

Have Women Any Excuse?

It is only a question of time when all women who suffer from red, roughened hands will be convinced that they have no excuse to offer.

They will realize that their household soap is much to blame for this condition of their hands.

To these women we offer this suggestion: Ask your grocer for a cake of Kirkman's Soap. Use it for all household and laundry purposes, and at the end of the day notice how fine your hands feel.

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Without Question or Argument
Kirkman's Soap is sold to you with the distinct understanding that it satisfies YOU in every way. Your grocer will return your money without question or argument, if you are not pleased with results. You alone are the judge.

The Economical Soap for Intelligent Women



Your Hands Will be Grateful

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Grenfell Work Made Progress

CHIEF OF LABRADOR MISSION AND PARTY ARRIVE HERE ON S.S. KYLE.

Dr. Wilfred Grenfell and party arrived in North St. John's recently on the S.S. Kyle from Labrador en route to the United States. Dr. and Mrs. Grenfell will spend the winter at their home in Brookline, Mass., and the other members will go to various parts to their homes; except eight young men, natives of Labrador, who are going to the United States to take university courses.

Dr. Grenfell said the mission had experienced a very successful season and particularly noted developments had been made along industrial lines. The chief expansions had been in basket weaving, and in canning fruit and salmon. The production is disposed of in the home market, the various institutions of the mission taking the major part of the output. Conditions in the country generally were improved by the opening of timber operations at White Bay by Mr. Harry Crowe, where a large number of men will be employed.

The industry would in part relieve the distress caused by the disappearance of the market for salt fish; but the fishermen are in a very bad way owing to the heavy taxation on fish. The doctor pointed out that he was always criticised for his propaganda against this heavy taxation, but that the handicap imposed upon the fishermen by it had created a very critical situation along the Labrador coast and was causing much distress.

Speaking of the humanitarian work of the mission, Dr. Grenfell said he was highly pleased with what had been accomplished by the various institutions during the season. The hospital work had been particularly valuable on account of the hardships, which the long lasting winter had imposed upon the country and the increased number of accidents on account of abnormal storm and ice conditions. He expressed particular pleasure over the success of the new orphanages, one in the north and the other in the south of the Labrador. Sixty children had been given homes in these institutions and were making remarkable advancement in various branches of study.

Volunteer nurses and general staff had been left in the Labrador to carry on the work during the winter and the doctor is taking eight young men of the country to the United States, where they will take university courses and specialize in branches which will enable them to carry on the work of the mission at various points in their native land when their studies are completed.—North Sydney Herald.

The Japanese Disaster

It is probable that every marine insurance company in the world will lose something in the Japanese disaster. It is also likely that a year or more may elapse before satisfactory proof of loss can be presented to the respective companies. To the foreign company the difficulties of language are well nigh insurmountable, as but few of the foreign staffs in Japan are able to do more than speak a few words of the Japanese language, and it is almost unheard of for anyone to read it.

Cable advices to the "Nippon Ji Ji," a Japanese newspaper in Honolulu, say that the entire insurance losses in the earthquake zone will reach \$1,000,000,000. Of this sum 80 per cent. will be paid by the government and 20 per cent. by the insurance companies.

It was announced in Tokyo that the heads of the various Japanese insurance companies have decided to pay their full insurance losses, not availing themselves of the earthquake clauses in their policies. This relates primarily to fire insurance.

Following the Japanese disaster London quoted 10 per cent. per annum on specified marine risks in that country.

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STILL ON THE INSIDE.

—By Bud Fisher.

Swindlers From Spain

As any policeman can tell you there are certain individuals, criminals who stick to one particular form of crime. These are thieves who confine their doormats; others who confine themselves to books, and a few who confine themselves to pictures. More recently it has become clear that each country tends to produce its own peculiar class of swindlers. In Paris and New York, where the population is cosmopolitan, the police find that the most cunning swindlers are Spanish and Russian.

Crimes of violence, especially cases of kidnapping, are perpetrated by Italians, Mexicans and Germans. The German is frequently prosecuted for false frauds, such as selling goods under false descriptions, or goods that have been adulterated.

The Chinese, usually a law-abiding race, produce most of the dope-smugglers. We have had several examples of that sort of thing lately in Japan.

From Hungary come the cleverest beggars, and their dodges for exciting the pity of the passerby are endless. The most cunning street thieves, so say the Polish police, are British, and the smartest burglars hail from America.

Just opened a small shipment of the latest New York styles, in red and blue Kid Shoes. See the new strap effect. Parker & Monroe, Ltd., Oct. 11.

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