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THE THOUGHTS OF THEOBALD.

PICNICS.

Last year I deprecated the fact that some Sunday Schools were not having their usual picnics. Despite the anxious and mournful time through which we are now passing I still maintain my point of view. Respect for our dead and wounded we all hold. But knowing our gallant dead, and feeling as I do, that they are just beyond the border and maybe very near to us, can we think that one of them would hold up his hand to restrain the natural enjoyment of a child? Can we think that it pleases them to see disappointment in the faces of the children? Would they not be glad to share in their natural and innocent joy? Mind you, it does not seem to enter the minds of those who object to these picnics, what a vast difference there is between these picnics and the whole host of other festivities and amusements. No one has spoken and condemned the waste of money incurred in attending the Nickels, in driving motor cars for pleasure, in riding to Bowring Park, in extravagant following of freak fashions, and in other ways, but the treat for the children, the day of enjoyment for many a child must be stopped! We must be consistent in this thing. The Picnics enable the children to enjoy the blessing of fresh air, and give many of them a "feed" that is exceptionally varied. The other amusements I have mentioned are generally pursued in a selfish desire for excitement.

The dead call to us not to weep, but to carry on all good works. If but one child is strengthened by his day in the open, the picnic has been worth while. Let us separate healthful pleasure from other forms of

pleasure or otherwise condemn all—baseball, tennis, football as well. Surely if a child will look back in sadness to think that he made merry at this time, will not a tennis player or a baseball player be in the more condemnation as he is of age now and fully realises the situation?

It is beyond question that a child has a right to health and happiness. Many possess them naturally. sorrow comes soon, all too soon. Let us not cloud their sunshine. Let their pleasures be restricted last of all.

A simple child,
That lightly draws its breath,
And feels its life in every limb,
What should it know of death?

—Wordsworth.

HEAVY TUNICS.

It would seem an unnecessary burden to compel the volunteers to wear tunics during this hot weather. Looking at them returning from a march is enough to make one warm. They must be simply roasting. A simple, free and easy shirt would make them much more comfortable during drill, etc., and then their regimental coat would make them feel fresh and smart for their dress parades and hours of leave. In these days it is the man behind the uniform who counts, and not the uniform, and he ought to receive every consideration, even at the expense of regulations, many of which are of the "red tape" variety.

THE CITY.

I presume that the Municipal Council has given permission to the Furness Withy Co. to erect the fence in front of their premises, but I doubt very much if the plan of the erection was considered, or that it has been

inspected since its completion. This fence runs along Water Street and its height varies greatly, and wanders up and down at the sweet will of the ground. No attempt has been made towards uniformity.

Now I should think that permission should only have been given when the Council knew exactly what erection was to be made, and where in this case it was quite possible to build the fence at the same level, it should have been imperative that the fence should be so built. When the sidewalk is graded properly the fence will present an extraordinary appearance. Of course the grading should have been done first.

It also seems to me questionable whether a wooden fence is desirable. Apart from fire risk, it seems a pity that this open space should be closed as it is. An iron fence would be just as effective, and still not give an appearance of shutting out the sight of the harbour. Our desire is to make the city as nice looking as possible. I do not think that the fence I mention brings us one step towards this goal.

TEACHERS SALARIES.

Mr. Samson, in the Nfld. Teachers Journal, has an illuminating article on the powers of the C. H. E., by which we find that the powers of this body are very limited indeed. Mr. Samson supports Hon. J. A. Robinson's proposal to extend these powers, and points out what might be accomplished by so doing. He also draws attention to the mistaken policy of not providing better facilities and better pay to ensure a capable and satisfied supply of teachers. I have been reading of some statistics of Ontario's progress for the 10-year period 1904-14. The amount paid in salaries to the teachers in the public or elementary schools has more than doubled. The salaries of the male teachers in the rural elementary schools rose from \$385 in 1904 to \$614 in 1914, and those of the female teachers from \$294 to \$543. In the elementary schools in the towns the male salaries increased from \$756 to \$1,276, and the female salaries from \$406 to \$688. This increase resulted in a considerable improvement in the qualifications of the teachers.

It would be interesting to compare our progress in this way. I do not think that our teachers have benefited in the same proportion as the teachers in Ontario. It seems as if we are satisfied if we can get men and women to teach our schools. Their fitness and capability do not apparently mean much to us. I do not make this a general assertion, but in too many of our schools is it true. And it is so because we have never had a government which put education in the foremost place it should occupy.

I have myself heard the Premier speak about the impossibility of providing \$30,000 for Education, and in the same session speak of the "neatness" of \$140,000.00 for interest on Railways! If a Government can rest satisfied to see its teachers receive less than almost any other clerk on Water Street, then its sense of justice is weak indeed. We are finding that in many cases we get exactly what we pay for, and maybe this is one of the great reasons why our educational work is so unsatisfactory. Knowledge does not make a teacher. An Inspector visited an outport school and found absolutely nothing on the walls to interest the children. This teacher might have had innumerable degrees, but as a teacher he was sadly lacking. The training of teachers is the greatest work we can undertake.

AMERICANISM.

If I elect to see a piece of Madagascan, or a piece of Greenland, Greece, or any other clime, I'd like to feel that Uncle Sam will guard me well, where'er I am, without a waste of time. I'd like to feel as safe as Rome, as I am feeling here at home, with cops on every hand; I'd like to see insulters wince, when I, with hauteur of a prince, proclaim my native land. But when I traveled in Cathay, the people stopped me on the way, and pulled my nose and ears; and when I cried, "Unhand me, skates!" I'm from the great United States," they greeted me with jeers. They robbed me of my fountain pen, my dollar watch and every yen, they stole my dachshund pup, and I stood by and saw them swipe my safety razor and my pipe, and new tin drinking cup. I notified my government and asked that battle ships be sent, as fast as they could track, to shoot that country full of holes, and prod the thieves with ten-foot poles, and get my chattels back. But Uncle Sam just wrote some notes, instead of going after goats, and breaking some one's dome; and so I say Americans will find it is the best of plans to stick around at home.

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Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—If you will kindly publish these few lines for the benefit of mothers and fathers who have soldier sons fighting in this great war, I would be very much obliged.

No doubt you have heard, as I did, before I became a soldier, about the hardships of a soldier's life, but you cannot believe all you hear concerning soldiers' life in camp. I am a soldier and I am proud of it, and when I go home I will be glad to shake any man's hand that's a soldier.

Speaking from experience, I think I know I am a better man than ever civilian life could make me. Some people have the idea that when a man becomes a soldier his chances of living a good life are very slim. But that's all a mistake. I say that if there is any good in a man soldiering will bring it to the surface. A man hasn't any chance to lead anything but a decent life, I say. I know quite a few of Nfld. chaps and I am glad to say they are all good men and good soldiers. They certainly made a name for themselves when they came face to face with the Huns. The Germans call us the White Indians, and we all go by that name over here. Ever since I came overseas, water I've been treated fine; plenty to eat and drink, plenty of clothes to wear, lots of good exercise and all kinds of sport, from football to leap-frog, and concerts every night in camp, and all free of charge.

I must speak a good word for the ladies of this country for they deserve more praise than I can bestow upon them. They are never tired of working one way or another to give pleasure to us soldiers. I doubt if our country women could do any more for us than these ladies of England.

Now mothers, if there is any doubt in your mind as to your sons' mode of living, dismiss it right away; you can tell how your son is spending his time; he is spending it good and to some purpose. If he could live a good decent life home, you may be sure he will do so in the army, so don't worry; the army is turning out first class men every day, and I know our boys will all make good. I am sure they will. I wish we had more of the boys over here with us.

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Farewell Sermon.

The Rev. C. A. Whitmarsh, M.A., preaches his farewell sermon at Cochrane Street Church to-morrow evening. Mr. Whitmarsh is closing his four years' term at Cochrane Street Church to-morrow. Many members of the congregation regret his departure as he has been a most faithful Pastor and has made a host of friends since coming to the city. In connection with the service to-morrow evening, one of the teachers from the Blind Institution at Halifax, will sing a solo. Visitors heartily welcomed.

At Wesley Church To-morrow.

At Wesley Church to-morrow morning the volunteers of the Methodist denomination will attend. Addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Curtis and the Pastor, Rev. H. Royle. Mr. John Peterson, of the Halifax School for the Blind, who has a fine tenor voice will give a solo. These special arrangements ensure a large congregation, but all are welcome. In the evening, Rev. H. G. Coppin, of Burin, will be the preacher, and Mr. Haydyn, also from the Halifax School for the Blind, who is a skilful pipe organist and instructor, will play two voluntaries and preside at the organ during the service. All who know what musical abilities many blind people have, will be sure to avail themselves of this rare treat in the city.

Here and There.

Turkeys and Chicken at ELLIS.

LEAVES LIVERPOOL. — The s.s. Durango leaves Liverpool to-day for this port.

Pure Maple Sugar and Syrup at ELLIS.

SQUID STRUCK IN. — For the first time this season squid struck in at Holyrood yesterday.

Fresh Salmon, Fresh Halibut, at ELLIS.

OLINDA OFF. — The brig, Olinda, sailed last evening for Pernambuco, fully laden by Bowring Bros.

The FORD is a 'LOYAL CAR' — doesn't fail in an emergency. — June 22/16

JUST RECEIVED. — 22 Carat Plain and Transferred English Gold Leaf. G. KNOWLING. — July 15, s.m.w. 31

If milk seems hard to digest put a teaspoonful of salt in a tumblerful of milk; it will make it much easier.

GIANT JUNIOR SAFETY RAZOR. — Be sure and get 7 blades with your Giant Junior Safety when you buy it. Price 50 cents with 7 blades. — June 24/16

REACHED CADIZ. — The schr. Magie Sullivan, 15 days from this port, has arrived at Cadiz. She will load salt for here.

DR. G. N. MURPHY'S office will be closed from July 29th till Aug. 23rd. — July 13, 81, eod

L.O.A. PARADE. — To-morrow afternoon the members of Royal Oak and Leeming Lodges, L.O.A., will parade and attend Divine Service at Cochrane Street Centennial Church.

"MEASLES." — Keep a bottle of Stafford's Lotion on hand for bathing the eyes. Price 20c.

Peppers can be kept through the winter by putting them in a stone crock and heating enough vinegar to entirely cover them.

Be careful of that nasty cough that follows measles. Use Stafford's Phoratorine Cough Cure. Price 25c. Postage 5c. extra. — June 16/16

PRODUCE AND LIVE STOCK CAR. — The s.s. Sable I. arrived here last evening from Charlottetown, via Sydney, bringing a large shipment of produce and about forty head of cattle. She left port again this morning to return with a similar cargo.

It takes a good car "to make good". More than a MILLION FORDS have been sold to date. — June 22/16

BODY RECOVERED. — The body of the late Dr. Hal Chaplin, who lost his life on board H.M.S. Hampshire with Lord Kitchener and his staff, has been recovered and laid to rest in the naval cemetery on the Island of Hoy, one of the Orkneys. An official message to that effect was received by his father Mr. M. Chaplin.

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