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What is the matter with the summer bachelor? Does he think he can't exist without her? Or has he simply grown too lazy to draw a full breath? He used to have such delightful ways and accomplishments, not the least of which was a firmly-implanted idea that his chief reason for being was to give the girls a good time. In those long-past days when he received an invitation to any form of entertainment he actually felt grateful to his would-be hostess, and went prepared, not only to enjoy himself, but to help her in making things pleasant for other people. Every ordinary nice girl held a little court of admiring bachelors, who sent her flowers, and begged dances, and vied with one another to obtain her favor—not because they were especially in love with her, but just that being a nice and pretty girl she seemed a sort of princess in their eyes whom they delighted to honor.

Times are sadly changed now-a-days. He doesn't want to be invited, and he doesn't think it necessary to even answer an invitation. And as for giving us a good time—well, our summer bachelors' utmost effort seldom leads him further than to laquidity suggest a skirt to the prettiest river girl, and let her do all the work; while he having secured himself against possible rivalry, goes calmly and methodically to sleep.

Worse even than his dullness and cool assumption that it is he who should be amused is the modern bachelor's growing habit of avoiding feminine society altogether—partly because the horrid laziness that has gradually grown upon him makes him averse to exerting himself to the small extent, that civilization demands, but more that he is forever in the throes of an awful fear that he will be invited to matrimony should he exchange more than a passing greeting with any unmarried female person.

The dear, silly, stupid thing that they are—these bachelors. We aren't waiting to marry them when we put on our prettiest clothes and smile sweetly in their direction—our business methods are far more subtle. All we want is a good time. We want to have the numberless innocent pleasures that are never particularly pleasurable to a girl unless she has a smart, well-dressed man doing escort duty.

We don't want to marry our summer bachelors—this is summer—anyway—and most likely never! For, let conceited men listen and profit, by a little feminine plain speaking. All the friendships, the little flirtations, the numberless innocent pleasures that are never particularly pleasurable to a girl unless she has a smart, well-dressed man doing escort duty.

A sensible young person does not imagine every man who gives her a box of chocolates intends them as a declaration of love.

Why doesn't he, when he can afford it, get up some little entertainment in his girl friend's honor, and oblige "dear boy" he used to be—equally at home mixing a salad or buttoning a glove?

He loses such an awful lot by living the dull, middle-aged sort of existence he must live if he shuts us out. His character will deteriorate as his manners have already. Unless he turns back to the ways and manners that once were his, it seems more than likely that the summer bachelor will not much longer be permitted to cumber the earth.

Not forever are drones permitted in the hive, and assuredly not forever will society continue to smile upon a selfish bachelor who doesn't know enough to scatter rose leaves in the paths of the dear, nice, sweet, charmingly, easily-pleased summer girls.

## THE PLAN THAT FAILED.

A newsboy was strutting along a downtown street recently when close to the curb he espied a bright 10-cent piece. He bent over and picked it up, and then he stood near and the honest boy, thinking the man had dropped the coin, picked it up and offered it to him.

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The gentleman turned kindly and of course you would give him a quarter, saying: "Here is a reward for being honest, my young man."

The boy trotted off in high spirits. That night he slept in high spirits, on account of thinking of his good fortune, and partly because of a scheme which his youthful brain had hatched. He would make money deliberately in the same way as he had accidentally made it that day.

It would be necessary only to drop a coin near some one, then the reward would come in the way of a present for honesty.

The next morning he started off early, and seeing a well-dressed gentleman standing at a corner, he softly approached. Dettly he dropped a 10-cent piece near by; then, suddenly turning, he said:

"Excuse me, mister, did you drop this?"

The gentleman, a noted millionaire, glanced at the proffered coin. Then he too it, saying:

"Ah! perhaps I did. I always have loose change about, but I must reward you for your honesty."

The boy's heart went pit-a-pat. The millionaire fumbled in his pocket till a car was near. Then he quickly pressed a penny into the anxious boy's hand and boarded the car.—Chicago Journal.

## DEVELOPMENT OF THE RAMBLER ROSE.

Did ever a flower grow and improve in appearance as has the rambling rose? When a few years back we succeeded in producing a crimson ramble, so beautiful that it was popular enough to appear on every porch in every suburb we were proud as peacocks of our new toy.

Its cluster of small blossoms seen at close range were a joy, and its rambling nature made it the most decorative of all our climbing things. And plain citizens were content with it. But ambitious gardeners saw in it possibilities that their profession bade them develop, and so they soon offered us ramblers in every rose color, after which they turned their attention to the individual blossoms, with the result that this year the clusters are like rose bushes and each rose in its large and as perfect as many found on bushes which think they have done well when they grow one rose to a stem.—Boston Transcript.

## RIPE FOR A FIGHT.

Argentina and Uruguay Have Now a Sufficient Cause.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 29.—A great sensation has been created here, owing to the surprising by the Uruguayan troops of Uruguay of a Uruguayan insurrectionary force numbering 180 men, fully armed and equipped under Col. Pamplona, on a steamer on the Uruguayan coast, but in Argentine territory.

President Ordóñez of Uruguay, had been warned that preparations were being made for an insurrectionary expedition, and despatched two forces with armed vessels to watch for the expedition. At night the Government troops attacked the insurrectionists with a continuous and merciless fire. Many of the latter swam ashore, but eight, badly wounded, were captured. The fate of the others is not known.

The insurrectionary vessels were also captured, and with it a considerable quantity of telegraph apparatus. Diplomatic relations between Argentina and Uruguay have become strained owing to this incident.

## Welcomed at Owen Sound.

Owen Sound, Aug. 29.—The Victoria party arrived at 5.45 Saturday evening, the private cars Canada and Victoria being attached to the steamboat express. Hundreds of people crowded the depot, but did not cheer as they did not know whether it would be good form. Later, however, they made up for it when the National Anthem was played. An address was presented to His Excellency, Lord Minto was received with enthusiasm. He thanked the citizens of Owen Sound for their cordial reception as the representative of His Majesty King Edward. He spoke of Canada's advancement during the years he had resided here, and said that on his return to the old country he would seize every opportunity to do what he could for Canada.

## A VALIANT OFFICER

Major Hugh Rose, who is in charge of the Black Watch Band's visit to Canada, is the senior Major of the famous Regiment, and a most talented officer with a very distinguished war service. He received his first commission twenty years ago as Lieutenant in the Regiment. He was Captain of his Company in 1890, and promoted to his present rank in 1901. He took part in the Sudan Expedition in 1884-85, and was present at the action of El Teb. He received the Egyptian medal and clasp, together with the bronze star. The Black Watch had also some very hard fighting at the Battle of Tena. It was on this occasion that Lord Wolseley, on receiving news of the gallant fight, telegraphed "Well done, old comrades of the Black Watch." Major Rose will accompany the Band when they visit Chatham on Monday afternoon, September 12th, at the Opera House. It is expected there will be a large number from outside, as reduced fares have been secured on all railroads.

## THE LAST INTERVIEW WITH RUSSIA'S LATE MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR.

A few days before his assassination the conservative "darkest counselor" of the Czar, Witte, late Minister of the Interior of Russia, granted to an American, John G. O'Loughlin, St. Petersburg war correspondent for Collier's Weekly, an interview which is published in the August 27 issue of that paper in which he is reported to have said:

"Nihilism knows no law and no order. It strives to produce rebellion and substitute chaos for government. Its disciples are comparatively few in number, belong to the criminal class, and are consequently subject to police surveillance. There is no fear for Russia from this source."

Relative to the war in the East the late Minister said:

"Neither the Emperor nor the people wanted war with Japan. We desired only an open port on the Pacific and safe communication with it, and peace instead of disorder among our neighbors. Manchuria had been in a state of disorder which menaced for some time the life and property, and the interests of the world in general and our own special interests demanded that we should step in and restore tranquility. The United States was moved by the same reasons to intervene in Cuba. We established order, and we were gradually restoring Chinese administration when the war came upon us. For the war Japan had made every preparation, while we had gone on believing her protestations of desire to peacefully settle the question in dispute."

Referring to the American sympathy with Japan as generally expressed in the American press, he said:

"I can not understand the reason. We have always been friends, and we have proven our friendship. Moreover, Americans are a business people. They must know that Russia is not a manufacturing State, that Russia is and will be in need of the products of their energy. Japan, on the other hand, is a manufacturing nation, which is able to deliver its output, practically without cost, in China, while American goods, to reach that market, must pay a heavy freight bill. Japan's development is therefore antagonistic to the American commercial interests."—Collier's Weekly.

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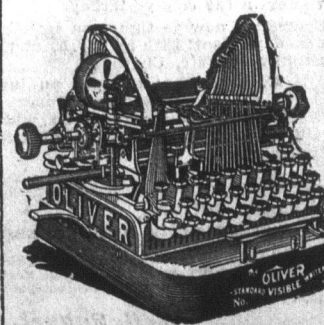
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