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DO YOU know, Madam, that billowing from the Lake of the Woods clear to the snow-peaked Rockies are the breadlands that ever thrush back golden kisses of a smiling sun?

Our selection of a birthplace was indeed most judicious. We cannot too fervently congratulate ourselves over being born Canadians, can we?

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It is the crown of this beautiful wheat crop, the stem milk that maketh FIVE ROSES quality.

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There is no other source of the only wheat fit for FIVE ROSES.

FIVE ROSES bread—life, health, fulness, purity, strength, economy. Read the label, Madam, and be flour happy at last.

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PLAYS AND PLAYERS, CHATTY NEWS OF THE GREEN ROOM

Maude Adams will give a special performance of some historical drama or one of the old English morality plays at either Yale College or Columbia University at the close of her regular season and hereafter will make these university productions a regular annual feature of her work.

The new Shubert Memorial Theatre in Boston is rapidly nearing completion and will be dedicated on January 14 by E. H. Southern and Julia Marlowe who then begin their engagement in their classic repertoire.

Edmund Brees, who is starring in "The Earth," will terminate his tour in Chicago on November 27. The play, notwithstanding the fact that it was a great success in England, failed to attract American audiences.

Robert Edison will terminate his tour in "The Noble Spaniard" in St. Louis on December 4, and will return to New York to begin rehearsals in "A Man's Man" a new play by Anna Steese Richardson and H. L. Fritzenberg.

At the evening concert of the Rubenstein Club to be given December 14 at the Waldorf-Astoria, Mrs. Nozema will be the soloist giving the "Infantmists" from Rossini's "Stabat Mater," with a chorus of 125 voices and orchestra.

The Lyellard from Vancouver to the Majestic Theatre in Chicago, a few weeks ago, took Chevalier's place Sunday at the Haymarket. The act has been slightly changed from that offered during the week at the Majestic.

Rachmannoff, Rachamoff, Raffanoch and Ramachinnoff are some of the wayward names in the daily papers. It's so simple, too. Just Rachmanoff—that's all.

Nail O'Brien, the minstrel, wishes to assure his friends that he is not dead. Numerous telegrams, and letters from all parts of the country have been received in the past week by the popular comedian asking if he was really still alive. Funny isn't it? But the burnt cork man doesn't think so; it has been a very serious matter with him. The trouble came about the death of an actor of the same name who formerly played in Nat C. Goodwin's company.

The Theatrical Syndicate's season in Montreal is in undisputed control of the field. His Majesty's Theatre, the playhouse in which the trust's attractions appear this week beginning tonight will be well patronized. St. John possesses a clever organization of amateurs.

Elsa Ryan, the popular young musician of Toimette with Frank Daniels in "The Belle of Brittany" at Daly's Theatre, startled the Shubert management on her last salary day by passing in an "expense account" made out in the form of a regular bill. It said:

Sam S. & Lee Shubert, Inc.
To Elsa Ryan, Dr. \$8.00
16 hair combs, at 50 cents each . . . 8.00
30 hooks and eyes 30
Shoe buttons, hangles, etc. 2.15
\$14.15

Jack Reed, manager of the company for the Messrs. Shubert, recovered his composure after gazing at the document for about five minutes sufficiently to inquire the meaning of it all. "Why," explained Miss Ryan, in her most innocent ingenu manner, "if the management wants me to do the dance in the 'cave number' it is surely ought to be willing to pay for the damage. This is really just a small part of the expense I'm under."

W. S. Hawkins will return to the Opera House on Monday next after a trip through the province. The company will open in "The House of a Thousand Candles." They will remain for two weeks when their place will be taken by the Robinson Opera Company.

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



THE OVERBLOUSE FILLS A LONG-FELT WANT

The need of a colored blouse to complete the one-tone effect of coat and skirt suits has brought into being the smart little overblouse of chiffon, which is one of the most practical and charming dress accessories seen in years. The overblouse may be slipped on over any dainty lingerie waist of fine quality, or may have various gimpes of net or lace. The blouse shown was quilt to match a gray coat and skirt suit, and is of gray chiffon cloth, with strappings of blue and gray embroidery.

Simply say H.P.

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Be sure you do say H.P., because it is H.P. Sauce you want.

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H.P. SAUCE

CANADIAN NEWS OF TIMELY INTEREST

New Brunswick Apples Win in London—Gale Sweeps Cape Breton—Sad Case in Hamilton

Montreal, Dec. 1.—A London C. A. P. cable says: Princess Louise opened the Colonial Fruit Show at the Horticultural Hall today.

The following were Canadian prize winners: Government of British Columbia, for apples, gold medal; Kaslo District, silver gilt Bankian medal; Salt Spring Island, silver gilt Knightian medal; G. T. Cooney, silver Knightian medal; Sterling Pitcair, silver gilt Bankian medal; Okanagan Fruit Union, silver gilt Knightian medal; Mrs. J. Smith, silver gilt Bankian medal; Victoria District, silver Knightian medal.

Province of New Brunswick, silver gilt medal; C. W. Peters, Queensboro, silver medal; J. A. Hubbard, Burton, silver medal; J. P. Belyes, Lower Gagetown, silver medal.

Major Howard, agent general of Nova Scotia, when asked why his province had not exhibited, replied: "We are ready on our part to exhibit, but we took steps toward it in 1908 when we took steps toward it."

North Sydney, N. S., Dec. 1.—The most disastrous storm since the memorable August gale of 1873 raged on the Cape Breton coast last night, resulting in immense damage. It followed a series of heavy rains which has prevailed for over a week.

The steamer Bruce, for Newfoundland, which was bound to return to port, broke away from the terminus wharf and as a result three men who were on the gang way going on board were swept into the water, narrowly escaping death.

There is much anxiety for the safety of the Norwegian steamer Maud, which left St. John's (Nfld.) on Saturday for North Sydney, and has not since been heard of. The steamer Kamfjord, which left St. John's at the same time, was caught in the big gale. She is a steamer of 1,251 tons register, and is owned by the Norwegian Government.

The schooner Helena, from Bonaville Bay (Nfld.) for Halifax, with a cargo of 3,000 quintals of fish, has put into Channel (Nfld.) in a sinking condition. She was caught in a gale last Friday.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 30.—To be alone beside the dead body of her husband for three days and not be able to secure a funeral, was the fate of Mrs. Cronin, wife of Michael Cronin, who lives in Dundas. This morning a tradesman going into the house found Cronin dead, and she was lying beside him. She is paralyzed and bedridden, and when her husband died Sunday night she could do nothing. She was bedridden on starvation.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company state their lines are not in any way affected by the swiftness of the strike.

Halifax, Dec. 1.—The really interesting features of the coal-mining strike here are to be just about to be disclosed. Counsel for the prosecution is hot on the trail of the missing Morrow letter-book.

E. M. MacDonald, N. C., to whom the book was delivered, is now being asked to disclose its present whereabouts. Mr. MacDonald asserts that the book was committed to his charge as solicitor for the Dominion Coal Company, and claims that he is privileged not to divulge its contents. He said that it is nobody's business. It came into his possession before the subpoena was served on Mr. Morrow, who up to that time had a perfect right to do as he liked with his own property.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—(Special)—Building permits amounting to \$15,500,000 have been issued in Toronto this year so far.

THE MATTER OF AMERICAN WARSHIPS ON GREAT LAKES

Foster Sees Danger in It—I. C. R. Clerks Meet Deputy Minister Butler—The Militia Annual Report Presented

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—"If difficulties were to arise between Canada and the United States over our whole trade on the great lakes with all our means of conveyance that trade would be absolutely at the mercy of the United States within twenty-four hours."

This was the somewhat startling statement made by Hon. George E. Foster in the house of commons this afternoon in calling attention to the number and armament of United States war vessels stationed in the Great Lakes. The occasion was a motion, standing in Mr. Foster's name, calling for "a copy of all correspondence, papers and letters in respect to the agreement between Great Britain and the United States for the maintenance of war vessels on the great lakes."

The member for North Toronto appeared to think that there was an element of real danger, in fact that the United States had ten war vessels all armed on the great lakes, while Canada had practically none, and he suggested that there should be a modification of the Rush-Bagot agreement of 1817 to meet modern conditions.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier doubted whether Mr. Foster had served any good purpose in calling attention to a subject which was of no importance to the men in going over the position of the men in respect to pay and classification. There will be a further meeting tomorrow. It is understood that the conference will be held at the house of Mr. G. P. Monahan, Alexander Gibb and A. R. Mosher.

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HATTIE LeBLANC'S FINGER POWDER MARKED

Boston, Dec. 1.—An official connected with the investigation of the murder of Clarence F. Glover, is responsible for the statement that a smudge of powder was found on the index finger of the defendant, Miss Hattie LeBlanc, who is now in the East Cambridge jail awaiting a hearing on the charge of murder. The smudge was found between the knuckle and middle joint.

CZAR AGAINST AIRSHIPS

St. Petersburg, Nov. 29.—An official edict published today forbids the flying of any airship of any description within a radius of 200 miles of St. Petersburg, or near any fortification in Russia. Venturesome aviators who transgress this edict will be shot without warning.

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DISSOLUTION OF RAILWAY COMBINE

Change of Ownership of 6,500 Miles, the St. Louis and San Francisco Company

New York, Dec. 1.—Six thousand five hundred miles of railroad, forming the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company, generally known as the "Frisco," changed hands in New York today with its severance from the Rock Island Company, with which it was merged in 1903. The purchasers are B. F. Youkum, former chairman of the Frisco-Rock Island board, and B. L. Winchell, former president of the Rock Island, who now becomes president of the Frisco. It is understood also that Messrs. Winchell and Youkum have as their associates in the deal some of the leading capitalists of the middle West, including St. Louis, as well as the Union Trust Company, of that city. All accounts agree that the dissolution was brought about by fear of federal intervention. The Rock Island and Frisco lines parallel and tap each other at various points, and there is reason to believe that the Interstate Commerce Commission had taken cognizance of that fact.

Despite denial the current belief is that the Frisco will form an alliance with the lines of Edwin Hawley, the new figure in the railroad world, who recently acquired, with B. F. Youkum, control of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway. At the same time the relations of the now divorced "Frisco" and Rock Island are to be friendly.

Authoritative announcement of the transaction today confirms reports long current here and marks the official severance of the relations of the two systems. According to both official and unofficial statements the interests now in control of that road as an independent property, although the actual transfer cannot be effected until the \$17,284,000 of five per cent collateral bonds of the Rock Island, which control \$20,000,000 of St. Louis & San Francisco stock, have been retired. The terms of the bonds have recently been traded in on the stock exchange at a steady advance from 92 to 103 1/2, the latter top price reached today. A formal offer of redemption will probably be made at New York.

The Times Daily Puzzle Picture



A DISJOINTED NARRATIVE

A young, ambitious kangaroo
"I started well," he sadly cried
Easied to jump to the moon.
In contradiction of his efforts
He jumped so hard he sprained his tail.
But all the result of his efforts is
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