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A YEAR OF ANNIVERSARIES.

Here are some of the anniversaries in 1909 worth noting and keeping in mind:

- Jan. 2—Birthday of Wolfe.
- Jan. 15—150th Anniversary of the Founding of the British Museum.
- Jan. 16—100th Anniversary of the Battle of Corunna and Death of Sir John Moore.
- Jan. 19—Edgar Allan Poe Centenary.
- Feb. 3—Mendelssohn Centenary.
- Feb. 12—Darwin Centenary.
- Feb. 12—Abraham Lincoln Centenary.
- March 31—Fitzgerald Centenary.
- July 5-6—Battle of Wagram, 1809.
- July 10—400th Anniversary of the Birth of John Calvin.
- July 15—Centenary of Proudhon, the famous Economist and Socialist.
- July 27-28—Battle of Talavera, 1809.
- July 28—John Stuart Elackie Centenary.
- Aug. 7—Tennyson Centenary.
- Aug. 29—Oliver Wendell Holmes Centenary.
- Sept. 11—Battle of Malplaquet Centenary.
- Sept. 13—150th Anniversary of Wolfe's Death.
- Sept. 18—Samuel Johnson Centenary.
- Nov. 20—Mark Lemon (first editor of Punch) Centenary.
- Dec. 29—Gladstone Centenary.
- Dec. 29—Discovery of the Hudson River in 1609.
- Dec. 29—Discovery of Lake Champlain in 1609.
- Dec. 29—Centenary of the Quarterly Review.

Musical Progress

FOUR BOSTON CHILDREN PROMISE TO RIVAL MUSICAL PRODIGES OF THE AGE.

(Boston Post.)

If the predictions of critics prove true, a quartet of Boston children now studying music in this city, two of whom have just given their first public recitals, are destined to rival the skill of such great pianists as Paderewski and De Pachmann.

Born of parents in modest circumstances, these children, Cathleen and Frances Doliver, Charles Fearing, junior, and Moritz Rosenthal, are displaying such unusual ability for their years that leading teachers are enthusiastic in developing their talent.

Moritz Rosenthal is the 16-year-old son of a cigar maker, and when 12 years old showed such an aptitude for music that George J. L. Colby, a music teacher, volunteered to teach the boy free of charge. His progress was rapid; he studied musical literature and spent many hours a day in practice. He practised so assiduously on his first piano that it lasted but a few months.

Another and stronger one was placed at his disposal, and this was also played out within a year. His teacher did not apologize for this seeming abuse of fine instruments, but explained that the pianos were inadequate to meet the demands of the boy's interpretation of the composers' notes, and that if he could inspire such magnificent tone pictures it seemed a pity not to be able to purchase an instrument capable of depicting them.

In course of time a piano especially made for Sievekink, the "giant of pianists," was found for his use. This piano is in use by him to-day.

Master Rosenthal last August played before Harriet Prescott Spofford in her beautiful home on Deer Island, Newburyport. At this time he had not touched the piano for 30 days, and after he had rendered the "Cradle Song" by Chopin she expressed herself as having been "a charmed listener for over an hour."

Although young Rosenthal has played in private on many occasions, he did not make his first public appearance until Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, when he appeared at Steinert Hall in a varied program, introducing some of the most difficult selections by Chopin, Verdi, Hahn, Schubert, and others.

Probably one of the youngest prodigies in this city is 7-year-old Cathleen Douglas Doliver of Quincy St., Dorchester. She is the grandniece of John M. Freeman, member of the Canadian Parliament from Quebec county, and her grandfather was Theodosius Ford, one of the most prominent lawyers in Nova Scotia (?). Her father is a carpenter, plying his trade in Dorchester.

Attention was attracted to her talent when she was only 5 years of age, and delighted in playing with her mother. As she showed no little talent her parents put her under the tuition of Carl Faelton, with the result that she is now able to distinguish each tone that is sounded on the piano. This is termed positive pitch, and is a very rare gift in a child.

Her first public appearance was when she was 5 years old, at Manchester, N. H. She has since appeared before the Canadian Club and the Daughters of Maine Club.

Bidding fair to equal her sister is Frances Doliver, 5 years old, who has been under instruction only one term and has already made her first public appearance, playing a duet.

Charles Fearing, junior, is another remarkable pianist. He first developed his talents about four years ago, when he surprised his relatives by rendering from memory the melodies of "Babes in Toyland," after he had witnessed but one performance of that show.

On growing older every tune that appealed to his ear he played with such ability that his parents decided to allow him to take up music as a vocation. At the present time he plays some of the most difficult selections of the great masters.

SMALLPOX ON STEAMER SENLAC

St. John, Feb. 25.—The steamer Senlac, which has been running between Halifax and St. John via Nova Scotia ports, arrived here today on her last trip, and was held at quarantine by Dr. Rudderick, port physician, who had received a telegram notifying him that the Senlac had landed at Yarmouth a man brought from Halifax, and who it was found had smallpox.

Dr. Rudderick vaccinated the crew and passengers, twenty-six persons in all. The matter had to be referred for further order. Meanwhile, all are detained on the steamer, which is anchored at quarantine. When released the Senlac will be laid up here, as the south shore business has lately proved unprofitable. There was hope of securing a subsidy from the Dominion government to run the Senlac between Gaspe and Campbellton, but the agents said today that this had not materialized, and the steamer would be laid up.

What Would Modern Education Have Made of Lincoln?

(University Leader.)

What would modern educational experts have made of Lincoln if, as a baby, he had been put in their care? They would probably have started him on sterilized milk, clothed him in disinfected garments, sent him to kindergarten where he would have learned to weave straw mats and sing about the "Blue Bird on the Branch." Then the dentist would have straightened his teeth, the oculist would have fitted him with plasses, and in the primary grade he would have been taught by pictures and diagrams the difference between a cow and a pig, and, through nature study, he would have learned that the catbird did not lay kittens. By the time he was eight he would have become a young gentleman; at 10 he would know more than the old folks at home; at 12 or 14 he would take up manual training, and within two years make a rolling pin and tie it with a blue ribbon. In the high school at 16, where in four years he would learn that Mars was the reputed son of Juno, and to recite a stanza from "The Lady of the Lake." Then to college where he would have joined the glee club and a Greek letter fraternity, smoked cigarettes, and graduated, and then become a clerk in a banker's office; and never, perhaps—we don't know and can't tell what might have been, but we can't help feeling thankful that Lincoln's training and education were left to Nancy Hanks—and God.

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BOND GOVERNMENT HAS RESIGNED.

St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 25.—The Government of Sir Robert Bond today tendered its resignation to the Governor, Sir William MacGregor, and it is probable that Sir Edward Morris, the Opposition Leader and formerly a Minister in the Bond Cabinet, will be called upon tomorrow to form a ministry. As Morris has no more supporters in the House than has Bond, there is intense interest in the probable development of the next week. Sir Robert Bond endeavored to induce Governor MacGregor to dissolve the Legislature and order a general election, but the Governor felt that another campaign at this time would injure trade. The Governor hopes to induce the Legislature when it meets on March 4, to vote sufficient money to carry on the business, regardless of political considerations, and thus enable the Colony to get along without a general election until later in the year.

STIFF NECK.

Stiff neck is caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the neck. It is usually confined to one side, or to the back of the neck, and one side. While it is often quite painful, quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Not one case of rheumatism in ten requires internal treatment. When there is no fever and no swelling in the muscular and chronic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Liniment will accomplish more than any internal treatment. For sale by W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN, A. E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, and BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

The best powers of mind and spirit cannot be attained if we neglect or misuse the body. The body is the vessel in which the spirit and the mind are kept through one sphere of life, and it should be made worthy of them. Every organ should be exercised, every normal appetite reasonably fed, if we expect to reach the best we are capable of being and doing. To be wholesome and attractive to the beauty-loving eye of the world is a commendable desire, and one which is perfectly consistent with the higher ideals of life. A subtle power comes with the consciousness of an attractive personality clothed in becoming and tasteful garments. For one who seeks to be his best self, subtle dressing for the body is as necessary as cleanliness.

"A wise old owl lived in an oak. The more he saw the less he spoke. The less he spoke the more he heard. Why can't we all be like that bird?"

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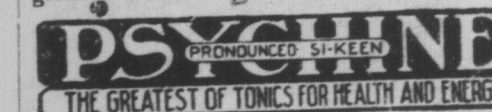


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The House of Lords is Not One of Birth or Ancestry.

Strangely enough, however, the House of Lords still remains the most democratic institution in England. It may still claim for itself to be the Witenagemot, or gathering of wise men, and one wonders why it does not defend itself along these lines.

It is not a house of birth or ancestry, for it is composed to-day of an overwhelming extent of successful men from almost every walk in life. No one cares a fig what a man's ancestry was in this matter-of-fact land if he succeeds, if he becomes rich and powerful.

William the Conqueror himself was a bastard, and his mother was the daughter of an humble tanner of Falaise.

The mother of the great Queen Elizabeth was the daughter of a plain English gentleman.

A pot-girl of Westminster married the master of the pot-house. After his death she consulted a lawyer named Hyde. Mr. Hyde married her. Mr. Hyde afterward became Lord Chancellor, with the title of Lord Clarendon, and his wife, the former pot-girl, bore him a daughter. This daughter married the Duke of York, and became the mother of Mary and Anne Stewart, both afterward queens of England.

It is evident that if queens of England may have a barmaid for grandmother, lesser mortals need not fret on the subject of ancestry.

The Englishman would not be what he is, nor would he in the least be transmitting his very valuable Saxon heritage, if he gave up his democratic custom of an aristocracy of power for the feeble continental custom of an aristocracy of birth. What the one and the other is to-day answers the question as to the relative merits of the two systems without need of discussion. The English, though now-a-days many of them do not know it themselves, are the most democratic of all nations.

William the Conqueror divided England among the commanders of his army, and conferred about twenty earldoms; not one of these exists to-day. Nor do any of the honors conferred by William Rufus, 1087-1100; Henry I, 1100-1135; Stephen, 1135-1154; Henry II, 1154-1189; Richard I, 1189-1199; or John, 1199-1216.

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