

THE WORLD'S HOME MAGAZINE FOR WOMEN

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The Verse of Gallantry.

From time immemorial it has been the custom of lovers to commemorate their joys and sorrows in sweet, evanescent song, and each year, with the vernal leafage of summer, comes an equally green and tender harvest of verse. Somehow the combination of girl, broad, dim piazza, cushioned hammock and summer night proves too much for the modern "know-it-all" youth, and he floats off mellifluous on a sea of jingle. In ancient days this "queered feeling" would have produced such roundels as will Shakespeare's "It Was a Lover and His Lass," or Herrick's "To a Young Lady," but the "quoting influences at play on the race have seemingly dried up the fount of poetry in the present generation, and could interpret the significance thereof? Not he himself, we are sure, for the rest of the verified aggregation of words is similar to the piece now described above. Alas for our modern lovers! Is it all that can be expected of them? A misapprehension, I think. It is refreshing, and a real relief to turn back the thumbscrew of similar pages of dear Tommy Moore, and lull one's doubts with the following:

God! how the gold mistle breaks there to lucent red! Dismissel's burning! Lies Love's a-corning! One of our weeklies justifies its name by reproducing this spontaneous outburst of puling profanity. Seriously, is there anybody alive except the writer of the verse, and could interpret the significance thereof? Not he himself, we are sure, for the rest of the verified aggregation of words is similar to the piece now described above. Alas for our modern lovers! Is it all that can be expected of them? A misapprehension, I think. It is refreshing, and a real relief to turn back the thumbscrew of similar pages of dear Tommy Moore, and lull one's doubts with the following:

Why, oh why, do our modern young people dance as if they were conducting the charge of the heavy brigade, or bucking the line? Oh, how sore are one's toes, how weary one's knees, and how hopelessly crumpled one's dress after a raid at two-step in a crowded hall. It is not dancing, it is jabbing, kicking, butting and ramming till the back stops to take breath and the dancers, thru sheer exhaustion. However, we can afford to lose the ancient grace of dancing the minutest of energy if thereby we also lose the grace of the modern. Let us have something more honest, kind and manly. Let the women look to it that they do not take the worn-out pose of the men have dropped.

The "Decline and Fall Off" of the Beau.

The Dickensian phrase above is not a misnomer. By "fall off" is meant fall from a pedestal. Undoubtedly the beau of ancient days has completely abdicated his throne and only appears occasionally in modern history to his own disadvantage.

The last surviving specimen of the species is the subject of a heartless analysis in this month's Century. He is held up to reprobation in a series of six tirades, and is finally deserted by each and all his victims, with the exception of a tuft-hunting heiress, who succeeds in nailing him down to definite and circumstantial surrender. When we view the pitiful figure that this survival of the unfittest cuts in modern life, we shudder at the thought of those days when beaus were many and a man wore feminine hearts as an Indian does scalps at his belt. Yet there is certain insidious variety of manner not yet unknown to the "strong-mindedness." It is not the "love-quick" beau, nor the "pity-my-sorrow" beau, but it is the "watch-me-do-a-stunt" sort who nowadays rattles the brains of the unwary onlooker. And, horrible to state, this species of flirt is not only to be found among men, but among women. Yes, it has come to that! Our girls watch the man of mighty muscle do his worst at basketball, rugby or lacrosse, and their hearts soften at every blow he bestows on the less lucky adversary. They watch the man, just watch the masculine promenade at a popular swimming resort. How they admire the girl who can turn a somersault in the water as neatly as a porpoise, or dive like a canvas-bucked duck. Consider the effeminate youth who haunts the tennis courts, or the young man who gets a stray glance from the muscular beauty who is piling up the score at every swing of her pulsant racket.

But where, oh where, in all this strenuous life is the beau? Where, indeed, is the beau? The man who wears frills at his wrists and knee breeches with lace fronts will probably never return to deck the earth with his picturesque presence any more than the 19-inch-waisted lady. But one gentleman has undoubtedly been lost since their disappearance. Why, oh why, do our modern young people dance as if they were conducting the charge of the heavy brigade, or bucking the line? Oh, how sore are one's toes, how weary one's knees, and how hopelessly crumpled one's dress after a raid at two-step in a crowded hall. It is not dancing, it is jabbing, kicking, butting and ramming till the back stops to take breath and the dancers, thru sheer exhaustion. However, we can afford to lose the ancient grace of dancing the minutest of energy if thereby we also lose the grace of the modern. Let us have something more honest, kind and manly. Let the women look to it that they do not take the worn-out pose of the men have dropped.

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For Woman's Suffrage.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) LONDON, July 15.—W. R. Preston, writing to a London friend, says he became a convert to woman suffrage while in Australia. He made inquiries about the working of the measure there, and did not find a single person dissatisfied with it. Preston adds that the great bulk of the women will not do as many men will do, they will not vote for an individual man either politically or personally.

DEBARRED FROM SERVING.

Hunter, the bartender at Cobalt who was released on bail after the shooting of a woman, has been prohibited from attending bar by the authorities.

World Pattern Department



1428—Girls' Low-Necked Dress. With Cap Sleeves. Paris Pattern No. 1428. All Seams Allowed. For wear with or without a gulfie this is a charming little frock. It is here illustrated, made of fine Persian lawn with embroidered edging for the neck and sleeves and insertion for trimming. These little frocks are made up in the dearest fabrics. The pattern is in 4 sizes—6 to 12 years. For a girl of 10 years the dress requires 4 1-2 yards of goods 27 inches wide, or 3 1-2 yards 36 inches wide, or 1 1-4 yards of edging 10 inches wide for cap sleeves and 1 3-4 yards of edging 9 inches wide for the neck and sleeves and 5 yards of insertion to trim. Price of pattern, 10 cents.

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Mrs. Roosevelt and the Simple Life.

The wife of the irrepressible "Teddy" has at last herself by starting on a campaign of her own. And, wonder of wonders, the object of her campaign is to make the simple life a reality for the majority of women. Mrs. Roosevelt has decided to discard all such trappings of luxury as the "simple life" and to live in a plain, simple, and unassuming manner. She has decided to discard all such trappings of luxury as the "simple life" and to live in a plain, simple, and unassuming manner.

The Feminine Movement in England.

"Opposition," says Elizabeth Robins in "Colliers," developed most of the arguments in its favor. All the telling arguments, witty or wise, are on the side of reform. The old-fashioned opponent with his jargon about "short hair and the shrieking sirenhood, all his pool of the dingy rags of ridicule, have been blown to the winds of heaven, and he can find nothing new. It is one of the signs of the reserve force behind the movement that every minister to it. The police magistrate sends a hundred unknowns to Holloway jail. They come out public characters, but with tales of abuses in the prison system and the crying need for matrons and women inspectors. The authorities try to avoid repeating their error by making all such inconvenient prisoners thereafter first-class misdemeanants and thus ensure their seeing less and having less material with which to stir the public conscience. But the public are quick to detect the fear behind the seeming leniency of the authorities.

WITH WOMEN IT'S LOOKS FIRST.

The average woman considers her first—her health afterwards. That's why we hear of so many cases of broken health and nervous prostration. She wears furs and heavy garments on a cold afternoon; in the evening with the theatre or party. These foolish irregularities in dress reap their own reward in the form of illness. It is only when roids that lead to pneumonia result, that she gets frightened and seeks a remedy that restores health. Let her take Ferronine. It soon gives vigor to the body, quickly brings color to the cheeks, restores the nerves and strengthens. Ferronine sharpens appetite, invigorates digestion, adds weight to the muscles tone and elasticity that makes the ailing one feel young, strong and vigorous. If you want strength, good color, high spirits and energy, use Ferronine. It's the most nourishing tonic made. Sold everywhere in 50c. boxes.

Shuffleshoo and Amberlocks.

The poem below is printed by request of its author, Eugene Field, was one of the kindest souls who ever devoted time and energy to the study of children. He has been dead only twelve years, his name is already among the classics as the children's poet: Shuffleshoo and Amberlocks Sat together building blocks. Shuffleshoo was old and grey; Amberlocks a little child. But together at that play Age and youth seem reconciled, And with sympathetic ease Build their castles fair to see. "When I grow to be a man," So the wee one's prattle ran, "I will build a castle so tall With a gateway tall as grand, Here an ivy shall grow; There a soldier guard shall stand. And the tower'll be so high Folks'll wonder, bye and bye."

PERSONAL.

Flora MacD. Denison has returned to the city after a three weeks' trip to Washington, Jamestown Exhibition and Atlantic City. She leaves Thursday to spend a month in her summer home on Lake Massinova. Prof. A. F. Coleman of Toronto University is spending the summer at Gananoque. Prof. Miller of the Ontario Geological Department is making extensive surveys in the north country. His headquarters will be at Cobalt.

LADIES BE PLEASED.

Ladies and children who visit Hanlan's Point this week will find much to amuse them. The free attractions that are given, the management says, were engaged especially to please the parents and their children. The big feature is Miss Jessie Keller and her young girls. These people accomplish everything that can be done on bicycles and unicycles. Some of the lady spectators became so enthusiastic that they were carried away by the excitement.

A FOGGY BRAIN.

It is usually the direct result of a clogged liver and is accompanied by indigestion, biliousness and general nervous breakdown. It is the most distressing ailment of our age. It is the most distressing ailment of our age. It is the most distressing ailment of our age.

GOING TO MUSKOKA.

Make the trip by daylight. If time permits, the P. R. new line traverses beautiful country, well worth seeing. Day express, the "Lakeland Limited," leaves Toronto 11:30 a.m. weekdays; dinner served en route in elegant dining car, arriving Bala 3:00 p.m., where boats connect for all Muskoka Lake points. For an enjoyable fast trip, through new country, see Toronto Saturday, 29th inst., and the tickets for prizes has been collected and the events will be open to all.

HAVANA STRIKE SETTLED.

HAVANA, July 15.—The settlement of the cigarmakers' strike, which was announced late Saturday, has been finally ratified and the men return to work at once.

DOG'S VOTING NOT COMPROMISED.

The great Uterine Tonic, and only safe effective Monthly Regulator, which women depend upon in three degrees of distress, is now being sold in 10c. bottles. It is the most effective and safe remedy for all degrees of distress, and is sold in 10c. bottles.

GILBEY'S CELEBRATED LONDON GINS. Gilbey's "Old Tom," "London Dry," "Plymouth." Ask for a "GILBEY GIN RICKEY." FOR SALE AT ALL THE BEST BARS. R. H. Howard & Co., 29 Front-st. E., Toronto DISTRIBUTORS

SATURDAY'S PICNIC.

The Dineen Co.'s Employees Have Rare Sport. One hundred and ten for tailoring experts from Dineen's factory held their annual picnic at Centre Island on Saturday. It was not in the catalog of this year's picnics, because the weather was particularly good, and there was a congenial flow of fellowship that helped to make the affair a success. Also the lunch was furnished by Nasmith.

PRESENT FOR MR. HANNA.

Queer Staff of Coffee Wood Which Has Magical Powers. Hon. W. J. Hanna has been made the recipient of an interesting gift from Mexico. It is a most curiously carved staff of coffee wood, the work of an ancient Mexican chief, and is supposed to recast his political victories. It is reported that the staff has magical properties which give its possessor extraordinary influence when "on stump." Life-like presentations of the vanquished opponents of the aboriginal designer are delineated upon the staff, and curious persons have traced resemblances in these to leading members of his majesty's loyal opposition in Ontario. The whole staff is covered over with quaint designs and is an excellent specimen of the artistic qualities of the patient Indian.

MASON IS LOCATED.

Man Friends Were Alarmed for is at Burlington Beach. The World yesterday received a telephone message from Charles Mason, who had been reported missing, saying that he was staying with friends at Burlington.

INCENDIARIES' DIRE WORK.

Over 200 Buildings in Russian Town Destroyed and Lives Lost. MOGHILEVI, Russia, July 15.—Simolyany, a small town in this neighborhood, has suffered severely at the hands of incendiaries. One hundred and fourteen Jewish and 15 Christian houses, as well as 70 shops, were burned down. A number of people perished in the flames. The Toronto Methodist delegates to the Whitby conference of the Young People's Missionary Movement, which closed last Thursday evening, intend giving a reception to missionaries and outgoing missionaries on the lawn of the Metropolitan Church to-night. Lunch will be served from 5 to 7. Addresses will be delivered by Dr. Sutherland, recently returned from the great missionary conference at Shanghai, China, and by several prominent missionaries. The exhibit of missionary literature, maps, charts and curios of invitation is extended to everyone.

RECEPTION TO MISSIONARIES.

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DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRES.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., July 15.—Reports to-day from every direction tell of forest fires. A report from Raber says that the camps of the Mud Lake Lumber Co. have been destroyed, as well as several farm houses. Flames swept across Mayfields, driving all before them. Much live stock is reported to be lost.

Lecture at Varsity.

Prof. Sykes' lecture on Robert Louis Stevenson in the chemical amphitheatre at 8 o'clock this evening will be illustrated by lantern slides made from negatives which were originally made by Stevenson himself. These were the photographs of his home and its surroundings, which he carried with him on his travels. The pictures will thus serve to bring the audience into closer touch with the poet's life and education than would otherwise be possible. It is expected that a large audience will come to enjoy this lecture, as the reputation of Prof. Sykes as a lecturer is already well-known to Toronto audiences. Many will remember with pleasure the lecture on Carlyle given recently by him. To this and the lecture next Monday evening by Prof. B. E. Fernon on "The Battle of the Forest," the public are invited.

Rolling Stock for I. C. R.

OTTAWA, July 15.—The department of railways and canals has distributed among the Crossen Company of Cobourg, the Bathurst Company of Deseronto, and the Rhodes, Curry Company of Amherst, N.S., orders for 400 I.C.R. box cars, of 80,000 lbs. each, 250 platform cars of 8,000 lbs. each, 400 box cars of 60,000 lbs. each, and 25 refrigerator cars. Some thirty new freight locomotives will also be built for the Kingston and Montreal companies.

Toronto Festival Chorus.

J. F. Tilley, secretary of Toronto Festival Chorus, returned from his vacation Monday afternoon, and is now prepared to receive applications for membership in the chorus for the coming season. Apply by letter, 30 Shuter-street, or appointments can be made by telephone Main 1062.

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British American Business College (OLDEST AND BEST) Ask for our special rate for the summer term. The cost is to be \$1.50. Watson, Pres

CAR DERAILED. On Saturday night at 11 a car was sent off the track at the corner of Howard-avenue and Queen-street. Some one had placed an obstruction on the track. The police are investigating.

Bilingual School at Ottawa. J. B. Finn, B.A., has been appointed principal, and J. M. Fleury assistant in the permanent bilingual training school for teachers, which has been decided upon, and which is to be located at Ottawa. Professional and academic training will be given both in French and in English, M. Fleury being a Parisian. The system of a model school has been adopted.

Jag Ambassador Recalled. BERLIN, July 15.—Katsunosuke Inouye, the ambassador of Japan to the German Empire, has been recalled.

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I wish to become a member of The Toronto World Home Magazine. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_