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### LESSON OF THE GERMAN ELECTIONS

The success of the German Socialists has been no surprise. Their total gain has proved to be a million votes over the last elections. In the German capital they have carried every constituency but one. This belongs to the Kaiser's district, and should it likewise fall to their share in the second ballot it would give them an "All-Red" Berlin. To account for such successes various reasons of minor importance are alleged: the Morocco incident, the high cost of living, the tariff issue, and lastly the anti-Catholic agitation carried on even by the Conservatives and dashed into fury by the German Bismarck Encyclical, the anti-modernist path and the late papal decree have aroused. Added to this was the bloc formed against the Centre in Bavaria, as well as the falsehoods which were industriously circulated against it on every side. Yet in spite of all these attacks the Centre has stood impregnable. Its losses have been comparatively small, while the Conservatives have paid heavily to the Liberals.

The reasons we have quoted are sufficiently weighty to have seriously influenced the voters, and yet they may be looked upon as merely incidental. The root of the evil lies far deeper. Almost a quarter of a century ago, Windthorst had clearly pointed out, when on February 13, 1888, he said in the German Reichstag: "To pluck religion from the hearts of the people is and ever will be the preparation for every Socialist movement. This has been done among us, and the Government has mightily assisted in the work by the persecution it has carried on against Catholics, by the manner and method of arranging its conditions for education, and by the restrictions set upon the teaching and practice of religion among the people and in the schools." Here precisely is the final reason for the Socialist vote cast on January 12 by almost one-third the registered population of Germany.

Were it not for the Centre, which draws its support mainly from the Catholic voters, Germany might today be the spoil of Socialism. This does not mean that a Socialist Commonwealth would at once be erected. Such a change can only gradually be brought about. The abolition of the monarchy would, of course, be included in the immediate program; but above all things else every measure would instantly be taken for an open war upon the Church. Then systematic provisions would be made to carry out, as soon as possible, the entire Socialist platform.

The statement in the New York Globe that Germany's Social Democratic Party is not the same as it was at an earlier date, when "composed of men who had read Marx, Engels and Lassalle" is most misleading. Socialists in Germany are undoubtedly following an opportunist program, although their demands, as the New York American states, "embrace practically the complete upset or change of all existing forms and regulations national, political and industrial." They are in all this at one with our Socialists, who at first propose opportunist measures in order later to introduce International Socialism pure and simple, if ever they should obtain sufficient power. For the benefit of the Globe we may quote the following unexpensive counter-statement in the Socialist Call:

"Five years ago the apparent loss of seats to the Socialists permitted the capitalist press, both here and in Europe, to rejoice in a sham victory. Socialism, red, revolutionary Socialism, was defeated, and the destroyers of civilization and society had at last been checked. Now that the apparent defeat is far more than retrieved and an additional million added to the visible army of international revolution, the same press explains in whimpering, lying editorial comments the 'conservative' character of the victors. We can afford them that miserable solace. We rejoice in the victory of our German comrades, for it is our victory, too. They have carried the red flag of the social revolution nearer to the entrenchments of the enemy, and planted it solidly, until the next advance is due."

The entire result of the German elections emphasizes the truth as forcibly insisted upon by the leaders of Socialism, and no less clearly understood by Catholic writers, that the battle of the future must be fought between Socialism and the Catholic Church. It has practically reduced itself to this in Germany, as well as in Belgium. The German elections illustrate more clearly than ever how atheism, agnosticism and radicalism of every form naturally set towards Socialism, as water seeks its level. Only personal interest or a sane judgment combined with strong devotion to the welfare of the country can stem this tide where religious reasons do not exist. The great values of

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**Ministerial Encouragement**

The discussion in the House of Commons, Ottawa, a couple of weeks ago, on Mr. Rhodes' resolution re immigration to the Maritime Provinces, elicited strong encouragement from the Hon. Mr. Rogers, Minister of the Interior. The debate, it will be remembered, was most interesting and pregnant with information regarding the advantages of these Provinces, as a field for immigration from the Old Country. A number of the members from New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island contributed to the discussion, and then the Hon. Minister of the Interior closed the debate, in words of genuine encouragement. Hon. Mr. Rogers' declaration sounded a new and welcome note on this important question. He spoke as follows:

"As the minister presiding over the Department of the Interior, I propose to invite immigration to the provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island in the same form and manner and with the same hope of results that I do to the other provinces of the Dominion, believing as I do with an intense conviction that we have in the maritime provinces, in common with the other provinces of Canada, great possibilities which should attract immigrants who want to better their condition. As a result of that great National Policy which was laid down many years ago, and which has been adopted and followed by both parties in this Dominion from that day to this, we are in the proud position in Canada of being able to point to the fact that we have more desirable conditions for intending immigrants than those which can be found in any other country in the world. Therefore, it becomes my duty as the minister for that department to lend every energy I possess to the work of carrying out a policy such as I believe will be best calculated to increase our population to the advantage of those who come as well as for the upbuilding of the country. Adopting, as we have, a policy which we believe to be that calculated to advance the best interests of our common country, a policy that will be common to all the provinces of Canada, I do not desire, in speaking of our immigration, to know either eastern Canada or Western Canada. Let me say to those who have spoken this afternoon that we are going to inaugurate a policy by which we shall give publicity to every Province in Canada. I am here to say, as representing the Department of Immigration and voicing the policy of the government of the day, that we propose a policy of co-operation with all the provinces to lend every assistance in our power to give to the maritime provinces and to the other provinces all the support and all the assistance that a very healthy treasury is able to give, in order to bring immigration to Canada, with a view to having here a happy and contented people in greater, and much greater numbers than we have at this time."

The Borden Government have approved of the development of Courtney Bay, St. John N. B., at a cost of \$11,000,000, the work to cover four years. Actions speak louder than words.

**The Tariff Commission.**

On Wednesday last, Hon. Mr. White, Minister of Finance, moved the second reading of his bill to provide for the appointment of a Tariff Commission. The bill was bitterly opposed by the Opposition, and the debate went over and was continued on Thursday. Finally the motion of the Minister carried on a vote of 102 to 52, a majority of 50 for the Government. The minister pointed out that the commission would have no administrative powers, but would be restricted to acquiring information. In this respect, Hon. Mr. White showed following the example of Germany, which employed thirty experts in work of this kind. Concluding his speech the Finance Minister said:

"I do not wish it to be inferred in any way that the Government has modified its policy as to reasonable and adequate protection of the industries of this country. (Ministerial cheers). I am not a believer in high protection, but I am a believer—an absolute believer—in reasonable and adequate protection for the development of the resources and the building up of the industries of this country. Next to the power to make laws for the peace and good order of the community, I do not believe there is any power exercised by the Government more important than that of fixing tariff rates. A problem which confronts us is this: how shall we arrange the tariff so as to provide for the upbuilding of the industries and the development of our resources yet at the same time be just and equitable to all classes of the community? That is a problem, and I say that in order to do that it is necessary that we should obtain all the information possible. We cannot have too much information in order that we may try at least to accomplish this result. It is for the purpose of obtaining that information, it is an aid to the solution of the problem of obtaining it, upon which an equitable tariff can be based, fair to all, while reasonably protecting the industries of the country and the labor dependent upon these industries; it is for that purpose that this bill has been brought down by the Government."

Last year potatoes were scarce and high priced in the Maritime Provinces and plentiful and cheap across the border. As a result many carloads of Maine potatoes were brought here, freight and duty paid and sold in competition with the home product. Now there is a fair supply here and a great scarcity in the United States, but the shortage across the line is being supplied not from Canada, but by importations from Great Britain and continental Europe, where the growers are apparently willing to sell at lower prices than the Canadians. European potatoes are of course subject to the same duty as Canadian, yet the Halifax Chronicle and some other equally extreme Liberal organs ask our farmers to believe that their fortunes would have been made had they secured reciprocity. As a matter of fact, as pointed out by the Ottawa Citizen, the price in that city is \$2.50 per bag of 180 pounds, while in Boston it is \$3.75. If the effect of taking off the duty would be to reduce the price to the consumer, which is the free trade theory, the Ottawa and Boston prices would be identical, and the farmers would benefit nothing, even in this time of unusually high prices in the States.—Moncton Times.

The civic elections are going on today.

**From the Federal Capital.**

The largest deputation of the season waited upon the Premier, (Hon. Frank Cochrane and Hon. Sam Hughes) on the 8th, on behalf of good roads in Canada. They urged a general system of main highways with appropriation for country road construction and maintenance. The delegation represented among other interests the good roads association of Ontario, the Ontario motor league, the Quebec Miami international highway association, many boards of trade, including Toronto and several of the municipalities of the province. The Premier in his reply pointed to the fact that good roads were a matter of provincial jurisdiction. The condition of the roads, he knew, were not satisfactory. The parliamentary estimates to be brought down would contain grants to the various provinces, but the money would be for construction and not for maintenance. There would be co-operation with all the provinces, but further than this the details of the scheme had not been worked out.

The movement of Canadians from the country to the cities, and from the east to the west was considered by the Senate on the 8th. Sir Richard Scott's measure to prevent the spread of typhoid was discussed and killed. Senator Choquette introduced a bill to repeal the Canadian naval act. Senator Power moved for a special committee to enquire into and consider the disappointing nature of movements of population in Canada, more especially affecting the rural districts of the older provinces, as shown by the census of 1911. The committee to be composed of the Honorable Messrs. Yeo, Beith, Derbyshire, Casgrain, Tessier, Baird, Taylor, Pope, and the mover. Senator Power said that on the whole the results of the census were satisfactory, but a detailed enumeration disclosed facts that were not so satisfactory. In the older portions of Canada the population had not increased as it should. Results were also disappointing in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Ontario, where the gains were made by the cities, and in the country there was a falling off. Various causes were assigned for this. The matter was an important one, and should be studied. The Senate had time to make the investigation, and therefore he suggested the committee. Sir Richard Cartwright said there was no more important matter than the proper distribution of population. No more useful work could be undertaken than in ascertaining the causes for the losses of population of the fertile parts of Canada.

Hon. Mr. Loughheed said he thought the committee would discover no reasons which were not known. Senator Watson agreed that the great problem that the Government had to solve was to keep people on the land. For some years the tendency in Canada has been to make laws to help manufacturers to build up the cities and grow wealthy. The legislation had made the farmer pay for this, and he was now growing restive and leaving the farm for the city. The Government should legislate to make rural life more attractive and more profitable.

With an attendance equal to that of the earlier meetings apparently undiminished interest, the Forestry association convention, was continued in the Railway committee rooms of the House of Commons on the 8th. The features of the morning session were two

papers, one by Dr. Gifford Pinchot, Washington, of the United States Conservation commission, and one by Mr. E. A. Sterling, forester of the Pennsylvania railroad company. Dr. Pinchot, who spoke first, dealt with "The Ground work of a forest service." If progress was to be made in forest conservation the appointment of men for the work had to be beyond political control, he said. If monopolists sought to control resources it was the duty of the nation to control monopolists. The speaker advocated the reconciliation of the different branches of forest work by sending the men from the office to the forests and letting the forest men have a turn at office work. Hon. Martin Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, spoke briefly, congratulating Dr. Pinchot on his address. The work of Forestry, he said, did not come within his portfolio, although it was more closely allied to agriculture than patents and copyright. Mr. Sterling then delivered his paper on "Railroads and Forest Fires." Mr. E. Stewart's paper on "The Aims and Objects of the Canadian Forestry Association" was read at the afternoon session.

The convention concluded on Thursday afternoon. The principal resolution asked from both federal and provincial governments an increased expenditure on forest management in this country, deprecating the fact that less than a cent an acre was now expended on forest lands. The association urged on the federal and provincial governments the necessity for providing a system of examinations to test the qualifications of appointees and of making appointments permanent during good behavior, and that federal government appointments for this purpose should be placed in the hands of the civil service commission. It was resolved to impress upon the government the necessity of maintaining in connection with the forestry branch an experimental laboratory for testing and investigating the physical and mechanical properties of Canadian woods, with a view to extending the possibilities of their use and for other purposes. The association deprecated the practice of exporting in large quantities Christmas trees of spruce and balsam, and recommended legislation to prevent that practice. An executive committee to meet every three months was appointed as follows: The President, the vice-President, Hon. Sydney Fisher, and Messrs. Gordon G. Edwards, R. H. Campbell, C. Y. Chown, and Dr. B. E. Fernow. The association reaffirmed its attitude in favor of the inspection of the public domain and the inclusion in forest reserves of lands unsuited for agriculture, or where the forests are required for the protection of water sheds, and urged on the federal and provincial governments the carrying out of such a policy at the earliest possible date. The treasurer's report showed an expenditure during the year of over \$6,000, and a balance of over \$1,500. The fees from members for the year amounted to over \$2,000. The officers elected were as follows: Honorary Past President—Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Hon. President—Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden. Patron—His Royal Highness the Governor General. President—John Henry, Vancouver. Vice-President—Hon. W. A. Charlton, M. P., Toronto. Territorial Vice-Presidents—Ontario, Hon. Mr. Hearst; Quebec, Hon. Jules Allard; New Brunswick, Hon. J. K. Flemming; Nova Scotia, Hon. George H. Murray; Prince Edward Island, Hon. J. A. Matheson; Manitoba, Hon. R. P. Roblin; Saskatchewan, Hon. E. A. Brown; British Columbia, Hon. W. R. Ross; Yukon, Commissioner Black; McKenzie, D. F. Wilson; Keewatin, Lt. Governor D. C. Cameron; Ungava, the Archbishop of Montreal.

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### LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS.

Judge Laurence, of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, died at Truro early yesterday morning.

It is reported from New York that three million persons in Central China are on the verge of starvation.

The steamer Empress of Britain sailed from Halifax Monday morning for Liverpool with mails. She took 9,270 barrels of apples, and in the cargo was 137 ingots of silver.

The steamers Wychwood and Torbay were in collision off Hull, England, on the 12th, during a fog. The latter was cut almost in two and sank. Seven of the crew were drowned.

It is reported that fifty persons perished in a storm, last week, in Russia. Travelling along the road, they were caught in a snow drift, from which forty four corpses have since been dug out.

Ruling that infected vaccine administered by one of the civic vaccinators in Montreal was responsible for the condition of inertia produced in the arm of a vaccinated child, a jury condemned the city to pay a total of \$6,000 damages.

John and Mrs. Camp were killed, and their daughter Bertha seriously injured at Centralia, Ills., on the 9th, when Camp picked up a can of gasoline, thinking it contained oil, and poured the liquid on a fire. An explosion followed and the house was burned.

It is reported from Ottawa that the improvements in the transportation system of this Province (car ferry and broadening of the railway gauge and rolling stock), upon which the Government have decided, will cost, at a rough estimate, \$1,340,000. That is something like business.

The weather during Saturday night and Sunday was of the severest kind and the mercury sank rapidly. On Saturday night 14 below zero was recorded in this city, and 12 below on Sunday night. In parts of the country the mercury sank much lower than these figures. On Monday it began to moderate and yesterday was a moderate winter day but a snow storm Monday night made sleighing bad.

It is announced that the Dominion Steel Corporation will erect this year a large entrapment on the banks of the Canal near St. Ann's Church, and that Montreal will be made a distributing centre for the products of the Sydney Mills. It is further announced that the company will next summer have boats running up the St. Lawrence not only carrying coal but carrying the products of their mills, and that the boats will go right to the head of the great lakes.

A London cable says: The mystery of the banjo playing and human voices heard by isolated wireless operators in the North Sea, which had caused them to christen the author of the weird sounds the "North Sea Ghost," is explained by the manager of the Marconi factory at Chelmsford. He declared that they were caused by experiments with wireless telephony being carried out there. In order to test the apparatus they had used a gramophone, which played several panjo selections.

Of late conditions for crossing the Straits have been uncertain enough, and mails to and from the Mainland have been changing from the winter steamers to the Capes route and back from the Capes to the steamers. On Monday of this week the Minto left Georgetown for Pictou with the mails and a number of passengers. She stuck in the ice and did not reach her destination that day. The same day the Earl Grey, after battling with the ice all day, reached Georgetown about dark, and the mails and passengers brought by her came to the city that night by special train. Tuesday the Earl Grey started from Georgetown, and out in the Straits the mails and passengers on board the ice-bound Stanley were transferred to her. But she was not able to reach Pictou Tuesday, and the Stanley's position was not changed; consequently both steamers were in the ice Tuesday night. Meantime mails are coming by the Capes. The Earl Grey got into Pictou this morning.

### MARRIED.

PEAKE-BURGESS—At Charlottetown, on Wednesday, Feb. 7th, 1912, Marion Burgess of London, England, and Ernest DeBlois Peka, of this city.

LEWELYN-ROBALD—At Montreal on Feb. 6, 1912, Earl Alwood Lewelyn of Sturgeon to Hilda Robal, aide of Gasparanz.

### DIED.

MYRES—On February 8th, 1912, Mrs. Earnest Myres, of Norton, N. B. (nee Miss Minnie Molyneux) of Iokerman, Lot 29, P. E. Island, aged 38.

McKENNA—At Central House, Bangor, Maine, on January 3rd, 1912, Patrick McKenna, formerly of St. Theresa Parish, P. E. Island, aged 55 years. May her soul rest in peace.

VERSEY—At Little York, February 6th, Clara G. Vessey, beloved wife of Bertram R. Brown, and daughter of the late Thomas Vessey, aged forty-one years.

SLOGGETT—At 3 Brunley Villas, Leigh-month, Devon, England, Feb. 7th, 1912, Helen Sloggett, aged eighty years.

BERNE—At North River, February 7th, 1912, Mrs. James Byrne, aged 71 years. R.I.P.

SANDERSON—At Midgell, on Feb. 8th, 1912, of cancer of the stomach, Randall Sanderson, daughter of the late C. E. Sanderson, aged 55 years, leaving a mother, one brother and one sister.

BISHOP—In this city, Feb. 12, 1912, George Bishop, of pneumonia, aged 36 years.

POWER—In this city, Feb. 12, 1912, Edward J. Power, son of John T. and Mrs. Power, aged 7 years. R.I.P.

LANNAN—At Pleasant Grove, Feb. 11, 1912, John Lannan, aged 68. R.I.P.

HOOPER—At Victoria, Cranpud, Feb. 11, 1912, James F. Hooper, in the 90th year of his age.

McLEOD—At Bonshaw, Feb. 10th, 1912, after a short illness, Colin McLeod, aged 82.

McLEOD—At Murray River, P.E.I., on Feb. 9th, 1912, James E. McLeod, aged 61.

BRATON—At Maple Leaf, Lot 40, on Feb. 6th, 1912, Newton R. Braton, son of William and Catherine Braton, in his 11th year.

WOODSIDE—At Kensington, on Jan. 27, Mrs. Jane Adams, widow of the late Wm. Woodside, of Margate, in the 82nd year of her age.

FINLAYSON—In this city, Jan. 30, 1912, Capt. Kenneth Finlayson, aged 82 years.

RATTRAY—At Rustico, Jan. 29th, David Rattray, aged 77 years.

GADEE—In this city, on Feb. 13th, Emma, daughter of the late Thomas Gadee.

DOYLE—In this city, Feb. 13, 1912, Eben Doyle, aged 65 years. R.I.P.

FRIZELLE—In this city, Feb. 13, 1912, Robert Frizelle, aged 69 years.

DONNELLY—At Head St. Peter's Bay, on Jan. 17th, fortified by the rites of the Catholic Church, William Donnelly, aged 89 years, leaving three sons, and four daughters to mourn. Deceased who was about the last of the old land marks of his generation at St. Peter's, was possessed of a wonderful constitution and had for a long period withstood the attacks of disease. He was of a bright and cheerful disposition and was highly esteemed in the community in which he lived his long life. His funeral on Jan. 19th was very largely attended. May his soul rest in peace.

### Cold And Stormy.

Intelligence from abroad indicates that other parts as well as Prince Edward Island suffered from the recent cold snap. New York telegrams of the 12th say: The cold snap which made its presence suddenly felt early yesterday in the eastern section of the country is still sending the mercury down to lower figures than have prevailed for many years. In some localities, especially Northern New York the thermometer was beyond the record of years. But late yesterday the thermometer was rising somewhat to near the nominal winter average. The effects of the abnormal temperature was still felt however, in train blocks in the up State sections where snow accompanied the cold. The blockades is so far, only partially raised while the ice barriers at harbors along the coast make navigation difficult and in some places impossible. New York Harbor today is about as nearly locked as it ever gets as a result of several cold snaps and the surface of the bays are thick with heavy ice floes. Navigation is extremely difficult. Two deaths from cold, and many cases of collapse from exposure have been reported. The train carrying the Tyrone Power and Theatrical Company with forty other passengers which was stalled in the snow on the New York Central Road ten miles east Oswego was released noon today after being held thirty-six hours. Snow-plows which were sent to the rescue of the imprisoned passengers forced a tunnel through the huge drifts. Later the roof of the tunnel was knocked in and the snow removed. Never before within a railroad history of this state have such conditions existed. The other passenger trains were stalled at Red Creek west of Oswego were shovelled out last night after being detained for twenty six hours.

### A Sensible Merchant.

Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders give women prompt relief from monthly pains, and leave no bad after effects whatever. Be sure you get Milburn's. Price 25 and 50 cts.

### The Market Prices.

The attendance at the market yesterday was not very large; but the prices of staples were sustained. As a matter of fact the tendency was upward. Pork reached 8 cents a pound; lard a few carcasses changed hands at 8 1/2-8. Black oats were as high as 50 cents a bushel, and hay was about the same as last quotations; 70 to 75 per cent. Otherwise the changes were few, as will be seen by the following list: Butter (quarter) 0.28 to 0.28 1/2; Lard (per lb.) 0.08 to 0.09; Eggs, per doz. 0.28 to 0.30; Fowls each 0.60 to 0.70; Chickens per pair 0.90 to 1.25; Flour (per cwt.) 0.00 to 0.00; Beef (small) 0.10 to 0.14; Beef (quarter) 0.28 to 0.28; Mutton, per lb. 0.08 to 0.09; Pork 0.7 to 0.7 1/2; Potatoes (bush) 0.40 to 0.50; Hay, per 100 lbs. 0.70 to 0.75; Hk Oats 0.49 to 0.50; Hides (per lb) 0.10 to 0.10; Calf Skins 0.90 to 1.12; Sheep pelts 0.60 to 0.80; Oatmeal (per cwt.) 0.00 to 0.00; Turkeys 0.12 to 0.15; Turkeys (per lb) 0.20 to 0.21; Geese 1.20 to 1.75; Pressed hay 12.00 to 15.00; Straw 0.35 to 0.40; Ducks per pair 1.00 to 1.50; Lamb Pelts 0.30 to 0.50.

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- Necklets 75c. up
- Locketts 50c. to \$20.50
- Reading Glasses 25c. up
- Telescopes
- Spectacles, 75c and \$1 up
- Fobs and Chains, \$1 up
- Bracelets 75c. to \$8
- Hat Pins 25c. up
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### Mail Contract

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 8th March, 1912, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, between Charlottetown and Cherry Valley (Rural Mail Delivery) from the Postmaster General's pleasure next.

### Mortgage Sale.

To be sold by Public Auction, in front of the dwelling house on the lands hereinafter described, on Thursday, the Twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1912, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, under the authority of the Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the third day of January, A. D. 1898, and made between Gerard Barry and George Barry, both of St. Peter's Harbour, in King's County, in Prince Edward Island, farmers, and Victoria Barry, wife of the said Gerard Barry, of the first part, and Honourable Donald Ferguson of Marshfield, in Queen's County, in said Island, Senator of the second part, and which said Mortgage was assigned by the executor of the last will and testament of the said Honourable Donald Ferguson to the undersigned by Indenture bearing date the twenty-fifth day of August, A. D. 1911: All that tract, piece or parcel of land situated on Township Number Thirty-two, in King's County, in Prince Edward Island, bounded and described as follows:—Commencing at the north-east angle of Albert Anderson's farm and running according to the Magnet of 1794 south sixty degrees east sixty-five chains thence south sixty-five degrees west fifteen chains and eighteen links; thence north nine degrees east sixty-eight links; thence south eighty-nine degrees west nineteen chains to the place of commencement, containing one hundred acres of land, more or less, bounded on the north by the Settlement Road, west by Albert Anderson's farm, south by Widow Phelan's land, and east by Widow Phelan's and Francis Coffin's land, being the land conveyed by Benjamin Coffin and wife to Edmund Barry by deed dated the Eleventh day of June, A. D. 1877.

### Synopsis of Canadian North-West Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within one mile of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchase homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

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### Mail Contract

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JOHN F. WHEAR, Post Office Inspector, Charlottetown, Jan. 27, 1912.

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To be sold by Public Auction, in front of the Court House Building, in Charlottetown, on Thursday, the 7th day of March, next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, more or less that tract, piece or parcel of land situated on Township Number Sixty-five, bounded and described as follows:—Commencing at the south-west angle of a farm in possession of John Lannan, on the bank or shore of Wilmot Bay; thence with a variation of four degrees West from the Magnet of 1794 North high young chains forty-three links, or to the North boundary of MacMillan's land, fronting on Elliot River; thence West two chains sixty-three links to the East line of William Webster's leasehold; thence South with a variation of one degree East to the Southeast angle of said leasehold; thence West six chains fifteen links; or to Doulan's East boundary; thence South four degrees East to the said bank or shore, and thence following the various courses of said shore E. to the place of commencement, containing fifty-five acres, a little more or less.

Also all that other tract, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being on Township Number Sixty-five, described as follows, that is to say:—Commencing at the bank or shore of the Strait of Northumberland, in the Eastern boundary of land conveyed by Government to Thomas Griffin, above described, and running thence along said boundary North four degrees West seventy-nine chains and fifty links to land in possession of Ewen McMillan; thence Eastward along the rear boundary thereof six chains and twenty-five links; thence South four degrees East to the bank or shore aforesaid, and thence Westward along said bank or shore to the place of commencement, containing fifty acres of land, a little more or less.

The above sale is made pursuant to a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the 1st day of April, A. D. 1884, made between Thomas Griffin of the one part, and Charles Hensley, Walter Ferdinand Hensley, and Joseph Hensley, Trustees under the Will of the Honourable Charles Hensley, deceased, of the other part, and for default in payment of the Principal and Interest.

For further particulars apply at the office of Stewart & Campbell, Charlottetown.

(Signed) FANNIE ELIZA FARQUHARSON, FREDERICK S. MOORE, CHARLES ARTHUR FARQUHARSON, Executors of the last Will of the Honourable Donald Farquharson, Assignees of Mortgage.

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PALS.

Neither Helen or Jack noticed that every table but theirs had been vacated. Why should they watch the coming and going of the usual Saturday dinner in the dingy Italian table d'hote restaurant, when they could see far more wonderful things just by looking in each other's eyes.

As the waiter, carrying his last burden of dishes and plates, vacillated through the narrow corridor leading to the kitchen, Jack Reed leaned over the table until the feather on Helen's hair swept his closely cropped hair.

'I was a coward to tell you now!'

'Why?' demanded Helen, with the gentle insistence of one who longs to hear the beautiful truth in a hundred different forms.

'Because I have no right to bind you by any promise. It will be so long before I can decently ask you to marry me. You see I've never had to think of anyone but myself and I've saved nothing against the day when I would meet the loveliest girl in the world and want to marry her, right off.'

He spoke whimsically, but his eyes were grave.

'I suppose it costs a lot to furnish a flat and keep a house?'

'I suppose it does, answered Helen, but she hardly realized what she said. She was studying the strong, supple hand that fingered the lace that rippled from the sleeve of her blouse.

'You'll understand if we cut out the theatre after this? Just dinner here Saturday night. The rest—every cent—must go into the bank for our home—our home!'

His hand closed suddenly over hers.

'Oh, you don't know how I want you, Helen, for my very own. I did not know it was possible for a man to want anything so badly. And now—'

He broke off impatiently, as if his thoughts had reverted to his past extravagances and his present financial limitations.

'Silly boy,' replied Helen. 'You talk as if we were going to be miles apart. Why, we'll meet every morning at breakfast, walk down town together, lunch together, and after dinner I'll play for you, as I've been doing right along.'

Something in the man's eyes made her turn her head and say irrelevantly, 'I wish Mrs. Langdon would have the piano tuned.'

Jack did not answer. Her words had summoned a picture of the tawdry boarding-house where they had met, of the great office building in which they both worked, of the crowded cars in which they rode home. These had been the background of his wooing. They must serve as the hard, sordid environment for this period of tenderest happiness, their engagement. He could close his eyes and see the sleek winks of his fellow boarders. He could hear the cheap jests of their fellow workers. He recalled with a shudder how he had strolled through the park, laughing at a blissfully unconscious lover. Suddenly he felt that he was being cheated out of his right to give expression to the first great emotion of his life. The next instant he was gripping Helen's hand almost roughly.

'What's the use of all that when—when I just want to take you in my arms? Don't you see this is the worst of our life? We are never alone—and—'

He flung a swift glance at the half-closed door going into the corridor; then he raised her hand to his lips. When he looked at Helen again the soft color had faded from her face, leaving it quite pale. Her hands trembled in his.

'You hadn't thought of that, had you, dear?'

'I hadn't thought of anything, except just this minute, and you, telling me that you love me. That seems happiness enough for one night.'

The man's eyes turned somber. 'I'll find some night work. I'll write Uncle Fred. He could help me out. I'll—I'll do something desperate.'

She glanced at him keenly; then her glance fell and she began to trace the sprawling pattern in the cheap damask cloth.

'If you are so desperate—as all that, why don't you—just marry me?'

'Right away? To-night?'

'No! Next month!'

'Helen, darling!'

The delicate color came and went in her cheeks.

'You mustn't misunderstand. I couldn't have said it—if you hadn't first said that the waiting would be so hard. I can get along without a flat. Even Mrs. Langdon's would be more bearable—if I were married. And I don't mind working. You never hear me complain about things at the office.'

'I don't want my wife to work.'

'It won't be for long, dear. And I'm marrying you, not a flat! We'll both work and save until you have a law office of your own. Think how chummy I will be going to business together, your office next to mine. I'll be there to remind you of your umbrella, so you won't have laryngitis. I'll sew and mend for us both, evenings while

Itching Skin

Distress by day and night—That's the complaint of those who are so unfortunate as to be afflicted with Eczema or Salt Rheum—and outward applications do not cure. They can't.

The source of the trouble is in the blood—make that pure and this scaly, burning, itching skin disease will disappear.

'I was taken with an itching on my arms which proved very disagreeable. I concluded it was salt rheum and bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. In two days after I began taking it I felt better and it was not long before I was cured. Have never had any skin disease since.' Mrs. D. E. Ward, Cove Point, Md.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

rids the blood of all impurities and cures all eruptions.

you read aloud, and we'll have gentlemen in the window, and a canary and it will be a near-home if she added, enthusiastically.

'She stopped abruptly, realizing that she was pleading. She lifted her head proudly and withdrew her hands. Jack regained his grip upon them quickly.

'Don't make any mistake, Helen, or think I don't appreciate every word you've said. But I have some old-fashioned ideas. I don't want my wife to earn her living. I want to earn it for her. I want her to feel that everything she has, from the parlor rug to her happiness, she owes to me. I don't want to look into the office next to mine and hear her taking dictation from a real estate operator.'

'Do you think I will love you any less, dear heart, because I write letters a few hours each day for Mr. Brown or Mr. Lovatt? Can't a woman be her husband's pal down town, and his wife in the second floor front of a boarding-house?'

With a mental snap, the girl's thoughts travelled back over the lonely years of struggle in a great city. She shivered at the mere recollection. She longed for a home, yes; but far more, she yearned for the companionship, the sympathy, the understanding which marriage would bring. These were all she asked just now, all she needed. The home with its creature comforts, its leisure would come later. The golden current of her thoughts leaped across the narrow space and gripped the wavering resolution of the man. Once more he carried her hands to his lips.

'I don't deserve it, dear, but I will sometime. Heavens, how I will work to make a home for you.'

And so they were married, these two who loved and were hungry for a home, started for that perfect companionship which entitles out the rest of the world, is sufficient unto itself.

The man whose tired eyes were framed in fine wrinkles picked up his hat and crossed to the door. There he turned and looked back at the alert woman who was folding papers to fit them into her rich but business like looking bag.

'I congratulate you, Mrs. Reed.'

'Thanks,' she replied, flinging him a grave, impersonal smile.

Five minutes later, he faced his partner, who looked up inquiringly.

'Well.'

'Just ten minutes too late.'

A check for six figures fluttered to the desk.

'Who got it?'

'Mrs. Reed. That's twice in six months she has beaten us to a good thing.'

'It's hard to be beaten by a woman man but we're one consolation—we've been out played by the best posted operator in the field. I wonder whether she gets her tips by intuition.'

'Not by close application. Not a single move in the real estate field escapes her. She must eat drink and sleep options!'

'Are Brown & Lovatt in this deal?'

'No, I understand she put it through alone.'

The partner whistled. The sound was an eloquent tribute to Helen Reed's business ability.

At the same instant Helen paused irresolutely outside the door of the office in which she had executed her sensational coup. At the end of the corridor there was a window. She made her way to this and stared across the irregular line of sky-scrappers to the blue waters of the Bay. She caught herself trying to figure how many of those towering buildings piled one upon the other would be required to represent a billion dollars. Then she fell to studying the glittering windows and wondering what the men behind them would say when they learned that a woman, single-handed had made the most important move of the day in the real estate game. Many of them would be amazed to learn that the option had been even a possibility. Others would wish they had acted more quickly. Many would wonder how she raised the price demanded.

Finally, from considering men in groups, her mind settled upon one

man, her husband. Even with her hands clasped over the papers which represented her triumph, she felt that she must see him immediately, must feel the touch of his steady hand, must hear his voice. She would not even wait to return to her office. She almost ran to the telephone booth on the ground floor.

The voice of Jack's stenographer fluted back to her.

'No, Mrs. Reed; Mr. Reed is not here.'

'Not there?'

She had pictured him sitting beside the telephone, waiting for the result!

'Tell him to call me at my office directly he comes in.'

The voice at the other end of the wire hesitated for the fraction of a minute.

'He will not be back today, Mrs. Reed.'

The blood throbbed in Helen's temples.

'Did he leave any message?'

'Yes, he said to tell you that the men at the Mayfield works have threatened to strike and he has gone out to confer with the manager. It looks very serious.'

Helen Reed had herself well in hand once more. Her voice was quite clear and she said, impulsively, 'Sorry to hear that!'

She stepped into the long open way like a street. Its surging life seemed to beat upon her tired brain. After all she would not go back to the office. She signalled for a taxi-cab.

By the time she reached the fashionable apartment hotel, where she and Jack maintained an admirably appointed suite of rooms which they called 'home,' she felt benumbed in body and soul. She dragged her way to her own room and sank upon the low bench before her dressing table. She marvelled at the languor which completely enveloped her. She had anticipated no such sensations as these. Where were the sense of exaltation, the mental hymn of triumph that accompanied success? Must such reaction always follow upon achievement? With a woman, perhaps, but not with men. Jack had never displayed such fatigue and lassitude after winning a big case. Lately he had rarely referred to his office affairs.

Why? Because winning had become a matter of course with him? Because she had lost the trick of concentrating on what he said, since her own problems had become more absorbing. Or because—

She paused in the act of drawing out her hat pins.

Jack's jealousy of her growing success? Nonsense! She laughed aloud, as with suddenly recovered spirits, she flung aside her hat. She drew out more pins, and her hair fell in a marvelous golden red shower over her shoulders, which no longer drooped. Actually she had become almost hysterical because Jack had deserted her in this, her crucial hour. Of course he would expect her to appreciate that the situation at the Mayfield works was serious. That was one secret of their even untroubled married life. A business woman, she understood the demands of business upon husbands, and never interfered with her Jack's movements, never nagged. And she could afford to be forgiving to-day. She would be altogether obdurate on his return.

A warm plunge, clean linen, a lovely dinner frock all did their beneficent work, not because of their intrinsic value, but because each move brought her nearer to the dinner hour and Jack's return. A train left Mayfield Junction at 5.10. He must be almost in town by now.

She telephoned the head waiter and ordered the dinner Jack liked best, to be served in their private dining room. She telephoned to the florist across the way, for the most delicate of late spring blossoms. They would celebrate her victory. Then she sat down by the open window to wait. A church clock across the way struck. Ah! his train must have pulled into the station. Jack would be wretchedly hot. She hurried into his dressing-room to lay out fresh linen. She was interrupted in this task by the ringing of the telephone. Of course it would be Jack: she was calling from the station. All the sense of exaltation and triumph which she had missed during the past hour flooded her being. Her eyes shone as she lifted the transmitter off the hook.

'Hello, Helen—this is Jack. How did everything go?'

'All right, dear!'

'Closed the deal up good and tight did you? No chance for them to renege. Not a chance. Everything signed, sealed and delivered.'

'Good. Then I suppose you are perfectly happy, and you won't mind—if—'

He hesitated and Helen's figure stiffened.

'Won't mind what? Where are you?'

'Out at the factory we had a pretty long session this afternoon and I missed the 5.10. There is no other train, you know, until after seven; Mrs. Mayfield has kindly asked me to stay for dinner. I wish you were here the country looks beautiful.'

'What time will you be home?'

He did not answer at once. She knew he was asking some one about the train service.

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