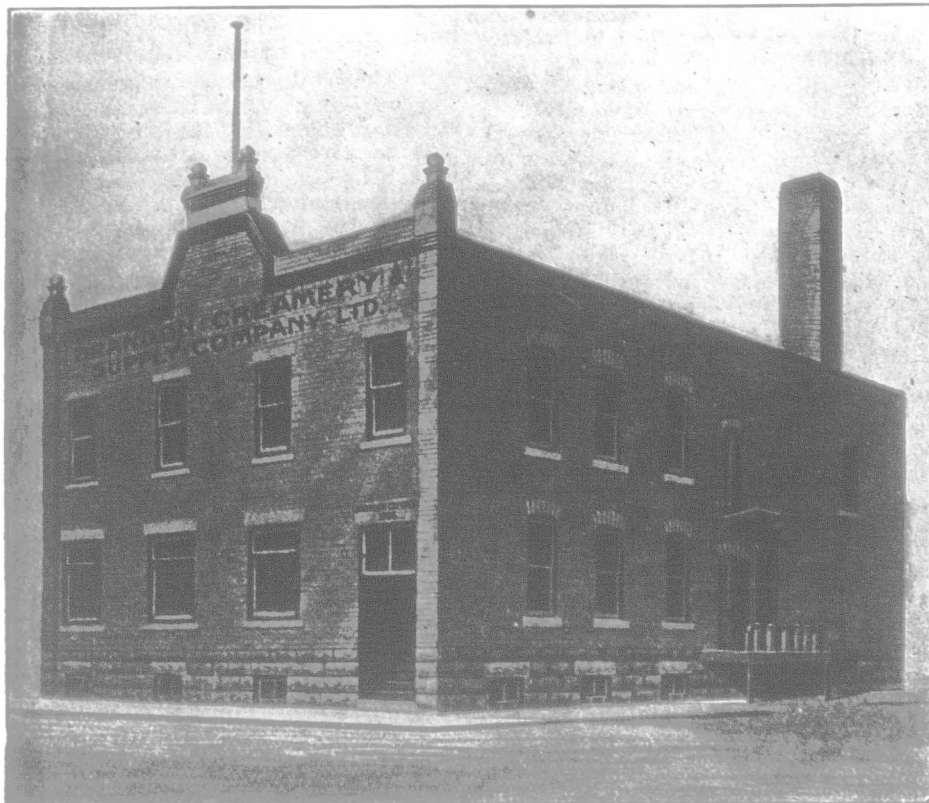


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ANSWERS TO PUZZLE.

The following are the answers to the verses given in the Literary Society column of the March 13th issue:—

1. Canister. 2. Canal. 3. Candle. 4. Candid. 5. Canvas. 6. Cannibal. 7. Cannon. 8. Candy. 9. Cantata. 10. Canopy. 11. Canny. 12. Canter. 13. Canto. 14. Canoe. 15. Cantaloupe.

WHAT THE NORTHWIND SAID.

The balmy Southwind sighed, when he met the Northwind:—

"Ah! Why do you come again Brother Northwind? They tell me you bring naught but desolation and woe. Why do you not let me hold power here? I am the wind of flowers and sparkling waters—all that is sorrowful or plain is transformed into beauty at my magic touch—I charm the whole realm of Nature, and she sends forth all that is lovely and beautiful at my command. But you, cold brother, are the wind of death. Is it not so? Why come you, therefore, to this beautiful land of plains? Tell me, I pray thee, why you come, bringing all that is unlovely?"

The Northwind laughed in glee, and answered:—

"Ho! Ho! Brother Southwind! So you think I bring naught but desolation and woe? They tell you that, do they? Ha, Ha! Surely they must be blind! Listen and I will tell you something, ah Brother Southwind! no, not a tale of sparkling waters and brilliant flowers, but of something far more beautiful. My home is in the far, far North. Ah! there is the wine of living! Nothing but ice and snow and frost! There it is that the sun transforms the whole ice-bound region into a sea of such wonderful jewels as were never dreamed of in your southern home. Life is an ecstasy there! There it is that I wrestle and shriek in tumultuous joy! I circle round jagged icebound rocks over stretches of valleys and round the bases and summits of glaciers.

"Presently I pass long, slow-winding rivers that become absolutely still at my touch, and over great snow-capped mountains; sometimes racing and shrieking, sometimes the mere echo of myself. Then I come to the land where you wish to reign, Brother Southwind, with a great rush. At my approach the few poplar leaves, that have withstood my herald, the frost, curl up and shrinkingly sink to the ground, where, presently, after I have frolicked with them I cover them with a soft blanket of snow. I laugh in roguish glee when I see mankind rush southward at my approach. I sweep over the limitless plains a sheet of blinding snow; I storm the caves of the solitary houses, whirling, whistling, howling, yelling, shrieking, tossing over the boundless prairie. Sometimes I become so quiet that they (mankind) venture out, and I and my lieutenant, Jack Frost do our best to show them that our works are as beautiful as yours Brother Southwind.

"The great sun laughs down from a pure blue sky on a dazzling white-robed world. Every bush and tree glints and shines like half a million jewels. Wave on wave of glittering, glimmering, gleaming, glowing, glinting, sparkling snow extends for league after league. Great sheets of ice overhung with crystallized verdure, now vermilion now palest pink, now clear dazzling gold, now a whole medley of dancing, glowing colors, invite me to sweep over them. Ah, Brother Southwind, who is the wind of beauty now?"

Sask.

MYRTLE STEWART.

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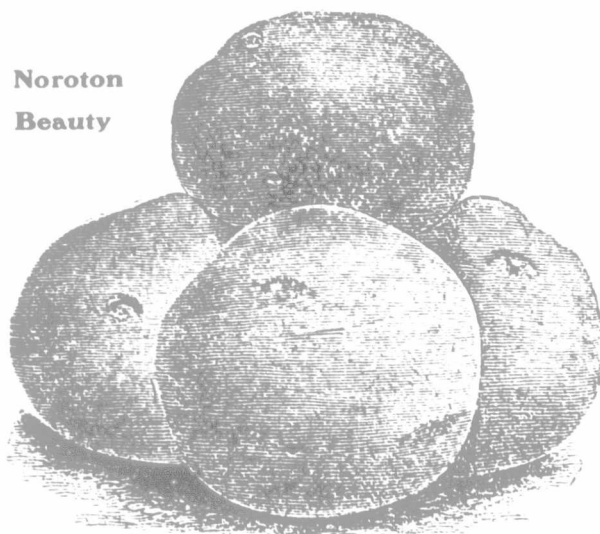
I am intensely interested in your serial story although we people out here don't "ken muckle aboot" sheep or sheep-dogs, but Davie and M'Adam are about as realistic characters as I have met in any book.

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