

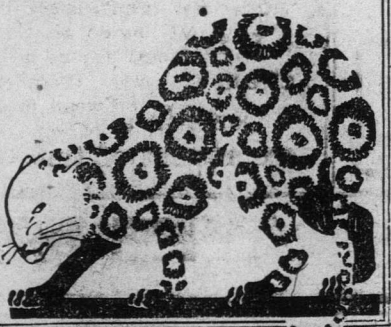
THE LEOPARD

cannot change his spots, but the removal of spots and blemishes from clothes is assured if SUNLIGHT SOAP is used. As the LEOPARD'S eyes gleam in the darkness of the night, so clothes washed with

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gleam white and pure in the brilliant light of day. Unlike the Leopard's jaws, which are formed to destroy, SUNLIGHT SOAP is created to preserve. It preserves your clothes and household linen, and makes them last longer. SUNLIGHT SOAP is guaranteed pure, and will not injure the finest fabric.

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THE THOUGHTS OF THEOBALD.

PROHIBITION.

The Premier's promised legislation is to be brought up on Monday. It is said that it is vastly different to the Bill he at first intended to bring in, because of the agitation and discussion which Mr. Hickman's resolutions brought forth. It is evident then that when the debate on Mr. Hickman's resolutions was on and Mr. Coaker's amendment was put forward, the Premier could not give any details of his proposed measure because he didn't know them himself. The temperance supporters of his party no doubt put it to him that if they voted against the amendment providing for a plebiscite on Prohibition, they would only do so if his Bill included this way of settling the question. The "Daily News," and the several temperance bodies, the Methodist Greeting, whose editor is Dr. Curtis, have all depended on the assurance of the Premier that his legislation would cover the same ground as the amendment, which is that machinery will be provided for a plebiscite this year on Prohibition for the whole island, and that if it is carried, it will come into force by July, 1916. Nothing could be more fair for all parties concerned, and as so many members of the Government advocated an appeal to the People, there can be no reason for any delay in referring the question to the People. That such an appeal is made this fall rests now with the temperance advocates on the Government benches. They will decide if the evils of liquor are more than Party expediency. And by the way, no provision seems to be provided in the Estimates for the necessary money for the Plebiscite. What does this portend?

BILLY SUNDAY.

The Rev. William Sunday, D.D., seems to be attracting almost as much attention on this side of the Atlantic as the Great War. His method of spreading the Gospel is at once original, emotional, terrifying, attractive to non-thinkers, but a question if his results are lasting. As a matter of fact, results are not lasting, and Mr. Sunday blames the ministers for not holding on to his converts, but I cannot see how such a tension of emotion that Billy works with can be kept up without affecting the nervous system detrimentally. A change of life does not come in a moment, and repentance of heart must be followed by a good life to be of any value. Rev. William has resurrected the ancient belief (Milton) was responsible for a great deal of

evil in a personal Devil and a Hell of fire and brimstone, so opposed to modern thought and reason. We are learning better now. We are learning to "press on towards the mark," not because of a reward at the end, nor yet in order to escape the "wrath to come," but for the sake of the good itself. Nothing that is done for the sake of reward is of real value. So the boogie of Hell is retrogression and is as harmful as frightening children with bogey-stories. We are only now coming to the realization of the new commandment to "love" which replaced the old "thou shalt not." Mr. Rowe, thorough music teacher that he was, used to say that a mistake should never be made. Each step in learning should be fairly considered and therefore accurately taken. So the new Gospel of today is to set ideals before men, to influence thought upwards, not downwards, and when thought is made pure, it will soon set the body and the material conditions of life in order. If we teach people to do good and get them to like doing good, I think we may safely leave the bad to take care of itself. If this cannot be done, if we despair of ever doing good because we like doing so, then we lose faith in the ultimate purpose of the Creator.

The Rev. William acknowledges that if he had to depend on the collection which is made for his expenses at his meetings, he would starve, but to my mind that does not altogether justify his method of going round to the rich corporations of the city and asking them to give him what they really thought he was worth to the city, because the view-point of rich men is rarely opposed to their own interests, and if Billy Sunday spoke the whole Gospel he would hit rich corporations pretty hard.

GERMAN-JAPAN.

We all know of one William of Germany, who professed to be the devout champion of peace, and who wished to extend his beneficent rule over the whole world, for its own good, of course. We know too well what his Peace meant. We extolled Japan as the most benign of nations, who entered this war with professions of pure altruism, but her actions lately must force us to the conclusion that Kaiserdom and world dominion is not confined to Germany. In point of population and economic powers, China is the greatest country in the world. With unequalled natural products, plenty of iron and

coal in close proximity and its overflow of patient industry, it could very soon take a first place in the industrial world, and the possession of this tremendous machine by Japan would warrant the Emperor William's forecast of the yellow peril. There is nothing an astute people, as reckless of human life as Germany, could not do with it. And China, according to our cables, has bowed to Japan's demands, which we have been told include such demands as that the Chinese Government shall consult Japan before choosing foreign advisers in political, military and financial matters, and if such advisers are employed that Japanese shall be preferred. Also that China and Japan shall police jointly important places in China, and that China shall purchase from Japan at least one-half the arms and ammunition it uses hereafter. Furthermore, an arsenal shall be established in China employing Japanese experts and materials. Also that Japan shall be consulted first in case foreign capital is required for railway construction, ship-building, and harbor improvements in the Province of Fukien, and that Japan shall have the same rights as other nations to establish missions, schools and churches throughout the country with the privilege of propagating Buddhism.

Japan's argument is that she is only proclaiming a Monroe doctrine. As the United States notified the European Powers that she would not tolerate European intervention in America, and would not permit any European Power to acquire territory there, so she is taking the necessary steps to protect Asia from European aggression. In doing this Japan is practically taking China under her rule, and is apparently out foray with every prospect of becoming a danger to the world's peace. She discovered her power in the war with Russia, and now her next step will be to rule over the greatest country in the world. She has been assimilating with fine distinction, western ideas, rejecting those that appeared useless to her, and in the matter of religion has been most particular in searching the truths of Christianity. It is to the East that we shall be looking with anxiety before many years have passed.

ANOTHER WORD FROM JOHN WORKMAN.

To the Heads of Education:

Dear Sirs,—I have a boy going to school, and I want to let you know how I view the way in which he is being given his education. Right from the start, when he went to school five years ago, I have been puzzled to know what method the teachers are following, for it has always been much the same, and he was taught the primer in the same way that he is taught his harder lessons now. As far as I can make out, my mother and I have taught him about as much as the teachers. He would be given some parts of the primer to learn at home, and of course we taught him. He didn't seem to carry home much of anything that he had learnt in school; it was as if the day had been given up to hearing the lesson which we had taught him home. Spelling was difficult for him and nothing was done to make him "take the word in," for it has always seemed to me that a word which is fully explained and absolutely understood in its use and meaning has a thousand chances more to stick in a child's brain, or a man's for that matter, than a word which is learnt off by mere repetition. And this is a fair sample of all folk's lessons. He doesn't know why he does things. His reasoning is not developed, and he is filled up with a lot of facts and figures that he only half understands. A lot of this is caused I know by the fact that a teacher is given from forty to sixty children to teach, whereas there is as many as a teacher can do any justice to. How on earth a teacher can be expected to start fifty little brains on the right track is more than I can fathom. Children are no more alike than grown-ups, and in our junior schools how impossible is it for the teacher to deal fairly with the particular needs of each child. And this is what should be done if we have any desire to better the race. And now Jack has reached a class where he is given four or five lessons to prepare every night. There must be many parents like us, who would like to enter a strong protest against these terrible home lessons. If the time which he spends in school (from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m.) is properly used, why should it be necessary to spend two and three hours after tea, studying? If there are parents who think that home lessons should be cut down or perhaps done away with altogether, I wish they would write to the Telegram, and then perhaps the Education Boards would do something about it.

Yours truly,
JOHN WORKMAN.

HOME LESSONS.

There must be many parents, who object to the heavy home lessons that is one of Mr. Workman's grievances. These home lessons are only continued because the parents are so

apathetic about it. Let them write, as John Workman suggests, and keep up the agitation till something is done.

She Suffered for Nine Long Years

THEN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED MADAME BELANGER'S RHEUMATISM.

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W. MASON.

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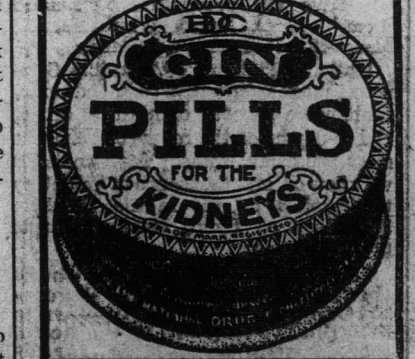
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Official Death

Special to Evening Telegram. CARBONAR, Tel. Message just received announcing death of J. officially reported killed. This is signed by the

C. W.

Fox Cas

A resident of the St. John's was before Court to-day a breach of the Fox Act had set a trap, he alleged, of catching an owl, a patch fox instead. report the matter to the but brought the animal, acquainted Mr. F. W. handing him over the to reported to the Game watter in turn to the police followed. In view of stances the defendant without payment, though confiscated.

Here and There

PAY TOO SMALL.—Show has resigned from Force, having found it too small to support his family, combined with the Government. He is looking elsewhere for employment.

REIDS' BOATS.—The Port of Placentia at 3 a.m. the Merasheen route; the Port aux Basques for 1.35 a.m. to-day; the Sargos at 8 a.m. to-day; the Meigle sailed direct month at 4.40 a.m. to-day; the Brig Bay at 11 a.m. going north; the K. Port aux Basques at 8.30

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