to pass through life without ever making the fullest use of the powers with which they have been endowed."

How many people do we know in the west who do not cheerfully answer the "call of duty"? Perhaps in our humbler stations of life we have a greater knowledge of the little, monotonous grinding, menial duties that require persistent continuous efforts to obey this "call of duty". Yet the ever-repeated calls are met with the cheerful optimism of the west. Is not teaching by "example" the most effective method?

The earl goes on: "There are few of us who are enamored of hard work; we prefer ease and comfort to the strenuous life, however much we may recognize in theory its advantages to the human race. Whether we be children or adults some external stimulus to exertion is needed if we are to make the best of our powers. Love of wife or children, ambition, the fear of hunger and eternal lack of pence keeps most of us adults up to the mark."

Now I know numbers of people who work at their particular work because of the pleasure they get out of it.

Every human being is fitted for some particular work—call it a hobby if you will and all the money, ambition or love does not equal the actual interest of the work involved in that "hobby". Perhaps if one of the aims of education were to find out just what walk of life for which each child is particularly fitted and train that child accordingly, then the efforts to avoid work, and the half-performance of duty would be to some degree remedied.

The greatest results of any profession or labor is gained if we can first create the desire for it. That is what we are trying to do in our public schools. A great many condemn this method contending that in our wish to acquire this we make things easy and that we are endeavoring to withdraw most stimuli to exertion, particularly in the case of children. Hence they advocate the more strenuous methods and a stricter discipline in the training of children of the present generation.

E. B.

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Ottawa, Ont., July 18.—The farmers bank enquiry was adjourned after a session of about an hour and a half duration held today in the committee rooms of the senate. Evidence was taken with regard to the statement made by Travers that the $3,000 of the bank's funds of which no record has been found, was paid over to Peter Ryan in return for assistance given in the securing of a charter. The books of the Russell hotel here were produced to show that Mr. Ryan had been in the city on November 28, 1906, when Travers was also here, but there was no evidence of any cheque or letter having been given to Ryan or any conference between Ryan and Travers.

Sir William Meredith and Frank Hodgins, K.C., agreed on an adjournment with no set date for the next hearing.

The Heart Department

An Appreciation.

"Dear Miss Libbey: I just wonder sometimes when I see girls on the street car and in public places acting rude and seeming to want to attract attention of young men. If ever they read your advice and comment on how a young lady should conduct herself and how she should act to be mostly admired. Your advice is good and would be beneficial to any girl who would just give it serious thought. I wonder, too, if they would be willing to risk their future happiness with one of these men who seem to admire that sort of a girl. What kind of a husband do they think he would make?

"A few nights ago I sat just across the aisle from two girls on the car, and they acted so rude that they were soon being watched by every one in the car. They seemed to be perfectly satisfied with the fact and only made the more noise. Girls who act like that do not read your columns or they would see things in a different light.

"About two years ago, my first experience in the business world. I was sent by an employment agency to a small town down on the river as stenographer for a manufacturing company. I, of course, was taken in to what they termed as their society. I was invited to the club meetings and dances, and had not been going out with the young men of the club many evenings until I found that they all expected me to kiss them good-by. I finally noticed that I was becoming less popular with the young men since they found that I did not approve of such, and finally asked one of the girls one day if she had the same experience. I thought my being a stranger in the town caused them to think perhaps I was easy. She said, 'O, yes, they expect it; if you don't kiss them you will have to sit at home; they won't go out with you.'

"Their society did not appeal to me and I became disgusted with young men of the town and had about decided that they were all alike when a young man from the city came there to conduct a store for a relative and boarded at the same place I did. We became good friends, and about that time I changed positions again and came back to the city. We corresponded for awhile before he returned, and our friendship finally ripened into love.

"I found that I had misjudged young men and that there are plenty of nice ones if a girl only shuns those who are not of the best character. A real nice young man doesn't care to go with a girl who keeps steady company with young men like the ones I spoke of before.

"When I first met this young man we were out so many evenings together and spent so many hours reading together, and after I left his letters came daily and each one showed more clearly the character behind them. He appreciated me for trying to do right. He treated me as he would want his own sister treated. He showed his appreciation by being more ambitious and trying to climb higher and higher until now he is holding a good position here in the city. He has a strong character, no bad habits, and has a great desire for a home of his own, and is constantly planning for it. And most of all, he is a Christian boy. Trusts in a higher power and loves things that are good and pure.

Met at a Track Meet

"Dear Miss Libbey: We are chums and are madly in love with two sisters. They are beautiful and charming, but we fear they do not return our affection. We were to meet them at a track meet tonight. They came all right, but treated us coldly, as they refused to accept our invitation to treat them to a sundae. They let us take them home, but did not ask us to come back again. Do you think under the circumstances we ought to force our attentions upon them any longer? TWO ATHLETES"

No, I don't think it wise to force your attentions on them. If the girls are greatly interested in you, you will probably hear from them again. If they are not no effort that you could make would help much.

Thirty Years His Junior.

'Dear Miss Libbey: I am 43, desperately in love with a very sweet little girl of some 30 years my junior; her parents are opposed to their daughter keeping company with me, though I always try to act the gentleman's part toward her and her friends. My little friend has promised to marry me, but I am afraid her folks will object so strongly that she will finally see things in their way, however, she has suggested elopement; for my own part I consider that rather underhanded, but in a 'tight pinch' we may be forced into something of this sort. Can you advise me as to some method which would be more satisfactory? I have plenty of means and can give my little wife everything that would make her the happiest girl in the country. I have been in the city but a short time, and have known my little girl since she was a baby.

—P."

There is entirely too great a difference in your ages. That is probably why her parents are so opposed to you. You are too old to do any eloping. You probably could not stand the excitement. You better take things more conventionally and calmly, when you contemplate matrimony.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN KNOWS

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A little wave upon the hair,
A little violet on the clothes,
Might take a woman anywhere.

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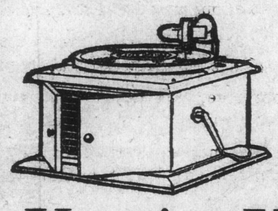

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Fled Before Her Retort.

(From Heart's Magazine)

Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch tells about one of her friends who was visiting a Western town.

"One day my friend strolled into a public library," says Mrs. Blatch, "quite unaware of her surroundings and everything except her prearranged plan to get a book on economics. Just as she was about to enter an inner room she was interrupted by an attendant, who, pointing to a most bedraggled looking, tramp cur that had followed her into the office, said coolly:

"Dogs are not admitted.'

"That's not my dog," she replied.

"But he followed you," said the old man authoritatively.

"Well, so did you," came her retort.

"Thereupon," adds Mrs. Blatch dryly, "man and dog departed."

"I Bite. What's the Answer?"

A Kansas City man and his wife recently went on a vacation trip through the East. They spent one day in Toronto, going over to the Canadian city from Niagara. Desiring to get an idea of the city they boarded a "seeing Toronto" motor bus and went for a ride. They had not proceeded far when the guide, indicating a large building, announced to the occupants of the car:

"On your right you see one of the largest churches in Toronto. It is the only church that has to pay water rent to the city."

The Kansas City woman looked and wondered and cast aside restraint.

"Why?" she demanded quickly.

"Because," replied the guide, "it uses so much water. It's a Baptist church."