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UNBLEACHED TABLE LINEN, in damask, wide width, 25c, 29c, 35c, 50c yard.
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One case of 36-inch White Cotton, very heavy, special, 7c yard.

ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE FOR WOMEN

Children, Their Wants, Inclinations and Habits.

The Relation of Parents to Teachers—Movement for Vacation—School Grounds for Children.

The instructiveness and pleasantness of the round table conference of mothers and teachers, which formed the last public meeting of the National Council, cannot readily be described, and perhaps it would be wiser to abstain from attempting to, leaving to the title and idea of the session the onus of suggesting its likable qualities. Unfortunately again the rain did its best to spoil the meeting; well, perhaps not unfortunately either, but fortunately, for it showed that more than a mere rainstorm is needed, if earnest women are to be kept from doing and receiving good. From the very beginning there has been much delightful freedom in all the sessions, and naturally there was more than usual at a conference where mothers and teachers—the builders of the race's character—the molders of its future—met to give to each other the knowledge that had been gained in the upbringing of children. Last night's meeting was a very word of cheer, an inspiration to everyone there, and how good it was that so many—an astonishingly large number—had been enough in the after-employment to overcome their dislike for the general disagreeableness of the wet night. Mrs. Ada Marion Hughes, of Toronto, was practically the center of the round table. She had a very good reason for her influence on the conference felt—her quite remarkable and forceful individuality had done that before, but it made fast the impression. No other member of the council has quite the power to sway an audience that Mrs. Hughes has. She lacks neither the knowledge nor the enthusiasm nor the felicity of expression.

To talk of children, of their wants, inclinations and habits, their studies, their dress, their food, and all else that has to do with them, permits of a free play of her gifts. The study of her lifetime has been to learn how best the child may be developed into the mature adult. She spoke of the importance of food, even scientifically, and of sensible modes of clothing, of freedom of exercise, of healthful associates, of fresh air and sunshine. These were things that mothers and teachers should study together. The tendency towards imitation in a child should be utilized, its tendency to self-governance developed, and care taken, besides allowing it to develop along natural lines, to guard against allowing the child in the exuberance of its nature to pass the fatigue point, beyond which no individual may go without injury.

The relation of parents to teachers was the subject considered by Mrs. Lyle, of Hamilton, in an effective paper.

For the home she considered three things requisite: Love, obedience and service. Enlarging upon these ideas, she said that the child's reason should be cultivated. She entered into interesting details concerning the proper methods of training the child to be the best as a child, and the embryo of a well-developed man or woman, morally, mentally and physically.

Mrs. Arthur, of Detroit, read a paper, in which the movement in the United States, to provide vacation school grounds for children, was described in a delightful manner, and as well as many of their close friends, had been invited to a dinner at the home of the bride. At the end of the paper, Mr. Yates arose and asked the speaker if he would marry him and Miss Hiley then and there, and when a license was produced, the ceremony was performed before the astonished guests by the surprised preacher.

The couple then went to St. Louis, where they blindfolded themselves, with the intention of spending their honeymoon in the direction that the man they had chosen to marry would point. They got on the "Frisco" and went south.

WILL THE JUDGE TAKE THE HINT?

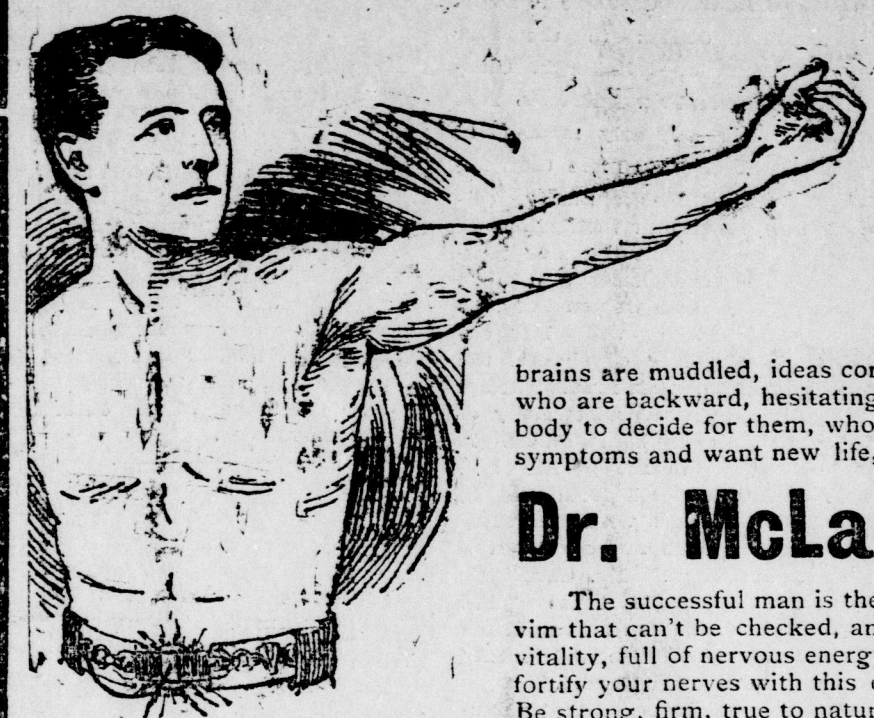
Toronto Lawyers Think Mr. Justice Robertson Will Resign.

Toronto, May 22.—The early retirement of Mr. Justice Robertson, after the premier's reference to him in the house on Monday, is now regarded as certain. The gossip at the Ontario Hall yesterday was all to that effect.

Mr. Justice Robertson was appointed judge in February, 1887, by Sir John A. Macdonald. His fifteen years' tenure of the bench has been one of the longest in the history of the province. He was appointed to the bench at the age of 35, and has since that time been a constant presence on the bench. He is now 73 years of age. He is not at present in the city.

STORM PREDICTED.
Chicago, May 21.—Storm signals were ordered up on Lake Michigan and Lake Huron today for a north-east gale, accompanied by heavy rain. It was thought by Prof. Cox that the storm would be scarcely felt over Lake Superior. He predicted that the wind would reach a velocity of 40 miles per hour, quite sufficient at this time of the year to raise dangerous seas. The storm is coming up from the Gulf of Mexico, and there is some doubt as to its progress.

MANLY VIGOR.



In time of danger who is the man who, while others become panic stricken, leaps forward and becomes a hero? The manly man! Who is the man who in the midst of business famine, pushes his enterprise through strife and trouble to success? The manly man! Who is the man who gains and holds the respect and esteem of his neighbors and associates in business? The manly man! This "manly man" is a man of courage, of strong heart, good health and self-confidence—with nerves that never flinch, muscles like bars of iron, a heart full of manly courage, honored and respected by all who know him.

This is a message to men. It is to men who want to feel like men, to look like men and act like men. This is to men who lack courage, whose nerves are shaky, whose eyes have lost the sparkle, whose brains are muddled, ideas confused, sleep restless, confidence gone, spirits low and easily depressed, who are backward, hesitating, unable to venture because they are afraid of failure, who want somebody to decide for them, who are weak, puny, restless. It is to men who have part or all of these symptoms and want new life, new force, new vigor. I offer it to you in

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afterwards the following resolution was put to the meeting:
Proposed by the St. John Local Council.

"Whereas the agitation for vacation schools and playgrounds where children may find organized recreation having become so widespread that it is every community's duty to provide for such vacation schools and playgrounds is acknowledged by educators and philanthropists to be desired in every community; and whereas the necessity for such schools and playgrounds to improve the condition of children in the cities of Canada is obvious; therefore be it resolved that this National Council of Women of Canada declare themselves in favor of the establishment of vacation schools and playgrounds, and pledge themselves to do all in their power to promote their organization."

This amendment was proposed by the Ottawa and Vancouver local councils.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Three sectional conferences—the King's Daughters, the Aberdeen Association and the Woman's Art Association—were held at the National Council yesterday afternoon, and besides being of much interest, they showed in a way that no other sessions have done the dividing links of interest that exist amongst the delegates. The lead in the King's Daughters session, where the history of the institution was outlined, its aims and achievements detailed, were Mrs. Frank Gibbs of Port Arthur; Miss Annie Brown, of Toronto; Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Snellie, of Fort William, and Mrs. Mackenzie, M.D., of Victoria. B.C. Lady Taylor presided at the session of the Aberdeen Association, and at the Woman's Art Association, those who spoke were Madame Dandurand, Mrs. Fitzgibbon, Mrs. Hyman, Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. Adair, Mrs. Hughes, and Mr. F. W. Merchant, Miss Phillips presided.

MISS MORROW'S HONEYMOON.
Auburn, N. Y., May 21.—Miss Mary M. Morrow, who escaped from the smallpox quarantine at Havelock, Ontario, last Friday night, has been at liberty in this city since last Saturday. Yesterday afternoon she was married in one of the prominent churches here to Andrew W. Fegan, of Toronto. Last night the house where they

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