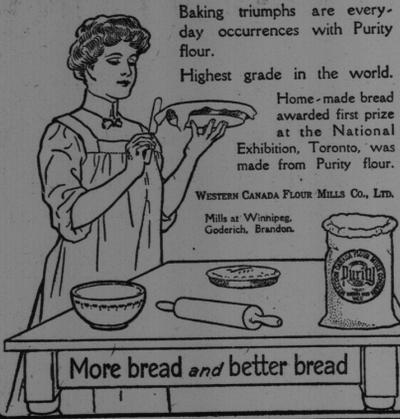


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A Million a Minute

A Romance of Modern New York and Paris

By Hudson Douglas

(Continued) She swept towards the door, her cap tremble with indignation, and her sister followed without further speech. It was only thus that they could express their strong disapproval of this very vulgar person, and, since there was seemingly no more to be learned from them, he did not wait for a servant to show him downstairs, but followed them himself. A photograph caught his eye as he passed the piano, and his quick examination at sight of it caused Miss Jane to face about on the threshold with inconceivable results to Sophia, hard at hand. "Who's this?" Seager asked, picking up the portrait while Miss Sophia was backing off the train of her sister's skirt. She looked around, still more at ease. "Why that's Miss Quaintance," she answered involuntarily, on her own unbidden responsibility. "How!" whistled Seager, and the corners of his eyes wrinkled in a smile of delighted amazement. "Curious as to how came induced the sisters to linger, irresolutely. "Then I can tell you where Miss Quaintance is. She's in New York. I saw her there not forty-eight hours before I started for this side, and I didn't know who she was. Isn't that a fierce thing to happen one? "I've never seen either her or my uncle, you see," he went on, in response to their looks of bewilderment. "I've spent most of my time abroad for many years past, and only heard of my uncle's death while I was in Africa. I didn't even know that he had adopted that he had a daughter. But I hurried home, and as soon as I reached New York, I wrote on his lawyer's name in his hotel bill and traveling expenses! That thing was absurd and impossible. He must have more money, and that instantly. "Wasn't it a little late for that?" he asked, in which she, of course, has a large interest, but on conditions which only I can make clear to her. "You can understand, therefore, how it affected me to hear that she had left you. All the trouble I've taken on her behalf thrown away, and—Will you do me the very great favor to let her have this photograph? "There is your copy upstairs, Jane," she once more took the initiative. "That one is mine, Mr. Quaintance," she said to Seager, "and I shall be pleased to let you have it, on Miss Quaintance's account. "You're very good," he assured her, and his more pleasant tone did not fail to have its effect. "Miss Quaintance is a sweet girl," he added. "When you see her you will please give her our love." "Gladly," responded Seager, bowing with great outward deference and civility, fume thanks for their kindness and civility, finally taking himself off under much more agreeable remarks than those which had marked the earlier stages of the interview. "Gentlemen from America are sometimes so—so unusual," Miss Sophia commented forgivingly as she closed the door behind him. "But it must be a very rough place in Paris, especially in the canal-district where all those dreadful exposures came from. I think he has a good heart under his harsh exterior." "Humph!" sniffed Miss Jane. "He may have, but he certainly conceals it effectually at times. He threatened us, actually threatened us in our own house!" "But it was on Miss Quaintance's account that he was used," her sister argued plaintively. She had not the same fund of common-sense as Miss Jane, and was somewhat handicapped in life by a leaning toward the impractical and romantic. "I hope he finds her," she concluded. "There seems to have been some confusion as to her movements. You had no reply

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



WHITE BLOUSE WITH EMBROIDERED PLASTRON. From Paris itself comes this dainty blouse, which is made of the sheer cotton crepe. A shaped band of the crepe outlines the neck, and this band is effectively embroidered in three shades of violet silk grading from pale lavender to quite a deep amethyst. The blouse has a guimpe and sleeves of finely tucked white net, which will prove very cool for summer wear. A black satin blouse with red and gold embroidery would be very effective for cooler weather, and the model might be carried out in various ways.

FOOD FACTS

What an M. D. Learned.

A prominent Georgia physician went through a food experience which he makes public: "It was my own experience that first led me to advocate Grape-Nuts food and I also know, from having prescribed it to convalescents and other weak patients, that the food is a wonderful restorer and restorer of nerve and brain tissue, as well as muscle. It improves the digestion and sick patients always gain just as I did in strength and weight very rapidly. "I was in such a low state that I had to give up my work entirely, and went to the mountains of this state, but two months there did not improve me; in fact, I was not quite well as when I left home. "My food did not sustain me and it became plain to me that I must change. Then I began to use Grape-Nuts food and in two weeks I could walk a mile without fatigue, and in five weeks returned to my home and practice, taking up hard work again. Since that time I have felt as well and strong as I ever did in my life. "As a physician who seeks to help all the weak, I consider it a duty to make these facts public." "There's a Reason." Look in place for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

BUDGET DEBATE HAS BEEN CLOSED

It is Now Expected That the Dominion House Will Prorogue on May 19th

Ottawa, April 27.—The budget debate closed quietly tonight and arrangements are being made for closing of the session as soon as possible. It is practically agreed that prorogation on May 19, which is aimed at, will be achieved. The budget debate lasted rather longer than was anticipated, having taken eight days of solid speaking to exhaust the list of speakers. Tomorrow there will be a session in committee of ways and means, and afterward the Grand Trunk Pacific loan debate will be continued. The Conservatives have decided to defer their field day on the finding of the New Brunswick Royal Commission until a later date. Next week the house will begin morning sittings and will also sit on the Wednesday evening session to expedite the passage of the business which remains. The budget debate was resumed by E. M. MacDonald, of Pictou, who declared there was a feeling of confidence throughout the country in the government, and that he always managed affairs by bringing the balance on the right side. The government had followed neither free trade nor protection, but had given reasonable protection under a revenue tariff. He did not agree with G. E. Foster, the developer of deficits, that the coal miners had not improved from a million to three quarters ton to five and a half million tons. The average wage of the miner in 1880 was a dollar and a half a day, and last year it was four and a half dollars a day. There was no foundation for the belief that the removal of duty on public ownership plant would cost the country more than it could afford. Mr. Bradbury defended the Manitoba government from attacks which Mr. Neely had made on it and that government by Mr. Mulloy and another defence by Mr. Chisholm applied for a station at Inverness and Mr. Stewart closed the debate with a demand for more protection of the Hamilton manufacturers.

ROBBERY AT DALHOUSIE

Mail Bags Containing Registered Packages Stolen From Train

Dalhousie, N. B., April 27.—A bold robbery took place here through the night. The mail bags which were removed from the post office at 11 o'clock last night and placed in the baggage car of the Dalhousie branch train were stolen from the car. Their disappearance was not noticed till the train reached the junction to connect with the Maritime from Halifax. When the employees of the Dalhousie railway returned to town they discovered an old shed near the station all the bags open and the contents of all the registered letters removed. This included a package containing \$2,000 mailed by the Royal Bank here to the Royal Bank at St. John. There is a great excitement in town over the affair. Detective Noble, of Campbellton, and Policeman Seeley, of Dalhousie, are working on the case and an arrest is expected at any moment.

Too Much Political Graft

Many say it can't be prevented, neither can wars or corns, but they can be cured by Putnam's Corn Extract. It cures corns and warts without pain in twenty-four hours. Use only Putnam's.

A SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

There was a large attendance last night at a concert in Brussels street Baptist church given by the members of the junior mission band. The programme, which consisted of vocal and instrumental solos and duets, recitations, choruses, exercises and various fancy drills was much appreciated. The following took part: Irene McBean, Bill Hill, Helen Gander, Hazel Reicker, Willa Stammers, Florence Brown, Sydney Chipman, Louise Colwell, Vivian Vail, Vera McKay, Stanley Carr, Alden Worden, Ronald Hurd, Wendall Belyea, Mildred Brown, Douglas Olive, Gladys Scribner, Irene King, Marjell Almon, Carol Chipman, Evelyn King, Nellie Olive, Oliver Golding, Ida Bond and Belle Mills.

ROBBERY AT SUSSEX

I. C. R. Freight Office Entered and \$20 Stolen From Cash Drawer

Sussex, N. B., April 27.—Today, between 12:30 and 1 o'clock, the I. C. R. freight office cash drawer was broken into and \$20 stolen. Two of the office staff were at dinner at the time and the porter, Roy Whitney, was busy in the freight shed. The thief came from No. 3 train, then standing at the shed. The office door leading into the freight shed was unlocked, as usual, as it is necessary for the man in charge to have access for waybills and different things. Mr. Whitney said he did not notice any stranger about at the time. It is quite evident that the thief was pretty familiar with the surroundings, as he chose the best possible time for his work, and when the porter was busy with the train. When the freight clerk, Mr. Warren, returned from dinner he went to the cash drawer to make change and discovered that the drawer had been pried open by some instrument. On investigation he found that a \$10 bill and two five were missing. There was in the drawer at the time \$20 in bills, six in silver. Mr. Whitney was immediately wired of the facts, and he is here this evening investigating.

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THE MISSION MOVEMENT

Retired Methodist Clergyman in Nova Scotia Asks Why the Roman Catholic Church Was Ignored

(Toronto News.) To the Editor of The News: I have been watching, since its inception, this movement, and reading the reports of the Congress at Toronto, with much interest, because, for forty years, I with my clerical brethren, urged every argument now used upon the Church to arise and enter upon this work. There is much to be praised in it all as a splendid effort toward the union of Protestantism and destruction of the unchristian spirit and policy of Canada in treating as inferiors "our neighbors" over the seas and our fellow-citizens of India. There are also things to be adversely criticized, which, however, I will let pass, lest I hinder something good. But there is one thing that my soul will not pass over, and that is the unaccountable bigotry and intolerance, and incomprehensible ignorance, in utterly ignoring the very existence of the Catholic Church in the christianizing of the world. Do these men know nothing of the history of Christianity in the world? Do these men not know that this ancient mother of churches compiled and conserved the New Testament, where we alone get our "royal commission," and handing it, with all welcome of Christianity, to the entire world? Do they not know that in the pagan world there are over two Catholic converts to one Protestant today? Have they not read, and that very recently, what has been said by leading Protestant laymen of the great Christian work of the Roman Catholic Church in China, India, Japan and the South Seas? And now we are going to convert the whole world in thirty years, ignoring the very existence of Catholic, Greek and all branches of the ancient Christian Church! Perhaps the business calculation includes their conversion also to Protestant sectarianism! Though in one sense it is about what we would expect from narrow, ignorant fanatics, yet, seeing the light that is shining in this twentieth century, I am amazed beyond speech! In this, if in nothing else, I distinctly see ultimate failure. J. R. HEMMEON. (Retired Methodist minister.) Wolfville, N. S., April 18, 1909.

BOYS AND CIGARETTES

Vigorous Crusade Against Cigarette Evil By Montreal Police

(Montreal Star.) That the police have received strict orders from their superior officers and are putting them into force concerning the law prohibiting the smoking of cigarettes by boys, under 16 years of age, was evidenced this morning, when Ferdinand Moreau, 13 years of age, was brought before Recorder Veir to answer to the charge of having smoked cigarettes. The young boy was arrested last night in front of Theatre Francaise by Constables Pelletier and Beuchamp. He had been picking up butt-ends of cigarettes which men threw away, and entering the theatre. He was arrested after he had been seen smoking two or three of these. He was let off with a reprimand.

Palpitation of the Heart.

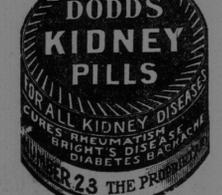
One of the first danger signals that announce something wrong with the heart is the irregular beat or violent throbb. Often there is only a fluttering sensation, or an "all gone" sinking feeling; or again, there may be a most violent beating, with flushings of the skin and visible pulsations of the arteries. The person may experience a smothering sensation, gasp for breath, and feel as though about to die. In such cases the action of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills is quieting the heart, restoring its normal beat and imparting tone to the nerve centres, is, beyond all question, marvellous. They give such prompt relief that no one needs suffer. Dr. James Hanney, Hampton, N. B., writes:—"I was troubled with palpitation of the heart and tried doctor's medicines, but they only gave me temporary relief. I heard of your Heart and Nerve Pills and bought two boxes and before I had used them I was completely cured and would recommend them to all similarly afflicted." Price, 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The Times Daily Puzzle Picture



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Find him.



At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Thistle Curling Rink Company last night the following were elected directors: D. McClelland, G. W. Sharpe, A. B. Holly, J. S. Gregory, J. A. Sinclair, J. W. Cameron and F. F. Burpee. Last evening Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T., paid a visit to Martello Lodge in their rooms in Carleton. There was a good number present. An informal programme was enjoyed and refreshments were served.