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MR. CLEMENTS' POSITION.

The various attempts to injure H. S. Clements, M. P., made by the Banner from time to time are as transparent and ridiculous as they are harmless. When A. B. McCoig was nominated for the Dominion House, the Liberal workers were confident of victory. Archie was such a popular fellow, they thought, that it would be a walk over. They have since found out that the electors of this intelligent riding feel more inclined to support a man who carefully looks after the interests of his constituency rather than one who merely tries to make a jolly good fellow of himself, sits mum through the parliamentary sessions, and then comes home and accounts to the electors for his actions with a broad, bland, silly smile.

Two things were counted upon by the Liberals in nominating Mr. McCoig, the supposed strength of the Laurier administration, and Mr. McCoig's reputed popularity. The recent revelations of scandals in public administration in the Dominion House have exploded the former hope, and Mr. McCoig's indifference and inactivity since his election has reduced the number of his most ardent admirers. The Liberals realize this with a feeling somewhat akin to fear and consternation. They begin to realize that they have probably been a little hasty in nominating Mr. McCoig for Dominion honors, as there are other men in the Liberal ranks who are much his superiors, both in intelligence and in willingness to work. This uncomfortable feeling is not lessened when they stop to consider how Mr. Clements is gaining in favor through his evident desire to serve the electors, and serve them well. The walk over now looks to be on the other side.

The Banner thinks it sees the way out of the difficulty. "Why not put Mr. Clements in the Provincial House?" is the suggestion it offers. This would, at least, greatly strengthen Mr. McCoig's chances for election.

The Banner's dream will not be realized, however. They are plainly given to understand that Mr. Clements is the candidate for the Dominion House and there is no reason to doubt that he will be re-elected. As far as the Provincial House is concerned, there are many other good men in the Conservative ranks who are capable of running — and winning — when the time for the election rolls around.

It will be a disappointment to the Banner to know that their little game is so simple and silly. Why should Mr. Clements change when he has met with such success as the people's representative at Ottawa? His actions since his election have been heartily approved of by every one—the Banner included, for didn't they, unsolicited, say a short time ago, that "substantial public benefits have followed Mr. Clements' appeals for various municipalities and localities?"

Mr. Clements will still continue in public life as the friend of the people, at Ottawa.

2 in 1

SHOE POLISH

Black and White

Polishing shoes with "2 in 1" is a labor of love. Love for the work and of its effect. There is nothing like it for Ladies' shoes.

Black in 10c. and 25c. tins. White in 14c. glass.



JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

The Peninsular Fair wasn't advertised extensively enough. Even the rain didn't get next to the fact.

The hog quarantine has been lifted, so that thanks to Herb Clements, it is no longer on the hog.

The Russian bomb-throwers missed another general the other day. There is no excuse for such errors on their part. They have been getting lots of practice of late.

A Montreal banker says that money is scarce. How the Montreal bank discovered our secret is something we can't understand.

Cuba seems to be getting more free advertising over a moungrel peace settlement than most countries get out of a thoroughbred war.

After finding out that scrapping isn't a nice healthy game, nor conducive to bodily comfort, the Cubans are now busy looking up excuses why they should get on good terms with each other.

An up the river man has a pig with four ears. This should mean a material increase to the census up that way.

ANECDOTE OF JULIUS CAESAR. Once more the Senate pressed about Caesar, offering him the crown, and once more he thrust it away. A Voice—"All hail!" Everybody shouted violently. A voice—"Now, Julius, if we hail, you ought to be willing to reign!" This was some forty-four years B. C., or about 713 from the foundation of the city, yet the joke was deemed too ancient even then to be spread upon the official minutes.

WARM WEATHER WILL HELP

Now is the Time To Get Rid of Your Catarrh by Using Hyomei.

Everyone who is afflicted with catarrh should take advantage of the warm weather to get rid of this annoying and distressing disease, for the right treatment in August and September will give benefit much more quickly than in the winter and early spring.

The germ-killing and health-giving Hyomei, when breathed in the summer months has an even more beneficial action than when used in the colder weather. It is nature's own remedy for the cure of catarrh. It goes to the most remote air cells in the nose, throat and lungs, killing and driving from the system the catarrh germs. Hyomei is the simplest, most pleasant and the only guaranteed cure for catarrh that has ever been discovered. It is sold under a guarantee to refund the money if it does not give complete satisfaction.

At the season of the year, the first day's use of Hyomei will show a decided improvement in health and in a short time there will be no further trouble from catarrh.

You take no risk in buying Hyomei. The complete outfit costs but \$1.00, extra bottles, 50c. For sale by all dealers. The R. T. Booth Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Laundry Auction.

"Ever go to a laundryman's auction?" asked the man who was sorting bundles. "You can get bargains there sometimes. Here are forty-eight packages that will be sent to the auctioneer tomorrow. One bundle is labeled 'W. Jolitz. No address. Will call.' Now, I wonder what has become of W. Jolitz, who had no address and promised to call? What has become of the owners of these forty-seven packages? Some of the things thrown on our hands are very fine and as good as new. Just look at that pile of handkerchiefs and those shirt waists and collars and cuffs. It has been more than a year since they were left here. All unclaimed packages are kept a year or more, then they are sent around to a general receiving station to be disposed of at auction."

Archbishop of Canterbury.

The archbishop of Canterbury is referred to as "his grace," and he writes himself archbishop, etc., "divina providentia," whereas other prelates use the phrase "divina permissione." He is the first peer in the realm. At coronations he places the crown on the head of the sovereign, and the king and queen are his domestic parishioners. The bishop of London is his provincial dean, the bishop of Winchester his subdean, the bishop of Lincoln his chancellor and the bishop of Rochester his chaplain.

No Use For Them.

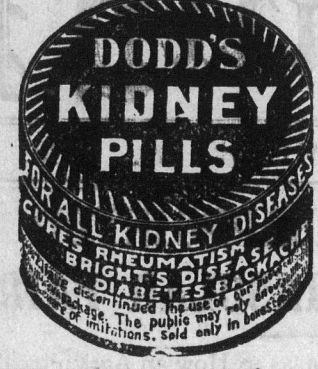
Canvasser—Madame, I would like to show you the beautiful silver forks that we are giving away with every half dozen bars of Skinifny soap. Lady of the House—We don't never eat with forks in this house. They leak.

Enough.

"I'll never ask another woman to marry me so long as I live." "Returned?" "No; accepted."—London Tit-Bits.

The angels may have wider spheres of action, but right with them and with us is one and the same thing—Chaplin.

No man cares to make even a confession to self of the follies of youth.



WOMEN AND DRINK HABIT.

Habit is Growing and Afternoon Wine is Very Fashionable in the Old Country Now.

The dictum of the president of the Divorce Court, that if the drink habit could be eradicated the Divorce Court might close its doors, turns attention to the question whether the drink habit among women is really increasing or diminishing, says The London Mail.

The number of divorces is certainly increasing, and the Police Court and coroners' records show increases in the number of convictions for drunkenness and of deaths accelerated by intemperance.

These facts, however, relate to only a part of the population, and the striking point remains whether, in spite of all the efforts of temperance advocates and the growing public opinion against alcoholic drinking, the habit is growing among the mass of women.

Temperance reformers might be expected to give the most favorable report of their work, yet an official of the Church of England Temperance Society, at Dean's Gate, Westminster, says there is no doubt the drink habit is increasing, and not diminishing, among women.

"It seems that women are not so susceptible as men to the appeals of temperance workers to their reason," he said. "In the last two or three years probably no pronouncement against the use of alcohol has had such a marked effect as Sir Frederick Treves' declaration that alcohol is a poison. Men pay serious attention to such a statement from such a man, and they are induced to put a curb on themselves when Sir Frederick Treves tells them that alcohol is apt to lead to a physical bankruptcy."

Women Unimpressed.

"But women do not seem to be impressed in the same manner. The well-to-do woman who had a round of calls to make, and finds herself getting tired, is apt not to act on the belief that alcohol is a poison. She is offered a glass of wine, and she takes it, saying to herself, 'I must keep myself going for the afternoon.' That is one of the causes of the drink habit among better-class women."

Such is being done to establish the belief in total abstinence among the younger women, and that phase of temperance work is most encouraging; but it is undoubted that in spite of the greater attention paid to the question in recent years intemperance is increasing, and not decreasing, among women."

Nearly all the leading doctors are temperance advocates to-day, and such eminent men as Sir Thomas Barlow, one of the King's physicians, and Sir Victor Horsley, have given their special attention to the habit of drinking among women. Sir Thomas Barlow long ago said that the special feature of intemperance among women is "secret drinking," and that relatively it is more common among women than men. One of the chief sources of secret drinking among middle-class women is the grocer's license. A temperance worker told an Express representative yesterday that thousands of middle-class homes are broken up through the facility which the grocer's shop offers women to procure intoxicants which they secretly drink at home. The drink is charged for as "groceries," with the result that the husband of the secret drinker is often unaware of his wife's indulgence until it is too late.

Secret Drinking.

Once contracted, the habit of secret drinking is so hard for a woman to break that when deprived of every ordinary form of alcohol women will resort to such an incredible stimulant as eau de cologne, which has the certain effect of producing madness. A west end doctor expressed the belief that the growing habit of drinking among women of the better class in London is largely due to the "restaurant life."

"Instead of lunching and dining at home, many women now take their meals in public restaurants," he said, "and they acquire the habit of drinking like men, taking a great deal more wine than is good for them, and finishing up with liqueurs or brandy, as if it were the natural thing for a woman to do."

"The after-theatre supper leads to similar indulgence, and I often see women of my acquaintance after supper quite visibly affected by the wine they have consumed."

"Drinking among women is much more pronounced than was ten years ago, and horrible as it may seem the secret drink in which many well-to-do women indulge is brandy. A whiskey-and-soda is a common request among women at afternoon calls."

Think of Dr. Sloop's Catarrh Cure if your nose and throat discharge if your breath is foul or feverish. It contains Oil of Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., incorporated into an imported, creamlike petrolatum. It soothes, heals, purifies, controls. Call at our store for free trial box. Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

DIFFERENT.

I'm afraid I'll have to discharge the new girl. Whenever I give her any orders she never listens at all.

My girl's quite different, said her visitor. Indeed! Yes; she listens all the time—at the keyhole.

Never step over one duty to perform another.

TO END ALL DISEASE.

Medical Advances of the Past—Prof. Ray Lankester's Summary of Position of Profession To-Day.

In his presidential address delivered to the British Association a few days ago, Prof. Ray Lankester devoted an important section to the medical advances of the past few years, and summarized in illuminating words the position of the profession to-day. A pathetic interest attaches to Prof. Lankester's address, in view of the movement to retire him as director of the Natural History Museum on pension of £200 a year. In a long letter to The Times, Prof. Lankester protests, eloquently and with dignity, against the action which would deprive him of a salary of £1,200, and throw him, at the age of 60, upon a world with which he is unacquainted, having spent his life in research and scientific experiment. It is to be hoped that some better recognition of Prof. Lankester's work as a scientist will be made than that proposed by the directors.

Famous German Doctors.

Realizing that the two greatest medical discoveries of the century were made by British doctors, it is only proper to admit that German, French, and Austrian medical men are to be credited with illustrious services in the study and treatment of disease. Prof. Lankester's remarks on medicine begin with a deserved tribute to Koch and Cohn. It was the latter, a professor in botany at Breslau, who gave Koch a start on his distinguished career, to which bacteriology owes so much. Thus did a botanist become a great benefactor to the medical profession; and to a zoologist, Metschnikoff, the explanation of immunity is due. Fifteen years ago Calmette, a brilliant French investigator, startled the world with the announcement of his experiments on a horse, into whose veins had been injected cobra venom. Calmette showed that if the poison was administered in small and attenuated doses at first, and gradually increased, enough might ultimately be given to kill thirty horses without in the least disturbing the animal. The horse had become immune, and an examination of his blood would show that a powerful antidote had been created. The Behring lymph, a practical specific for diphtheria, was a result of this discovery.

The Warriors of the Blood.

There is no discovery in medicine that makes more fascinating and encouraging reading than that of Metschnikoff in reference to the work of the white corpuscles, named by him phagocytes, or "cell-eaters." It is this theory that is now generally accepted as the explanation of immunity noted by Calmette. The white cells, or leucocytes, are the natural enemies of hostile germs. They are the warriors of the body, and so long as they are numerous and healthy enough no disease germs can injure their employer. By means of the microscope Metschnikoff was able to give a graphic description of the action of the warrior cells, as soon as the disease germs set up their action in the blood. Inflammation is the first indication of the battle—a blow struck by the invading micro-organisms. They have declared a state of siege. The blood current in the capillary blood-vessels is stopped. The red blood cells might be likened to terrified wayfarers, huddling together. The infection is put, as to speak, under martial law, and the soldiers are called out. These dash out through the arteries, press through the tissue affixed and give battle to the invaders. The battle rages, and usually ends in the leucocytes attacking and literally devouring their prey. The battle of circulation is resumed, inflammation disappears, and health is restored. It is to the action of the gallant little "phagocytes" that we owe our lives, once a deadly germ finds lodgment in the body.

Stimulating the Leucocytes.

In his address Dr. Lankester raised Metschnikoff's theory that the leucocytes should be stimulated in their activity, so that they might be always in training for the battles they may be called on to fight any moment. He found that the action of the leucocytes had a tendency to hinder the phagocytic action, and should, therefore, be used with extreme care, if not eschewed entirely. This discovery was probably in Sir Victor Horsley's mind when he spoke so earnestly of the dangers of alcohol as a drug, and encourages experimenters have been endeavoring to complete Metschnikoff's work by discovering some means by which the white corpuscles might be not only strengthened, but increased. When this is done the danger from germs will surely be a thing of the past, and mankind will have solved part of the problem of long life.

Work With the Microscope.

The study of disease is nowadays carried on chiefly by means of the microscope. Before this wonderful instrument was brought to something like its present state of perfection by Leitz, a knowledge of the cellular theory and micro-organisms, even if possible, would have been useless. By its use we have had the bacilli of leprosy, cholera, the plague, syphilis, tuberculosis, typhoid fever, yellow fever, malaria, the sleeping sickness and other diseases identified in the past few years or months. In most of these discoveries European histologists, chiefly Germans, have led the way, although a Japanese identified the plague germ; Col. Bruce and Major Ross made the discoveries relating to the germs whose favorite haunt is South Africa, and whose favorite messengers are mosquitoes and the tsetse fly.

In closing his review of medical advances in the past few years, Prof. Lankester warned his hearers that if England desired to keep the place in the world of science that had been won for her by Newton, Harvey, Darwin, Spencer, Huxley, Tyndall, and other great scientists, she must be prepared to follow Germany's example, and employ capable investigators. It is necessary to spend a thousand pounds where one pound is now spent. As a result of wise expenditure of the kind, he did not hesitate to point his countrymen to a day when a nation would be made of disease and the millennium ushered in.

A builder living at the little village of Bugle (Cornwall) has in his possession a duck which is over thirty years of age.

We Are Now Ready For the Fall Campaign

Ready with the choicest stocks and best values ever placed before the cash buyers of this city and Kent County; ready with the choicest goods the markets of the world can offer, at prices that mean a SAVING OF TEN TO TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. on every dollar you spend here.

Ask any of the hundreds of satisfied cash customers who throng this busy store daily, or better still, come yourself--test our statements, compare our goods and prices--satisfy yourself as to the accuracy of our claims.

Here are a few of the numerous money-saving claims that await wide awake buyers Saturday Morning.

Flaid Silk Waistings

In wide range rich Tartan Plaids, pure silk, 2 special lines at a yard 75c. and 50c.

All Wool Cloth Suitings 50c. Yard—

42 in. pure wool Covert Venetians costume weight, in black and range of leading shades, special a yard, 50c.

46 in. Granite Suitings 60c.—

Pure wool, full weight, firm weave, rich crisp finish, full 46 in. wide, colors black, blues, reds, greens, browns, etc., special a yard, 60c.

New Tweed Suitings

8 pcs. 44 in. fine pure wool French Tweed Suitings, good range colorings in newest patterns, regular \$1 a yard, special at 75c.

Handsome Tweed Suitings

Canadian, English and French weaves, 44 in. to 56 in. wide, an immense range, the prettiest styles and best values we ever had, at a yard, 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c. \$1 and \$1.25

New Broadcloths, Chiffon, Venetians, Sedan Suitings

48 in. to 54 in. wide, fine pure wools, superior dyes and finish in new reds, blues, greens, brown and black, at a yard \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 \$2.00.

New Wrapperettes 10c. Yard—

Over 50 choice patterns and colorings, fine quality cloth full standard width, special a yard 10c.

37 Inch Wrapperettes 12½c. Yard—

Fine heavy quality, over a yard wide, in new wrapper and waisting designs, fast colors, regular 15c. yard, special 12½c.

New Kimona Flannels and Waistings—

Fine cloths, in new desirable patterns, fast colors, at a yard 12½c, 15c and 18c.

12½c. English Shaker Flannels 10c.—

Fine heavy quality, 32 in. wide, in range of fast color stripes, a good 12½c. flannel for 10c.

English Shirting Shakers, 12½c.—

Superior quality English flannel in fast color stripe patterns, for shirting, etc., special a yard 12½c.

7c. Stripe Shakers for 5c. Yard—

1,400 yards good quality stripe flannel, 29 in. wide, in fast color stripes, regular 7c. yard for 5c.

A White Cotton Bargain—

1,200 yards fine cambric finish bleached cotton, even weave, pure finish, full yard wide, worth 12c. yard.

Saturday, 9c.

THE NORTHWAY CO., LIMITED

TOWNSHIP COUNCILS

DOVER COUNCIL.

The Council met as Court of Revision on McKenzie drain repair at Raymond's Hall, Mitchell's Bay, on Sept. 3rd, the members all being in attendance.

The appeals were considered, the appellants and parties appealed against were heard in evidence and the Court of Revision adjourned.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Moved by Bourdeau and Crawford, that Oliver Owen be paid \$25 for providing a public highway across his property till the bridge is built across the dredge cut on the 14th Con. road.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and Terry, that the Reeve be appointed to see the engineer and have him make the change in the profile of the McKenzie drain, as requested by the ratepayers; and that Matthew Rankin be appointed commissioner to attend to the work of repairing said drain.—Carried.

The grievance of Charles Dunlop was referred to Mr. Lewis with power.

Moved by Terry and Lewis, that Archibald Bell, Esq., Co. Judge, be and he is hereby requested to investigate the charges made by the Wallaceburg Herald-Record against the members of this Council.—Carried.

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