

AN AUTHORITY ON INDIAN LANGUAGE.

Very Rev. M. C. O'Brien, Rector of St. Mary's, Bangor, Master of a Most Difficult Tongue.

His Valuable Library - Scholarly Priest Recognized as Highest Authority on Abenaki History and Language.

The Very Rev. Fr. Michael Charles O'Brien, rector of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Bangor, is the owner of an exceedingly curious as well as important library, which is by far the largest private library on Indian dialects and books printed in the various Indian languages, possessed by any student in Maine, if not in New England.

Having been sent as a priest to the Penobscot Indians, inhabiting Indian Island in Oldtown, in 1877, Fr. O'Brien soon found that it was necessary for him to know their language in order to properly perform his religious ministrations among them.

Very naturally the first and by far the most important book in the Indian collection of Fr. O'Brien, and one upon which he based his studies of the Abenaki language in the "Dictionary of the Abenaki Language in North America," by Rev. Sebastian Rasle, S. J., which was found after the fight at Norridgewock, Aug. 12, 1724, in which Fr. Rasle was killed by the English.

This is a French Indian index or concordance and explanation of 8,000 Indian words, in dictionaries, grammars, parts of the Scriptures, prayers, books and catechisms there are in Father O'Brien's library, among many others, the following: Grammar of the Ojibwa and Mohawc, by Jean Andre Couv. Lexique de la Langue Inouit.

Such then, is the life in this colony of peace. It is to be wondered that Queen Alexandra, the Empress of Russia, and our own King will combine in thinking the most peaceful spot on earth.

For some time past the club women have been interested in preserving the folk songs of the Maine Indians, and for several years the Maine Federation has numbered among its clubs a club of Indian women of Oldtown.

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some measures may be taken to preserve the songs and stories of the people who are so fast passing away. A choice little volume by Samuel Lane Boardman entitled, "Six Private Libraries of Bangor, Maine," states that such provision has been made regarding Fr. O'Brien's library of rare works, that the entire collection will eventually be deposited in the perpetual keeping of the Maine Historical Society in Portland.

KING ON CONTINENT. How His Majesty Passed His Time at Fredensborg.

(London Express.) Royal life amid the oak and beech forests of Fredensborg touches lightly upon the ideal: it is quiet, domestic and blissful. Down in the English-looking village—no far from the castle—a quiet military atmosphere pervades.

But up at the snow-white castle, where King Edward and Queen Alexandra have come to stay, things are different. The outer world is blocked from both sight and sound, and the royal life is that of a country house rather than of a king's residence.

Early rising is a feature of the Danish court. Visitors at Fredensborg are usually sitting before the work of the day before. It is no unusual thing, among the members of the Danish court, to come from a walk or a ride about 7 o'clock in the morning; and his relative and visitors take pleasure in following closely the bluff old monarch's example.

In fact, the King of Denmark openly avers that the secret of long life lies in getting up betimes and breathing fresh morning air. Long before the castle clock strikes eight the whole royal household may be seen strolling in groups round the lake, or sitting where the blue waters of Lake Errom roll along its shores. From the castle a view is to be obtained—not the ragged scenery of Scotland, but rather the view one gets in southern England, of meadows, broken here and there by the golden spires of churches, and the green, steepled spire upon their journey to infinity by thickly wooded hills—such are the environments of Fredensborg.

After a light morning meal the royal visitors attend to their private or public matters. The Fredensborg correspondence is by no means the lightest in the world, and letters and telegrams are constantly sent to all parts of the earth. King Edward, King George and the Czar have their state affairs in North America, and the Czar has his in the East. The King of Denmark is planning, and carried out in this "New World."

At half-past one "breakfast" is served, consisting usually of some three or four light dishes. Thereafter the several amusements of the day occupy the royal time until evening. Sometimes the members of the court make trips into the outer world to the forest, to the lake, or to the coast, seldom do, preferring either to ride, cycle or to play cricket on the velvet lawns that fringe the castle side.

Occasionally the old King arranges a picnic party. And to the transportation of these outings he invariably attends himself. Frequent picnics have developed into a species of institution. At the appointed time a long line of carriages draws up to the semi-circular drive. The King of Denmark alights his guests their places, and himself drives the leading vehicle to a favorite spot in the neighborhood.

Seven o'clock in the evening comes round like due time, and dinner, which consists of seven courses, is served. All the royal members of the household are expected to be present at the meal, which select court friends are often invited.

After dinner, coffee is taken in the garden, while the gentlemen light their cigars and either repair to the billiard room or go for a stroll in the castle grounds.

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KAISER REDUCING WEIGHT. His Majesty Said to Be Following the Tea-Drinking Treatment for Obesity.

to consist of a large cup of tea, very light milk; as possible, no sugar and no milk; a piece of toast, or a slice of toast, cooked.

At 4 o'clock in the afternoon drink a large cup of tea.

For dinner at 7 p. m. the instructions given regarding the "clock" repeat apply. Nothing must be eaten that is not particularly specified in this regimen. The vegetables permissible are: potatoes, or any other starchy vegetables. Butter must not be eaten. A half hour's walk after each meal is recommended, except when fatigue is experienced.

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STREET SIGNS IN MOSCOW. Painted Reproductions of the Goods Sold Within the Shops.

There is one custom in St. Petersburg, holding all over Russia, so droll and amusing to the letters of it, that the shopholders have long since taken the miserable peddlers they call vendors, and these signs are painted with the reproduction of the wares that are in the shops.

One would get along famously in Russia could he read the law-breaking letters on the letters of the street and street corners look like the signs of the zodiac to the average foreigner and do not mean as much. If one could read and form an idea of the signs of the zodiac, and have a possible knowledge of sufficient traveling Russian in a month, but the language bars you out and bowls you over, because perforce you do not know the signs of the zodiac.

For example, a dairy will have a dozen signs, and never ate a loaf of bread, where a cow will stand, flanked by a couple of tubs of butter and leaning against a background of cheeses, while glasses of foaming milk stand on the shelves, and a sign of a cow with a pile of eggs was another feature, but never unless the hen who is responsible for them is portrayed loudly by sticking out her freshness.

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HEART DISEASE. Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Trouble.

Heart troubles, at least among the more civilized nations, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real organic disease is incurable, but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic. The close relation between heart trouble and the stomach is because both organs are controlled by the same nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way also the heart is affected by the form of food eaten, which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action, hence arises palpitation and short breath.

It is safe to say that the regular persistent use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at meal time will cure any form of stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

JOHN REDMOND'S VISIT. CORK, Oct. 22.—John Redmond, M. P., arrived here today on his return from the United States. He was received by an immense crowd and numerous addresses were presented to him.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMPORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

MISTAKES OF HISTORY.

Some Well Known Tales That Are Not True.

Yet for Centuries Fact Had Not Been Able to Catch Up With Fiction in the Race.

The celebration of the King Alfred millennium in England and elsewhere throughout the British Empire reverts to the stories of the deeds for which the Anglo-Saxon has for centuries been paying honors to the great King's memory, which, it is said, he never did.

Probably one of the most affecting scenes connected with the making of literature is that described in the oft-quoted story of the blind poet Milton dictating Paradise Lost to his daughter, Dr. Johnson, however, has been quoted as denying it. He said, furthermore, that Milton never even permitted his daughters to learn to read and write.

Like the story that the Duke of Clarence was drowned in a butt of malmsey is an error of history which has passed on as genuine for several centuries.

The inside of cigar box covers are sometimes ornamented with a picture of the Colossus of Rhodes, with ships in the harbor, and the great statue stretched legs of the giant.

As a matter of fact the Colossus was not built across the harbor, but on an open space of ground near it; and for all that it was a wonderful statue.

The facts are that a conspiracy against the Emperor Justinian being discovered, two of Belisarius's officers confessed under torture that the old general was in the plot. He was condemned under further hearing, his property sequestered, and he suffered imprisonment for six months.

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"Oh, I don't know," replied Jed. "I use a Riding Plow with a White Umbrella over me, and a Cushion on the Seat. I may not know it, but the Farmer is getting too Strong to Work. You can't make him use a Walking Plow any more. He wants his Corn with a Check-Rod Machine, like his Hay with a Patent Fork, cuts his Grain with a Self-Binder that has a Fundle Carrier attached, and then puts it through a Steam Thrasher that cuts the Bands, does the Feeding, measures the Grain, and dumps it into the Waggon and stacks the straw. I suppose about next Year they'll have some hundred Tobacco Trugs and somebody to the Bank and cash the Grain Tickets."

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HALIFAX FISHERMAN KILLED. BOSTON, Oct. 22.—The fishing schooner Arthur Binney arrived at her berth here today with her flag at half-mast and having on board the body of Joseph Clark, one of her crew, who was killed in a collision with the coast-guard cutter, the schooner while she was on Georges Bank Oct. 19. She was 23 years of age, and belonged to Halifax, N. S.

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SIR THOMAS SAILS FOR HOME.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Sir Thomas Lipton sailed for home today on the Celtic. Before going aboard he said he had not given up the fight for the America's cup. As the vessel pulled out from her dock he was forced to bow and wave his handkerchief continually in response to the cheers from those on the dock.

Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht, the Erin, will sail at noon tomorrow. Just before sailing, Sir Thomas reiterated to a reporter his intention, expressed yesterday, to wait a reasonable time and then challenge again for the America's cup.

"Will you challenge with a new yacht?" he was asked. "I cannot say anything about a new boat until I have seen the designers," he replied.

GLASGOW, Oct. 22.—Sir Thomas Lipton, while desiring to avoid monopolizing the British side of the America's cup contest, has already taken steps towards a third contest for the trophy. Captain Robert Whites, who returned here from New York on the Anchor line steamer City of Rome, yesterday, went to Fairlie and had a long conference with Mr. Fairlie, to see whether he would undertake designing the Shamrock III for a series of races in 1902. It is understood that Mr. Fairlie was opposed to rushing out a challenger for 1902. He considered the time too short to do his best work, but was willing to design a challenger to race in the autumn of 1903. No absolute arrangements have been made as yet.

Acting on Mr. Fairlie's suggestion, Captain Whites went to Carlisle, to provide for the better preservation of the Shamrock I, which will be used in the trials on this side of the water. The Shamrock II will be employed in the trials on the American side of the water.

A MODERN FABLE. By George Ade.

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LOST—On October 6th, between Smithtown, Kings County and City Road, St. John, a Black Leather Handbag, Finder, will be rewarded by leaving at E. V. WETMORE'S, 142 City Road, or J. S. SMITH'S, Smithtown, Kings County, N. B.

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LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID. Forget not that no fellow-being you. May fall so low but lose my lift his hope.

LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID. No generous heart may vainly burn aside in words of sympathy; no need be dead. But may awaken strong and fortified. If something good be said.

LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID. And so I charge you, by the thorny cross, And by the cross on which the Saviour bled, And by your own soul's hope of fair reward, Let something good be said. —FREDERICK HOME-POLLS, by James Whitcomb Riley.



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