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BREACH OF PROMISE CASE.

Father of Plaintiff Used to Sit Up Until 2 a.m. While Clerical Suitor Wooed His Daughter.

The Rev. Joseph Jennings Smyth, the incumbent of St. Donard's, Belfast, occupied the unenviable position of defendant in a breach of promise action, which was partly heard by Lord Chief Baron Palfrey at Belfast recently.

The plaintiff was Miss May Robinson, who has not yet reached the age of twenty-one, and who lives with her parents at Dunmurry, a picturesque suburb of Belfast, on the Lagan. She estimates that it will take £1,000 to console her for the loss of the incumbent.

It is not often that the public has an opportunity of criticizing the methods of love-making employed by the benevolent clergy, but Sergeant Dodd, K. C., who tore aside the veil on behalf of Miss Robinson, made it plain that their methods do not differ widely from those of other men.

The romance—"as pretty a little love-story as I have ever come across, either in actual fact or in a story book"—was Sergeant Dodd's description of it—had its inception when the Rev. Joseph was a mere curate in the parish of Derrynish, four miles from Miss Robinson's home.

He posed as her suitor, the sergeant said, and practically became the son of the family.

Proud of His Feet.

He was passionately fond of her, though at the time the passion was more on his side than hers. She was a little bit shy, and he more than a little ardent. He caressed her, and insisted on his right to kiss her, to put his arm round her, to pull her on his knee, as he eventually came to do in her mother's presence.

He never took off his boots when he came to the house, and used Miss Robinson's. "Perhaps he was proud of his feet," suggested Sergeant Dodd, and the court gave itself up to uncontrollable laughter.

Miss Robinson's heart went out to him, and more to the curate, until at last he had her affections in his grasp.

Mr. Smyth went to Cork in 1903, and wrote a series of letters, which were unparaphrased, said counsel, for they were absolutely free from demonstrations of affection and those affusions which sometimes amused the gallery. And this in spite of the fact that Miss Robinson had written: "If my love Mr. Smyth were here, I would not have left the house, and always signed her letters with 'love'."

Papa's Philosophy.

The classical lover became cool at times. On one of these occasions, Miss Robinson became ill. Mrs. Robinson was annoyed, but Mr. Robinson took the matter philosophically, and said: "If they fall out, they can fall back on me."

After he obtained a living Mr. Smyth went to the house and explained that although he loved Miss Robinson he could not marry her, as the clergy told him her position was not good enough.

Then he put her arms round his neck and took her on his knee. "I thought my daughter was sitting on the knee of an honorable gentleman," was Mrs. Robinson's indignant remark.

Sounds Like Bunsen.

Many of the little rifts within the lute appeared when Miss Robinson was absent. She was a little bit of a Bunsen.

Once she was in that position and toying with his ring. She took it off, with the gentle words, "I will keep it now, Joe, till you get me my engagement ring." He had to go away while she was in that position, and he did not repeat it until he had written a very cross letter.

It was followed by one dated Jan. 6, 1904, in which were the ominous words: "There never was any engagement between us."

What asked Sergeant Dodd, was he there at all, kissing the girl, accepting the father's hospitality, and keeping him up until two in the morning if there was no engagement?

He had said that in his professional position he was on friendly terms with the family. Was it part of his professional duty to kiss the youngest girl and take her on his knee? Was that the way he interpreted his mission on the earth to preach the gospel?

After evidence had been heard the case was adjourned.

A Whistler One.

Of Whistler, the famous painter, an artist said: "Mr. Whistler had been poor himself, and he saw nothing shameful or dishonorable in poverty. If you were poor he would mock without pity your destitution."

"I knew and admired Whistler in the early days of my career in Paris. He was luxurious. I lived in a garret. Though he liked me none the less for that, he did not permit any false delicacy to keep him from joking me about my poorhouse ways."

"One day, in a very shabby suit, I was strolling on the Boulevard des Capucines when some one hailed me from the rear. I turned and saw Whistler hastening toward me in his tall hat and his lemon-colored gloves, waving his long black cane."

"Ah," said I, rather flattered, "so you recognized me from behind, did you, master?"

"Yes," said Mr. Whistler, laughing maliciously, "I spied you through a hole in your coat."

ARGONAUTS OUT OF IT.

Beaten By Trinity Hall For Grand Challenge Cup By Half a Length.

Henley-on-the-Thames, July 5.—(C. A. P.).—Trinity Hall beat Argos half a length in the time of 7.09. From the start to the finish it was a magnificent race, nip-and-tuck to the end. The Argos was seen from the referee's launch seemed to have a slight lead at the top of Temple Island. The time for the half-course was 3.25. Both crews steered a fine course. It was by far the most exciting race at the regatta.

Wright at the start rowed 41, and never got lower than 38, but stroke side was too strong. Wright has no excuses whatever, for the defeat; he declares himself perfectly satisfied with his work. He will row no more. Yesterday's race, he says, is his last. As showing the Argos were able to stay the course, at the last 200 yards they caught up nearly level with Trinity Hall. The most disappointed man at Henley is Wright. He feels the crew's defeat most keenly. Wright, no doubt, was the strongest man on the crew.

Weather conditions during the race were excellent. Some lookers-on claim that the half-length given officially should have been one-third. O'Brien expressed the opinion that had there been 50 yards more the Argos would have won.

This put the Argonauts finally out of the contest for the Grand Challenge Cup.

Belgians beat Third Trinity easily by two lengths in the time of 7.03.

The Belgians and Trinity Hall will thus contest in the final for the Grand Challenge Cup to-day.

The London papers, this morning all speak in praise of the Argos and regret their defeat.

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Charged With Arson.

Whitby, July 5.—Charged with having set fire to a building in order to conceal speculations from lodge funds, Fred Law of Pickering is under arrest here. He will be brought before a magistrate this afternoon. The endeavor of the prisoner's wife to prevent a catastrophe led to the arrest.

Candidates For Prince Edward.

Montreal, July 5.—At the Liberal convention at Charlottetown, P. E. I., for Queen's County, A. B. Warburton, the last election, and candidate at the last election, and Hon. George Simpson, were chosen as federal candidates.

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22,000,000 Appeal Dismissed.

London, July 5.—(C. A. P.).—By the Privy Council yesterday the Whitney v. Joyce appeal was dismissed with costs. This was an appeal from John Joyce's £200,000, being par value of the stock of the Shawinigan Water and Power Co. The action is based on an alleged verbal agreement of partnership entered into in the year 1899. The respondent denied such an agreement.

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Wit that wounds is the cruel surgery of speech.

A man, somehow, blinks when it comes to browning flattery on his wife.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

HARD TO REALIZE ON.

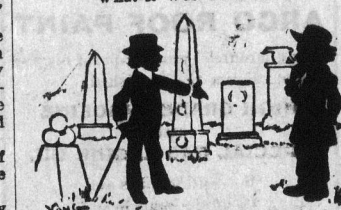
We dream of a time when our ship shall arrive
With spices and such in the hold;
We dream of a mansion, we dream of a farm.
We dream of a barrel of gold.
One dream fades away, but another comes on.
And always of roofer hue,
But we would, I venture, fall dead with surprise
If one in a thousand came true.

We dream of the time when the people shall call
In tones that we cannot but hear
And say, "Here's an office; just take it, although
It's only five thousand a year."
Of castles in Spain or the isles of the sea
Or some other place far away,
But none of our dreaming comes round to make good.
Though we work at it eight hours a day.

We dream of a maiden with wonderful eyes.
When asked for the asking he had;
Or if we're a lady we dream of a prince
With a noble and wealthy old dad.
We dream of a house with a spacious front yard
On Easy or some other street.
And sometimes we venture to dream of a dream
That places results at our feet.

We dream of a time we shall rest on our oars.
Sit down and look work in the eye
And say to it: "You are no longer for us.
Begone, take your knitting and fly."
We dream in our playing, we dream at our work.
At mealtimes we set in a few.
But we would, I'm certain, fall dead with surprise
If one in a million came true.

What It Was Good For.



"This," said the guide impressively as he waved his hand in the direction of the battlements, "is historic ground."
"Which is mighty lucky," observed the practical and unromantic old farmer, "as it looks as though they couldn't raise anything on it but monuments."

Strictly Platonic.

"I knew a woman who fell in love with a man twenty years younger than herself."
"How very foolish!"
"But it seemed a natural thing for her to do."

"Seems unnatural to me."
"But you must remember she was only twenty-two years old and didn't know any better."

Unusual.

"His family was starving, and he stole a loaf of bread."
"I suppose they sentenced him for life."
"No; the jury said it was grand larceny and let him off."

They Happen Around.

A chance you bet, they never miss. These busy little brothers. Observe that they are others.

Not In Sight.

"I heard you were trying to grow a mustache."
"Well, it is a barefaced lie."

On the Way.

"Has he ever been in jail?"
"Not yet. He has only got as far as the city council."



Trouble For Nothing.

"He was born in a log cabin and went barefoot until he was seventeen."
"And he isn't president of the United States?"
"No."
"Say, what's the use?"

BERT PARAGRAPHS.

When learning is pounded into a boy's head it makes him mad because he can't go outdoors and throw it away.

It is impossible for a woman to turn a man down so politely that he will not know something has happened.

It is generally poor picking for his family when a man tries to earn his bread by the sweat of his voice.

If a corporation is without a soul a trust must be without two of them.

Conclusions must be masculine, judging from the way women jump at them.

A rolling stone gathers no moss. Its roll evidently isn't of the right kind.

It takes all kinds of people to make a world. Possibly that is how your neighbor explains you.

It is claimed that little of our food is pure, but it doesn't seem as though it would be possible to adulterate frogs' legs.

When a man goes to work loaded he may look for a discharge.

PENSION VESTED RIGHT

Sir Adolphe Caron Protests Against Repeal of 1905 Act.

For Himself and Other Privy Counsellors He Claims It Would Be a Breach of Faith—Senate Is Being Lobbied to Defeat Measure, and It Is Believed Movement Has the Secret Support of the Government.

Montreal, July 5.—There was a despatch in The Star last night from Ottawa, covering three columns, giving the text of a protest addressed to the Governor-in-Council at Ottawa from Sir Adolphe Caron in his own behalf, and of his co-pensioners, against the repeal of the pension to privy counsellors. Hon. Mr. Tarte of La Patrie has been at Ottawa all week lobbying in the same direction.

They claim that they have a vested right, and that it would be a breach of faith for Parliament to repeal a pension once given.

A gentleman who came here last night from the capital says that there is a decided effort being made to induce the Senate to throw out the bill repealing the pensions, and that this movement may even have the secret support of the Government, notwithstanding that they and their supporters in the Commons will carry the act of repeal in the popular chamber with a rush.

The Senate is being lobbied now to do this.

FOURTEEN PASS MILLIONS.

Other 200 Representatives of the People Supposed to Be Satisfied—To Deplete Welland Canal.

Ottawa, July 5.—When the orders of the day were called in the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Fisher answered a question put by Mr. Lake Tuesday regarding H. J. Moberley, said to be a census enumerator for a certain district in Saskatchewan, who was alleged to be a man who had been fined \$100 for election irregularities. Mr. Fisher said there was no such person as Moberley in that district. The work was being done by two men, Alex. Macbeth and James Flett.

The House went into Committee of Supply, taking up harbors and rivers items in the Public Works Department. Items amounting to \$73,750 for Prince Edward Island, \$214,600 for New Brunswick, \$22,500 for the Maritime Provinces generally, were passed, with little discussion.

An item of \$750 to complete the Disraeli Wharf revived this familiar scandal. The so-called "wharf" is nothing more or less than a municipal bridge. The town is midway between Lake Ayler and Black Creek which are connected by a long, marshy depression, used as a cow pasture, and sometimes as a meadow in summer, but overgrown in the spring. There was an amusing colloquy between Mr. Moberley (Dorchester) and Mr. Tobin (Richmond and Wolfe).

W. F. Maclean (South York) suggested that it would be economical to present this bridge by deed of gift to the municipality. As it was, the Government would be called upon to keep the so-called "wharf" in repair. He would not be at all surprised to see a wharfinger appointed.

The committee passed bills respecting the Mississippi & Keewatin Railway Co. and incorporating the Temagami, Cobalt & Temiskaming Railway Co. Would Deplete Welland Canal.

During the hour for private bills, a bill, which had passed the Senate, and had been reported by the committee, and sought to incorporate the Grand River and Western Power Co. was discussed.

Its real purpose and effect was pointed out by W. F. Maclean (South York). The Grand River was to be the scheme of a source of supply, but the scheme was to divert the water from Lake Erie. One direct result would be to deplete the Welland Canal.

Mr. Hyman stated the Government would oppose the bill. The International Waterways Commission had recommended their respective Governments to grant no further franchises for water powers, and there has been an order in council adopting this policy. Indirectly, this scheme would affect the waters of Lake Erie and might deplete a feeder of the Welland Canal.

R. L. Borden asked to see the order in council. There were some curious rumors afloat respecting the opposition from some members of the Government. It was said that they were interested in a rival company.

Mr. Hyman did not produce the order in council, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, upon being appealed to, could not recall the order.

Mr. Emmerson said he cared nothing about the order in council, but he opposed the bill as threatening navigation on the Welland Canal. The public works of the Government in that part of the country were imperilled.

The bill was still being discussed when the hour for private bills expired.

Fourteen Pass Millions. Among other matters discussed in supply last night were the dredging of Toronto harbor, by Claude Macdonell, the collapse of the wharf at Sorel by Mr. Kemp, and the resignation of Mr. Taylor, the supervising architect of the Laurier tower, by R. L. Borden.

Substantially all the estimates presented by Mr. Hyman, involving as they did, many millions of dollars, were passed after 11 p.m. by about 14 members, the remaining 200 representatives of the people are supposed to be entirely satisfied.

G. T. P. Bill Passed. Ottawa, July 5.—In the Senate last night the committee yesterday the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Co.'s charter was passed without amendment.

B. C. Railway Bill Beaten. Ottawa, July 5.—The bill to incorporate the Pacific & Eastern Railway Co. from Victoria, B. C., to Edmonton, was defeated by 27 to 42. The incorporators were Sir Henry Pellatt, B. F. Pearson, Halifax; Hugh Blair, Toronto; E. Tasse, J. F. Bethune, Ottawa.

Commons Rules Revised. Ottawa, July 5.—The special com-

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Committee appointed to consider the rules of the House of Commons reported yesterday. It was decided that all speeches must be relevant to the subject under discussion. Then as to the argument of the House, before a member can move the adjournment he will have to notify the Speaker beforehand, and after he has done this, when he rises on the orders of the day to do so twenty members must rise in support of him or he cannot proceed. Every Wednesday the House will meet at 11 o'clock and adjourn at 6 p.m.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

Five Boys Killed and Nine Injured By Dynamite Explosion.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., July 5.—Five boys were killed and nine injured by a dynamite explosion at Wanamie, near here, last night.

Syracuse, N. Y. July 5.—A giant firecracker, which prematurely exploded, blew off the thumb and index finger of the right hand of Michael Morris of Spitzrock. Michael Vaccaro was shot through a finger while playing with a revolver. The faces of Herbert Cable, Thomas Hewitt and Bernard Brown (boys) were badly burned by firecrackers which exploded unexpectedly.

Buffalo, July 5.—Charles D. Fuller, a policeman, had his right hand blown off by a giant firecracker.

Toronto, July 5.—Ed. Yohs, the four-year-old son of Edward Yohs of Pittsburg, who arrived in the city on Tuesday evening en route to Muskoka celebrating the 4th here, seized a cannon-cracker just as it went off. His right hand was badly lacerated. His face was also burned.

Celebrations Abroad. Winnipeg, July 5.—Over six thousand Americans and their friends celebrated the fourth here yesterday.

London, July 5.—William J. Bryan was the central figure at the Independence Day dinner of the American Society at the Hotel Cecil last night. Nearly 500 members and guests cheered patriotic sentiments with zest born of exile.

Chairman W. F. Jones proposed the health of King Edward VII. and Hamel Greenwood, president of the Canadian Society and member of Parliament for the City of York, proposed the health of President Roosevelt.

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