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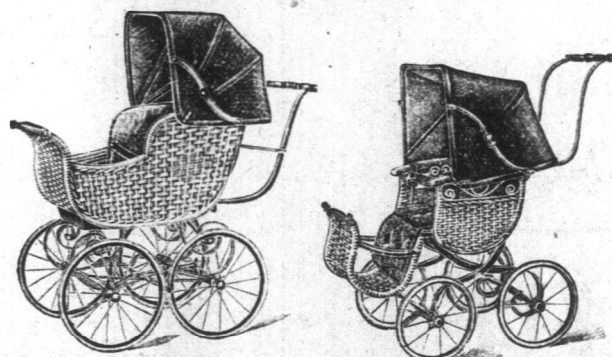


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The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON



The lady who always knows somehow how to get on with her friends... The Casual Visitor had endured this conversation with ill-concealed impatience. "Really!" she burst out at last...

Robert Louis Stevenson.

ALL READY FOR THE CLEANING



covered with a lid, and should always be tightly covered. When making buttonholes always select a thread 20 numbers larger than the one you would use for sewing the same material.

Evening Telegram Fashion Plates.

The Home Dressmaker should keep a Catalogue Scrap Book of our Pattern Cuts. These will be found very useful to refer to from time to time.

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Ladies' Corset Cover and Skirt. The simplicity as well as the practical features of this model will readily appeal to the home dressmaker.

Wells Defeats Brown.

Madison Square Garden, N. Y., August 30.—Matt Wells, the English lightweight champion, added to his list of laurels by out-boxing and out-fighting "Knockout" Brown, the New York lightweight, in a ten round bout before the largest crowd that probably ever witnessed a pugilistic contest in New York, to-night.

Household Notes.

White pepper is preferable to black for seasoning chicken soup. Crisp celery should be served with cold meat. It is a nerve tonic.

Medical Authority

The British and United States Pharmacopoeias, two of the greatest medical books of authority, state that the active principle of FIGS is a valuable LAXATIVE remedy in the treatment of all KIDNEY, LIVER, STOMACH and BOWEL disorders.

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Flower Store Bulletin.

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JAS. STOTT. August 31st, 1911. M. J. WALSH, Duckworth St.

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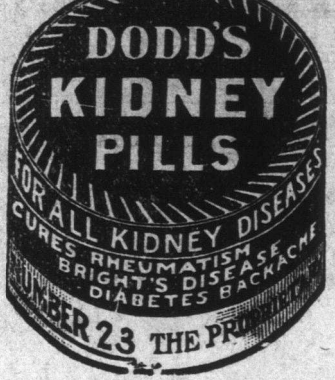
At the Eleventh Hour!

CHAPTER XIII. LIKE A LEAF ON THE RIVER. "Why, that's what she always calls me—Linnet—don't you know?" said the girl, smiling.

Neuralgia Pains Beyond Human Endurance. Half a Box of Dr. Bovel's Iron Tonic Pills Gave Relief.



Mrs. Flo. Coulson of Orlita, Ont., writes as follows: "In December last I purchased a box of Dr. Bovel's Iron Tonic Pills from you. I was a martyr to Neuralgia. Before I had used half a box I received benefit from their use."



Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
W. F. LLOYD, - - - Editor
WEDNESDAY, Sept. 6, 1911.

Trouble About

CENSUS ENUMERATORS.
There seems to be much dissatisfaction prevalent in regard to the appointment of the takers of the Census. We hear of trouble at Bonavista, Catalina and elsewhere. A correspondent on the West Coast has written to us in the following strain: "There is a great deal of dissatisfaction and intense indignation along this West Coast in connection with the appointment of the Census enumerators. The teachers, who had always been appointed for this work, seem to have been left entirely out of the question on this point. I am a teacher and had my application with the Government in the early part of the summer. It is said that the appointments were purposely delayed until the re-opening of the schools, in order to leave the work for the teachers, but along this coast it is well-known opponents of the Government who have got the appointments and when this is not the case, irresponsible boys who have come to the District a few years ago. In one large section a stranger has got the work, while there were at least a half dozen local applicants, and three of them teachers." Port au Port, Sept. 2nd, 1911.

Poor Labrador Voyage

Mr. M. T. Flynn, of Mortier Bay, arrived here yesterday in his schooner from Griffiths Harbor, Labrador. It is 40 years since Mr. Flynn was on Labrador, and he was piloted down the coast by Mr. Patrick Costigan. Mr. Flynn says that the reports given of the catch of fish on the Labrador are greatly exaggerated and that the voyage will be a poor one. Better work was done at Griffiths Harbor possibly than anywhere else, but Mr. Flynn says that even there a number of traps secured only from 25 to 30 qts. for the summer. Mr. Flynn exhibited much enterprise in going to Labrador when he saw the fishery was a failure at his own place, and he was rewarded by getting 200 qts. Trappers were more in evidence on the Labrador than ever before and did poorly. This, however, was owing to lack of bait, and their failure this year to make good does not indicate that under more favourable conditions they might not have done well. Mr. Flynn's schooner narrowly escaped disaster in going down the coast during a dense fog. Before the lookout was aware of it the vessel was close on board a large iceberg, and when she was kept away after it was sighted by getting 200 qts. Trappers were more in evidence on the Labrador than ever before and did poorly. This, however, was owing to lack of bait, and their failure this year to make good does not indicate that under more favourable conditions they might not have done well. Mr. Flynn's schooner narrowly escaped disaster in going down the coast during a dense fog. Before the lookout was aware of it the vessel was close on board a large iceberg, and when she was kept away after it was sighted by getting 200 qts.

A Shocking Case.

The details of the crime with which the two men—Collier and Benoit—are charged are of a shocking character. We learn that the woman attacked was only three weeks married, that she is Collier's sister-in-law, that her husband was away, and when she was seized by the men she was cruelly treated and almost smothered. The nearest house was nearly a mile away and when her aggressors left and she could reach this neighbour's she was in a state of collapse. The affair occurred at Port au Port about the latter part of August, and is one of the most brutal affairs which ever occurred in this country. As to the men charged with the crime, Collier is a married man, but Benoit is young, being only 17 years old.

WILL STUDY FOR PRIESTHOOD.
—Master Frank Ryan, son of the late Mr. Saml. Ryan, pilot, who for some years past has worked in the office of Mr. Jonas Barber, architect, will shortly depart to Halifax where he will enter a seminary to study for the priesthood.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURE S COLDS, Etc.

Germany's Great Fleet.

Special to Evening Telegram.
KIEL, To-Day.
The magnitude of Germany's naval resources assembled here was strikingly shown by the review. Ninety-nine fighting ships participated. This number does not include a large number of torpedo boats, torpedo boat destroyers, mine planters and submarines. All the German ships flew the Austrian as well as the German colors in honor of the Austrian heir presumptive, who was on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern as an imperial guest, and as a reminder of the political ties existing between Germany and Austria.

Germany Becoming Reasonable.

Special Evening Telegram.
BERLIN, To-Day.
The French proposals to Germany, according to an apparently impartial article printed to-day in the local Anzeiger, were submitted in the form of an elaborate draft of a treaty. The paper says there will be no haggle over the question of territorial compensation if Germany is given a free hand to trade in Morocco. Germany is willing to grant France full political freedom, providing France takes over the corresponding political obligations, including the protection of life and property of German subjects and ends the abnormal status under which the French authorities sheltered themselves when German rights were infringed.

Bourse Affected.

Special Evening Telegram.
BOURSE, To-Day.
The Paris Bourse was affected in a slight degree on the Moroccan situation by taking cognizance of alarming rumors current about preparations being made to rush the Paris garrison towards the eastern frontier. The French Ministry of War announced that some of the battalions of Chasseurs are only going to take part in the general manoeuvres.

Russian Governor Shot

Special to Evening Telegram.
NERTHINSK, Asiatic Russia, To-Day.
The Governor of the Suzurintzenal settlement was shot and killed yesterday by a man whose name is not known. The assassin was arrested.

GOLF COMPETITION.

A bogey competition will be played to-morrow afternoon for a pair of pipes presented by Mr. George Hawes.

Glencoe's Passengers.

The Glencoe arrived at Placentia at 2:18 this morning. Her passengers were:—R. Moulton, R. G. Pike, A. P. Ayre, A. Wright, S. Tibbo, J. Elliott, F. Smith, J. Oakley, M. C. Turner, E. M. Hall, J. Walsh, J. Cluett, F. Foreman, Capt. Abbott, J. F. Anthony, F. Parsons, A. Daymond, Mrs. Inkpen, F. Rose, Mrs. Burke and two children, Missa Way, Avery, Holland and Bartlett.

NOTICE.—We have removed our office from Water Street to Springdale Street, same building. The Globe Steam Laundry, —sep6.11

Invermore's Passengers.

The Invermore arrived at Port aux Basques at 7:05 a.m. to-day. Her passengers were:—D. H. McDougall, S. George, Miss B. March, Master R. McGregor, C. E. Simeswith, G. E. and Mrs. Hudson, F. and Mrs. Watkins, J. A. Pierce, Miss H. Beard, Miss H. N. Burt, Miss D. Boulas, Mrs. H. M. Ross, L. Gardner, P. Batstone and Mrs. E. King.

GRAND FOOTBALL MATCH to-morrow, Thursday, the 7th; kick off 5:30 p.m., sharp; Collegians vs. H. M. S. Brilliant, at St. George's Field. Admission, 5 cents.—sep6.11

Coastal Boats.

REID'S BOATS.
The Argyle left St. Lawrence at 7:15 p.m. yesterday.
The Clyde left Change Islands at 2:45 p.m. yesterday, inward.
The Dundee left Greenspond at 1:20 p.m. yesterday, inward.
The Ethie left Carbonear at 4:30 p.m. yesterday.
The Home leaves Bay of Islands this evening.

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TO BE UNDOCKED.—The Viking will come off dock Saturday, and the cruiser Flona will then go on to get an overhaul and general repairs.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURE S COLDS, Etc.

Belgian Preparations.

Special to Evening Telegram.
BRUSSELS, To-Day.
The military precautions being taken by the Belgian Government for the purpose of preserving the neutrality of the country, in the event of war between France and Germany, continue to be the absorbing topic of discussion at the capital. Thirty field pieces have arrived at the fortified town of Nunk, 36 miles from Brussels, from the National Arsenal at Antwerp. Last week two special trains arrived at Namur, carrying sixty field guns and twelve Hotchkiss guns and five cartloads of ammunition. The arrangement of frontier garrisons is nearly completed, so that the 40,000 men of the army on a peace footing can be disposed effectively.

Surprise Party.

The friends of Miss Ida Moulton gave her a surprise party last evening at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Bartlett, Victoria Street. Games and songs made the evening pass all too quickly and a very jolly time was spent. Miss Moulton leaves by the Stephano on Saturday in company with her father and mother for California. Miss Pitman, on behalf of the gathering, presented her with an address and souvenir locket. Miss Moulton replied, thanking all for their kind wishes and gift. She takes with her the good wishes of all.

An Interesting Football Match.

At 5:30 p.m. to-morrow a football match will take place between the Collegians, this year's League champions, and a picked team from H.M.S. Brilliant. We understand that the naval team is a very good one, with fast though careful players. The Collegians have proven their worth this season, are a fine aggregation, and a fast and well contested game is anticipated. It will take place on St. George's Field.

Here and There.

Dr. G. N. Murphy will resume practice Monday, Sept. 4.—aug26.11

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PRESIDENT McGRATH'S REPLY. President McGrath will reply to Hon. J. C. Crosbie's observations of yesterday in to-morrow's Evening Telegram.

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Dainty Muslins. 10c. per yard. Japanese Art Muslins. 12c. per yard. Tick Remnants. BARGAINS. — Good, Strong Ticks, in colored and blue and white stripes. 12c. and 17c. per yd. Would be good value at double the money.

White Rib Combinations, 40c. White Jersey Rib Vests, short sleeve, 30c. White Jersey Rib Vests, long sleeve, 30c. White Jersey Rib Pants, knee lengths, 30c. Ladies' Underskirts, plain and fancy; regular prices, 65c. to \$1.90; now 45c., 70c., 90c. each. Ladies' Cream Coats, regular prices \$4.70 and \$5.00; now \$1.50. White Emb'd Blouse Lengths—The few left we clear regardless of cost; regular prices 70c., \$1.10, \$1.50; now 40c., 60c., \$1.00.

American Calico Remnant Bargains. A splendid 36 inch Calico, specially fine weave. 10 cts. per Yard, absolutely pure and free from filling—regular price 14 cts. yard. LADIES' COVERT COATS, Just the thing for cool evenings—made and cut in best styles—we can offer these at Less than Half Price! All finished in best tailored manner. Prices from \$2.25 to \$3.25. Regular prices would be \$6.90 to \$11.50. White Flannelette Remnants, Specially suitable for Women's and Children's wear, being soft and washes well. 6c. to 10c. per yd. to appreciate the quality we ask you to inspect these goods.

MUSLIN CURTAIN BARGAINS—We offer the following: Old Lines of Frilled, Plain and Figured Centre Curtains—at Big Reduction. Fleece Calico Remnant Bargains—Specially heavy, well fleeced cloth—would be good value at 18 cts. yard—our price 15 cts. per yard.

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The Reward of 'Cheek.'

An Officer Wins a Daring Wager. Paul I., the eccentric Czar of Russia, assassinated in 1901, was very particular as to his dress, and considered trifling matters of supreme importance. This peculiarity was once taken advantage of by an officer of the Guards, Major Vaksel, to win a wager. The major, the joker of the army, had bet several hundred roubles that he would tweak the tail of the Emperor's wig on parade. The next day the Emperor happened to be present at an early parade, and as chance would have it, took position for a moment in front of the darling army. Breathless with excitement and terror, Vaksel's companions beheld that rash officer's right hand steal slowly from his side, rise to the level of the Czar's neck, and give the wig's hanging tail a most decided tweak.

Mother of Woman Alleged to Have Been Murdered.

Appears on the Stand—Sensation at the Beattie Trial at Chesterfield. Chesterfield Court House, Va., Aug. 28.—Suddenly, and without the faintest intimation hitherto during the trial, the prosecution to-day confronted Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., with Mrs. R. V. Owen, mother of the woman he is alleged to have murdered. In a taxcab, whose arrival was timed to coincide exactly with the moment Sheriff Gill exhibited in the court room the clothing worn by Beattie's wife on the night of the murder, Mrs. Owen came to Chesterfield. Her presence in the vicinity had been a well kept secret by the prosecution.

curved witnesses to testify as to Beattie's visits to certain resorts and as to his being seen at such places with the Binford girl. The prosecution intended to make a single effort to impress the jury with the testimony regarding the motive, and it was considered not at all impossible that if by the end of the day the apparent effect on the State would not revert again in the trial to this line of argument. Such contingency would mean, it is admitted, the possible elimination from the stand of Beattie Binford "the girl in the case," from whom the public, but neither the prosecution nor defence, has looked forward for dramatic testimony.

Oxford Graduate Kills

His Three Children and Himself. South Thomastown, Maine, Aug. 20.—That the horrible tragedy of yesterday in which Edward Bennett, an Oxford graduate, was the chief actor, had been premeditated and carefully planned, there is to-day no doubt. Last evening Bennett killed his three children and then took his own life. Two of the children were killed by the use of chloroform and the third by cyanide of potassium and chloroform. To make his own death certain, the man went to the waters' edge and there took a dose of cyanide of po-



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Occultism Among the Indians.

STRANGE WORK OF MEDICINE MEN.

(Charles A. Eastman, Ojibwa Indian, Springfield, Republic.) It is quite clear that the white man will never understand the Indian as the last thing he would do is to stand and his whole attitude toward the unseen world is so grossly caricatured, in common parlance, and even in the words of theologists, everything that he has heard is indiscriminately called "occultism." In the sense of modern magic, as a matter of fact, the Indian doctor had learned many secrets of legitimate medicine. He employed a tea or decoction of bark, roots and leaves with various therapeutic properties he was familiar, and always used his medicine singly. The stomach, or internal, was a valuable discovery of his and the vapor, or Turkish bath, was in general use. It is only a few years since he was condemned for taking the patient out of his home into a tent, now the practice has become a general one.

He was no surgeon, but he did reduce a dislocation or set a broken bone with fair success. Finally, the medicine man—or woman, for women were among the most successful practitioners—possessed much personal magnetism and authority, and in his treatment often sought to restore the equilibrium of the patient through mental or spiritual influences, and there is no doubt that he was accomplished in hypnotism and suggestion. It is important to remember

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LOT 2—This line is made up of Serges, Tweeds, Cheviots, Diagonals, and rough Tweeds, all pure wool goods, and 60 in number. They are all tailor made Coats, in a great variety of trimmings, and well finished; a finer lot of Coats we never before offered at such a low price so early in the season. Don't waste your time shopping around. If you appreciate a high tailored Coat, see these models at once. Actual values \$15.00 to \$25.00. \$12.00

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doubt many predictions have been colored to suit the new age, and unquestionably false prophecies, fables, and conjurers have become the pest of the tribes during the transition period. Nevertheless, even during this period there was here and there a man of the old type who was implicitly believed in to the last. Notably among these was Ta-shank-poo Ho-tan-a (His-War-Club-Speaks-Loud), who foretold a year in advance the details of a great war pitting against the Ojibways. There were to be seven battles, all successful except the last, in which the Sioux were to be taken at a disadvantage and suffer crushing defeat. This prediction was fulfilled to the letter. Our people surprised and slew many of the Ojibways in six distinct, bloody battles, but in turn were followed on their way home and led into an ambush from which but few came out alive. Another famous "medicine man" was born on the Ram-river about 150 years ago and lived to be over a century old. He was born during a desperate battle with the Ojibways at a moment when, as it seemed, the band of Sioux engaged were to be annihilated. Therefore the child's grandmother exclaimed, "Since we are all to perish, let him die a warrior's death!" and she placed his cradle under fire, near the spot where his uncle and grandfather were fighting, for he had no father. But when an old man discovered the new-born child, he commanded the woman to take care of him. "For," said he, "we know not how precious the strength of even one warrior may some day become to his nation!" This child lived to become great among us, as was indicated to the spectators by the circumstances of his birth. At the advanced age of 70 he saved his band from utter destruction at the hands of their ancestral enemies, by suddenly giving warning received in a dream, of the approach of a large war party. The next he immediately sent out scouts, and bellows for a smoke, barely in time to meet and repel the predicted attack. Several years later he repeated the service, and again saved his people from awful slaughter. There was no confusion of figures or events as with lesser men, in every incident that he told of him his later generation of the sign, whatever it was, proved singularly correct. The father of Little Crow, the chief who led the "Minnesota massacre" of 1862, was another prophet of note. One of his characteristic prophecies was made only a few years before he died, when he declared that, although already an old man, he would go once more upon the warpath. At the first war feast before departure, he declared that three of the enemy would be slain, but evoked great distress and excitement in forecasting that he would lose two of his own men. Three of the Ojibways were indeed slain, as he had said, but in the struggle the old war prophet lost both of his own sons. There are many trustworthy men even men of Christian faith, to credit for these and similar events occurring as foretold. I cannot pretend to explain them, but I know that our people possessed remarkable powers of concentration and abstraction, and I fancy that their readiness to believe kept the spirit sensitive to impulses not commonly felt, and in contact with the invisible powers. Certainly the Indian never doubted the immortal nature of the spirit or soul of man, but neither did he care to speculate upon its probable state or condition in a future life. The idea of a "happy hunting ground" is modern and probably borrowed from or invented from the white man. He apparently believed that after it is freed from the body the spirit pervades all Nature, yet other legends near the grave, or "spirit bundles," for the consolation of friends, and is able to bear communications from the dead. Some of us had a peculiar intuition for the locality of a grave. My own grandmother was one of these, and as far back as I can remember when camping in a strange country, my brother and I would search for

G. KNOWLING. New 10c. Books.

- Antenna Glory, by Rene Bazin.
- Kingdom Corn, by Rene Bazin.
- Prisoners Maritima, by Percy Berrill.
- Under a Strange Mask, by Frank Barrett.
- The Plains of Silence, by A. & C. Askew.
- Lighter Days with Troddles, by R. Randon.
- The Measure of the Mile, by Robert Barr.
- Letter for an hour, Love forever, by Emilia Barr.
- Prisoners of Conscience, by Emilia Barr.
- The Loc of a Sea-wall, by Frank Barrett.
- Looking Backward, by Edward Bellamy.
- Equality, by Edward Bellamy.
- Shaves, by E. F. Benson.
- Kammon & Co., by E. F. Benson.
- Scarlet and Hisop, by E. F. Benson.
- The League of the Leopard, by E. F. Benson.
- His Lady's Pleasure, by Harold Bindloss.
- Her Cousin, by M. E. Braddon.
- George & Son, by E. H. Cooper.
- The Motor Cracksmen, by Chas. Carry.
- Three Girls and a Hermit, by Dorothy Coopers.
- Life's Trivial Round, by Rosa Carry.
- The Ironmaster's Daughter, by Bertha Clay.
- Woman and Moses, by Lucas Clowe.
- A Lady's Love, by S. E. Craddock.
- In the Quarter, by E. Chambers.
- Nadine Corvill (The white and the Women), by Thomas Cope.
- Take of a Government Official, by Major Griffiths.
- Disinherit, by Stella Daring.
- Yokes, by Stella Daring.
- Proper Pride, by E. H. Crocker.
- A Woman's Veil, by Lovett Cameron.
- Nidus's Madness, by Lovett Cameron.
- The Eternal City, by Hall Calver.
- The Socialist, by Guy Thorne.
- Mark Twain's Curious Cases, by Mark Twain.
- Boughter II, by Mark Twain.
- The New Philistine's Progress, by Mark Twain.
- Information Wanted, by Mark Twain.
- The Resurrection, by Le Tolstol.
- Sevastopol, by Le Tolstol.
- A Daughter of Fields, by Katherine Tynan.
- A Daughter Kings, by Katherine Tynan.
- The Resurrection, by Le Tolstol.
- Christian's Cross, by Annie Swan.
- An American Woman, by Annie Swan.
- The Invisible Man, by E. G. Wells.
- Hansel, by Stanley Weyman.
- An Obedient Year, by Florence Warden.
- The Mystery of Dudley Horse, by Florence Warden.
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Occultism Among the Indians.

STRANGE WAYS OF MEDICINE MEN.

James A. Eastman, Chinook, in the Springfield Republican.

It is quite clear that the religion of the Indian is the last thing about him that the white man will ever understand, and the white man's attitude toward the Indian world has been "what's wronged." In common parlance, and even in the works of ethnologists, everything that he held sacred, or independently called "medicine," is the cause of insanity or "hysteria." As a matter of fact, the Indian doctor had defined many of the symptoms of hysterical medicine. He employed a test or detection of those who were and those who were not hysterical, and he used his peculiar study. The stomach, or internal, had been a valuable discovery of his, and the vapor, or Turkish bath, was in general use. It is only a few years since he was considered for taking the patient with pneumonia or consumption out of his house into a tent, now the practice has become a general one.

He was to appear, but could reduce a dislocation or set a broken bone with his fingers. Finally, the medicine man—or woman, for women were among the most prominent practitioners—possessed such personal magnetism and authority, and in his treatment often sought to re-establish the equilibrium of the patient through mental or spiritual influences, and there is no doubt that he was accomplished in hypnosis and suggestion. It is important to remember

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that in the old days the "medicine man" received no payment for his services, which were in the nature of an honorable function or office. When the idea of barter was introduced among us, and valuable presents or tokens began to be demanded for treating the sick, the ensuing greed and rivalry led to many demoralizing practices, and in time, to the rise of the modern "conjuror."

Ever seeking to establish a spiritual comradeship with the animal creation, the Indian adopted this or that animal as his "totem," the emblematic device of his society or clan. Learned books have been written, and fanciful theories promulgated, as to the origin of this custom. It is my own belief that the totem represented the traditional ancestor, as we are told that the First Man had many wives among the animal people. The symbolic attributes of "beaver," "bear" or "turkey," such as wisdom, cunning, courage, and the like, were supposed to be mysteriously conferred upon the wearer of the badge. The totem, or charm, used in medicine was ordinarily that of the "medicine lodge" to which the practitioner belonged, although there were some great men who boasted special revelations. It is fairly well known that the American Indian had somehow developed occult power, and although in the latter days there have been many impostors, and allowing for the vanity and weakness of human nature, it is fair to assume that there must have been some even in the old days, yet there are well-attested instances of remarkable prophecy and other psychic practices.

A Sioux prophet predicted the coming of the white man fifty 50 years before the event, and even described accurately his garments and weapons. Before the steamboat was invented, another prophet of our race described the "fire boat" that would swim upon their mighty chief, the Mississippi, and the date of this prophecy is attested by the term used, which is one long since obsolete. No

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and find human bones at the spot she had indicated to us as an ancient burial place, or the spot where a lone warrior had fallen. Of course the outward signs of burial had been long since obliterated. The Scotch would certainly have declared that this capable woman had the "second sight" for she had other remarkable pronouncements or intuitions, within my own recollection. I have heard her speak of a peculiar sensation in the breast, by which, as she said, she was advised of something of importance concerning her absent children. Other or native women have claimed a similar monitor, but I never heard of one who could interpret it with such accuracy.

We were once camping on Lake Umbagog when we received news that my uncle and the family had all been murdered several weeks before at a farm some 250 miles distant. While all our clan were wailing and mourning their loss, my grandmother calmly bade them cease, saying that her own was approaching, and that they would see him soon. Although we had no other reason to doubt the ill tidings, it is a fact that my uncle came into camp two days after his re-



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The New York papers had published a telegram from their Montreal correspondent describing a riotous scene in which it was alleged the Prince had taken part.

He had been walking in the town

with two companions, so the report ran, when his party was set upon by six ruffians with the demand for money. Prince George was said to have knocked down three of them, and then to have been arrested, and locked up in the police-station.

This amazing story was, of course, telegraphed over to England, and was given full publicity in the Times. The Prince at once took steps, not only to clear his name, but also to punish the author of the report, whom he regarded as a danger to society.

King George has also very strong views on the question of loyalty. Not many weeks ago, in a public-house in Cambridge, a man was indulging in cheap, treasonable gibes at the Sovereign. Another man present told him to hold his tongue, and for his loyal interference was knocked down and somewhat severely maltreated.

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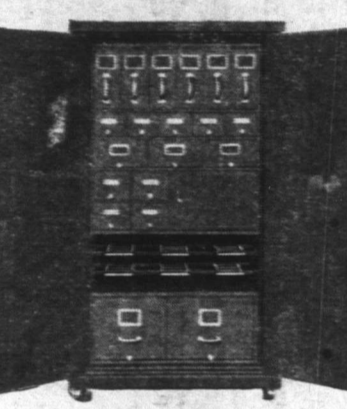
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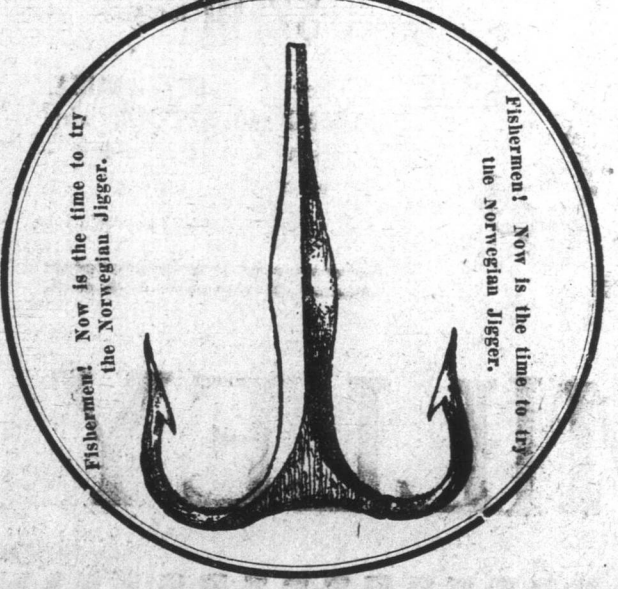
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