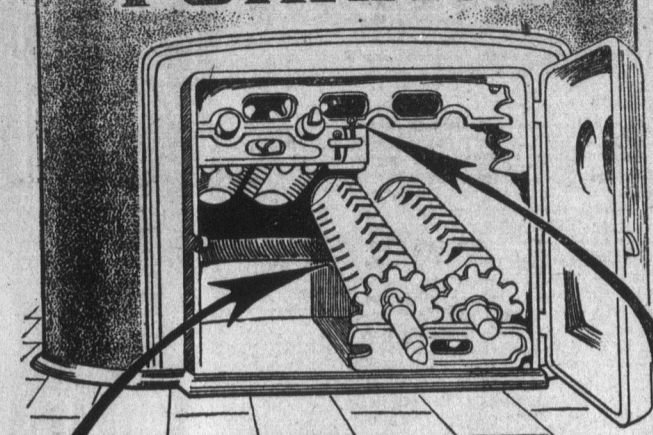


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On Arbor Day, after their hard day's work, the scholars of S. S. No. 12 were treated to a very pleasant entertainment by their teacher, Miss M. Cousgrove, in honor of St. Patrick, this entertainment having been postponed on account of the absence of so many pupils with measles. The school was tastefully decorated with green and white. "Sharp at three" those responding to their invitations began to arrive, all wearing their "thrill of green," and at half past three the program opened with a speech from the teacher, in which she told how St. Patrick banished all the reptiles from Ireland for a time, and last but not least was the unwinding of the spider's web, in

which everyone procured a string end and were as busy as bees trying to get to the other end of their string to find what souvenir was theirs. It afforded great amusement for the old ones as well as the younger ones. After a few votes of thanks to the teacher for the pleasant afternoon's entertainment to the visitors, as well as the scholars, all dispersed, being of the same mind as the teacher, that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy."

Minister of Education in London. London, May 16.—Hon. Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, arrived in the city yesterday, and was met at the station by Hon. Adam Beck and others representing the board of education. Dr. Pyne visited the Collegiate Institute, the Normal School and one or two of the principal public schools. He was entertained at the home of Hon. Mr. Beck, who also entertained the members of the board of education at luncheon.

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Longshoremen Refuse to Accept Advance Offered.

Federation of Shippers Would Give Two and a Half Cents an Hour More—Men Are Firm for Five Cents—Freight Handlers Also Go Out—350 Leave Work and Join the Teamsters.

Montreal, May 17.—The federation of shippers and the C. P. R. offered the longshoremen an advance of 2 1/2 cents per hour yesterday, but the men, after due consideration, not only refused to accept the advance, but also declined an offer to arbitrate, and the following is the document: "The shipping federation of Canada and the C. P. R. Co. submit offer without prejudice of an increase in wages to the longshoremen of the port of Montreal of 2 1/2 cents per hour worked day and night on the understanding that these rates are to remain in force till the last ocean vessel sails from Montreal season of 1907."

"If this is not acceptable then they are willing to arbitrate the question of wages, provided the workmen resume work forthwith, in which case the decision of the arbitrators will date from Friday, May 17, 1907, it being understood that the rates fixed by the arbitrators are to remain in force until the last ocean vessel sails from Montreal season of 1907, these two offers to remain open for acceptance till Friday, May 17, 1907, at noon."

"H. A. Allan, President of the Shipping Federation of Canada. "D. McNicoll, first vice-president, C. P. R."

A further complication was added by the freight handlers to the number of 350 "resigning" their various positions and leaving work. To signalize the occasion the men formed in parade order in front of the longshoremen's headquarters and marched westward in Commissioners street to cast in their lot with their fellow workers, the Shedd Co.'s teamsters, who had previously "resigned" Wednesday morning. These men held forth at Nault's Hall in Guy street, and their action added to the general holiday aspect of the situation.

Miners to Test Act. Vancouver, B. C., May 17.—Behind the miners of Marble Bay Island, in their fight with the management of the mines, stands the Western Federation of Miners, which, since March 25, the date on which the men quit work, has been supplying them with strike pay. The men declare that the fight is practically out of their hands, and that any settlement reached will have to be negotiated through the Western Federation.

The decision of the mine owners to commence criminal prosecution of the men under the provisions of the Dominion Industrial Investigation Act, will bring all the power of the Western Federation to bear to render the act imperative in this case.

NO WHEAT IN RUSSIA.

Prices Are Now Higher Than For Several Decades.

Odessa, May 17.—The European wheat situation is regarded by competent grain merchants here as being most unfavorable. The present prices are the highest the experts on the Bourse can remember to have been quoted in Russia for decades past. The provinces of Bessarabia, Poltava, Kherson and Podolia are gravely affected. Seventy-five per cent. of the winter crops have been damaged by the cold weather and dry spring. Owing to the sudden rise in temperature a fortnight ago the entire spring crops will be lost unless rain falls within a week, in which case possibly 85 per cent. of the spring crop will be saved.

About Kishinev the farmers are re-ploughing their fields, the first sowing having been ruined by drought. At Kelsabegrad the winter wheat crop is a total failure, and the spring crops are threatened with destruction owing to lack of rain.

Submarines Stand Test.

Newport, R. I., May 17.—With all hands well and contented, with a bountiful supply of fresh air, and with records of submergence broken, the submarines, Octopus and Lake, rose to the surface of Narragansett Bay at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, ending a test of 24 hours under water.

The Octopus rose first, and the members of the naval trial board crowded about her as the conning tower hatch flew open. The members of the board at once went below to note conditions on board, and to test the air supply. Samples of air were bottled every two hours throughout the test for analysis by the board. The Octopus blew out foul air only twice during the twenty-four hours she was at the bottom of the bay. It was computed that only one-fortieth of her air supply was exhausted. If these figures are correct they tend to show that the boat could maintain submerged 45 days, provided the food and fuel supply was sufficient.

Fatal Drought Before Husband.

Schenectady, N. Y., May 17.—Mrs. Sam Danzig walked into her husband's grocery shop yesterday, and handing him a note declaring herself weary of life, drank two ounces of carbolic acid. She died in a few moments. The couple had quarreled over business matters.

Must Serve Seven Years.

New York, May 17.—Anisia Louise De Massy, recently convicted of having killed Gustav Simon, a Broadway shirt waist manufacturer, was yesterday sentenced to serve seven years and five months in the state prison for women at Auburn.

Despondent Woman Suicides.

Ottawa, May 17.—A member of a well-known family in Metcalfe, Mrs. James McCreary, hanged herself in a barn there yesterday in a fit of despondence brought on by ill-health.

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SOCIALISTS SUCCESSFUL.

With Anti-Semites Will Be Powerful in New House.

Vienna, May 17.—The returns from the elections held Tuesday throughout Austria are not yet complete, but show conclusively that the most powerful parties in the Lower House of Parliament that will assemble June 19 will be the Socialists and anti-Semites.

The success of the anti-Semites has not been so remarkable, but still it is great. They numbered twenty-six representatives in the old House, and they have already fifty-nine seats in the new, with thirty candidates in the re-balds.

Consequently, there are two distinct features to be seen in the coming House—a Socialist party, possibly 70 strong, and an anti-Semitic clerical centre, numbering perhaps 80 or 90, as the German clericals, who secured 28 seats, always make a common cause with the anti-Semites. Herr Von Maebel, the Minister of Public Instruction, has resigned in consequence of his defeat at the polls.

A Lazy Liver

May be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. It would be a stupid as well as a savage thing to beat a weary or starved man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging, torpid liver it is a great mistake to lash it with strong drastic drugs. A torpid liver is but an indication of an ill-nourished, enfeebled body whose organs are weary with over work. Start with the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put the liver to work and see how quickly your liver will become active. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvelous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the deflection of other organs.

If you have bitter or bad taste in the morning, poor or variable appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, constipated or irregular bowels, feel weak, easily tired, dependent, frequent headaches, pain in the "small of back," or any of the distressing feelings in stomach, perhaps nausea, or "rises" in throat after eating, and kindred symptoms of weak stomach and torpid liver, no medicine will relieve you more promptly or surely than **Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery**. Perhaps only a part of the above symptoms will be present at one time and yet point to torpid liver or biliousness and weak stomach. Avoid all hot bread and biscuits, griddle cakes and other indigestible food and take the "Golden Medical Discovery" regularly and stick to it until you are vigorous and strong.

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Married Man of Fifty.

Windsor, Ont., May 16.—Mrs. Hattie Tilden, formerly of Guelph, was here yesterday looking for two of her children, aged 4 and 6, who, she claims, were taken from her by a stepson living in Detroit. Her story was that she married her husband, a furniture manufacturer, in Guelph, when she was 16 and he was 50, going with him to live in Seattle. They were separated a couple of months ago through trouble for which she blames her stepson, and she came back to Guelph, with her children, to live. The husband returned to his former home in Hamilton, where he died in the hospital a few weeks ago, and when she went there, she claims that the stepson took her children to his home in Detroit.

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Prejudice is rarely on speaking terms with reason.

If one has plenty of friends, there is lots to talk about.

It is as foolish to rejoice too much as it is unwise to mourn too long.

A contented spirit is a beautiful thing, but it can't be counted among the assets of the world.

An artistic loafer makes a hit with some people, but they don't pay him a salary for it.

Paying compliments on insufficient security never made any one bankrupt.

Other people's children are perpetual nuisances, our own only occasional.

Most wives enjoy helping their husbands because they won't help if they can't boss.

While it is hard to get something for nothing, the converse of the proposition seems to be frequently Q. E. D.



Offering Explanations.

Just now the congressmen who have gone back to their happy homes to rest up from the arduous labor of making laws and drawing mileage are dodging behind bushes and hollow stumps in their effort to keep away from their constituents who would like to have them explain how it comes they happen to be worth more pay.

To the simple soul who is plugging along with forty acres and a mule and who feels rich if he sees as much as \$300 in the course of a year the pay of a congressman appears to be enough to buy St. Louis and then get back some change.

He cannot understand that the man in Washington who smokes five cent cigars and wears celluloid collars can no more catch the eye of the speaker than a penniless American girl can catch a duke and thus get the streams in his district that run water a part of the year taken care of in the river and harbor appropriation.

His Choice.

"What occupation would you choose?"

"Farming."

"Specialized?"

"Yes."

"What?"

"Wild oats."

High Spot.

"I am looking for an appropriate name for my new home."

"You say it is the highest spot in the county."

"The very highest."

"Call it 'The Ace.'"

It Isn't Always Twenty-three.

Domestic relations get clean out of plumb.

Sometimes in spite of your best.

The makers of trouble are certain to come.

And give to the household no rest.

The furnace gets sulky, refuses to draw.

The house is a storage of cold.

The cook's temper no jolly can thaw.

She threatens to leave at once.

The babe has the measles and Johnnie the mumps.

The plumber's coin has scraped in.

Except what the coal man requires as he dumps the anthracite into the bin.

Domestic relations get clean out of plumb.

In spite of the best you can do.

So whistle a ragtime, for that will help some.

And give the blue devils skidoo.

Her Weakness.

"Is she good looking?"

"Well, she would pass in a crowd."

"Pass what?"

"Anything but a millinery establishment."

Does What She Can.

"His coal bill should be light."

"Is his house different from others?"

"No, but I understand his wife makes it warm for him a good deal of the time."

No Skidoo.

The girl was getting well along.

Her years full thirty were.

But when the census taker came

'Twas twenty-three for her.

Matter of Taste.

"Do you consider it bad taste to pass your plate for the second helping?"

"No, indeed. It is might good taste when I am hungry."

Didn't Match.

"It is to be a crooked race."

"How do you know?"

"I've got a straight tip."

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III.—F. Wildgen, V. Hughson, L. Hughson, J. Forsyth, H. Wilson.

II.—G. Richardson, D. Solomon, W. Peiers, N. Highgate, E. Axford, H. Cunliffe, P. Briggs, G. Cumming, M. Cunliffe, M. Forsyth, E. Wilson, M. Cumming.

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