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## THE PERSIAN PERIL

The end of the Moroccan peril is followed by a renewal of the Persian peril. The situation in relation to that country is apparently regarded by many in England as a serious one. Russia demanded the recall of the American treasurer general of Persia, and the national council has refused to dismiss him. This is followed by the movement of Russian troops upon the Persian capital, England and Russia appear to have an understanding in the matter, but there is always in the popular mind a distrust of Russian diplomacy. The situation, therefore, is regarded with some apprehension. The Persian national council is apparently disposed to resist Russia, in the hope that some other nation or nations may intervene. It is an affair, however, in which only Persia, Russia and England are directly interested.

The attempt to introduce representative government in Persia cannot be said to have been a success, any more than it appears to have been in Turkey, another Mohammedan country.

## A GOOD LAW

The state of California has a law which ought to be adopted by many other communities. Under its operation the women are relieved of the task of supporting lazy or drunken husbands. One Edward Westlake was sentenced at Sacramento the other day, to a period of labor on the public highways, for which the county will pay him \$15.00 a day. The charge against him is laziness and non-support. If such a law were in force in New Brunswick, and enforced against drunkards and shiftless men, there would be less misery in many homes, and a remarkable improvement in the roads. A difficulty is presented by the New Brunswick winter, but there should be some means of overcoming it and providing delinquents with work throughout the year.

A prison farm with workshops would be of great value, but would not warrant such wages as might fairly be paid if such work as road-making were carried on. But even if no wages at all were paid, the families would fare better when relieved of the extra burden of supporting a loafer or a drunkard.

## PENSIONING MOTHERS

The state of Illinois has decided that it is better to assist deserving mothers in their homes, when the burden of raising the children has fallen upon them, than to place the children away and care for them in public institutions or in other homes. A law pensioning mothers went into effect in Illinois last week. An exchange says of the measure:

"A mother worthy of the name can give her own children better care than any other can, and can support them at less cost. The state of Illinois saw this, and thus arose the pension plan. Where the mother is worthy—and that fact is determined in the large cities by the juvenile court—a sum ranging from \$5 to \$10 a month for each child is paid directly to her, and in a family of four or five children this means plain comfort at any rate. At the very least, it means freedom from suffering. It is the state's recognition of the mother's work in rearing its future citizens; and the state makes no better investment than when it safeguards the best interests of the youngsters into whose hands we shall soon resign all our public offices, all parties, all principles, all constitutions, all our great reforms, all newspapers, all life in fact."

Mr. Hazen once found it necessary to offer his resignation to a treaty government at Ottawa to get a meagre recognition of the justice of St. John's claims. Will history repeat itself?

The Standard will serve the public interest much more by uniting with the Times in urging a campaign to boost New Brunswick than by continually shouting the praises of Mr. Hazen and Mr. Fleming. Mr. Fleming has a great opportunity. What will he do with it?

They have what is called the Ford Republic, or the Boys' Republic, in connection with reformatory work among boys in Detroit. It is thus described by the Detroit Free Press:—"It is a very worthy institution which is caring for many boys turned over to it by the Detroit juvenile court, and is accomplishing signal work in making upright and honorable men out of lads who, through environment or otherwise, have made their first misstep and who, in a majority of instances, will turn out to be a credit to the city and their benefactors after they have been subjected to the corrective methods in vogue at the Boys' Republic. The Republic owns a farm out near Farmington way, and it is there that the boys are going through a process of character building which is calculated to make them good citizens for all time."

Organized labor everywhere wins today under the blow dealt by the Miners, who have confessed themselves guilty of dynamite outrages. The labor unions elsewhere believed in their innocence, and were ready to subscribe any amount necessary for defence, no matter how great. Now the men have confessed themselves criminals, whose crime resulted in the death of many innocent people. Miners says the confession will not injure labor unions, but it places a terrible weapon in the hands of their opponents. Misguided zeal made these men dangerous

criminals. It will be interesting to note what effect this confession will have on the fortunes of the Socialist-Labor candidate for mayor of Los Angeles next Tuesday. He has hitherto been conceded to have a good chance of success.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley has shown that there are funds available to begin the development of Courtney Bay. Moreover, there would be no Liberal opposition if a large sum for this work were placed in the estimates. It is useless for government organs to attack Dr. Pugsley, since Mr. Hazen himself in the house admitted his sincerity. If Courtney Bay development is not begun at once, Mr. Borden's prediction pledge by telegram to the Standard will be violated.

## FAT REDUCTION IS NO SIN

The purpose of beauty is to refine the native uncouthness of human nature. We all know to its power. It is the only art that has no selfish shadow. Alas! this means the fat woman must serve instead of rule, for beauty in woman is a composite of both line and feature. Thousands of fat women are beautiful of face. But they lag behind in the race for preference—because a too portly outline dashes the favor their face has gained them.

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## BONAR LAW AND HIS CIGAR



More than once it has been stated in cable dispatches that Bonar Law, the man of Canadian birth, who now leads the opposition in the British House of Commons, has taken his duties very seriously, and has assumed several wrinkles on his brow, since taking over the leadership. The picture shows him entering the Carlton Club, London, for a private meeting of the Conservative Association.

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In the sea which those loved ones so dearly Thou hast found a watery grave, But I know my prayers were answered, And the Lord thy soul did save.

Thy last parting so entirely different From all others when leaving home, Seems now the Lord was preparing us For what was so soon to come.

With thine arms so tightly twined round The kiss so firmly impressed, Then the said, lingering look on my face, Told the thoughts which were in thy breast.

Not an unkind word, look or action Between us have we to regret, But the happy years we've spent together, Not one of us e'er can forget.

God lent thee to us, now recalls thee His chastening hand smites in love, 'Twill be but a little time, too, Shall meet our dear Thomas above.

## IN LIGHTER VEIN



## YOU BET.

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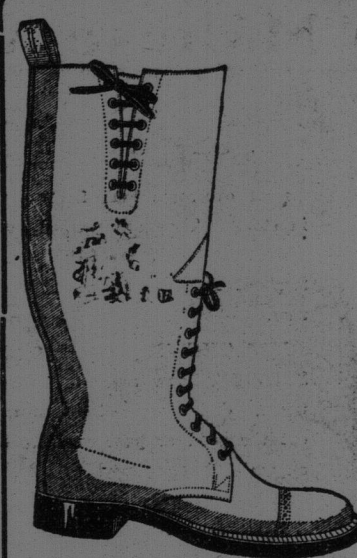
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