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Humor and Philosophy By DUNCAN M. SMITH

THE COOLER SEX.

She wears the gausy garment
The livelong summer through,
With holes for ventilation
Where men may peckaboo.
Of course I don't imagine
That she need such things fear;
The men are all too bashful,
Or too polite, I hear.

Built on the lines of beauty
And sense and higher art,
The shirt waist can to woman
An added grace impart;
And man looks on impatient
And wishes all the while
He had the nerve to wear it,
Regardless of the style.

Man boasts that he has conquered The beasts of lesser wif, And made the elements sit up And notice him a bit; But when it comes to dressing For comfort and for ease, He has to yield the honor To woman, if you please.



"I suppose your wife likes to have the last word, like all women?" "Does she? Say, that woman would talk back to a phonograph."

To Capitalize the Habit "What is he going to call his new

paper?"
"He thinks some of naming it the 'Umbrella.'" "Weather news organ?"
"Not specially; but he thinks if he names it the Umbrella everybody would take it."

"Our minister frequently preaches against diamonds and such adornments."

"Sermons in stones, I guess."

A Card Shark.
"Really, I do not know which card to play."
"When in doubt, you know, play

trumps."
"Yes, that's so. Which is trumps aces or ten spots?" Save Yourself.

When a motor car is moting
Down the busy boulevard,
That's the time to be a-noting
How the grass grows in the yard;
Clear the track and keep a-running,
Save yourself, and then look out;
Oh, the lady looks too cunning
In her little runabout.

When a chauffeur starts to chauffing
Down a quiet country road,
It's no time for lasy loafing
For an elephant or toad;
It is time to seek for shelter,
To vamoose, light out, skiddoo,
When the chauffeur, helter skelter,
Lets his speed belt out a few.

Interested.
"He has a genius for trouble."
"Indeed, how strange!"
"Oh, I don't know; he's a lawyer."



PERT PARAGRAPHS.

e are a lot of people wandering about the landscape wondering has become of the limelight that by shine so generously upon them

When it comes to paying bills the easure is all the other man's.

A man who never tries to please his wife deserves all he gets.

Hopeful is the touch of a friend.

Our faults are our own. Nobody covits or copies them.

CANADA'S GREATEST NEED. People of the Dominion Must Stand For Better Education.

Canada as a Confederation is just forty years old and one is reminded of the message of Moses to Israel. "Thou shalt remember all the way by which the Lord thy God led thee these forty years." To the nation, as to the individual, there comes always the danger "lest we forget."

We can appreciate now more fully than at the first the constructive statesmanship that welded together our provinces, opening a new prospect of national unity and growth. We can recall those early years of Confederation when reciprocity had been cancelled and the southern markets had been closed, when the American tariff bore severely upon us, when we had not found our way to the markets across the seas and our problems of transportation and of tariff seemed almost more than we could solve. We can recall the opening of our great West that had hitherto lain, silent and empty, the rebellion that threatened our peaceful possession of it, but that served only to unite our provinces more firmly than acts of Parliament could bind them, the spanning of prairis and mountain by railway, attended by the vanguard of immigration "the first low wash of wayes where soon would roll a human sea." Little wonder that it took so long for other nations to know much about us when it took so long for other nations to know much about us when it took so long for other nations to know much about us when it took so long for other nations to know much about us when it took so long for other nations to know much about us when it took so long for other nations to know on the provinces at a sufficient number of points to assure us of great material wealth, we have checked the outflow of our own people by providing employment for them at home; we are receiving accessions to our population of mental and spiritual food is not regulated by the laws of supply and demand that rule in beaf and wheat we require to be reminded of our higher needs less the food of the provided of th

Celebrating Hudson River.

The plans for the so-called Hudson-Fulton celebration two years hence have been submitted, and it is evident that the Hudson river, not its discoverer nor the first exploiter of steamships, is to be the centre of the celebration. Festivities which are imposing and adequate for the purpose are to extend over eight days, from Sept. 18 to Sept. 26, 1909. This period includes the date of Hudson's halt on the up trip and his return downstream, Sept. 19 and 23 respectively.

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Talton's celebrated trip up the Hudson in the pioneer steamboat Clemmont took place Aug. 11, 1807, and this event is brought into the celebration of 1809 for convenience. In the great water parade, which will close the ceremonies, models of Hudson's ship, the Half Moon, and of the Clemmont will be escorted up the river. Thus the names and the deeds of these two will be linked with the river which the destiny of civilization would have made historic had neither Hudson nor Fulton ever sailed upon its waters. However, their names are inseparably associated with the river, and it is fitting that they be linked in the manner proposed in the program of the celebration.

Owl.

The Old Commercial Instinct.

"What do you think of this table, william?" asked Mrs. Newlyrich, pointing proudly to the antique piece she had purchased.

"What did you pay for it?" grunted her Bill or "without any money" days.

"One hundred dollars, dear,"

It think you ought to have been able to buy a new one for that," returned her unantiquarian informed spouse, casting a reflective and scrutinizing continue.

Every day a man submits to some injustice he vowed yesterday he would never stand.

How shall I be able to rule over of theres, that have not the full power and command of myself?

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The present season promises one of the largest catches of fish in the great lakes in many years. The usual output of the lakes for several years past has been close to 150 million pounds annually of which Lake Erle produced over half. For the past decade there has been a gradual falling off in the quantity of fish caught in the great lakes. This year, however, the nets of the fishing companies along the coast of lakes have almost invariably been overrunning when lifted. The success of the fishermen who fish every day during the season contradicts the supposition that the lake supply of fish is giving

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Men Who, Had They Lived, Might Have Changed History.

Julius Caesar was assassinated when he had almost completed the task of consolidating the administration and dominion of the Roman empire, and his death opened the way to that despotism and corruption which ultimately undid his work. Henry of Navarre was killed when he had almost healed the differences between Catholic and Protestant which subsequently rent not only France, but Europe, and William the Silent also fell when he was on the point of uniting the Netherland provinces into a compact barrier against the encroachments of Spain.

In English history Lord Clive died at the moment when he was the one man who could have saved the American colonies and kept the Anglo-Saxon race united. But there is the case of Mirabeau. He was literally the one man in France who could have averted the horrors of the revolution, saved and reformed the monarchy and so spared Europe the murderous career of Napoleon and all the devastation it brought. If he had lived ten or even five years longer, the history not only of France, but of Europe and the world, would have been different. It is, in fact, sufficient to say that he would have made both Robespierre and Napoleon impossible.

A Great Leveler.

Have you ever thought what a great leveler the telephone is? You would never think of meeting some dignitary of church or state or some great society lady on the street and address either with a familiar "Hello!" It would be unpardonable rudeness, and yet that is what you do daily when you use the telephone, and nothing is thought of it. The judge on the beuch, the governor in his office, the busy coupon clipper at his desk, the overworked clerk, the lady in her boudour, the artisan at his lathe, are all slaves to that democratic "Hello!" it matters not who may be on the other end of the wire.—Stanberry Owl.

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Strange Libel Claim of a Vancouver

cision both ways. The Province will appeal on the ground that as the statement was not theilous, the plaintiffs had no status in court.

The Vancouver World sued The Vancouver Daily Province on a statement published by The Province that its net paid month to month, year in and year out circulation is more than double that of any other evening paper in Vancouver. The World, which is the only other local evening paper, submitted compiled statements of its circulation, showing it had more than half. So it claimed injury and damages for talse statement. The reply is first it is not a case for libel, but one for disparagement of goods, which might apply to a trader, but not a newspaper. The statement is merely self-praise, which is not actionable.

The defence sought dismissal also on the ground that if the statement were libellous and actionable the plaintiffs had failed to prove their case, having failed to prove their own circulation, presenting in court merely circulation books and not original slips from which entries had been made. The defendants' counsel arguing the books were not admissible, but merely hearsay evidence.

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Few aspects of the march of thought are more interesting than those cases by means few or far betweet, in which leading pioneers in the world of scientific discovery or philosophical thought have worked out great ideas on independent lines, and communicated the results to the world at the same time, in some instance even on the same day. We are too apt to treat this, even where experiments were not carried out by men known to one another, as mere coincidence.

But looking at these remarkable synchronisms it cannot be lightly dismissed as mere coincidence that the world-famous memoirs of Darwin and Dr. Wallace on the heretofore little understood subject of natural selection should both have been read before the Linnaean Society on the same day.

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The same may be said of the originator of the telephone, Graham Bell, who applied for the patent of that scourge and blessing of our busy life to-day, on February 24th, 1876, only earning his immortality by a very narrow squeak, since barely two hurs later another inventor, Elisha Gray, was applying at the Philadelphia patent office for a similar protection.

King Edward—Armorer.

His Majesty is one of the greatest authorities on ancient armor and he has set his heart upon acquiring as many as possible of the pieces which once formed part of the Crown collection, but which have now drifted into the possession of others. Some of them are treasured in national museums, and no offer will induce their custodians to part with them. But nearly every week the King acquires some valuable specimen from private owners.

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