

DESIRABLE CANADIANS



English children who recently came to Canada on board the "Empress of France." Their names are: Thomas Marshall Howard, Sydney Ashton, John Kincaid, Lawrence King, Edwin Coleman and Billy Coleman.

UNCLE JOHN'S POEMS

I love the baby faces
That I see most every day,
As I trudge along, half-hearted
In my narrow, stubborn way;
When the world seems cold and selfish,
With a cloud in every place,
O, it turns my soul to sunshine
When I meet a baby face.

When I spy the little go-cart
And the darling that it bears,
The glimpse I catch in passing
Softens down the sternest cares;
Yes, that ugly frown relaxes,
And a smile will take its place,
At the magic intervention
Of a happy babies face.

I love each little wanderer
More than he can ever know,
For he recalls a baby face
That cheered me, long ago,
I recall the childish prattle
As he perched upon my knee—
But shucks! he's over thirty now,
An' thinks he's bigger'n me!

ORIGIN OF FLOWERS

Fuchsias were so called after Leonard Fuchs. Dahlias were named from Andre Dahl, who brought them from Peru. The Camellia was so called from a missionary named Kamel, who brought some magnificent specimens of the flower to France from Japan. He called it the Rose of Japan, but his friends changed it to camellia. Magnolias were named in honor of Prof. Mangol de Montpellier, who first brought the beautiful trees to France from America and Asia. The latin word for to wash is "lavare," and lavender received its name because the Romans put the flowers into the water used for washing to perfume their hands.

ITS A CROOL WOILD

Panhandler—On de level, Mister, I ain't et nothin' in three days.
Prospect—Nothing like exercising one's will power, bo. You're off to a good start so don't let anybody forcibly feed you.



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Minard's Liniment for Garget in Cows

DEATH TOLL OF B. C. FLOOD NOW LISTED AT THIRTY-SIX

Thirty-six persons are dead, fifteen are injured, a mining town is practically wiped out and another village is partially inundated, railway tracks and bridges are destroyed, completely cutting off Vancouver and the mainland from railroad connection with the eastern part of the Province and damage estimated at several millions of dollars has been wrought by floods in the vicinity of Vancouver since Thursday last. Simultaneously on Friday evening the greater part of the town of Britannia Mines on Howe Sound, was wiped out by a flood.

Mr. and Mrs. Noyes, already parents of five children, are this week the proud parents of triplets boy babies. They live in Victoria. The indications point to lots of Noyes in that home.

Some people manage to dodge enough work to keep a dozen people busy.

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The whole tunnel is 12 1/2 miles long, of which 5 1/2 lies in Swiss territory. Electric traction will be used, so that this will be the cleanest tunnel in Europe.

The longest tunnel in England is the Severn Tunnel. Its length is 4 1/2 miles, and it was built in 1873-1886, and, during the recent railway strike was in some danger of being flooded and irrevocably ruined.

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