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THE INDISPENSABLE MAN.

Some of the most successful business men in this country make it a rule to dispense with the services of any man in their employ, no matter how important his position may be, as soon as he comes to regard himself as "indispensable."

This may seem harsh and even unbusinesslike, but if we look into it we shall find that there is wisdom in this practice. Experience proves that the moment a man looks upon himself as absolutely necessary, he usually ceases to exercise to the fullest extent the facilities which have helped him to rise to that indispensable point. He becomes arrogant and dictatorial, and his influence in an organization is bound to be more or less demoralizing. Many concerns have been seriously embarrassed by the conduct of managers, superintendents or clerks or department agents after they had reached positions where they thought no one else could take their place.

WOULDN'T FEELS THE LOT.

(Philadelphia Press)
"Yes, I'd generally propose to you?"
"Yes, and if actually made me shiver?"
"Why?"
"Yes, you asked me if I would care to share the lot, and I don't believe that funeral I thought he referred to one in a cemetery."

SKIN GRAFTING.

An interesting skin-grafting operation has been performed at the general hospital in Montreal. Arthur Mitchell, a nine-year-old boy, several months ago sustained injuries by which he lost an arm and had a large piece of flesh cut out of his left thigh. In order that the wound might be skinned over his sister offered herself as a subject, and the hospital doctors removed sixty square inches of cuticle from her body and grafted it upon her brother. Both are doing well.

A POTENT PLEA.

"Huggins is your name, eh?" said the magistrate to the defendant, who was a trifle deaf. "Married or single?"
"Married," replied the defendant in a low voice.
"What's your excuse for being drunk?"
"I say I'm married," the defendant shouted this time.
"Ah! That's sufficient excuse. I'm married myself. Discharged!"—Philadelphia Record.

ONE OF THE VIRTUES.

"Has that lady Bill Jones a single good trait in his character?"
"Yes, one. He's patient. He can sit and fish all day although he don't get a single bite, and I don't believe that even the absence of hook and line would ruffle him."

PATRICK A. McHUGH M. P.

Lionized on His Release From Kilmalham Jail—Published a Libel.

DUBLIN, Oct. 21.—Patrick A. McHugh, member of parliament for the north division of Leitrim, who was sentenced on April 23rd to six months imprisonment as a first class misdemeanant for publishing in his paper, The Sligo Champion, seditious libels, calculated to interfere with the administration of justice, was released from Kilmalham jail today. Mr. McHugh was accorded an enthusiastic reception by a large crowd of people. The Lord Mayor of Dublin, Sir Thomas D. Pile, a numerous deputation from Sligo, and John O'Dowd, member for South Sligo, and John O'Donnell, member for South Mayo, were among those who welcomed him to the city. Mr. McHugh drove in the lord mayor's carriage, followed by a long procession of carriages, to a hotel where a luncheon was given in his honor.

Mr. McHugh will sail for New York with John Redmond, and on October 21st will on the steamer Majestic, which leaves Queenstown Thursday.

WHO WILL GET THE RED HAT?

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Candidates for the "Purple" in the consistory which the pope usually holds about Christmas time, according to the Home correspondent of the Fall Mail Gazette, are arising everywhere, their numbers seeming to increase in proportion to the distance from Rome. The United States, for instance, besides the candidates of long standing—Archbishops Corrigan and Ireland—who represent two opposite tendencies in the American Roman Catholic church, has on this occasion two additional aspirants for the red hat. There are only four vacancies in the College of Cardinals, and the American prelates are thought to have few chances of selection, as the pope is credited with a determination not to have more than one cardinal in the United States, fearing that the friction and antagonism would be difficult to harmonize and might be fatal to Catholicism in America.

THE SINGER STRIKE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The effects of the strike at the Singer Sewing machine works, Elizabethport, N. J., are becoming apparent. The strikers' number 400, but there are three times that number idle because there are no machines for them to work on. Over 200 additional young women have just been laid off on this account. The Singer Company has served notice on the strikers that unless they appear individually at one o'clock on the 22nd, they will never be allowed to return to work at the factory.

THE DEATH ROLL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The Rev. Charles Steadman Hageman, D. D., is dead at Christ Church rectory, Riverside—The Hudson, aged 56.
LONDON, Oct. 21.—Sir Archibald Levis Smith, who recently resigned the post of master of the rolls, on account of ill health, died last night in Morayshire, Scotland. He had rowed twice with Cambridge against Oxford. He was born in 1824.

THE KEEPER OF HOLYROOD.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The announcement of the engagement of the Duke of Hamilton and Brandon to Miss Anne, one of England's beauties, has caused widespread interest. The Duke of Hamilton and Brandon is premier of Scotland, and hereditary keeper of Holyrood palace. A few years ago he was a poor lieutenant in the navy, but succeeded to the titles and estates in 1886.

TERRIBLE MORTALITY.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Church Missionary Society has received mail reports showing that the Bubonic plague is raging at Foo Chow, and vicinity. Fifteen hundred cases of the disease are reported daily, and for a couple of weeks upwards of a thousand coffins have been carried out of the city gates each day.

IT IS A FAILURE.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—It is announced that the publication of the Anglo-Saxon Review, edited by Mrs. George Cornwallis West (Lady Randolph Churchill), will cease with the present issue.

MURDER IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 21.—Zotique Dazereau, the contractor who was injured in a street row on St. Lawrence street Thursday night, died at the General hospital this morning, G. Bissonnette is under arrest on a charge of assault, which will now have to be changed to murder.

GREEK CHURCH FOR CHICAGO.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 21.—Father Kochuroff, a priest of the Orthodox church, residing in Chicago, has been most successful in collecting funds for the erection of a church building in that city. He will start for home shortly with a draft for \$50,000.

MORE BEERS BANISHED.

PRETORIA, Oct. 21.—Twelve more Beer leaders, including Commandant Beyer, whose capture was announced August 12, have been permanently banished from South Africa.

ON EVERY SIDE.

Police System in Russia Most Complete in World.

Four Portions Independent of Each Other, but Under One Head.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 21.—The Russian government has the most extensive and complete police system in the world, there being four separate and distinct departments. Each is independent of the others and has its own director, but all are under the supervision of the same head, Privy Councillor Sipiaguine, the minister of the interior. The first is the ordinary force of patrolmen, such as are found in every city, to maintain order and to prevent and punish crime. It is composed of veteran soldiers, who wear military uniforms and carry sabres instead of clubs.

The second is that of the *dvorniki*, or doorkeepers of apartment houses in Russian cities. Everybody lives in an apartment house, which has but one entrance, in charge of a man who is appointed by the police, but paid by the owner. It is his business to keep the premises in proper condition, to represent the landlord in his relations with the tenant, to collect the rents, to oversee repairs, to prevent the abuse and unnecessary damage of the property, and at the same time to serve the tenants in various capacities so far as he may do so without neglecting his other duties. He receives all the mail and packages that come to the house and distributes them. It is his duty to see that each tenant has a proper passport, and, if anything suspicious occurs, he is required to report it promptly to the nearest police headquarters.

In short, he is a spy whose employees require him to know all about everybody who lives under the roof of the house of which he has charge. Of the third system is the *gendarmes*, or men in black, who have some of the most important duties of the police. They are well known to the public, wear a distinguishing uniform and serve as general inspectors of public affairs. When it was reported to him that there was a large amount of corruption in the different branches of government he called the procurator-general and announced his determination to hang every man who had stolen so much as a piece of soap. "Then your majesty will not be able to fill the offices," replied the procurator-general, but Nicholas said he would try, and selecting the most honest men he could find he sent them through the empire to inspect the accounts and the conduct of his officials. From that time the system dates, and it has always been maintained.

Then comes the hated and hateful third section, as it is called, the *black police*, who exist in every branch of social, political and commercial Russia. They are everywhere, and number hundreds of thousands, although at present their activity is not so great as it was during the Nihilistic persecutions during the first part of the reign of Alexander II. Women in the highest society, nobles, lawyers, merchants, clerks in banks and mercantile houses, operatives in factories, waiters in the hotels and cafes, drosky drivers, peddlers, courtesans, house servants, everybody was suspected of belonging to the much-feared third section, but no one would ever confess it. In all the capitals of Europe were representatives of the third section of the Russian police, and their intrigues have been a popular subject for sensational novels.

These spies are not usually paid regular salaries, but are rewarded for information furnished according to its value or services they are called upon to render. If they obtain information concerning the corruption of a public officer or suspicious conduct on the part of a citizen, they report it to the police official under whose authority they are acting, and are paid by him. If any particular person is under surveillance, or a plot is suspected in any quarter, those who would be most likely to secure information are notified and receive instructions.

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BON VOYAGE.

The Duke Sails Out of Halifax in a Snowstorm.

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 21.—The Duke of York took his last look at Halifax this morning amid blizzards of snow, which began to fall after the Ophir and accompanying fleet had got into position to sail down the harbor and for St. John's, Nfld., shortly before 5:30 the Ophir cast her moorings off from the dockyard. The royal marine band was playing "The Maple Leaf" and "Auld Lang Syne." As the fleet passed down the harbor the citadel and other forts fired royal salutes. The departure of the fleet was witnessed by large crowds, the public schools having had a half holiday.

CHOKED TO DEATH.

AVON, N. Y., Oct. 21.—James Cullen, aged 55 years and a member of the G. A. R., died yesterday afternoon from strangulation. A few years ago a tumor appeared in the larynx and on several occasions it was relieved. Yesterday while eating dinner a piece of beefsteak lodged in the larynx, and before medical aid could be summoned Mr. Cullen was dead.

CAUGHT 50,000 MACKEREL.

And Cleaned Up \$4,000 in One Day's Fishing.

A Boston letter of Oct. 12 to the Yarmouth Telegram says:—
"The schr. Rebecca stocked \$4,000 in one day. She arrived at T wharf on Thursday night at 6 o'clock. The whole trip took less than two whole days, the men sharing \$148 each.
"The man at the meshhead reported a school ahead, Capt. F. H. Perry sprang into the rigging and saw the fish. He ordered all to get ready. All was hurry and bustle. The weather was fine and sea calm. Capt. Perry ordered us to row out to the fish. We got in the boat, rowed about two miles and set the seine around the fish. When Lewis Thorburn, the cook, brought the schooner alongside the boat it was only then we knew the size of the school we had taken. We hauled the vessel's hold full and deck also. The tug Storm King, of Boston, towed us into port.
"This is the largest catch of fresh mackerel for the season, containing nearly 50,000, which sold for 10 cents each.
"Nathaniel Kenney, of Clark's Harbor, and Lewis Thorburn, of Jordan Bay, are members of her crew, and are natives of Shelburne County."

HOME AGAIN.

The St. John troops who went to Halifax to attend the review returned home yesterday. On account of the lateness of the trains in reaching Halifax there was not sufficient time for dinner, and many of the men state that they had to go on parade hungry. Others are of the opinion that the arrangements for Halifax were all right and that those who went hungry had no one to blame but themselves. The artillery, who had not the advantage of the dining car on their way to Halifax, were treated to meals along the way by their officers, and after the review had a hot supper in the city. They claim that had it not been for their own officers they would not have had any food at all, as everything was done in a rush and sufficient preparation was not made.

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WHISTLE AGAIN.

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"There, now, the hat has gone!" he cried, pretending to be angry. And George immediately set up a howl. After a time the father remarked:
"Come, be quiet. If I whistle, your hat will come back again."
Then he whistled and replaced the hat on the boy's head. "There, it's back again, you see." Afterward, while papa was talking to mamma, a small shrill voice was heard saying:
"Papa, papa! I've thrown my hat out of the window! Whistle again, will you?"—New York Tribune.