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The Rural Telephone.

The country telephone is the greatest gossip stimulator and patent eavesdropper of the age. A youth may "call up" his "best girl" and find his conversation printed in the local paper next week. This is from a Missouri exchange: "They do say that John Piper would rather talk over the phone than eat. They say that he has worn the finger off the phone and is thinking of getting just a plain gold ring. They also say that while talk is cheap it will soon take cash to buy groceries and that while one or two chairs may suffice now he will soon be furnishing a house complete. Now, Johnnie, if you are going to need cash for the affair we would be tickled to death to print them. We don't mean telephone cards either, Johnnie."—Kansas City Star.

That Members May Be Heard.

That the eloquence of the legislators may not be lost on the listening crowds in the galleries, the Government is taking steps with a view to the possible remedying of the acoustic properties of the chamber in the Parliament buildings. Mr. Alfred A. Foreman, an English architect, now living in Melbourne, Australia, called on Hon. Dr. Reame, Minister of Public Works, and together they made a brief inspection of the chamber. Mr. Foreman pronounced the chamber in bad shape for hearing in, it is a cube, and the ceiling is too high. Among other changes suggested was the lowering of the ceiling five or six feet and the placing of arches behind the Speaker's gallery. He also suggested arranging the seats of the members in a circular fashion.

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A NEW VALENCIA STORY

No Surf and Passengers Left to
Drown by Cowardly Crew.

Wreck Survivor Creates Sensation at Inquiry by Accusing Relief Vessels of Refusing to Attempt Rescue—
"Everyone Seemed to Shun Us," Said Witness, and He Did Not See Why a Boat Could Not Have Been Lowered.

Seattle, Jan. 31.—At yesterday's session of the investigation into the loss of the steamer Valencia, C. Allison of St. Paul, a passenger, testified that the sea was not rough.

He explained that he had himself been a sailor, and that the surf which finally battered the Valencia to pieces, could not be called high. This testimony caused a mild sensation, as all published accounts of the wreck have been described as "high seas," and "a terrible surf."

"Everyone seemed to shun us," said Allison, "all seemed to be afraid to help or attempt to help the unfortunate men and women who were facing death."

"All those that succeeded in getting ashore immediately left the scene. The vessels at sea stood off and made no attempt to lower a boat. In the morning, when the last raft put off from the Valencia, not a wave had a comber on it."

"There might have been some excuse for the Queen's not coming in closer, but there was a tug alongside of her that did not come any closer than the large vessel. It all looked wrong to us."

"How did it happen that so many of the crew were on the life raft?" asked Inspector Whitney.

"As soon as the raft struck the water the crew took possession," said the witness.

"What kind of weather was it when you were picked up by the Topeka?"

"It was a trifle foggy, but there was no wind blowing. The waves did not have combers on them. I do not see why a boat could not have been lowered."

The Tariff Commission.

Halifax, Jan. 31.—E. G. Smith opposed any increased duty on white cottons before the Tariff Commission here, and asked that fine worsteds made in Canada be fixed at 35 per cent. less preference. J. F. Fraser asked for one cent per pound on barrelled pork. Senator Power said 33-1-3 per cent. on American mink was enough, and L. K. Payzant protested against the high duty on beef and pork. W. H. Johnson wanted the 35 per cent. duty to remain on pianos. The tariff investigation was now at an end save for two sessions in Ottawa. Mr. Fielding said he feared it would be impossible to satisfy everybody in the tariff to be subsequently framed.

Manitoba's Telephone Inquiry.

Winnipeg, Jan. 31.—The telephone committee appointed by the Manitoba Legislature to conduct an enquiry into the operation and cost of telephone systems and telephone rates, held its first session this morning, when Charles F. Fisher of Chicago, a telephone expert, gave evidence as to competition in the United States between the Bell corporation and independent companies. He estimated that telephone system to comprise 10,000 telephones and constructed at a cost of \$1,000,000, could be maintained in Winnipeg by charging a rate of \$10 per telephone, and \$6 per year for a desk telephone.

Shutting Out Competition.

Winnipeg, Jan. 31.—Yesterday morning City Engineer Rutan and Chief of Police McRae ordered the Winnipeg General Power Co., when they started to extend their lines into the city, to stop work. The company was compelled to cease work operations, but application will be made immediately to the Government for permission to proceed, as the claim is made that the right to enter Winnipeg is embodied in the charter. The city intends to go into its own municipal power, and it is to shut out, if possible, the Winnipeg Power Co., that this drastic move was taken.

Report Is a Wordy One.

New York, Jan. 31.—Senator W. W. Armstrong, chairman of the joint legislative insurance investigating committee, said Monday that the report of the committee to the Legislature probably will be about 15,000 words in length. That will be nearly three times as voluminous as the longest presidential message on record. The report probably will be made public within about two weeks.

Served U. S., But Refused Admittance.

Houston, Jan. 31.—Although he had served three enlistments under the flag of the United States, one in the regular army, one in the navy, and once as a volunteer, and in each case received an honorable discharge, John J. Bowes, an Englishman, has been refused admittance to the United States. Bowes, despite his military service, was never naturalized.

Two Dead in One House.

Kingston, Jan. 31.—Rossana McFadden, aged 73, and Martha McFadden, aged 54, are lying dead in the same house on Wellington street, one dying on Sunday, the other Monday night. A third sister is very ill.

Cigarmakers' Strike at London.

London, Jan. 31.—Eighty-three men employed at Tuckett's cigar factory were on strike yesterday. The dispute is said to concern a recent order made by the firm relative to a certain class of work.

Nepawa Factory Burned.

Nepawa, Man., Jan. 31.—Pusey & McFeetor's building, machinery and material, were destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Loss is \$12,000. Twenty men are out of employment.

Quebec Budget Speech.

Quebec, Jan. 31.—Hon. Mr. McCorquill, Provincial Treasurer, will deliver his budget speech in the Legislative Assembly chambers this afternoon.

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The Dead King.

In a chamber of the Amalienborg Palace the body of the King lies in the modest bed in which he breathed his last.

Following the wishes of King Christian, the funeral will be attended with little ceremony. Yesterday the members of the family watched in the death chamber continually.

An enormous number of magnificent wreaths are coming in from every direction. The Duchess of Cumberland, daughter of King Christian, arrived late last evening. Her sorrow was very great, and it was with difficulty that she was removed from the bedside, where she had knelt for fully an hour in prayer. The burial will take place in the cathedral at Roskilde, beside Queen Louise, in the chapel of Frederick the Fifth.

King Hakan of Norway, Queen Alexandra of England, and King George of Greece are expected in a few days.

It is announced that Emperor William will be in attendance at the funeral.

Mourning at Sandringham.

London, Jan. 31.—King Edward arrived in town yesterday afternoon, and Queen Alexandra proceeded to Sandringham, where she will remain until she goes to Copenhagen to attend the funeral of her father, King Christian.

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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

A man frequently bows to the inevitable, though he has not been introduced.

The worsted man generally has a yarn fixed up by way of explanation.

Match breakers may be consistently regarded as fire extinguishers.



Carrying a heavy life insurance makes dying easy. It is such a relief never to have to pay another premium.

There is only one person enough interested in your secret to keep it.

It takes absolute genius to interfere in a woman's affairs and not get the worst of it.

All graft is good graft as long as the grafter isn't caught at it.

While the ballots continue to fall silently, as of yore, some of the watchers at the polls in New York fall with a dull thud.

It is customary to build tunnels underground, but in Pittsburgh they are talking of driving one through the air.

It takes a good bluffer to raise the wind with hot air.

All is not gold that glitters, but copper mining stock looks pretty good too.

Lingering Superstitions.

It is hard for the human race to free itself wholly from superstition. However emancipated a man may be, he is removed but once or twice from the sage who planted his potatoes in the dark of the moon and took his medical treatment from the horse chestnut.

No matter though he may argue to himself that he belongs to the "show me" tribe, yet there are times when his mental processes hark back to the superstitions of his forefathers.

For instance, some men otherwise intelligent consider it a bad sign to see a creditor over the left shoulder, and if unobserved they will turn and walk briskly the other way. Others consider it a bad omen to receive a letter promising a visit from their mother-in-law, while others cannot convince themselves that it does not portend danger to see a red auto bearing down on them with no fence handy to vault.

Passing It Up.

There has been a lot of talking of the smothering auto car. That around the land goes stalking. Knocking victims near and far. He who owns one of these friskers is esteemed a modern duke noble. As the wind blows through his whiskers And the country fades away.



Once I rode upon a wagon Of the whizzy, busy kind, And I thought I had a jag on Of a most distressing kind. Trees and posts and poles fantastic Danced a two-step all about.

And the road was not elastic When the "critter" spilled me out.

So I've solemnly concluded That with me it's not a hit; Kind of pity poor duded Ones who in the auto sit. So if you've an automobile That you want to give away, Pass it to some grand duke noble. Don't ask me to take it, pray.

Practical Workings.

"Take any stock in this mind cure?"
"Sure. I know it is a good thing."
"Maybe you have been cured yourself by it?"
"No, but I have a son who can have the stomach ache or not just as though he had touched a button."

"Marvelous."

"Not so very. It all depends on whether he is called on to play or to saw wood."

Prosperous.

"How is Bertie getting on these days?"
"Swimmingly."

"Glad to hear he is afloat again."

"Yes; he has become an instructor in a natatorium."

Had a Hunch.

"Awful the way turkeys are going up."

"Perhaps they had a premonition of what was coming and took to the higher branches."

All Round Girl.

She knew that she was witty, For a fellow told her so; She knew that she was pretty, For her father had the dough, And she certainly was gritty, For she traveled, more's the pity, With a one night stand "Tom" show.

Up to Him Now.

"How's your case coming?" inquired his sympathizing friend.

"It's all over but the alimony," returned the care free man wearily.

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Three Die in Collision.

St. Paul, Jan. 31.—Great Northern Oriental Limited, No. 1, westbound, and passenger train No. 2, eastbound, collided head-on on a straight track one mile west of Columbia Falls, Mont., at 10:44 o'clock Monday night. Two firemen and one express messenger are dead.

IT HEALS THE LUNGS.