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SINK PARTISAN DIFFERENCES FOR NATIONAL GOOD

Liberals and Unionists Now As One in Great European Crisis

SHELVE HOME RULE FOR THE PRESENT

And Will Attend to the Big Business of Preparing For War

London, July 30.—An agreement has been reached as to the Amending Home Rule Bill. No details of the agreement are mentioned. The present international crisis is believed to have played a great part in the bringing of Government, Opposition Nationalist and Unionist leaders to the point of agreement. While the dispute between Austria and Serbia is threatening to involve all Europe in war, there has been a demand from all sides that all internal differences should be speedily adjusted.

Postponement.

Premier Asquith speaking on the extreme gravity of the situation when announcing to the Commons the postponement of the second reading bill to amend the Home Rule Bill said: "We meet to-day under conditions of gravity which are almost unparalleled in the experience of any one of us; the issues of peace and war are hanging in the balance. With us is the risk of a catastrophe of which it is impossible to measure the dimensions and effects.

To Be Depreciated.

"If we were to proceed to-day with the amending bill we should inevitably, unless the debate were conducted in an artificial tone, be involved in acute controversies and domestic differences. I need not say more than that such a use of our time at such a moment may have an injurious, a lastingly injurious effect on the international situation.

"Bonar Law, the leader of the Opposition, shares in full the views I have expressed. We therefore propose to postpone for the present the second reading of the Amending Bill without prejudice of its future in the House in that by the postponement of this discussion the patriotism of all parties will contribute to at least circumscribe the calamity which threatens the whole world."

Asquith's references to all parties rallying to support the Government were heartily cheered by all members British Foreign Office.

GERMANY TELLS HIM TO GET OUT

Kaiser Advises New Ruler of Albania to Resign His Position—He Can't Hold it Anyway

London, July 29.—Despatches received here from Rome state that Prince William of Wied has been advised by the German Kaiser to abdicate the throne of Albania.

The city of Durazzo is at the mercy of the Mussulman insurgents, who have their military trained on the buildings and are in a position to occupy the city at any moment.

They are anxious that Prince William shall leave before the festival which takes place in a few days.

Should the warships of the Powers interfere, the insurgents threaten to destroy the town and not spare the inhabitants.

WARSHIP OFF TO SEA IN HURRY

Capetown, July 30.—The German gunboat Eber, which had recently been overhauled here, put to sea hurriedly today.

ASKED TO BE FORGIVEN, BUT WAS KILLED

Shocking Murder of a Young Man Who Had Married A Young Girl

Haverstraw, N.Y., July 29.—In his cell in the County Jail at New City, where he was taken after he had shot and killed Eugene B. Newman, his nineteen-year-old son-in-law, Mr. William V. Cleary, prominent in county politics and for fourteen years town clerk, refuses to discuss the murder or tell why he shot the young man.

Young Newman, who is a son of one of the owners of The Rockland County Messenger, secretly married Cleary's eighteen-year-old daughter, Anna Cleary. Afterward the couple confided in their respective mothers and Newman was advised to tell Cleary and ask his forgiveness.

It was while on this mission that Newman was shot. He entered the town clerk's office, where Cleary was talking with three friends.

Newman extended his hand and asked for Cleary's blessing. Cleary, with hardly a word and before his friends could interfere, fired four bullets into the young man's body. Newman died instantly and Cleary shortly afterwards surrendered himself to the authorities.

WHAT BRITAIN IS DEMANDING

Any 'Planes Taken by Admiralty Must be at Least 400 Horse-Power

London, July 29.—While it was intended at first that the trans-Atlantic liner, America, should be equipped with two 100 horse-power engines and now that an additional 100 horse power engine has been added, it is interesting to learn that the English Admiralty demands far more than 300 horse-power for a hydro-aero plane.

A famous airman and also an aero plane builder had a long conference at the Admiralty this week, where he was frankly told that the British Navy Department would not consider any waterplane in future order whose engines did not exceed 40 horse-power.

This is believed in aeronautical circles to indicate that the Admiralty is about to begin the construction of a fleet of cruisers, destroyers and dreadnoughts of the air.

ROTHCHILDS GOT LAND AT 1 CENT AN ACRE

Huerta Agreed to Sale of 100,000 Acres to Capitalists At This Price

SAID THAT HE GOT GRAFT OF \$500,000 Mexican Public Treasury Only Got a Thousand Dollars Of It

Los Angeles, Cal., July 29.—That the Rothchilds, of Paris and London under the name of the Lower California, purchased 100,000 acres of Lower California lands from the Huerta Government a month ago for one cent an acre, and that Victoriano Huerta received \$500,000 for allowing the sale, is charged by General Carranza in a message to his agents in the United States.

Adolfo Carrillo, Los Angeles, agent for the Constitutionalists, said to-day that Ysidro Fabela, a member of Carranza's Provisional Government notified him the alleged sale was registered in Mexico City under the name of Joaquin D. Casasus, Paris attorney, representing the Rothchild interests. Fabela declared the sum placed in the Mexican Treasury for the 100,000 acres was only \$1,000.

In addition, Huerta is charged with having imposed upon the Lower California Industrial Development Company the one condition that it import no less than 50,000 Chinese laborers to be employed on the land at cotton raising.

Reports From Seat of War Relate Conflicting Stories; Servians Repulse Austrians?

Servians Reported to Have Prevented Their Enemies From Crossing the Danube to Invade the Country—Heavy Austrian Loss

AUSTRIAN GUNBOAT DAMAGED IN A LIVELY ENGAGEMENT

Russia Still Mobilising Troops on the Austrian Border and it is Understood That Germany Will Soon Follow Suit—Then General Hostilities

Belgrade, July 31.—The Austrians opened a heavy cannonade in their second attack on Belgrade at eleven last night. The guns of the Austrian Monitors and the batteries at Semlin fired until two o'clock in the morning. Several buildings were damaged. Servian guns replied, but only occasionally, and an Austrian gunboat was badly damaged.

An attempt by the Austrians to cross the River was repulsed with severe losses. The Austrians made several other attempts to cross Rivers Save and Danube, but were everywhere driven back.

It is reported they intend to renew the bombardment of Belgrade to-day.

GERMAN TROOPS ARE EXPECTED TO MOBILISE—THEN ARMAGEDDON

London, July 31.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times says that a partial mobilization has been ordered by Russia but is confined to army corps stationed along the borders of Austria-Hungary.

Prolonged diplomatic conferences at St. Petersburg, adds the correspondent, have been devoid of practical results.

"The persistent unanimity of Austria's and Germany's land responses to Russia's despairing appeal for a hearing," he declares, "compels the unwilling conclusion that all this diplomatic effort has been mere by-play to gain time. Hardly any doubt exists that Germany will now throw off the mask and openly mobilize."

AUSTRIANS OCCUPY BELGRADE AFTER HEAVY FIGHTING; MANY SLAIN

London, July 31.—An Athen's despatch to The Telegraph says it is reported from Corfu that the Russian warship Toretto in port there has received news by wireless that Belgrade has been occupied by the Austrians after heavy fighting and that 200 Austrians and 100 Servians were killed.

The War Office has sent a request to all newspapers to refrain from publishing news of British military naval movements.

ALL THE EUROPEAN CABINETS TROUBLED OVER THE SITUATION

Halifax, July 31.—The gravity of the international situation is recognized in all European capitals today Premier Asquith and Sir Edward Grey called all parties in the British Isles to join together in efforts to avert the immeasurable calamity of the extension of hostilities to other countries. The German Emperor conferred lengthily with the Imperial Chancellor, and Minister of War and Marine. Later, reserve officers received orders to mobilize. Russia proceeded with the mobilization of a large number of troops.

President Poincare and the French Cabinet decided to meet daily, and the French defensive forces took extensive precautionary measures.

The Austrian invaders and the Servian troops came into contact in Servian territory, and hundreds of casualties are said to have resulted. The whereabouts of the main British fleet is unknown since its departure yesterday from Portland, under sealed orders.

The German battle squadrons are concentrated at Kiel and Wilhelmshaven. The French fleet has taken steps to prepare for eventualities. Japan is said to have declared readiness to join its ally, Great Britain.

In the outlying British Colonies troops have been prepared for instant service. A German gunboat hurriedly quit Capetown today and went to sea. The German and British fleets in the near east have been concentrated at their chief stations.

All foreign students have been ordered to leave German schools. The stock markets everywhere in Europe have virtually ceased operations. Leading banking institutions have taken measures to preserve their stocks of gold.

GERMANY SENDS ULTIMATUM TO THE RUSSIAN AUTHORITIES

London, July 30.—Despatches from Berlin say that the Emperor of Germany has sent an ultimatum to the Czar, asking within twenty-four

KIKUYU CASE NOW CONSIDERED BY THE BISHOPS

Was Bishop Justified in Admitting Non-conformists To Communion

London, July 30.—Fourteen bishops, of the Anglican church, representing churches in Great Britain and the Colonies, met Monday at Lambeth Palace to reach a settlement of the heresy controversy known as the "Kikuyu case." The Archbishop of Canterbury presided.

Charges were brought some months ago by the Bishop of Zanzibar against the missionary bishops of Uganda and Mombasa, Africa, for administering communion to non-conformists. The controversy is largely one of church discipline, but it involves also the serious question of high and low church. The low churchmen defend the African bishops, while the high church party says such communion is impossible, because of the differences in doctrine.

The bishops will consider among other things, whether the proposed federation of the missionary societies of British East Africa contravenes any principles of the Church of England, and whether the action of the Bishops of Uganad and Mombasa in administering communion to a number of person who had not been

LAST EFFORT ON BEHALF OF PEACE

Berlin, July 30.—The Grand Duke Ernest of Hesse, brother of the Empress Elizabeth Fodorona of Russia, has been sent by Emperor William to St. Petersburg today, in a last attempt to arrange for peace.

LIKELY RAISE BANK RATES

Berlin, July 30.—The committee of the Imperial Bank of Germany, has been called to meet tomorrow, to decide as to the advisability of raising the Bank rate.

HOLLAND GETS READY FOR WAR

The Hague, July 30.—Holland today called all her army reserves, frontier guards, coast guards and coalers.

FIRST HONORS OF WAR GAINED BY THE AUSTRIAN TROOPS AT FOCA

Vienna, July 30.—Reports declare that the first battle in the Austro-Servian war has been fought at Foca, and resulted in a complete victory for the Austrians. A thousand are reported killed.

Two Servian divisions were routed by the Austrians; one entire division was captured and the other retreated. Reports declare that 1,800 Servians were killed. The Austrians loss is placed at 200.

FOUR THOUSAND SERVIAN TROOPS TAKEN PRISONERS IN FOCA FIGHT

Berlin, July 30.—A special say that the Austrians took 4,000 Servians prisoners at Foca. The battle began when the Austro-Hungarian troops commenced to cross the Drina River.

The Servian cavalry opposed the advance; but were driven back upon the position occupied by infantry. This point was shelled by the Austrian artillery on the Bosnian side of the River, and when the Servians were compelled to retreat they were attacked by the Austrian forces.

CRITICAL STATE OF AFFAIRS NOW AT MEXICO CITY

Whole Army is Honeycombed With Disloyalty—Trouble is General

GERMANS PROTECT THEIR OWN EMBASSY

Some of Huerta's Supporters Have Been Arrested on Charge of Treason

Puerto Mexico, Mexico, July 29.—The most alarming reports have been received in Puerto Mexico of the condition of affairs in the capital. These reports indicate that matters in Mexico City are becoming extremely critical, and that such of the army as is left there is honeycombed with disloyalty.

It is stated by a man just from Mexico City that German sharpshooters are protecting the German Embassy and German colonists who have assembled there for safety. Much terror has arisen over the threats of a Zapatista attack, and the foreign colony in the capital is arming in anticipation of an assault upon the city by Zapata or to protect themselves in case of mob violence.

confirmed was consistent with these principles. The final decision of the bishops will be announced by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

GUARD COASTS OF GT. BRITAIN

London, July 30.—Several sections of the British Special Defence force were called to duty today on the East and South Coasts, to relieve the regular guards on bridges, railroad sidings and the maning of coast defences.

BRITISH ARMY RESERVES OUT

London, July 30.—Special army reservists were called to the colours today. They comprise electricians, military engineers and mine layers. The British Admiralty also requested the big Welsh coal owners to retain their stocks full.

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The Daily Short Story

A MATRIMONIAL LOTTERY

In Which One Man Owned Most of the Tickets.

By Dwight Norwood.

There are in various countries curious customs with regard to matrimony. In Lapland the groom must chase his bride in a foot race. In Russia, which has a very large area, with many different peoples, one and all having their own peculiar methods, there are a number of varied customs. One of these is that a girl may go into the house of any man whom she wishes to marry and remain there until he marries her. If he refuses he is considered to have insulted her and her family, and they take revenge on him if they can.

Another Russian custom among a certain people is this: They have a lottery. A girl is put up as the prize. Sufficient tickets are sold to give her a dowry. The holder of the winning ticket is compelled to marry the prize he has drawn, but she may decline him. If she does they may divide between them the money paid for the tickets.

If a married man is the winner he may give the prize to any bachelor he may select.

In N., a village in the northern part of Russia near the Siberian border, there were four of these lotteries held each year, thus providing for four girls who may reach a marriageable age and had not the necessary dowry.

The simple people of this village buried in the heart of what might almost be called a wilderness, naturally resorted to simple amusements. They were an athletic people, especially adapted to the management of animals. One of the chief recreations of the people of N. was a sort of circus in which the young men performed in gymnastics and trained animals and feats of horsemanship were exhibited.

At one of these performances a slender young man named Ivan Ivanoff, with a figure fit for a statue, led the rest in riding. He would ride several bare-backed horses at the one time, stepping from one horse to another.

Among those who looked at the feats of this young man was Nina Dimitrieff, a girl barely sixteen years old. To her Ivan, standing erect with a foot on each of two horses, guiding them wherever he wished, was the

most beautiful sight she had ever beheld. When he had finished his performance and stood bowing before the plaudits of his audience Nina Dimitrieff took from her girdle a bunch of hardy flowers that grew wild in the woods of that region and threw them at his feet. He picked them up, meeting at the same time her admiring gaze.

In that glance which passed between these two simple creatures was an instantaneous flash of love. No courtship was needed. The mingling of two spirits was complete. Long associations might strengthen it, as constant use will develop a muscle, but it was from that moment a perfect love.

These two children—they were not much more than children—did not stop to follow out the consequences of this newborn passion, the nature of which in their innocence they did not understand. Among these people parents regulate marriages, and no marriage is permitted except where the bride has a dowry. Nina's parents could give her no dowry, and Ivan could not afford to marry her without one.

Not that they would, if left to themselves, consider this as a barrier. They would consider nothing but their love and mate like a pair of doves. It was the older heads of their parents, foreseeing the wretchedness of poverty for them and their children, that would keep them apart. It was some time before their attachment was discovered, but as soon as it was known to exist Nina was forbidden to have anything to do with her young lover.

For some time there were clandestine meetings, usual in such forbidden affairs. Then the two being caught together by Nina's father, he took measures to marry her off. One of the marriage lotteries was about to come off, and he arranged that his daughter should be offered as the prize.

It was a terrible blow to the lovers. A thousand chances were to be sold at 4 rubles a chance. If they were all disposed of the bride would have a dowry of 4,000 rubles or \$2,000 of our money, a very large sum in that region for a young couple with which to set up housekeeping. If the chances were not all sold the deficiency would be made up by the wealthier citizens of the village. In this case, where Nina was the prize offered, the chances would have doubtless all been sold had it not been that her love for Ivan was generally known. As it was, but

a quarter of the chances had been taken up. So great was the deficiency that it was doubted whether those who usually made up such sums would do so in this case.

Almost directly north of N. is Kara, in Siberia, where political offenders are sent to work in the mines. N. is the nearest town of any importance on the western side of the border between Russia and Siberia. Not long before the drawing of the marriage lottery was to take place Ivan and Nina by a preconcerted arrangement, met in a wood to the northward of the village. The meeting was not to devise a plan, but to lament together over their approaching separation. They were in the heart of the forest under snow laden branches when, hearing a stirring in a thicket near by, they turned and saw a face that caused Nina to shriek. It was the face of a man, but so wild looking that for a moment they thought it some creature of the forest. Then a figure stepped forth, a man with unkempt hair and beard, ragged, shoeless, with cheeks shrunken and eyes glaring like those of a hunted beast.

"My children," he said, "can you not hide me? If they get me they will take me back to the mines."

Ivan had once before seen an escaped prisoner from Kara who had been pursued and arrested in N. and had never forgotten the despair on his face when, loaded with chains, he was taken away on his dismal march back to prison. Ivan knew well that this man was fugitive, and the hearts of the children went out to him. They asked him what they could do for him, and after consultation it was arranged that they should return to the town, and bring him food. This they did, and as soon as night came on they took him into the town, where Ivan hid him in his father's barn among the hay.

Early in the morning a number of officials entered the town looking for an escaped prisoner. But he whom they sought was safely hidden and ministered to by Ivan and Nina. After searching the village in vain the party left, and the fugitive, as well as his preservers, breathed more freely. Two or three days after the officials departed Ivan took clothes and shaving materials to the loft, and the fugitive relieved himself of his beard, cut his hair and put on a peasant's suit. Then he asked Ivan to bring him pen, ink, and paper, and he wrote a letter, which he addressed to some one in Moscow, and asked Ivan to put it in the post for him.

After this the fugitive occasionally left the barn and, growing more venturesome, at last took up his quarters



at an inn. He invented a story that he had a little money, with which he proposed to buy a few acres of ground and was looking about him for that purpose. This explanation of his presence in N. was weakened by his manner, which, since he was rid of his wild appearance, marked him for a gentleman. However, the people with whom he mingled were not very acute, and even had they known that he was an escaped political prisoner would have shielded him so far as was possible. After a while he began to receive mail which, of course, was addressed to him under an assumed name.

Meanwhile the lottery scheme by which Nina was to be disposed of dragged because so few tickets had been sold. But at last they were disposed of, and the drawing was announced to take place at once. Some curiosity was manifested to know who had taken them. But the managers of the affair would give them no information.

On the evening of the drawing Nina was present, as was customary for the bride, with a despairing look on her face that excited the commiseration of all. Ivan had saved enough money to pay for ten tickets. But what were ten chances in a thousand? The same as one in a hundred. He could not bring himself to attend the drawing he walked back and forth before the building in which it took place where the girl he loved was to be disposed of.

Presently he heard a commotion, which he believed followed the announcement of the name of the winner. A wild hope sprang up in his breast that one of his chances had won. He ran up into the hall and asked who had drawn the prize. He was told that the name was Nicholas Axelrod, but who Nicholas Axelrod was no one seemed to know. His heart fell. Wringing his hands, he was about to turn away when the manager of the lottery, standing on the platform where the drawing had taken place, advanced and read from a paper he held in his hands:

If I, Nicholas Axelrod, win the prize, being a married man, I give it to Ivan Ivanoff. Shouts arose and cries for Ivan were heard. A man caught him by the arm as he was leaving and, turning him around, led him up to the

platform where Nina sat, a smile of delight on her features. He kissed her and the shouting broke forth anew.

But who was Nicholas Axelrod? There were cries for him but he did not respond. Persons looked about them, expecting to see him arise and make his way to the platform to receive the ovation which it was evident was awaiting him. But he did not appear, nor was he ever seen again in N. The happy couple sought him, but did not find him. It was rumored that he was a member of a noble family; that he had been pardoned by the Czar; that he had returned to Siberia. None of these rumors was ever proved. Both Ivan and his wife believe today that he bought all the unsold tickets in the lottery, thus having three out of four chances of winning, and that he had done this to repay them for succoring him.

Nicholas Axelrod's real name was Paul Gerowsky, a Pole, whose family related to the king of Poland, submitted only because they were obliged to submit to the partition of their country among the three powers—Austria, Germany and Russia. But the Gerowsky's did not give up hope that Poland would be redeemed and were ever watching for an opportunity to assert its reunion and independence. Some years before the marriage of Ivan and Nina, Paul Gerowsky became the leader of a plot with this end in view. It was discovered and he was sent to Siberia. His escape from there, his succor by the lovers, his purchase of the unsold tickets to the lottery, as has been stated, were all that was ever known of him by the people of N. Under his own name he spent the rest of his life as a citizen of the United States.

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ADVERTISE IN THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE

Commercial Catechism

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Is Sugar likely to be dearer? Yes.
Under Confederation, will our fishermen get a bounty on fish? Yes.

What do you think of the Muscle as an article of food? Excellent. Only recently a famous professor of one of the American Universities, who had been experimenting with the Muscle for six years, handed down his report, which says that it is just as good as the Oyster. He goes on to say that in view of the high cost of living it would be a grand thing if the nation would realize the value of this excellent shell fish, as ten persons could be fed for 25c. He further states that the opinion widely held in the United States as to Muscles containing a poisonous part is erroneous, simply a superstition introduced by the Indians in early days.

Is there more business done by mail in Newfoundland today than there was twenty years ago?

Yes! twenty times as much.
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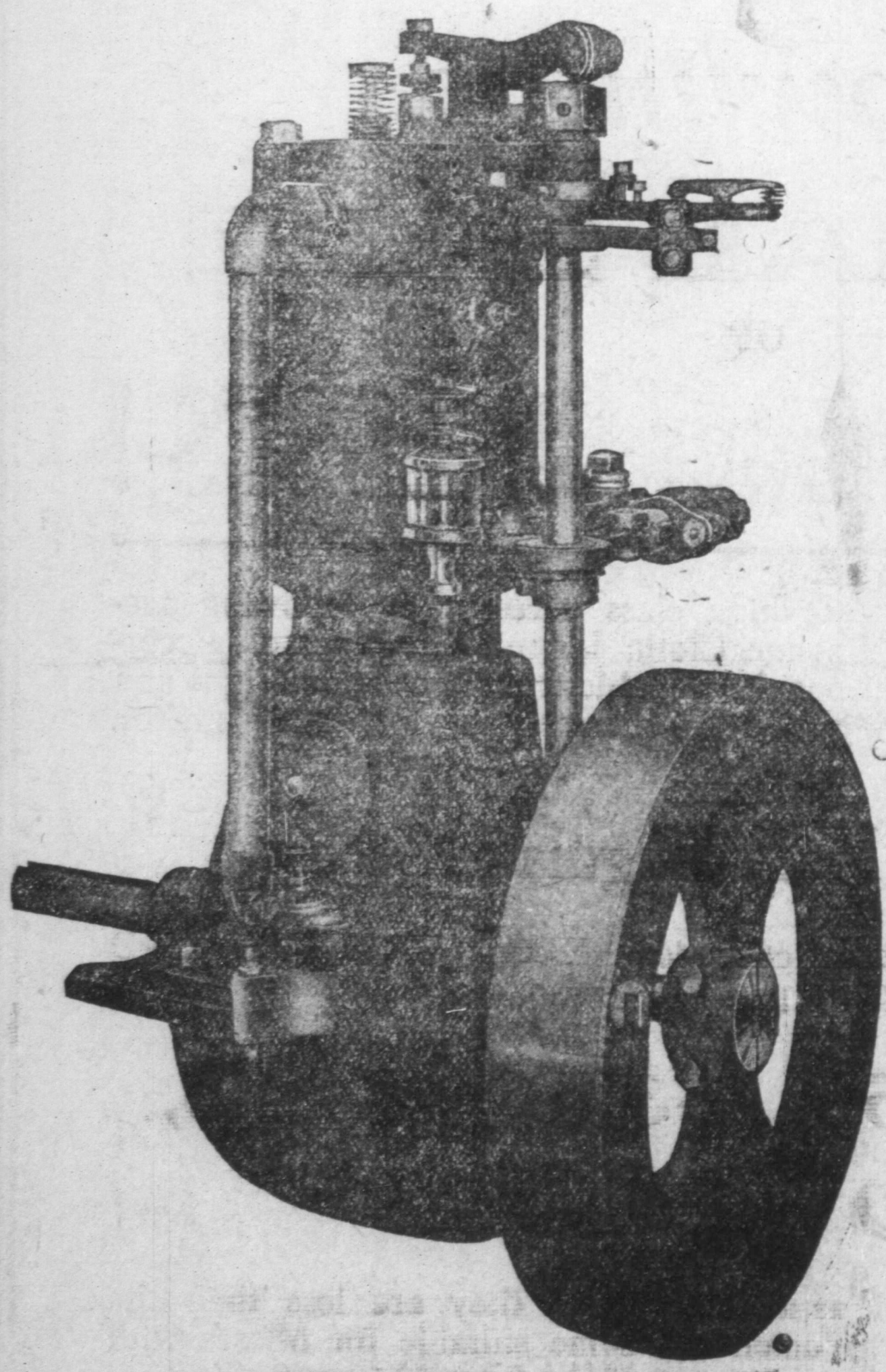
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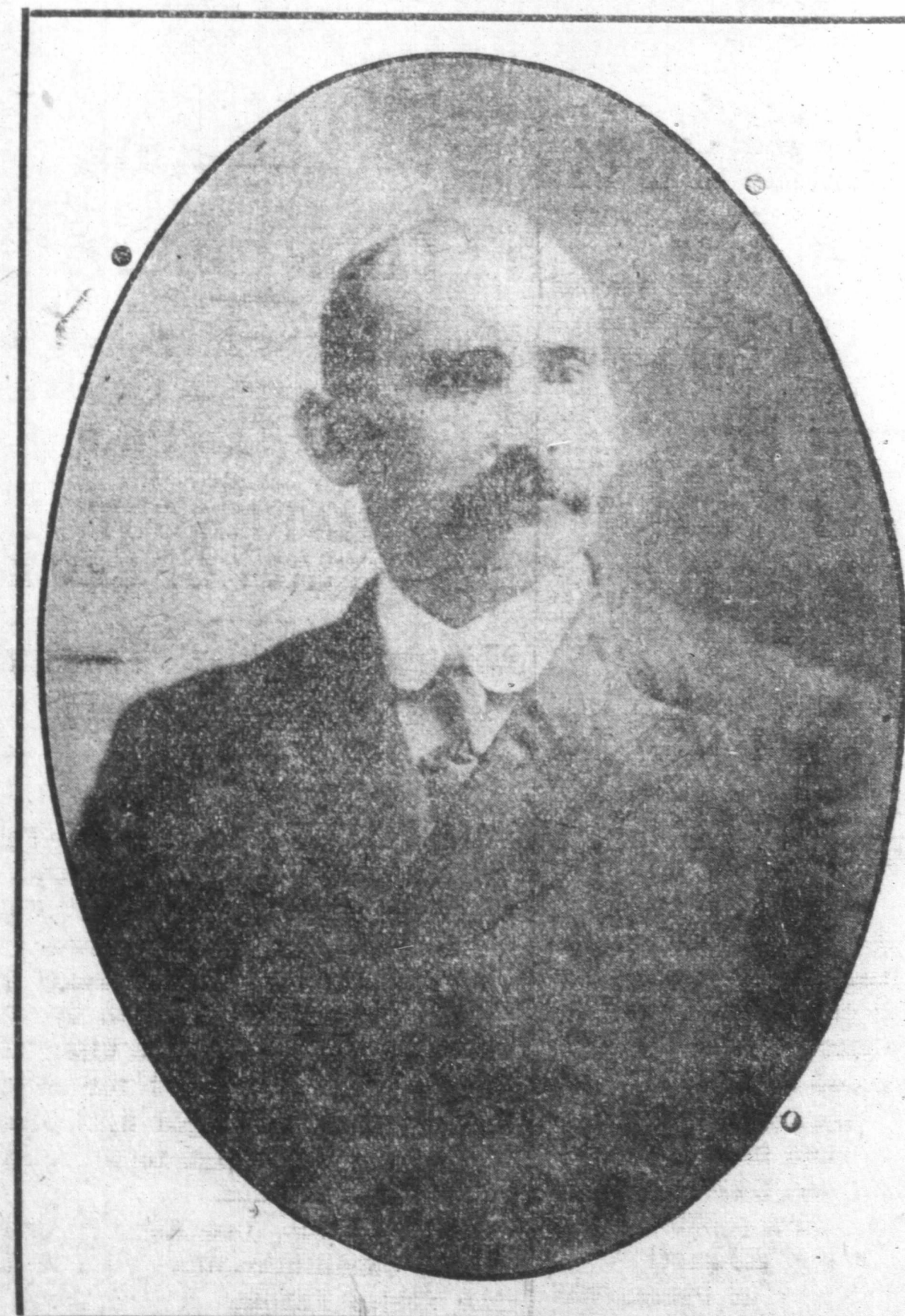
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DON'T EXPECT SHAMROCK IV. TO LIFT CUP

English Yachtsmen not Very Optimistic About Lipton's New Boat

EVEN THE EXPERTS ARE NOT SANGUINE

Say the Americans Lead in Designing This Class Of Yacht

London, July 28.—English yachtsmen who were at first inclined to be optimistic in regard to the chances of Shamrock IV. as a cup lifter are not so sanguine now that they have had an opportunity to analyze her trials with Shamrock III.

In yachting circles there is a decided feeling of pessimism, which has been caused to a considerable extent by the belief that the reports in the English papers have been largely influenced by the natural characteristics of super-optimism of Sir Thomas Lipton, with whom the wish is father to the thought.

Not Over-Confident

A friend of Capt. Burton's the amateur skipper of Shamrock IV., and Designer Nicholson, who talked intimately with them says that neither of these experts seem to be over-optimistic of victory. Mr. Nicholson was naturally hopeful of success, but explained that it was the first attempt to build a challenger according to American rules. He added: "After all, the Americans have had great experience in this sort of thing and it is a question whether or not we have approached them in this kind of designing as yet."

The question has also been raised as to whether or not the slowness of Shamrock III. as compared with the challenger has been purposely exaggerated.

Seems Strange

There is a decided impression in yachting circles to this effect. It seems strange to many yachtsmen that Capt. Sycamore was not permitted to race Shamrock III. against the challenger. It is known that there was considerable feeling on the part of Capt. Sycamore because Mr. Burton was selected to sail the challenger. It was thought, therefore, that Capt. Sycamore would get every inch out of Shamrock III. in the trials. It was also known that unless the challenger made a most excellent showing against Shamrock III. it would have broken Lipton's heart. For this reason there is no overwhelming confidence in the value of the trials.

Meanwhile public confidence in the challenger seems to have grown steadily and even Americans in the hotels may be heard saying that they will not be sorry if Sir Thomas at last succeeds.

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DERELICT WAIFS OF THE SEA TERRIBLE MENACE TO SHIPPING

And Great Britain, the United States and Canada are Making an United Effort to Destroy Them—Stories of Some Famous Ships Abandoned at Sea and Sighted in Many Different Quarters

Governments have realized the necessity of taking precautions to protect shipping from derelicts and icebergs, and some time ago an agreement was arrived at between Canada, the United States and Britain, so that a ship would patrol the Atlantic ocean and warn vessels of the locality of anything which constituted a danger to those "who go down to the sea" in ships.

Of all the perils which beset ocean navigation perhaps the most insidious, because the most elusive and difficult to guard against, is the derelict—the abandoned and almost submerged but still floating wreck.

When a vessel of stout construction, particularly if she is built of timber, is loaded with a cargo that is lighter than the water, she may sink until she is in the awash condition, and, by virtue of the strength of her hull, may hold together for many years, floating hither and thither at the caprice of wind and tide, and so constitute a perpetual menace to navigation.

The ever-shifting wreck is naturally uncharted and although a vigilant watch by day may suffice to detect the danger, in the night time the obstacle is quite invisible and should it lie in the direct track of a ship a collision is unavoidable.

Great Danger to Navigation

Unquestionably the floating derelict has been answerable for not a few of the unexplained losses of staunch and well-found ships, instances of which the too many and well known to need recapitulation here.

The endurance of the derelict and the extent of its ocean wanderings are almost unbelievable. Take the case of the Norwegian barque Crown, lumber laden, which was abandoned in a supposedly sinking condition in mid-Atlantic on December 26, 1909. In the following May it was reported as on the edge of the Saragossa Sea, and at a later date it was sighted upon the other edge of the sea, having traversed in the interval 1,100 miles. In the summer of 1910 it was sighted between Charleston, South Carolina and Bermuda.

Afloat for Three Years

The Fannie E. Woolston was wrecked on the rocky (U.S.A.) coast on October 15, 1891. During the following three years the wreck was frequently sighted once off the coast of Africa, and later on the opposite side of the Atlantic, off the coast of Florida. Finally it dropped entirely out of sight.

There is also the case of the P. and O. liner India, which reached Port Adelaide on October 28, 1911. On that occasion Captain Gordon reported that his vessel received a severe shock on the morning of October 26 while proceeding in the usual track of steamers from Fremantle to Port Adelaide. The Captain was under the impression that the obstruc-

tion was wreckage, and his supposition was confirmed a few days later when the captain of the Monaro reported passing some wreckage on November 4, at 6 p.m., in practically the same locality.

There are many other cases of sunken or partly submerged wrecks which could be mentioned. We have just recently had brought home to us the danger vessels of the size of the ill-fated Empress of Ireland constitute when lying in a river or narrow stretch of water for there is, even in deep water, a possibility of portions of a wreck rising to the surface, drifting into the line of shipping and bringing a ship to her doom.

GENERAL NEWS

Things Novel and Interesting Related in the Messages From Abroad

A solid silver bedstead, costing \$45,000, recently was made in England for an Indian rajah.

A Brussels, Ont., farmer has succeeded in growing strawberries that measure eight inches in circumference.

On the maiden voyage of the steamship Aquitania the saloon passengers took for souvenirs 137 spoons, 43 pepper pots, 12 sugar sifters and two mustard pots.

In a decision sustaining a demurrer filed by Jesse Dines in the suit of his wife, Edith B. Dines against him and Allan Botsford, Judge Pugh, Cincinnati, O., July 8, held that a husband cannot libel his wife. Mrs. Dines charged that Dines was responsible for a publication in Botsford paper reflecting on her.

"The average woman of to-day is idle, vain and frivolous. She thinks of no one but herself and is of no material benefit to the community." These words of mature wisdom were uttered at a woman suffrage meeting in Kansas City by a young woman of 18 years. Of course, the girl may change her mind before she reaches 19 or 20, or some such advanced age.

The modern Aladdin's Cave, is now in Bond Street, London, where a collection of pearls of almost perfect beauty is being exhibited. It has taken fifteen years to collect the pearls for one necklace alone. The pearls are of the particularly shaded tints called "rosy" pearls, and to purchase the necklace \$170,000 is necessary. One drop pearl of pear shape and a thin flexible diamond chain form a pendant priced at \$70,000. It is suitable also for an earring, and thus \$140,000 can now be paid for a pair of pearl drop earrings.

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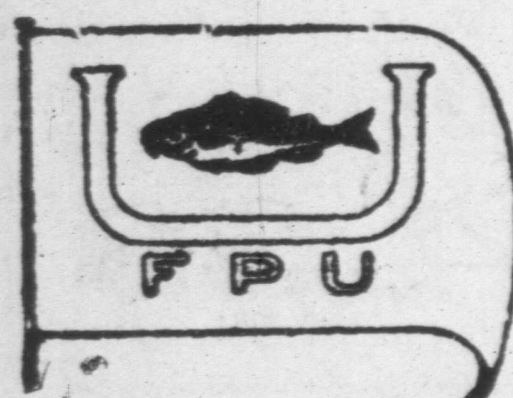
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OUR POINT OF VIEW

IMPERIAL YEAR BOOK

WE have received from the publishers a copy of a volume entitled "The Imperial Year Book of Canada." It is crammed full of information regarding the Dominion of Canada in particular, but has quite a number of pages devoted to affairs of the United Kingdom and of the British Empire generally. In fact, it contains a great deal of useful information gotten up in handy form.

Four pages of the Imperial Year Book are devoted to the affairs of Newfoundland, its physical features, history, population, religion and general administration.

A rather broad error has crept into the section which gives a list of our electoral districts and the Assembly representatives therefor. Burgeo and Lapointe becomes Bergeo and LaPorte; Placentia and St. Mary's is given as Placentia and St. Mark's; and Port de Grave as Port de Grave, while Trinity District has dropped from the list altogether.

Lloyd, Stone and Targett, elected last fall as representatives for Trinity are put down as representing Twillingate, while Cliff and Jennings do not figure at all as members of the House of Assembly.

These are rather grave mistakes for a book of reference and the editor evidently did not have the proofs of the Newfoundland section revised by any local authority.

OUR OBJECTION

OUR only objection to the editorial in this morning's News, headed "A Possible Explanation," is that the editor did not make his remarks strong enough or pointed enough.

We understand that the newspaper reporters who went to Waterford Hall last night to report proceedings at the dinner to the Dominions Royal Trade Commission received the scantiest of courtesy, being as The News remarks, "relegated to positions as far remote from the speakers as possible," and being compelled "to report speeches to the music of dish-washing."

We are not disposed to believe that this treatment was deliberately hand-

ed out to the newspaper men, but hope it was due to thoughtlessness on the part of those responsible for the management of the affair.

And yet the function was not so elaborate or so numerously attended that so well-known a person as a local journalist could very well be overlooked. In fact, we are informed that while the dinner was on a note was sent to one of the prominent men present, and yet no move was made to relieve the newspaper man from his embarrassing position.

As far as The Mail and Advocate is particularly concerned, the dinner was of no particular interest. We were not represented there because we received neither notification of it nor invitation to it.

The same thing happened at the time of the dinner to Dr. J. R. Mott. We had no representative present because those in charge of the arrangements knew so little about their business that they ignored the newspapers—whether deliberately or not we are not prepared to say.

We register an emphatic objection to this cavalier treatment of the press, not on personal, but on public grounds. We are publishing newspapers and our readers expect us to supply them with contemporary news. If, however, our representatives have to invite themselves to functions, or have to sit in sculleries or peep through keyholes to arrive at a knowledge of proceedings, then these affairs can go unreported for us.

Of course, in the case of a private entertainment or a dinner the parties in charge have a perfect right to be as exclusive as they please; no one can blame them at all if they decide that a reporter does not measure up to the proper social standard; nor, on the other hand, need they feel at all aggrieved if the newspapers refuse to publish lists of those present, descriptions of gowns or synopses of after-dinner speeches. It is only fair to draw the line at gratuitous advertising.

In the case, though, of the functions in which such a public body as the Dominions Royal Trade Commission is concerned, the people have a right to inside information and from the experienced reporter, not from some amateur pencil pusher.

The attempt to make the dinner last night a secret and exclusive affair may chime in harmoniously with the antiquated ideas of those who engineered the affair, but it was a gross insult to the newspapers of this city and one which, for our part, we strongly resent.

The Cadet is now on sale at Byrne's and Atlantic Bookstore, and at Gus Wadden's. Price 10 cents.

POEMS OLD and NEW

INSECTOLOGY

Of work the bee is not afraid, And hard times can't expel it, For when it gets its honey made It knows just where to sell it. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

Consider, too, the little gnat, He's fortunate in that he, Whatever the styles are—thin or fat—Can manage to look gnatty. —Chicago Inter Ocean.

And then we know there is the ant, Who works to beat the band, And really does a pile of work Because its got the sand. —Yonkers Statesman.

Do not forget mosquitoes, Those little beasts, so rumb, Who stick around each evening, For they always stay to hum. —Daily Advertiser.

Still yet there is the spider, With its legs so long and thin, The life it leads is childish, Because it likes to spin.

IT NEVER COMES AGAIN

There are gains for all our losses, There are balms for our pain; But when youth, the dream, departs, It takes something from our hearts, And it never comes again.

We are stronger, and are better, Under manhood's sterner reign; Still we feel that something sweet Followed youth, with flying feet, And will never come again.

Something beautiful is vanished, And we sigh for it in vain, We behold it everywhere, On the earth, and in the air, But it never comes again. —Richard Henry Stoddard.

WE SHOULD WORRY!

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LOG OF THE "F.P.U."

Pres. Coaker's Story Of His Trip To The North

(Continued)

Sunday, July 26.—Spent the morning at Triton, and attended service at the Methodist Church. Took dinner with Friend Sims. My first visit to Triton and was pleased to find the Council with a very nice Union Hall fully completed. The Council number about 100, and they are strong loyal members.

Fishery here poorest ever known. Traps from 1 qt. to 7 qts. Hook and line about 1 qt. Many traps taken out of the water.

Proceeded to Pilley's Island Harbor, via Brighton—or Dark Tickle. Passed Card's Harbor, a very tidy little settlement. Dark Tickle and Card's Harbor are not ports of call for the Bay steamer, but they should be included.

There being no Church of England service we attended service at the Methodist Church, and took a stroll about the old mine after service.

Good Property.

July 27.—Inspected the store at Pilley's Island, which is operated by N. Hicks, of Catalina. The store and wharf are Union property and possess a deep water pier capable of accommodating the Prospero. Arranged for the erection of an additional building to store fish. Public much perturbed over trial of George LeDrew, charged with misappropriating about forty per cent. of a grant of \$350.00 made last year for a public wharf, which expenditure caused a big fuss amongst the residents last year. The money spent was used to add a wharf to the premises of Manuel—Crosbie's brother-in-law—and the people protested, and apparently were fully justified, as the steamers do not use it. But Manuel got a splendid wharf erected at the public expense.

How Discovered.

LeDrew's misdoings were discovered by the F.P.U. Council from returns secured last session of the House and Magistrate Wells, of Little Bay, is trying the case, which will finish to-day.

Arrived at Nipper's Harbor at 3 p.m., unexpected. Soon the people gathered at the Union premises. Spent a couple of hours in conversation with friends. Store here is in charge of C. Rideout, who recently succeeded W. J. Stratton. People well pleased over possession of a Union store.

Fishery here no better than at other ports in Green Bay. Traps average 5 qts. Hook and line 1 qt.

Fishery on the Cape Shore—the prime fishing grounds of the district—just as bad at Nipper's Hr. On the whole it is the worst fishery in the memory of the old fishermen. Some will get through by utilizing their savings, while fully one-third of the fishermen must be assisted by labor.

Are Much Needed.

In all the districts urgent public improvements are necessary in the shape of public wharves, and a grant will have to be made for such purposes to be expended where possible in November and December, or money will have to be wasted in able-bodied relief during the coming winter.

The fishery along the Treaty Shore is no better than it is in Green Bay, and following a bad fishery last year considerable assistance will have to be forthcoming in many harbors on the Treaty Shore.

The employment of the younger men at railway construction would greatly aid a large number, but hundreds who are unable to leave their homes would have to be aided by local employment. The situation facing the Government is far from pleasing; the exercise of sound judgment and making advance prepara-

tions will have to be their predominant principles, or a serious situation will confront the whole colony.

We left Nipper's Harbor at 7 p.m., amidst a thundering fusillade of musketry and cheering. The wind blew strong to the North and we arrived at Little Bay Island at dusk, where we remained safely harbored in that magnificent haven.

(To be continued)

INTENTIONAL OR OTHERWISE?

What a Correspondent Says About List of Guests At Recent Functions.

(Editor Mail and Advocate)

Mr. Editor.—In reading your popular paper this evening of those who dined with the Governor in honor of the Trade Commissioners, I was surprised to see that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries was not included in the list. Of course, I presume, the Governor has the right to ask whom he likes, but as our principal industry is the fisheries, I think the head of that Department should have been there.

It is said that the Editor of The Herald has been responsible for the arrangements here and if that be so it is easy to understand why some Department heads were present and others ignored.

Had For Asking.

At the Garden Party invitations were to be had for the asking, and if such were the case last night, it is not to be wondered at that the Hon. Mr. McGrath occupied a front seat. He is the "office boy" of the Commission and perhaps was entitled to an invite; but why should the office boy be there and not the stenographer?

And that leads me to ask was there no one else qualified to take down the speech but Mr. Brian Dunfield, the law partner of the Rt. Hon. the Premier, Sir E. P. Morris? Surely, this is too menial a position for such a bright legal luminary?

Also Absent.

The absence of Hon. John Alexander Robinson, Editor of The News, was remarked, also, and his friends say it is a great insult to his camp followers, for one Government editor to be in the thickest of the gay crowd and the other to be left out in the cold and to get only the crumbs that fall from the table.

For my part, I say that Dr. Lloyd, the affable Editor of The Telegram, might have been invited too. The Doctor's fondness for attending such fetes, and the earnestness and joviality of his speeches would delight the distinguished visitors.

Some Distinctions.

I hope I am not wronging anyone but it is very strange that the Hon. Mr. Cashin was asked and the Hon. Mr. Piccott ignored, and that the Editor of The Herald should be welcomed at the feast, and the Editor of The News not inside the gate.

People will talk, and it is a difficult matter to stop their tongues. —NEMESIS.

P.S.—This morning I see by The News that the Hon. John Alex praises the arrangements and congratulates his brother Editor Hon. P. T. McGrath, who was responsible for the arrangements, while in following item he sandbags those in charge and says "Australia is not the only Dominion where the reporter is treated as an interloper (meaning, of course, Newfoundland) and that the scribes are not in love with the reporting of speeches to the music of dish washing."

Consistency, thou art a jewel. —N.

PRES. COAKER VISITS TILTING.

And Gets a Right Royal Reception From the People—Held Meeting.

(Editor Mail and Advocate)

Dear Sir.—Mr. Coaker visited us in the F.P.U. on the 22nd and all were delighted to see him. He received a great welcome. The harbor was decorated with bunting and the firing of guns was wonderful as the schooners in port did not spare their powder.

We wanted a public meeting but President Coaker decided it would be best to hold a Union meeting as so many Union men were in port he would like to talk to them on Union matters.

Union Meeting.

He gave us a half hour to get ready and at 2.30 p.m. the meeting opened in the Union Hall and it was packed with men. The advice and counsel he gave us will long be remembered. He spoke for about 90 minutes. At the close he was warmly cheered and so was Mr. Halfyard whom the President spoke of with praise and high regard and acclaimed him to be as good a man as ever represented Fogo.

We are always glad to see the President and the more we see of him the greater mystery he seems. He is looking remarkably well and everyone who sees him says he looks like a happy man and knows no worry as when a man sets out to do right and work for the public good he need not worry, for right fears no ones smile or frown.

Our best wishes go with him every where and we ask God's blessing to follow him.

Expert Busy.

Charlie the motor engine expert was busy here attending to engine troubles and he was not long in making them work properly.

Union feeling here is stronger than ever and many who did not approve of Coaker's ideas last fall are with him strongly now and admire the work he did in the House the past winter. Our Union Store will reopen about the middle of August. It closed in the spring as our clerk had his own work to attend to when the fishery opened, and as business is not brisk in the summer months it was closed until the fish was dry.

The Can't Lose is expected here with coal in August when we will be enabled to get coal three or four dollars per ton cheaper than it cost us in the past.

We wish the President could have remained longer, but as he is a rusher we are glad to have him even for an hour or two.

The fishery here so far has been very poor but we are hoping for a few days good trapping before the season closes. —UNIONIST.

Tilting, July 23, 1914.

SUGGESTS RACE OF OUR VISITORS.

New York vs. Boston to Row In the Forthcoming Regatta.

(Editor Mail and Advocate)

Dear Sir.—Seeing that we have so many of our fellow countrymen visiting us for the Regatta perhaps a race could be gotten up between them. Say, for instance a crew could be found to defend the "Hub" against New York. Many of the returned countrymen are good oarsmen, and maybe they would relish a race on Kitty Vitty just for old time sake. It would add considerable interest to the Derby to see some of our visitors take a hand in the game. —SPORT.

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London, July 29.—Whatever place Lloyd George may occupy in history, no one who has made a study of the workings of the Insurance Act will deny him credit for the development of a marvellous administrative system.

The Act's machinery is built to deal with millions of persons, millions in money—dollars as well as pounds—and millions of cards. In Wellington House, for instance, a huge block of buildings in Westminster, now known as the home of national health insurance, thinking imperially is inevitable. The clients number nearly 14,000,000. The amount of money dealt with annually reaches £29,000,000 (\$100,000,000), while cards of insured persons pour into the branch office at Maida Vale in avalanches of 10,000,000.

For besides Wellington House there is the Maida Vale establishment, once an immense skating rink. And then there is an office in Leonard Street where an actuarial staff undertake the responsibility of crediting the reserve values to the approved societies, a task involving the examinations and proving of some 11,000,000 claims. Thus, it is seen that the insurance commission must think literally in millions.

The daily tide of correspondence at Wellington House flows into a large room on the ground floor, where, after the envelopes have been removed, it is diverted into the main channels of the department, the sections relating to approved societies, insurance committees, collections for contributions and accounting.

Many Are Illiterate
A considerable proportion of those affected by the Insurance Act are illiterate and unaccustomed to writing or receiving letters. This fact serves to increase the difficulties of the commission. Their correspondence frequently arrives without any indication of the writer's address or without sufficient indication to secure a reply. So there must be an outdoor tap to reach the insured persons who don't know how to pen or receive letters intelligently.

Moreover the daily mailbag covers a wide field of inquiry, and many of the questions raised concern matters of principle and inquiry which cannot be settled offhand. The correspondence is probably the most varied and curious received by any department of State. The American congressman's mail, with its prayers for post-office or garden seeds, is outstanding.

Here, for instance, is a letter from some one interested in a licensed woman hawker, "far advanced in consumption," who "has disappeared." What can Wellington do to assist? The next is from a physician who was sent for by a woman who had not her current medical card. The third is an application for refund of contribution from some one "insured in error."

And here is a sailor's wife asking if she will get 5s. (\$1.25) a week and 30s. (\$7.50) maternity benefit, and whether she is entitled "to anything from the navy." Even the

"ask me" man at the Pennsylvania terminal in New York might well be stumped now and again.

Large "Army" Is Employed

The staff at Wellington House comprises a whole "army," necessarily. In all, there are between 450 and 500 persons. For the purposes of the outdoor staff, which is the eyes and ears of the commission, the country is divided into nine divisions, in charge of ten divisional inspectors, who act under the immediate instructions of the chief inspector at headquarters. Each division is divided into districts, arranged, so far as is geographically convenient, on a basis of equality of population.

Now picture a hall 480 feet long

and 100 feet wide, covered by a glass roof. Divide it up with temporary partitions, line it with corridors of card filing frames, people it with hundreds of workers and you will have some idea of the scene at Maida Vale.

Here is a girl engaged in telling the cards. Piled before her are packets of contribution cards sent in by one or another of the approved societies and in front is a wooden case, in thirteen divisions, one for each week in the quarter. She has to place every card from her pile into one or another of these divisions, according to the number or value of stamps it bears, a task complicated by the fact that numberless cards bear stamps of varying denominations or value.

The cards come from the societies in bundles and after their receipt is acknowledged they are stacked away until the telling section is ready for them. The telling sheet analysis is sent to the examining branch to be

compared with the society's own return. If the two statements do not tally the differences must be investigated.

All Claims Must Tally

If the society's return agrees with the "telling" sheet analysis the society is advised of the sum placed to its credit. That sum is not the exact amount of the value of the stamps on the cards, but that amount less reductions for reserve value, about four cents in the case of men and three cents in the case of women. If it be borne in mind that more than 10,000,000 cards are being dealt with, some idea may be gained of the task involved in making all these adjustments and the labor devolving on the examining department. After advice of credit have been issued to the societies the returns and cards are stacked away, 50,000,000 being so filed at Maida Vale that any one card can be turned up in a few minutes.

But perhaps the more interesting side of the work is that relating to

the deposit contributor. Of 216,000 whose cards were received in January 201,000 have received insurance

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MERCHANT TAILOR,
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(Next door to F.P.U. office.)
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books, the remaining 15,000 consisting of new entrants into insurance and of persons who so far have not furnished the necessary information on which they can be established as deposit contributors, such as their age and whether they are British subjects.

When one recalls all the criticism of the Insurance Act, it seems wonderful that out of 10,500,000 insured persons only a little more than 200,000 were not members of approved societies on January 7th last, and of these fewer than 10,000 had neglected or declined to take formal steps to establish their status of insurance.

The deposit contributors' contribution cards are forwarded to Maida Vale and are sent at once to the ledger branch. All cards received without books or without a ledger number are traced in a colossal deposit contributors' index and either connected with ledger accounts or specially dealt with so that an ac-

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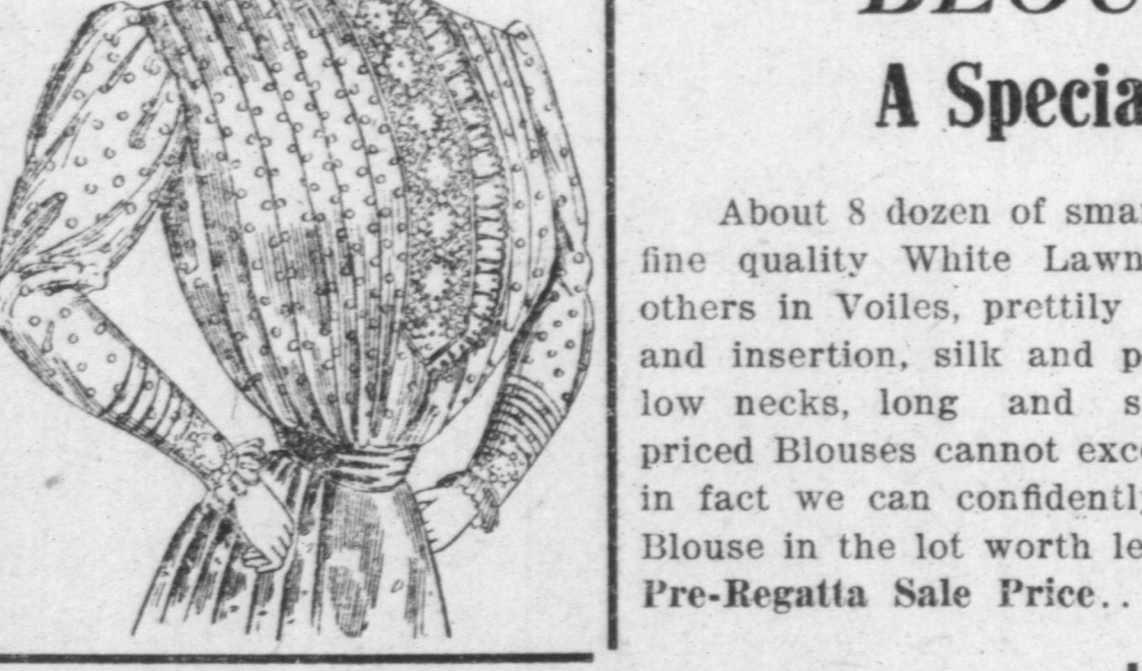
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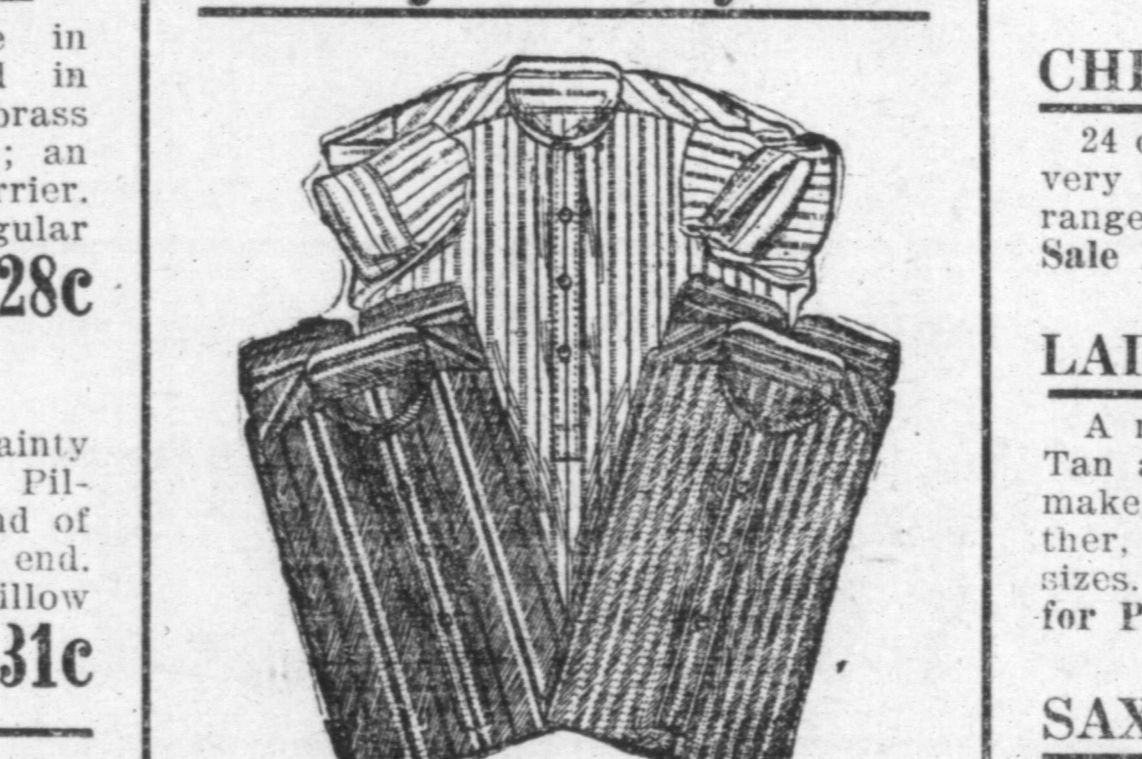
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SAYS COUNTRY DESERVES ITS GOOD NAME

Sydney Post Writer Gives High Praise to Newfoundland and the Opportunities it Provides the Visiting Sportsman

Newfoundland surely deserves its reputation of the "Sportsmen's Paradise," particularly if the visitor to the Colony is after the lordly salmon or his gamey half brother the sea trout, says The Sydney Post.

River, lake and stream abound with these fish, and, during the months of June and July, fine catches have been taken at the Little and Big Codroy, Crabbe's, Robinson's, Harry's River and along the Upper and Lower Humber. Every fish is a nigger. They run from ten to thirty pounds and once hooked give the angler an hour's thrilling sport before being killed, gaffed and landed.

Annual Visitors

Among the veteran fishermen who visit the colony annually the writer spoke several on the Codroy's and at Robinson's. At Little River acquaintance was renewed with Judge James Morton, of Fall River, Mass., who, with his daughter, Miss Ann, rarely miss a season's outing in Newfoundland. Judge Morton is high liner on Little River, having up to the 4th of July landed a number of fine fish, the heaviest of which tipped the scales at 17½, 12, 18 and 23 pounds respectively.

A. S. Burnham, of Sarvia, Ont., holds the record one-day catch, having landed half a dozen of the splendid beauties at one of the South Branch pools.

Isaac Butterfield, Grand Rapids, Michigan, a tyro at the game of salmon fishing, astonished the residents and seasoned anglers by landing three splendid fish in two consecutive days, during which the veterans scoured the river and did not get a "rise."

Dr. M. W. Striker, president of Hamilton College, Utica, N.Y., Professor Bussey, of the Bussey Institute, Boston, and J. Fred Daggett, of Winthrop, all old timers at the game, seldom came in from the streams without bringing evidence of their prowess.

Capt. and Mrs. James Barron, of Saranac Lake, N.Y., are among the annuals stopping at "Afton Farm." Newcomers on the river this year are: Harrie B. Price and wife, of Philadelphia, with their daughters Marion M., and Katherine. Col. and Mrs. Bird, of Calcutta, India, are also enjoying their first season at Codroy, and are having fair success. Dr. Russell, Washington, D.C., and Geo. B. French, Nashua, N.H., are camping on the Grand River. Both report fine fishing.

Banner Sea Trout

Mrs. Daggett landed the banner sea trout of the year from Widow's Pool, the fish scaling seven pounds.

At Robinson's the writer fell in with Bayne McDougall, Truro; Bun Beckwith, Halifax; Murdock McKenzie and Gil. Crowson, of Sydney; who reported a total catch of thirty-six salmon for two weeks' fishing.

On the way to the Humber, George Hudson, of Sydney, was spoken en route to Harry's Brook. The veteran stated that he had killed upwards of a dozen salmon and hoped to land as many more before breaking camp.

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Halifax, July 24.—The Government steamer Minto which sailed yesterday afternoon from Halifax, carrying aids to navigation which are to mark the channels through the Hudson Straits and that approaching Port Nelson, was the fifth departure from this port for the Hudson Bay this season, the others being, in order of their sailings, the steamers Bonaventure and Acadia, the schooner Burleigh, and the steamer Bellaventure.

Besides her usual crew the Minto carries north a small construction gang for the purpose of erecting a lighthouse at the entrance of the Nelson River. The ship has aboard much of the material for that building. She will proceed direct to Port Nelson and locate her aids in the river, taking up for that purpose about thirty steel buoys. When finished there she will proceed back to Port Berley on Hudson Straits, where she will meet the steamer Aranmore, which will have left Halifax on the first of August with coal for the Minto. After bunkering the Minto will take up the work of putting in aids through the straits, which work will occupy her for the rest of the season, returning to Halifax about the first of October.

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DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

HARD WORK SECRET OF SUCCESS IN MUSIC

Peter's Adventures in Matrimony

By Leona Dalrymple

Author of the new novel, "Diane of the Green" and "The Prize of \$10,000 by Ida M. Tarbell and S. S. McClure as judges."

The truth about "the girl in the case" distinguishes this new series by Miss Dalrymple. Her character studies will not appear unfamiliar to the majority of readers, who will follow the fortunes of "Peter" with interest.

The Literary Bee.

"THINK," said Mary, "that I really should be a secretary. What do you think, Peter?" "You mean write poems?" I queried dubiously. "Not exactly," said Mary vaguely. "Papers and things."

"Sounds a little aimless," said I. "Oh, dear, Peter," exclaimed Mary indignantly. "You never get what I mean immediately. I'm going to join a club."

"Literary," said Mary decidedly. "They have wonderful meetings once a week and papers and discussions and it is truly very instructive. I really feel that it is my duty to know a little more about the literature of the world, don't you, Peter?"

"Well, I can't say I feel the need strongly," I said. "But do as you please, Mary."

What "Pretty" Means. "They had a cycle of meetings that were very interesting," said Mary timidly. "Spring—summer—autumn and winter and read poetical references to the seasons and had appropriate music."

Encyclopedic Essays. "Well, Peter," she confessed, "I don't remember much, and that's a fact. To tell you the truth, I've forgotten most of it. You see, I just copied great chunks out of the encyclopedia, and really it was most convenient, for I don't have to remember it. It's there any time I want to read it."

With the Bark on. The real millionaire can afford to wear artificial gems. But he doesn't want to.

Self-made men are prone to leave out ingredients that their friends would have supplied gratis.



Bertha Shalek

Helen Stanley

"Talent Backed by Will Power Wins," Say Noted Prima Donnas

Bertha Shalek's Advice to Students.
Keep alert and watchful for opportunity. A glorious voice deserves a strong body. Eat simply; drink nothing stronger than pure water. Eat good food. The body must be well nourished. Rich foods are not for the young singer. Get plenty of sleep when you need sleep. Be happy and cheerful and calm. Fringing and worry act directly on the vocal cords. Be willing to see the "other fellow" get ahead. Don't try to make all see things as you do.

Helen Stanley's Singing Creed.
I believe in temperament—but not in temper. Keep the body in harmony to retain your voice. Try always to strike chords in your daily life. I believe in useful thoughts as well as tuneful song. I believe in looking for good in your neighbor. I believe in opportunity only for our own shortcomings. Keep so busy that there is no time for mischief. Do the best you can all the time. Look ahead, not back. Hope instead of regret. Try again and again when you don't succeed.

By ELEANOR AMES

LAZINESS and singing success have nothing in common, according to Helen Stanley and Bertha Shalek, both of whom have won their laurels in the operatic world through hard work and a never-faltering belief in their right to succeed.

other brilliant women who had applied for the position. They felt that she had accomplished so much in running a complex business in a peculiar community and had been so faithful and competent in the face of many discouragements.

Real Stories in Everyday Smells

By Winifred Black

AND now they're all talking about smells. Rudyard Kipling started the talk, when he began to say things about the smell of wood smoke and how it made him feel.

And then how about the smell of wood, just kindling into flame; and don't you love the perfume from burning leaves, early in the spring or late in the fall, out in the garden when the sun's going down and all the world seems to be turning over and giving a sigh of content?

Primitive people are very much like dogs. I've seen an Indian trace a man through the thicket by the smell he left behind him, and negroes can almost always tell which is your hat or your own particular pair of gloves, even if they have never seen either of those particular articles before, just so long as they know you and the peculiar perfume you most elect to fancy.

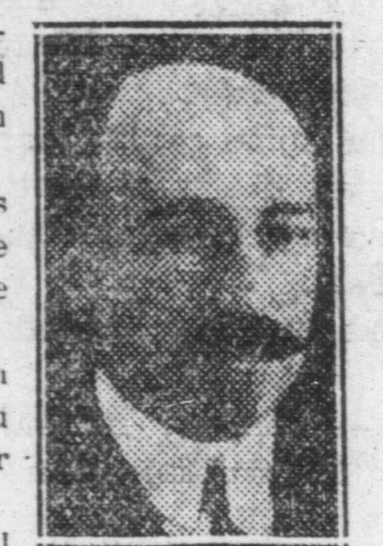
New York? Oh, New York smells—of money. All sorts of money, paper and silver and gold, but always money, always money. Sh—I can fairly hear it—smelling—can't you?

Secrets of Health and Happiness

Overhaul Your Habits If Your Eyelids Puff

By Dr. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG
A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins)

THE schoolboy's copy-book quotation, about the bullfrog who envied the bull and puffed and puffed and puffed himself up until he exploded, has a lesson in it for everybody with puffy eyelids.



Suppose the analogy, which you often see of a garden hose broken and leaky. Over the leak there is tied a piece of linen, a handkerchief, or a rubber balloon. It is tied above and below the leak.

Why Eyelids Puff. What happens? Why, the water which bubbles forth wells into the bandage. It swells and puffs up. Exactly the same thing happens in the eyelids and below the eyes, partly for this reason and partly for others.

The Best Cure. Bright's disease of the kidneys, diabetes or the sugar sickness, pressure in the eyeballs, internal troubles, anemia and other blood disorders, over-exertion, heart infirmities, fat-making ailments and certain brain troubles all contribute at times in causing puffy lids.

Advice to Girls. By Annie Laurie. My mother will object, your father will understand, and your brothers will make it so disagreeable for him that you'll wish you had never heard of him.

Useful Hints for the Housewife. By Ann Marie Lloyd. Here are two recipes for serving fresh strawberries, both of which have stood the test of time.

Answers to Health Questions. STEADY READER—Recommend a safe lotion to promote the growth of eye lashes. Two grains of resorcin in red vaseline; massage gently across the eyebrows exactly in the way they fall—not against the grain.

NEWS OF THE CITY AND THE OUTPORTS.

SAME OLD STORY NORTH AND WEST

Poor Catches and Very Gloomy Prospects—No Improvement Noted

July 25th—From T. McCarthy (Re-novs to Seal Cove)—The total catch is 1040 quintals and for last week 100. Twelve traps, 22 dories, 23 skiffs and 10 boats are fishing. Prospects are very poor.

There was some caplin for bait but no codfish all the week, until Saturday evening when there was a little sign for traps.

Hook and line men are doing nothing.

July 1st—From C. Renouf (Bank Head to Highlands)—The lobster fishery is a blank.

Codfishery prospects are not very good and the total catch is 1427 quintals with 300 for last week. Five traps are in the water and 65 dories fishing.

Herring is obtainable in small quantities for bait.

July 25th—From B. Perry (Catalina, Northern Head to Southern Head)—No bankers or schooners from the grounds have arrived.

There is plenty of caplin bait, but codfishery prospects are very poor.

The fishing with nets was very good the latter part of the week and there was an occasional haul with traps. Seventy-six traps and 42 dories and skiffs are fishing.

The lobster fishery is very poor.

July 25th—From (Fortune to Carmel)—No traps are out but 55 dories and skiffs and 1 boat are fishing.

No bankers have arrived.

The shore fishery continues poor. The total catch is 648 quintals and for last week .5.

Caplin is plentiful.

Only a few lobsters are being caught.

Annual Festival

The annual strawberry festival at Kelligrews will take place on Wednesday next. As the proceeds are in aid of the new parsonage fund there will no doubt be a large attendance.

Was Postponed

The Star-Collegian football match which should have taken place this evening has been postponed until next Friday.

The Feildians and B.I.S. meet today, and the C.E.I. and Stars on Monday.

Prominent Forester Visits The City

Mr. Robert Matheson, the Supreme Treasurer of the Foresters, arrived by the Morwenna this morning on a brief visit to St. John's.

He was met by several prominent members of the Order on his arrival and spent a pleasant morning, making new acquaintances.

This is his first visit to St. John's, but he is favorably impressed, and regrets very much that his arrangements will not permit him remaining longer.

We bid him welcome, and hope that his visit will be profitable to all.

A dinner is being given in his honor at Wood's West End Restaurant to-night.

DICKENS' FILM AT THE NICKEL

Another pleasant evening is in store for Nickel patrons to-day as "Martin Chuzzlewit," the popular work of Charles Dickens will be given.

It is a marvellous story produced atmospherically perfect to the minutest detail. It is in three reels, produced by the Edison Co., featuring Marc MacDermott and Mary Fuller and a strong all star supporting cast. Everyone should make an effort to see this wonderful picture.

"The Yellow Streak" is a pretty social drama such as is popular with St. John's patrons. The charming actress Alice Joyce, and Tom Moore play in this drama.

"The Fortune" is a Vitagraph comedy in which the one and only John Bunny provides the fun.

Beside the foregoing there is a delightful travelogue entitled "Shooting the Rapids at the Paysaujau River, Philippine Islands."

There is another big matinee for children to-morrow afternoon with extra pictures.

Monday will see the great picture, from the pen of Mrs. Otis Skinner, "The Ne'er to Return Road." This film has had wonderful success in America, and it will no doubt meet the approval of citizens.

"CADET" CONTAINS MANY GOOD THINGS

Current Issue of This Magazine a Bright and Breezy One

The editor of the Cadet, Mr. T. J. Foran, has our thanks for an advance copy of the second number of the Cadet, which is now on sale in the city.

It is a very creditable number in every respect. There are a number of well-written articles, several of which are prettily illustrated. The Cadet contains, beside an editorial, the following articles:

Official Presentation of Prizes to C.C.C.; Too Much Dignity, J. T. Steading; Progress, Rev. M. J. Ryan, D.D., Ph.D.; Trains that Run on Nothing; Asquith and the Peers, J. T. Meaney; Panama Canal, M. Duchemin; A Forgotten Heroine, Mrs. A. N. Gosling; James Mac Braire, P. K. Devine; Joseph Chamberlain (The Man and His Work), A.G.G.; The Silent Race, Standish O'Grady; The Home Rule Measure, J. L. Slattery.

The illustrations include Cups won by the C.C.C.; The Reid Sanatorium; F. J. Morris, T. J. Edens, W. D. Reid H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, Hon. E. R. Bowring, His Excellency Sir W. E. Davidson, Rt. Hon. Sir Edward Morris, Capt. V. P. Burke, (C.C.C.), M.A. L.L.D., Rev. M. J. Ryan, D.D., C.C.C. Boat Club Committee, J. T. Meaney, Rt. Hon. H. H. Asquith, late Sir Campbell-Bannerman, O'Connell Monument, Dublin.

Winston S. Churchill, Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, National Bank of Ireland, Dublin, N. M. Duchemin, P. K. Devine, late Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph Chamberlain, J. L. Slattery, Views of Bowring Park; Neville Falls, Shady Nook The Hill Drive, The Glen, Rustic Bridges.

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EFFECT OF SCARE ON BUSINESS

Stock Exchanges Closed and Bank Rates Greatly Increased

The following messages were received by Mr. C. A. C. Bruce to-day. German Bank discount rate has been raised to 5 per cent.

New York bankers conferred last night at Morgan's office.

Official notice of mobilization of Russia's army sent to Germany and Austria. Specific reply to Kaiser's ultimatum not yet received.

Lackawana miners agree to settle differences and avoid coal strike.

London, New York, Boston and Montreal Stock Exchange closed to-day.

Bank of England discount rate advanced to 8 per cent.

The Cadet is now on sale at Byrne's and Atlantic Bookstore, and at Gus Wadden's. Price 10 cents.

Has Been Found

Passengers by this morning's express inform us that Eleazer Noseworthy, of Gumbo, who was reported missing, a few days ago has been found O.K.

He lost his way in the woods, but was none the worse for his experience.

SHIPPING

Portia left Cape Broyle at 11.50 a.m.

Prospero left Exploits at 7.40 a.m. going north.

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Sails To-day

The French warship Friant sails for France this afternoon.

Freedom Arrives

Schr. Freedom, Capt. Herald, arrived from Barbados last evening with a cargo of molasses.

Beothic Due

The S.S. Beothic is due from Sydney this evening with a cargo of coal.

It is reported that a man named Martin, of this city, who broke into the residences of the Minister of Justice, R. A. Squires, and Mr. F. Crane, is being brought back by her.

At Gov't House

The following ladies and gentlemen were entertained by Lady Davidson, at Government House last evening: Lady Langerman, Mrs. Lorimer, Mrs. Garnott, Mrs. Tatton, Miss Tatton, J. A. and Mrs. Paddon, C. McK. and Mrs. Harvey, Hon. R. Watson, Lt.-Com. McDermott, Staff-Paymaster Wyllys, H. C. Thompson, A. Harvey, Capt. Moore, A.D.C.

MARRIAGES

ROWSELL-BUTLER.—Married on July 28th, at Gower Street Church by Rev. J. Nurse, of Topsail, Mr. Sidney Howard Rowsell, of this city to Miss Dorothy Butler, of Manuels.

DEATHS

EARLE.—Passed peacefully away, at Engle, July 18th, Edward Earle, at the age of 85 years. He was born at Juglar's Cove, Bay Roberts and was loved and respected by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn a kind husband and loving father.

WEATHER REPORT

Toronto (noon)—Moderate winds, a few local showers, but mostly fair to-day and on Saturday.

DIFFERENCE FAVOR S THE POST OFFICE

We notice that the Bank rate of exchange has advanced in consequence of the War scare from 4.89 to 4.98. This will seriously handicap trade while it lasts. In the meantime it should be remembered that there is no

change on the rate of Post Office Orders. From say £40 upwards the rate is about 4.91½ as against the Bank rate of 4.98.

The difference may be seen from the following comparison:

£ 40 Bank Rate \$ 199.20.
100 Bank Rate 498.00.
500 Bank Rate 2490.00.
1000 Bank Rate 4980.00.

A considerable saving may thus be effected by remitting by Post Office orders.

Postal Order Rate \$ 196.62
Postal Order Rate 491.55
Postal Order Rate 2457.71
Postal Order Rate 4915.42

der, instead of through the Bank Exchange.

LAUNCHING OF NEW RACER CADET

Attracted a Big Crowd to the Lakeside Yesterday Evening

Under ideal conditions the Cadet, the new racer of the Catholic Cadet Corps was christened and launched.

The launching of race boats is always interesting and certain to be attractive, but never in the history of St. John's has such a ceremony been so largely attended.

Even on a Regatta Day we have seen less people at the lake side than were present last evening.

At 7 o'clock the Cadet was taken from Lawrence Bros. Factory, where she had been constructed by Bob Sexton, and carried by a number of the Reserves under Capt. Clare to the lake side.

Band Attended

The band was in attendance and rendered lively music. Thousands of citizens 'fell in' the procession and by the time the boat was ready for launching fully ten thousand were on the bank.

Chairman Collins, of the Boat Club asked the Hon. John Harris, Hon. Pres. to address the gathering, which he did brief and suitable to the occasion. He referred to the great efforts of the club during the two years of its existence. While there is a certain amount of uncertainty about a new boat, said Hon. Mr. Harris, we have every confidence in her builder, Mr. R. Sexton, and believe that she will have all the success that her friends wish her.

Officiated

Miss Mary Harris, the little daughter of the Hon. President, was then requested to christen her. Miss Harris is a dainty little girl and she performed the ceremony with a grace that reflected creditably. She was not the least excited but although very young in years she is becoming a past master in the art of christening boats, for the Cadet was the second boat she has named within a year, the other being the Mary, called after her, last season.

"I have much pleasure in christening the Cadet, and wishing her every success," said the sweet little voice and then she struck the bottle of champagne with a silver hammer. The bottle would not break, a second and a third was necessary, and then the Cadet supporters cheered their loudest.

Cheers Given

Cheers were also given for the builder, the Boat Club, the Hon. President and his little daughter.

Short speeches were also made by Mr. P. F. Collins and Mr. A. Hiscock, President of the Regatta Committee.

A crew of the C.C.C. then took a spin in her, followed by the tradesmen.

Spectators were delighted with the way she glided through the water, and the opinion prevails that she is Mr. Sexton's best work.

Refreshments were then served at the residence of Mr. W. P. Shortall.

Dinner Held

The members of the club then proceeded to their rooms in the Mechanics Building where, through the kindness of Hon. J. Harris, a 'spread' was prepared.

Speeches were made by Mr. P. F. Collins, Hon. J. Harris, C. J. Ellis, E. Brophy, J. Perez and others, while songs were rendered by Messrs. J. L. Slattery, P. J. Grace, W. Myler, and W. Carroll.

The toasts of the Hon. President, the builder, the band and the Press were honored and a jolly good time was spent by all.

Hon. John Harris made the pleasing announcement that all expenses in connection with the boat have been covered. Her cost, not including oars is \$600.00, she being the most expensive racer yet built. The fact that she could be constructed was largely due to the Hon. Mr. Harris. We wish her every success.

Mr. Maurice M. Devine, who has been in the United States for the past fourteen years, arrived yesterday on the Florizel. Mr. Devine, after going to Uncle Sam's land, engaged in painting as a contractor and now employs eighty to one hundred men. He intends doing some salmon fishing at some of the famous pools and will also take in the Regatta. Mrs. Devine accompanies him.

Sensational Offering!

LADIES' COATS

Owing to a backward season in the Old Country, many manufacturers and wholesalers have been caught with heavy stocks, which they are forced to clear out at a sacrifice.

Our representative being on the spot early, has had his pick of several exceptionally good values, some of which have just arrived.

As a sample we are now offering a small lot of

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUMMER COATS

at Less Than a Third of the original Values.

There are only 50 in the lot, so if you wish to get an early choice, come in TO-DAY.

6 only Navy & Black Serge & Tweed	Values up to \$10.00 for	\$3.00
9 only Navy & Black Fine Serge	Values up to \$12.00 for	3.50
12 only Navy & Black Serge & a few Colored	Values up to \$14.00 for	4.00
17 only Navy & Black Serge & Col'd. Broadcloth	Values up to \$16.00 for	4.50
6 only Black Broadcloth	Values up to \$18.00 for	5.00

SKIRTS—JUST OPENED
Dress Skirts in Tweed, Serge and Venetian
\$1.80 to \$4.00

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CAPITALIST ON THE LABRADOR

James J. Hill Spent a Month on the Coast and Got Some Excellent Salmon Fishing

New London, July 29.—James J. Hill's steam yacht Wacouta has returned to the upper harbor after a month's cruise along the coast of Labrador. The Wacouta winters here and after going in commission started for the River St. John, where her owner had fishing privileges and owns considerable property along that stream. Mr. Hill and his son Louis, with a party of friends, boarded the Wacouta at Montreal, and after spending a fortnight fishing returned to that port and returned to their homes by rail. About 400 salmon were caught and are now in cold storage on board the boat.

CARBAJAL HOLDS AN INVESTIGATION

Into the Finance Affairs of Mexican Republic Under Huerta

Mexico City, July 29.—President Carbaljal has ordered an investigation of the financial methods of the Huerta Government in reply to public rumors of possible wrongdoing. The investigation, it is stated, will be made by high officials of the Ministry of Finance, and if irregularities are found those guilty of them will be punished according to law.

The Government announced to-day

PRINCIPALLY PERSONAL.

An Archbishop's Appeal

Peacemaker-in-Chief to the British Empire might fittingly be adopted by the Archbishop of York as a subsidiary title, in view of his widely published appeal to all parties in the House of Commons to settle the Irish difficulty.

It's a far cry from a humble curacy to his present dignity, but Dr. Cosmo Lang still retains the main simplicity which endeared him to his parishioners at Leeds. About six months after he was appointed to that curacy he ventured to suggest to a lady parishioner that the men at the parochial club ought to be showing signs of thawing. But the woman, who was one of his best friends, exclaimed, "How do you think we can size a chap up in that time?"

When he visited the parish church as a bishop his friend encountered him again. "Nay," she said, "but you preached a better sermon than that when you were but a curate." "That was probably true," admitted Dr. Lang, on the occasion when he told this story.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL—St. George's Field, 6.45 this evening, Feildians vs. B.I.S.

that it will immediately begin negotiations with the American authorities of Vera Cruz to arrange for the re-establishment of the Federal service there under Mexican officials. The Government will also propose the re-establishment of Mexican military authorities at Vera Cruz.

Mystery of a Key

English hostesses fresh from Covent Garden opera who may be thinking of lionizing Caruso, will do well to ponder the following little story I have come across about the famous tenor's last visit to Germany.

The scene is said to have taken place in the drawing-room of a well-known Berlin society woman much given to entertaining artist lions with the idea of coaxing them to roarsomefully of course.

Caruso let into the secret beforehand, accepted her invitation, and, unseen by anyone, closed and locked the piano and slipped the key into his pocket. The inevitable happened. She asked Caruso to sing—he was delighted to oblige. The hostess motioned to a lady to come forward and accompany the singer, and tried to open the piano.

"The key was nowhere to be found. 'Send for a locksmith,' said Caruso, 'and break open the piano.'"

"She vetoed this course and apologized to everyone, including Caruso, for the mysterious mishap.

As he left the house Caruso quietly dropped the key on the table of the reception room.

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Mr. S. Goss, brother of Capt. Goss, who has been residing in the States for many years, arrived by the Florizel on a holiday.

Joe Murray of Westville, Conn., is the proud possessor of a freak cat which is attracting attention for miles around. The cat has two noses, two mouths and three eyes. Both mouths have to be fed, but Murray says he will keep the cat.

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