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The Evening Chit-Chat

By MUTE CAMERON



"All things are engaged in writing their history. The rolling rock leaves its scratches on the mountain; the river, its channel in the soil; the animal, its bones in the stratum; the fern and leaf, their modest epitaph in the soil. The fall of the drop makes its sculpture in the sand or on the stone. Not a footstep into the snow or along the ground but prints in characters more or less lasting the map of its march. Every act of the man inscribes itself in the memory of his fellows, and in his own manners and face."

—Ralph Waldo Emerson.
"The day will come," I once heard a psychologist prophesy, "when we shall be able to read each other's minds."

"Well, I devoutly hope NOT," promptly commented one member of the group, to whom the psychologist spoke.

And the rest of the group echoed the wish in varying forms, but with unvaried fervor.

This unwillingness that our fellow men should be able to see into our hearts seems to be universal. I don't wonder. I share it just as you do. But I do wonder if most of us realize as to how large an extent others can see the inside of our hearts.

I was talking with a big business man the other day a man who owes much of his success to his ability to understand human nature. "Do you know," he said, "I believe that everybody wears a label and somebody is

reading it all the time."
How tremendously true that is.
There are no such things as secret acts.

There is hardly any such thing as a secret thought—surely no such thing as a secret trend of thought. Everybody is wearing a label and somebody is reading that label every day.

Everybody can't read it. Indeed, very few—I might say mercifully few—can. But I don't believe that ever a day goes by but each of us meets someone who can and does read our label.

I heard a woman say of a clerk in a certain store in my home town: "That woman is not a good woman." "How do you know?" "By looking at her face." "Is that a safe way to judge?" "Far safer than any other way." I would believe what I read there much sooner than I would any gossip about her. Incidentally, the woman was right in her judgment.

Labels are slow in the making, but the process is as sure as it is slow. They are never wrong.

One thought does not make a label. One act doesn't. Each single thought and deed only makes the first faint tracing of some single letter of the label. Subsequent thoughts and deeds may obliterate and change this first tracing.

What is YOUR label?
What are you making it?
What do you want to make it?
Are you willing and glad that it should be read by anyone, or are you afraid of those who have eyes to see? Impertinent questions, you say? Perhaps so, but pertinent, too, I think.

Ruth Cameron

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Died at Age of 117.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 18.—Abraham Kalinsky, whose age was estimated between 114 and 117 years died here yesterday. He was born at Kiev, Russia, and is said to have been the progenitor of fourteen children, twenty grand-children, twenty great grand-children, five great-great-grandchildren and six great-great-great-grandchildren.

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Mr. English's Review of Mr. McGrath's Book.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Before taking up in order the many errors that interlard very plentifully the pages of that book compiled by Mr. P. T. McGrath I will divert back to the article in Friday night's Chronicle, wherein English is placed vs. Howley.

This is a most reprehensible and mean subterfuge on the part of the Editor of the Chronicle. It is not at all English vs. Howley. It is English vs. McGrath. Mr. McGrath is by his own words found guilty of a downright plagiarism. Until last night he was content to strut like the fabled jack-daw, in borrowed plumage, and no doubt would continue in borrowed plumage so to strut were it not discovered that gross errors abound in the work. Only in a few minor instances are quotation marks used by the compiler.

Mr. McGrath is guilty of another sin against good taste and literary ethics. He admits that he knows nothing of geology or mineralogy, but at the same time does not fail to draw conclusions of his own, and to give us the benefit of his highly trained intellect, that brought to bear upon the published works of others, can deduct such sweets of knowledge.

He tells us (or perhaps it were better to say his book tells us) that the geology of the country is very simple. I wonder what Mr. Howley will say to that. If we look over the geology of the country (as published) we will find that large sections of the rocks, have not yet had their positions in the geological scale assigned them. Is this meant as an implication against the capacity of Mr. Howley. It would seem so.

In Mr. McGrath's book we are told that the valleys were formed by the rivers (vide p. 24). Mr. Howley says, in his report of March 5th, 1909, that they were formed by glaciers (McGrath vs. Howley). Neither one is correct, for neither glaciers nor rivers have formed the valleys. Were it in the scope of this article I could tell Mr. McGrath just how it was that valleys were formed. On page 102 of Newfoundland in 1911, the author misquotes Mr. Howley and makes that gentleman responsible for the following silly assertion or statement, "If some of the local gold-bearing areas were carefully and economically handled with up-to-date appliances for recovering all the ore, they might develop into paying propositions." In his we find the word ore substituted for values.

Mr. McGrath's lack of technical training led him into this mistake. In it we see strong evidence in support of my contention, that Mr. McGrath does not know the difference between ore and metal. The word values is technically applied to gold, silver and other more or less precious elements in ore. According to Mr. McGrath mining machinery is what is needed in the case, but what Mr. Howley meant is quite different. He meant the erection of cyaniding and amalgamating plants. Mr. McGrath knows of some great difference between storm and tempest, as will be seen by reference to page 16, of the wonderful book. I shall have to refer so very frequently to "Newfoundland in 1911," and that being rather awkward to write, I shall in future refer to the work as "Caliban." It is so grotesque, impish and untruthful, that I fancy the title fits it most admirably. It is indeed a "Caliban" among books. The compiler of "Caliban" to all appearance does not realize any distinction between a bay or an inland extension of the sea and an ocean, else he is ignorant of where the greater number of our people live. On page 16, "Caliban," he says: "Until recent years the island had not a settlement beyond sight and sound of the ocean, since fishing was the chief pursuit of its people, and they naturally located in as close proximity (I use Mr. McGrath's spelling) to the ocean as possible."

On page 17, "Caliban," reference is made to the abundant islands in Bay-of-Islands. Now as abundant is a relative term, it would be interesting to hear from Mr. McGrath how many islands in this case constitute an abundance of islands. On page 18 of the same book the compiler speaks of Hawke's River on the West Coast. Where is that river and what are its dimensions? I confess I do not know of any river of any consequence on the West Coast of that name. Here is a new sample of incongruity of language. On page 19 we find, "the mountain ranges extend North and South, and the principal is the Long Range Mountain, which begins at Cape Ray and continues north-east for 200 miles." In the first part of the sentence he tells us that the mountains run north and south, on next part he tells us that the principal range runs north-east and south-west. Is it Mr. Howley's fault?

On page 20 we are informed that "the more recent geological formations do not appear, except in the form of glacial debris and clay deposits due to the disintegration of the rocks." Let us look at the first part of the foregoing sentence. It says that "the more recent geological formations do not appear." I should like to hear from Mr. McGrath how he accounts for the presence of alluvials and loams, are they recent or not? Fancy, farmers cultivating glacial-drift. Certain clayey soils can be tilled, but I should not envy the poor fellow whose farm could boast of no other soil but clay and glacial debris. This from the Editor of an organ of a party that is making such a fuss over the farming possibilities of the country. Now, for the second part, Mr. McGrath must have written this part for the kindergarten. In this we are told, take your thumbs out of your mouth and stand up straight, whilst Mr. McGrath propounds the astounding scientific fact that glacial debris and clays are derived from the disintegration of the rocks—to continue the first part of the sentence, "except in the form of glacial debris and clay, due to the disintegration of the rocks." Whoever heard of fragmental rocks that have resulted from the breaking up of still older rocks, except, of course, certain limestones. In a sense fragmental. Fragmental Mr. Editor, I hope to continue this review of "Caliban."



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By H. L. RANN.

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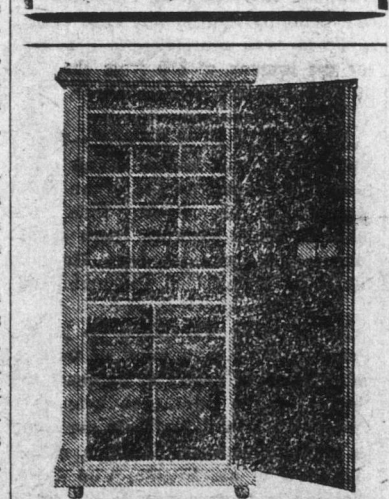
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