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### DOWNING STREET.

Sir Algernon West's Reminiscences of No. 10—Humors of the Cabinet Room—Mr. Gladstone's Last Council.

In the January Cornhill, Sir Algernon West gives some interesting reminiscences of 10 Downing street. Sir Algernon has a special interest in its history, for the house was offered to his great-grandfather, Sir Robert Walpole, by George II., and accepted by him as the official residence of all succeeding First Lords of the Treasury. Lady West, a grand-daughter of Lord Grey, was born there, and Sir Algernon and his wife occupied the house in 1869, during Mr. Gladstone's Administration. The writer mentions that in his recollection Cabinets used to be held in the old Foreign Office up to the close of the Crimean war. A friend who was then private secretary to Lord Palmerston at the War Office told Sir Algernon how, when the news of the fall of Sebastopol arrived, Palmerston gave a view-halloa you might have heard across the park.

Sir Robert Peel, during his tenure of office, never moved from his home in Whitehall to take up his residence in Downing street, though he transacted official business there. This leads to the curious little note that: "It is not so very long ago—indeed, I am told as lately as 1893—that a charge used to appear in the annual estimates presented to Parliament for a small annuity for the sweeper who kept the crossing clean, so that the Prime Minister should not dirty his boots on his passage from Whitehall to the Treasury."

The humbler official life of 10 Downing street has its humors: "To all of us the Cabinet-room was a sort of political temple; but to a famous old office-keeper, Appleton, who had lived to see so many Administrations, it was a veritable holy of holies."

"Come in here, sir, if you please," he one day said to a high official in the Treasury, now Lord Welby, "the table had to be enlarged, and see what the Board of Works has done; they have put a leaf made of deal in the middle of the mahogany table—is that respectful?" My economist friend suggested that the green cloth would cover it. All he could say was: "Is that respectful?"

Sir Algernon makes the following reference to Mr. Gladstone's last Cabinet Council: "When Mr. Gladstone returned in 1892, he found it difficult to hear at the long table in the accustomed room, and the captain's biscuits and carafe of water which are granted by a grateful country to its Ministers, were taken upstairs into what was called the deputations room, and I have in my possession a plan, drawn by Mr. Gladstone himself, showing the position of the table and how his Cabinet was to be arranged around it. In 1894 he attended his Cabinet for the last time. He sat, as John Morley in his wonderful biography tells us, composed and as still as marble, the emotion of his colleagues did not pain him for an instant. He followed the words of acknowledgment and farewell in a little speech of four or five minutes, his voice unbroken and serene, the tone low, grave, and steady—and then he said: 'God bless you all.'"

**Bachelor Malfeasance.** Active preparations are in progress for the tenancy of 11 Downing street, by Mr. Austen Chamberlain, the new Chancellor of the Exchequer. When the work has been completed, the right hon. gentleman will go into residence, and will, it is stated, have his sister to keep house for him. The position of having a bachelor for recent precedent, while it is absolutely unique, to find the First Lord and the Chancellor living in bachelorhood in the adjoining residences—10 and 11 Downing street—each with a sister presiding over the domestic part of the establishment.

### SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER.

But Lovely Woman's Only Political Plank

The Melbourne Age thus refers to the candidature of the only lady aspirant for Federal honors in Victoria (who, by the way, was not elected): "There is one element in the Senate contest that is quite novel. It is the candidature of Miss Goldstein. All who have listened to the addresses of the lady describe her as a graceful and attractive speaker, who can talk charmingly apropos of nothing. She has no political grasp of the grave questions which must confront the next Parliament; and she asks women and others to vote for her, not on account of any political opinions she holds, or any high cause she would serve, but simply on account of her sex. This is certainly unworthy of the platform of any candidate, and mere euphonious speech and a pretty face are not substitutes for solid opinions and definite principles in the battle of life. Miss Goldstein owed it to her sex as the first lady candidate to have fortified herself with at least enough knowledge to enable her to take sides."

**Stephenson Stoker.** There has just died at Spynmoor, in Durham, Mr. T. Marshall, said to have been the stoker, on its initial trip, of the first engine built by Geo. Stephenson for the Stockton and Darlington Railway. The journey took place on September 27, 1825, and it is on record that the chimney of the locomotive became nearly red hot, but though the engine was most boisterously skittish, the journey was safely accomplished, the engineer being Stephenson himself. The train consisted of six loaded wagons, a passenger carriage, twenty-one trucks fitted with seats, and six wagons filled with coals. The number of passengers was 450; on the return journey they increased to over 600, many of them "hanging to the wagons in a state of delight, suspense, and even fear."—London Chronicle.

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### Waltham Abbey.

Waltham Abbey, England, which has fallen into the hands of the "reformer," is associated with the memory of King Harold. It was founded by that monarch, whose tomb stood for many centuries on a site of the present church. William the Conqueror showed little regard for the monastery. He robbed it of its vestments, plate, and jewels, though, curiously enough, he left the monks in possession of their large estates. Among former curates of Waltham Abbey was Thomas Evans, who has left an interesting "History" of his old church, which, by an odd coincidence, he compiled from a chronicle written by his namesake, Robert Fulker, the last abbot of Waltham before the Reformation.

### Sir Colin Campbell's Commission.

When the Duke of Wellington was in India he "discovered" the soldier afterward became Sir Colin Campbell. That dashing warrior was in the commissariat service and had volunteered for an assault on the hill fort. The duke saw a little round man up a ladder, and receiving a pike thrust at the top, roll down like a ball to the bottom. He was, however, up again in an instant, and, running up like a squirrel, was the first or among the first in the place. The duke laughed, inquired about him, and procured him a commission.



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It stands afar in happy sunlit fields, A little farmhouse, brown and old, With ancient ivy-covered, battened walls, And straw-thatched roof of gold; And I a wanderer from the dusty town, Grown weary of its heavy ways, Wistful, from off its last white road, look down And long for the old days.

For there the nights were blessed with quiet sleep, The days were filled with happy cares, And there the skies seemed ever blue, and there

Was time for peace and prayer; While youth and laughter, joy and hope Sang in my heart a happy song. Ah me! a song that's hushed forever, mere.

The crowded streets among, And now I stand and gaze, with heavy heart, Across dear fields in longing cry, To where another world happier far, Looks from the low half-door.

Oh, little farmhouse, old and brown, and sweet, I wake when all the world's at rest And think of you, and long for the old peace.

And the untroubled breast, —Full Mail Gazette.

### BLOW TO TRUE SCOTS.

Harpies Were Introduced to Them by the English.

The true Scotsman will spend a sad half hour when he learns that Scotland cannot really boast of being the mother- or father- of the harp-pipes, and that these harp-pipes and necessary musical instruments had been actually dumped on to the land of heather and gorse by England!

As this charge was made at the annual gathering of the Incorporated Society of Musicians—and in Glasgow, too—it is a insinuation that must not be treated too lightly.

Scotsmen in London are already thinking of combining in a big protest against this slur upon the pipes.

However, enquiries were set afoot, and it was found that the harp-pipe goes back into the dim days of the Old Testament, and that it was used by the Egyptians, the Greeks, and the Romans long before either England or Scotland produced anything beyond mud and paludettes.

It has been known in various countries and languages as the musetto, the sackpfeife (a most descriptive word), and the cornamus.

In Nero's time it was a popular instrument, for history has it that that wicked emperor "promised to appear before the public as a bagpiper." It is very probable that it was not the fiddle that Nero played while Rome was burning—but the bagpipe.

Shakespeare talks of the drone of a "Lincolnshire bagpipe," and a far greater than he—the British Encyclopedia—gives much evidence "to disprove the common notion that the instrument has always been peculiar to Scotland."

After this blow to Highland traditions some cynical investigator will prove, perhaps, that the haggis came originally from Australia, that the Scotch broth was made first in Germany, that the kilts were aboriginal garments many years B.C. (as, in deed, they were), and that the best Scotch whiskey comes from Ireland.

But there is still butt-scotch remaining. Nobody can prove that this delicacy was dumped into Scotland by alien confectioners.

### "Young Ideas" Random Shots.

The following list of amusing mistakes made by British schoolboys in their examination papers is compiled by The University Correspondent: Iron is grown in large quantities for manufacturing purposes in S. France.

The sun never sets on British possessions, because the sun sets in the west, and our colonies are in the north, south, and east.

The diminutive of man is mankind. Answer, Adam.

Blood consists of two sorts of corkscrews—red corkscrews and white corkscrews.

Asked to explain what a "butteress" was, a boy replied: "A woman who makes butter" and another "a female butcher."

Teacher's dictation: His cholera rose to such a height that passion well-nigh choked him. Pupil's reproduction: cholera rose to such a height that fashion well-nigh choked him.

A Job's comforter is a thing you give babies to soothe them. A sky-scraper is an overtrimmed hat.

Political economy is the science which teaches us to get the greatest benefit with the least possible amount of honest labor.

An emolument is a soothing medicine. In the United States people are put to death by elocution.

Gravity was discovered by Isaac Walton. It is chiefly noticeable in the autumn, when the apples are falling from the trees.

### Sir Henry Irving's Empty House.

On one occasion Sir Henry Irving and another unknown actor, being especially in need of money arranged to go down to Lincoln, where Irving was to read the "Lady of Lyons." His companion billed the town and engaged the hall, and Irving was announced to appear "at precisely eight o'clock." At that hour the two friends left their hotel and found the Town Hall not only deserted, but locked. What they hunted up the old Scotch janitor they were disappointed to find that he had forgotten all about the reading! But he opened the hall, and they waited in patience and absolute solitude for an hour and a half. Not one citizen of Lincoln came to hear the "Lady of Lyons" read. Irving says that for years he could not hear of anything taking place at "precisely eight o'clock" without a shudder.

Physician in the Morning. "Why," said the youngster to his older brother, "do heffers have so many more kinds of sickness than other shuff?"

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