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SPOILT! NOT LIKELY.

You never have your films or prints spoilt at Tooton's. There is no store in town that has such up-to-the-minute apparatus for Developing and Printing.

The recently installed new plant for developing prevents any defective negatives, and the printing from negatives is only carried out by thoroughly proficient workers.

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Aren't "Fishy."

THEY ARE ALL ABOUT FISH
AND VERY INTERESTING.

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during the year, and the fishing

British fish are sent all over the
Continent, for, although we eat a goodly
amount, our fishermen bring in more
than we can use.

Special fish trains run direct from
the fishing centres to the distribution
centres, Billingsgate, in London.

Although our fish exports are
enormous—eighty to ninety per cent.
of the herring catch is invariably sent
abroad—we import certain varieties,
such as sels, of which we use about
seven thousand tons annually.

The value of fish has changed with
the times. Twenty years ago hake, for
which we now pay something like 1s.
a lb., could be bought for 4d. a hundredweight!

Many common fish live from ten to
twenty years, if luck is with them,
and during this time they lay an en-
ormous number of eggs.

A female ling, weighing, say, fifty-
four pounds herself, will lay over
twenty-nine million eggs in a single
season. A turbot has been found to
contain nine million eggs, and even
the humble herring some thirty thou-
sand odd.

Fish discharge their eggs into the
water and abandon them. There they
float at the mercy of wind, waves and
sea-eating animals, until they hatch,
when they must immediately set to
work to gain a living.

Racial tendencies develop with age,
the young of the flat fish sink; others
gather into shoals and migrate as in-
stinct directs. Maturity is usually
reached in four or five years, but the
rate of growth depends upon the
richness of the waters.

Young plaice captured in crowded
waters have been marked and cast
adrift again off the Dogger Bank.
Caught again seven months later, it
has been found that their weight has
increased from 3½ to 15 lbs., while
similarly marked specimens, recaptured
in their native waters, have only in-
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Is Your Wife Your Partner?

DON'T LOSE TOUCH WITH HER.

By PHYLIS H. DENHAM.

Every man wants success, but how many of you realize that your wives can help you to it?

The great thing for hunters after success to remember is—never lose touch with your wife. Unfortunately, it is just as easy to lose touch with the person who sits opposite you at the breakfast table every morning of your life as it is with a friend who lives miles away.

The man who is intent upon achieving success often leaves his wife out of the scheme of things—for the time being, at any rate.

There is a fallacy that a woman must not be bothered with business and that a man is not interested in the house. So between these two people the conversation that should be so precious, so intimate, and so helpful, degenerates into nothing but an exchange of commonplace.

Women Do Understand Business.

And if the husband does notice that they are drifting apart, he says comfortingly to himself: "Never mind. When I've made my pile we'll begin to enjoy life together again," and he turns once more to work, while his wife, at the other side of the room, is wondering how it is that nowadays she and her husband have so little to say to each other.

It is a great mistake to think that women do not understand business. So many girls have been in business offices before marriage that they know quite enough to understand their husbands' work.

Besides, the young wife hates to think that her husband has a life into which she cannot enter, and even if she knows nothing about his work before marriage he will find her eager to learn its most intricate details.

You husbands will often find that a talk with your wife on business matters will repay you in the end.

Tell Her of Your Trials.

A difficulty may arise in business, out of which you can find no way, for you can't see the wood for the trees. Put the case before your wife and she will give you the opinion of an unprejudiced outsider. Even though you don't take her advice, the very stating of the case will at any rate help to clear your mind.

Perhaps you think it is not fair to worry your wife with troubles which she cannot help. A rise in salary, a word of praise from the boss, is quickly passed on; but you keep the reverses and trials of business carefully from her.

No wife will thank you for being thus sheltered. Every woman is a mother at heart and adores the role of comforter. In the successful days to come she will look back with the tenderest, sweetest feelings to the time when all seemed black and you, with your head against hers, confessed that things had gone wrong.

ROBIN HOOD at the Majestic on Monday next. "A marvellous entertainment for grown-ups. Aside from this however Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood" has the educational qualifications that make it a truly great picture. I strongly recommend high school boys and girls to see Mr. Fairbanks' portrayal of Robin Hood for it visualises the days of old far better than any text book." Peter J. Brady, Chairman of Education, State Federation of Labor, New York State.
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German Telegraphs Paralyzed.

Berlin.—Telegraphic communica-
tions in Germany have been swamped
ever since the mark began its down-
ward swoop. Since January of this
year the amount of business handled
by the German telegraph lines has
been double that of the corresponding
period for last year.

Telegrams now travel more slowly
in Germany than letters, and the tele-
graph administration has appealed to
the public to equalize its business and
use the wires as sparingly as possible.

Look out for the Independent.
July 12th

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Shelled Almonds.

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Road.

Cotton Mills Face

Hard Times.

Oldham, Lancashire.—The British
cotton trade is dull, and shareholders
in Lancashire spinning mills are hav-
ing hard days.

Time was when these fortunate
holders received dividends of from 20
to 50 per cent. with reasonable regu-
larity, but to-day a list of 74 mills
shows these concerns facing losses, on
capital and profit and loss accounts,
of \$60,000,000.

To offset this situation an effort is
being made to develop cotton grow-
ing within the empire.

Look out for the Independent.
July 12th

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MONTREAL.

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Head Master.

Term Commences Sept.
12th, at 9 a.m.

Experience Teaches.

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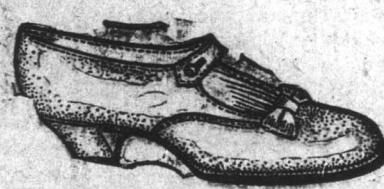
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All Solid Leather.

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Child's and Misses' good quality
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Good strong make; all solid Leather.

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STEER BROTHERS

Stowaway to M. P.

A Labour M.P. who has been much
in the public eye of late is Mr. James
Sexton.

"At thirteen I ran away from
home," he told me, "and stowed away
on an American sailing ship.

"Later I was doped in a sailors'
boarding house in Frisco, and sent
sailing round the Horn. At the age of
twenty-two I returned to Liverpool
and worked at the docks. My face was
smashed by some defective machin-
ery, but compensation was refused.

When I was better I started work
again at fifteen shillings a week, and
out of my first money my employer
stopped half a crown for the cab
which had taken me to hospital.

"I joined the Dockers' Union, and
subsequently became general secre-
tary, while in 1918 I was elected M.P.
for St. Helens."

Busses will take you from
Rawlins' Cross and top Mc-
Bride's Hill to the Oddfellows
Outing on Wednesday at 2.45
p.m.—aug28.11

Bishop at Thirty-Five.

One of the youngest bishops in the
world is the Most Rev. Dr. McNeely,
who at thirty-five has been consecrated
Roman Catholic Bishop of Lot-
terkenry for the diocese of Raphoe,
Co. Donegal.

It is unusual for such exalted rank
in the Church to be attained so early
in life. Even such a Church of Eng-
land "prodigy" as Dr. Temple did not
become Bishop of Manchester until
he was thirty-nine. The Lord Bishop
of London was forty-three when he
reached his present high clerical dig-
nity.

CONCLUSIVE.

A Mormon once argued polygamy
with Mark Twain. The Mormon in-
sisted that polygamy was moral, and
he defied Twain to cite any passage
of Scripture that forbade the practice.

"Well," said the humorist, "how
about that passage that tells us no
man can serve two masters?"—The
Argonaut.

Tired of Society.

An expedition consisting of two
white women and four men, with 300
native porters, will shortly set out on
foot from Boma, on the West Coast
of Africa, to travel on foot through
the unexplored Rahmt country to the
North-East Congo.

The leader of the party is Mrs.
Diana Strickland, who told me she
expected to be away for a year.

"I hate society life," she said, "and
the constant striving to wear a pret-
tier dress than the other woman.
Some people like it, but I prefer the
forest and the camp fire.

"We shall travel 3,000 miles on foot
and I hope to do some pioneering.
We are also making a collection for
the New York Zoological Park.

"We shall be well armed and are
taking a machine-gun in case of seri-
ous attack."

A slight grating of nutmeg improves
the flavor of waxed beans.
A very thin slice of lemon is attrac-
tive floating in a cup of bouillon.

BY BEN BATSFORD.