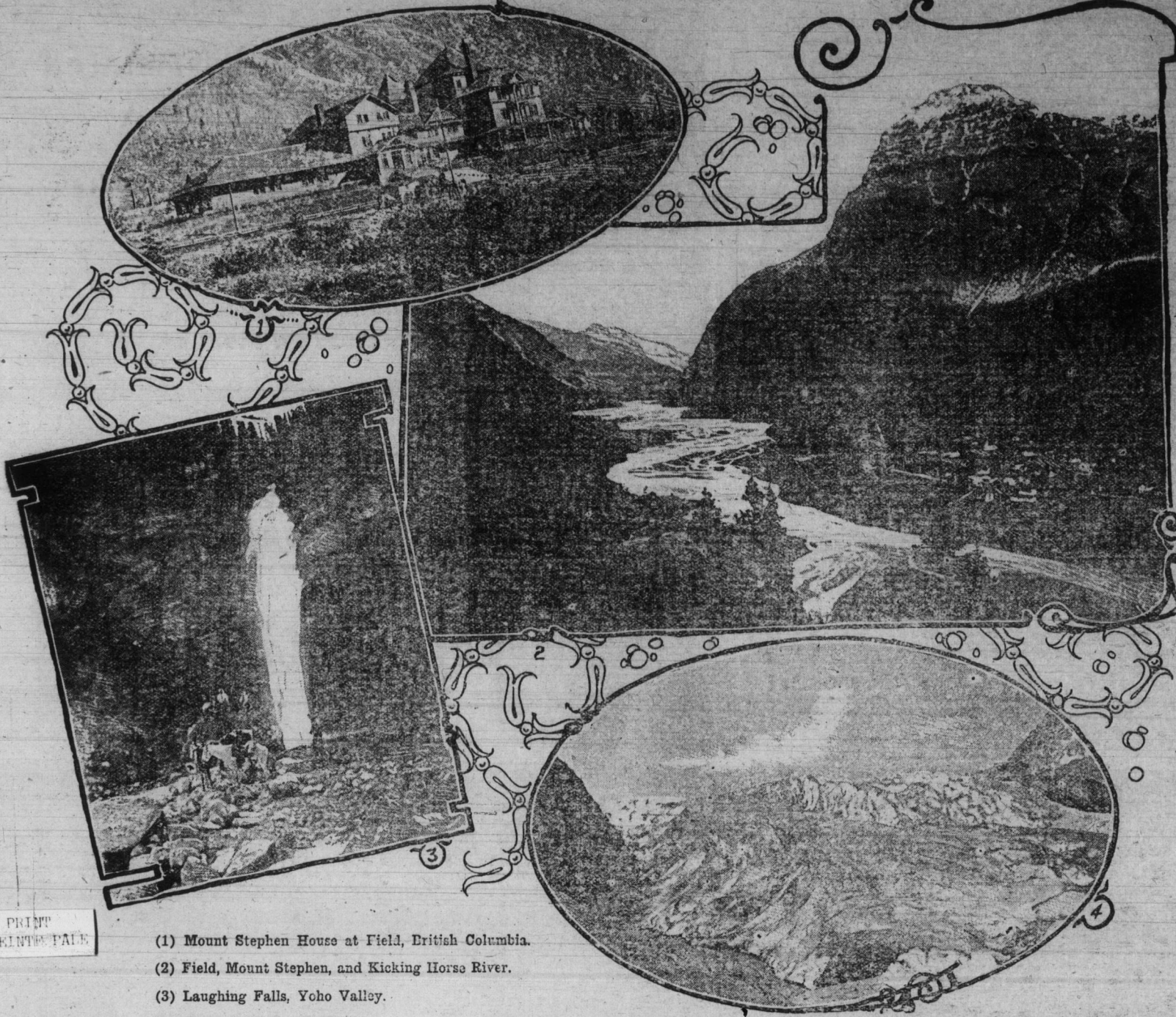


THE GATE to the YOHIO VALLEY



- (1) Mount Stephen House at Field, British Columbia.
(2) Field, Mount Stephen, and Kicking Horse River.
(3) Laughing Falls, Yoho Valley.
(4) The Great Yoho Glacier.

FIELD, nestling at the foot of glorious mountains in the heart of the Kicking Horse Valley, is an important stopping place for tourists through the Canadian Rockies. Here, at the foot of the gigantic Mount Stephen, is the delightful Chalet of the Canadian Pacific, called after the great mountain. From this point there are beautiful drives and pony rides. Along the Ottentail road to the valley of that name is where a magnificent view of the triple-headed Mt. Goodwin is to be had. Then, again, the drive along the Yoho

road is one of the longest and finest in the Rockies. It crosses the Kicking Horse River and, following the stream, reaches the Yoho Valley; then swinging round the shoulder of Mt. Field, and continuing up the valley, precipitous cliffs are met. The road ends a short distance past the Takakkaw Falls, a splendid cascade falling over a thousand feet. Near this point every year is a camp which the tourist may make before he takes himself upon other urgent business. Should you carry a stick, he then takes no notice of you in his excitement and says things to you which he would not do. We have five different species of this bird of darkness in Canada, who are distributed as follows: Northern Raven, which is found in certain localities all over Canada. American Crow, which everyone knows to be quite abundant everywhere in Canada. California Crow, which is found as yet only in British Columbia. Northwest Crow, also Clarke's Nutcracker, are both birds of British Columbia, and are occasionally found near the border in Alberta. One wonders why the crow is not extinct. True, he is not quite as abundant as a few years ago, but the flocks seen in our meadows or holding Grand Conclave in our woods are as numerous as ever. The crow is not as black as he is sometimes painted. He now and then gets into trouble with the farmer (like the school children) and he or some other unfortunate member of his tribe pays the penalty. The amount of corn pulled up, however, is in very small proportion to the amount of grubs he destroys. The number of grasshoppers it destroys in a single day is enormous. Sometimes in the fall you will see the meadows black with crows, each and all engaged in a grand grasshopper feast, and the ground that had just before been, to use the expression, alive with hoppers, presents a very poor field for a collector of hoppers after that raid by the crows. Again, the crow is as useful as our street cleaners, take in the number of dead carcasses they devour, which if not for the crows, would be, to say the least, a decided nuisance to the vicinity. Great numbers of crows are being poisoned each year by eating dead foxes, which some man was mean enough to poison, and the unburied bodies of which lie throughout our woods. That is where our Knight of Darkness comes in. They may devour a few eggs in the spring, eat a few grains of corn, or carry off a few of your early spring chickens, but can you blame him? They are unable to find food, and cannot very well starve before taking what is not theirs, when among our own human beings, gifted with more wisdom, we also have a class of thieves. Surely in return for its summer service it can be spared a little. But because of their sins, a very small sin too, they are condemned to be exterminated. In later years, when the crows are all gone, then we will be wishing we had not dealt so harsh with the poor crow. As for me, no greater pleasure can possibly equal that derived from the study of its life and from watching amusing actions, and like the Indian of old, I respect the bird that can outdo me in tricks.

WHAT CATARRH IS

It has been said that every third person has catarrh in some form. Science has shown that nasal catarrh often indicates a general weakness of the body; and local treatments in the form of snuffs and vapors do little, if any good.

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Idiot's Joke.

"My pillow is awfully hard," remarked the star boarder. "It is stuffed with feathers from a tailor's goose," explained the confirmed idiot as he helped himself to another prune.

The new light steel helmets worn by the French are declared by wounded men, back from the Champagne, to have saved thousands of lives.

Game of Initials.

Write ten or twelve questions on cards and distribute them among the party. Have pencils attached. The questions are to be answered by using the two initials of the name of the person holding the card as the initials of the answers given.

- As an example, suppose the name is Ethel Hart.
1. What is your name? Ethel Hart.
2. Where do you live? East Hanover.
3. If not yourself, who would you rather be? Edward Hale.
4. What do you think of the tariff? Excessively high.
5. What is your latest fad? Eating horseshoes.
6. Describe your character. Exceedingly hopeful.
7. What is your favorite flower? Early hyacinth.
8. Your favorite book? "Eben Holden."
9. The height of your ambition? Encouraging hoboes.
10. Your chief accomplishment? Etching horseshoes.
11. Your favorite occupation? Epitaph hunting.
12. Your favorite dish? Eggs and ham.

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America Not So Big.

On the steamer off the west coast of Africa I picked up an acquaintance with an Englishman who had come aboard somewhere along the Gold Coast. After the usual commonplace he drew, "You are an American?" I admitted the soft impeachment.

"Did you ever meet an Englishman over there named Jessup?" was his next query.

I always take Englishmen seriously, so instead of rolling my eyes and explaining what a large country America is, I told him the truth about all the Jessups I happened to know. There were only two—one was a steel agent in New York city and the other was a Y. M. C. A. secretary in Summit, N. J.

"That's the chap," said the Briton, unexpectedly. "He used to live next door to me in Birmingham."

And he did, you know. And I couldn't keep up my pretense that America was a big country after that. —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Long Felt Want.

Woman—Have you no relatives? Tramp—Plenty! What I lack is "yes" relatives when I need a loan. —New York Globe.

Know this—that every country can produce good men.—Lansing.

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A Perfect Lady.

A philanthropic New York woman was entertaining, in the spacious grounds of her suburban residence, a large number of East-Side children. On her rounds of hospitality she was impressed with one strikingly beautiful little girl. She could not have been more than nine years old, but her coal-black eyes flashed with intelligence. The hostess introduced herself and began a conversation.

"Does what you see here to-day please you?" she asked.

The child eyes her host in silence.

"Talk away," said the lady. "Don't be afraid."

"Tell me," then said the child, "how many children have you got?"

Astonished at the question, the lady hesitated for a moment, and then entered into the fun of the situation.

"Ten," she replied.

"Dear me," answered the child, "that is a very large family. I hope you are careful and look after them. Do you keep them all clean?"

"Well, I do my best."

"And is your husband at work?"

"My husband does not do any kind of work. He never has."

"That is very dreadful," replied the little girl earnestly, "but I hope you keep out of debt."

The game had gone too far for Lady Bountiful's enjoyment of it.

"You are a very rude and impertinent child," she burst out, "to speak like that, and to me."

The child became apologetic. "I'm sure I didn't mean to be, ma'am," she explained. "But mother told me before I came that I was to be sure to speak to you like a lady, and when any ladies call on us, they always ask us those questions." —New York Evening Post.

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Russia after the War.

A member of the Russian Parliament, in an interview with an American press correspondent, said: "The Russian people are on the threshold of a great awakening. They know that they have good officers and that the fighting strength and spirit of the Russian troops are as high as at the beginning of the war. They know also that they have been forced to retreat or stand helpless before the murderous fire of German artillery, while their own guns have had only a few rounds of ammunition that had to be sparingly used. In my opinion, in this present awakening of the army and the people to the criminal neglect and corruption of the officials, there are the germs of the most serious revolution Russia has ever known—a revolution supported by the army. This revolution will come as soon as the war is over."

Great Idea.

A small boy, seated on the curb by a telegraph pole, with a tin can by his side, attracted the attention of an old gentleman who happened to be passing. "Going fishing?" he inquired, good naturedly.

"No," the youngster replied; "take a peep in there."

An investigation showed the can to be nearly filled with caterpillars.

"What in the world are you going to do with them?" asked the old gent.

"They crawl up trees and eat the leaves off, don't they?" asked the boy.

"So I understand," replied the old gent.

"Well," said the boy, "I'm fooling a few of them."

"How," asked the old gent.

"I'm going to send them up this telegraph pole," answered the boy. —Chicago Herald.

A Philanthropist.

Minister—"And what are you going to be when you grow up, James?"

Small James—"A philanthropist."

Minister—"So you can do lots of good?"

Small James—"Yes, and besides, a philanthropist always has more money than he needs."