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College Women.

Is it true that college bred women rarely marry? The records of two English universities—those of London and Manchester—seem conclusive as to the fact.

The fact being established, how can it be explained? As Artemus Ward would say, 'Why is this thus, and what is the reason of this thyness?' We must hasten to brush aside the assumption that all the graduates of colleges want to marry.

But while a disinclination to marry may largely explain the phenomenon, it remains true that many a college-bred woman would like to marry, and cannot. Human nature is strong in most people, and marriage is the normal condition of adult humanity.

Even the attractions of the library and laboratory cannot easily extinguish these instincts, which the Creator has implanted in the heart of every true woman. It all the college-bred women who would really have given up the glamor of scholarship for the glories of wifehood and motherhood, had been successful in finding congenial partners, we may be sure the proportion between the married and the unmarried would have been something like one in three or four, rather than one in eight.

But in what way? That's the rub. The secretary of London university says that 'men are afraid of women with a degree, and consequently shy of them.' But that can only hold true of men who are themselves comparatively educated.

The kernel of the whole problem is this: The essence of marriage is a union of opposites. The oak weaves comes not another oak, but the clinging ivy. A man admires and is prepared to love a womanly woman. A woman admires and is prepared to love a manly man.

The election in Carleton, Ont., to fill the seat in the Commons vacant through the decision of Mr. E. L. Borden to sit for Halifax, took place on Monday, Mr. King, who resigned in 1905 by giving a vacancy for Mr. Borden, secured the nomination.

Board of Health.

At the call of Mayor Harvey the Board of Health met on Tuesday afternoon to devise protective measures in view of the outbreak of small-pox in Halifax, Windsor, Yarmouth and elsewhere in the province.

Resolved that all hockey matches and other sports with clubs outside the county of Kings be prohibited within the town of Wolfville until further notice, on account of small-pox and other infectious diseases in the surrounding country.

Resolved that the secretaries of the hockey and curling clubs be notified that if their teams should visit and play matches with other teams in infected districts that they will be quarantined on their return.

Resolved that the Wolfville Board of Health recommend that as a precaution against the spread of small-pox all mail matter be disinfected; also all money handled by the banks, stores and other public places be disinfected; also that all persons who have not been vaccinated within seven years be asked to have it attended to.

A Mother's Talk to Mothers.

Here is just one illustration of the wisdom of keeping a box of Zam-Buk always handy. It is a true record of the varied uses to which this great balm was put—with highly satisfactory results in every case—in just one family, and during a few months only.

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'The effect was almost magic! Zam-Buk soothed the pain, drew out the poison, and allayed all inflammation. Healing then commenced, and in a few days he was able to resume work.

'Six weeks ago my husband, Mr. C. J. Irlam, while returning from work quite late in the evening, was bitten by a dog, the dog's teeth penetrating the flesh on this thigh just above the knee. Directly he came home Zam-Buk was applied to the wound, and in a few days the soreness was gone and the wound thoroughly healed.

'A third instance of the healing power of Zam-Buk was provided when my little boy had a nasty fall. He is five years old, and was playing one day when he fell. His head struck on a sharp stone, which cut a nasty gash. As soon as I had washed the cut I applied Zam-Buk in the usual way, and it was really wonderful how quickly it relieved the little fellow's pain.

'Every mother who once proves the all-round value of Zam-Buk will never again be without it. Zam-Buk is a pure herbal balm, and cures cuts, burns, bruises, abscesses, ulcers, eczema, scalp sores, ringworm, chapped hands cold-sores, frost-bite, bad leg, inflamed patches, etc. It also cures piles. Used as an embrocation it will be found to remove rheumatism, sciatica and neuralgia.

'The trustee of the Scholarship shall be the School Inspector of the division in which Cansing is situated, and the payment of \$75.00, the amount of the Scholarship, shall be conditional on actual attendance at one of the colleges named, for a full year.

'For further information see the next April Journal of Education, and the local papers of the county. Candidates intending to compete for this Scholarship should notify the School Inspector as soon as possible.

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Captain Pratt Discusses the Outlook for Freight.

Keeping in close touch with the freight markets since the beginning of 1909 I find no improvement, what ever, and think the time has now arrived when it is impossible to disguise the fact that at least 1,000,000 tons of old and obsolete tonnage must be broken up. It is good for no other purpose; and the sooner those interests face the inevitable and readjust their book values, the sooner freights will improve, for it is improbable that such tonnage can be worked again at a profit.

Like a shock of corn fully ripe at four score and four years, still in the midst of life's activities, Mr. Byrne has gone to his reward. Stricken down while transacting his usual business at the office of the Union Bank on Tuesday afternoon, a physician was called and he was tenderly taken to his residence on Blicher Street, where he expired soon after his arrival.

Mr. Byrne was a citizen of whom any community might be proud. He was the son of the gardener at Prescotts, Town Plot, as Starr's Point was known at that time. A self made man, artist of his own fortunes, hard work and thrifty habits enabled him to make the modest savings by which he purchased the farm on which his life had been spent.

For years a mortgage was struggled with before it was removed, but at the same time improvements in the orchard and in other ways went on steadily, the trees being grown from seedlings, for he was nurseryman, farmer and market gardener combined. Any three words required meaning economy, hard work and good planning could be put on his crest for a motto.

The material result of his life's work is many acres of thrifty orchards surrounding a home of goodly proportions with all the necessary buildings of an estate of such proportions as well as a substantial balance in the bank.

He was a man of sterling integrity, upright in all his dealings, the neighbor, the councillor and the friend of all who sought his advice or assistance. One of, if not the foremost, orchardist in Kings county, an authority on orcharding born of years and experience. He is survived by a wife, one son and three daughters, who mourn the loss of a devoted husband and a kind father.—Western Chronicle.

MARRIED.

RYAN-BARBOR.—At St. Joseph's church, Feb. 25, by Rev. Father Moriarty, Garnet, youngest son of J. W. Ryan, Esq., and Vera, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barbour, formerly of St. John, now of Kentville.

Seven of the crew of the Dominion Government cruiser Canada have been sent to the quarantine station in Halifax suffering from small-pox, and the remainder of the crew have been vaccinated and confined to the dock-yard.

Abraham Lincoln's head is to appear on new United States one-cent pieces, which will be issued in a month.

HYSLOP BICYCLES. Bicycles are rapidly coming back into popular favor, the demand this year being five times what it was five years ago. We have planned for it in two ways—by getting the very best English wheel we can for popular selling, and saving to our customers all intermediate profits by filling orders direct by mail instead of through agents. In this way we can offer \$50 Wheels for \$25 and give better satisfaction all round. The quality of the wheels is all right—only the best materials used and only skilled mechanics employed in construction. The equipment is right up-to-date and the machines throughout are such as we can thoroughly recommend. We sell automobiles as well as bicycles and our plan is to make wheels serve as a good advertisement to the entire business. Send for illustrated folder. HYSLOP BROS., Limited High-Class Automobiles and Bicycles. TORONTO, ONT.

Now is the Season To build up the system and prepare it for the long cold winter by taking a few bottles of Nyal's Wild Cherry Emulsion with the Hyphosphites. This emulsion is made from Norwegian Cod Liver Oil and we can thoroughly recommend it. The addition of Wild Cherry not only makes it more agreeable to the stomach, but greatly increases its action on the bronchial passages. 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at Rand's Drug Store.

J. F. HERBIN WOLFVILLE, N. S. Expert Watchmaker and Optician. (Established in Wolfville Twenty-four Years.) A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL. My Experience is at your Service. Personal Attention Given to all Branches of Work.

CARD. Ladies & Gentlemen. I have not been asked to offer myself as candidate for Mayor or Councillor at the coming contest. Increasing business demands all my attention. But I intend serving your interests quite as well in my line. I thank all that have helped me stay in business for four years and promise you that 1909 will give you better results than ever. Our stock will be better, larger and low prices will prevail. Watch this space for good things. Yours, B. G. BISHOP. Wolfville Decorating Co.

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W. E. Reed, Lock Box 103, Bridgetown, N. S. 10 per cent. A rare chance for a safe investment with the best security for silver a few hundreds or thousands of dollars. No expense or trouble. G. J. COULTER WHITE, 45 Wolfville, N. S. A dispatch from Liverpool says migration prospects for Canada this year are not promising.

Chambers' February Sale Begins Saturday, Feb. 13 and lasts for Two Weeks. Our annual Clearance Sale usually brings a crowd of buyers who appreciate special values in Dry Goods. The sale this year includes a lot of new spring goods that we have just opened and offer at Special Prices.

Dress Materials Marked Very Low. The bulk of our stock is laid out in three lots. Lot No. 1. All wool goods in stripes, plaids and plain weaves, regular prices from 35c to 60c, now selling for 25c. yd. Lot No. 2. Includes a lot of plain Venetians in colors, Plaids, Cashmeres, Lustras in blacks and colors, 7weds, Voiles, etc. regular prices from 60c. to 75c. Sale Price per yd. 45c. Lot No. 3. Includes some of our best lines of Fancy Suitings, Tweeds, Mohairs, Sicilians, Taffetas in good colors, all fresh goods, regular prices from 60c. to \$1.00 per yd. for 60c.

Cottons for Spring Sewing. The balance of Prints and gingham on hand marked down 10c. values for 8c. Wide English Prints, regular 14c. quality for 12 1/2c. yd. New Prints and Gingham. See our special line, 30 inches wide, beautiful patterns for 10c. yd. New English White Long Cloth, special value at 12c. and 13c. yd. Nainsooks and White Dress Muslins in dainty patterns. New Fancy Dress Muslins and Gingham.

Embroideries. Embroideries. New patterns, new prices, all subject to 10 per cent. Discount. Special line of Blue Grey Cotton, usually sells for 9c. Sale price 8c. or 7 1/2c. by the piece. REMNANTS. REMNANTS. REMNANTS. Our remnant table is filled with interesting ends. Including Carpets and Oilcloths. NEW WHITEWEAR includes Blouses, Gowns, Corset Covers, Skirts, etc. to 10 per cent. Discount for the next two weeks. Sale Closes Saturday, Feb. 27th.

J. D. CHAMBERLAIN Settled Down But very much alive for 1909. No doubt our readers have settled down to another year of active work and are already planning for the future. In Your Plans We should be considered, as we are in a position to save you money. In Dry Goods Department We are disposing of our Ladies' and Misses' Coats below Cost, also giving special discounts on all other goods. In Other Departments The High Quality of all goods will be maintained and our cash prices for 1909 will be away down low. Additions. We have added very fine line Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Squares, Linoleums, Etc. PLUMBING. We are prepared to do all kinds Heating and Plumbing. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Hilsley & Harvey Co., Ltd. PORT WILLIAMS, N. S. Jan. 8, 1909.