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H. M. WOOD, Secretary

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WOLFVILLE DIVISION No. 2, meets every Monday evening in their hall at 8 o'clock.

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Our sailor sons are on the sea,
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To keep our British Empire free,
And man the guns, and man the guns.
Chorus:
March, march, marching out to War,
Out from the village and the town,
For the country that we love,
And the dear old flag above,
To fight for our old Queen,
Left—Right! Now we're out to fight,
God give the battle to the Right,
"God save the King" with all our might,
"God save the King" that never comes down.

Ambition.

Everybody has ambition of some kind or other, and is vexed when that ambition is disappointed—the difference is that the ambition of silly people is a silly and mistaken ambition; and the ambition of people of sense is a right and commendable one. The ambition of a silly young man would be to have fine clothes, and money to throw away in idle follies; which would be of little use to him, but only of folly in his parents, in dressing him out like a peacock and giving him money to play the fool with. The ambition of a silly fellow is to have a fine equipage, a fine house, things which anybody that has as much money may have as well as he. They are all to be bought. But the ambition of a man of sense and honor is to be distinguished by a character and a reputation of knowledge, truth and virtue—things which are not to be bought, and that can only be acquired by a good head and good heart.

Green Feed for Cows in Winter.

One of the great difficulties in keeping cows upon flow of milk in the winter is lack of succulent feed. Turps are excellent, but it is difficult to raise and store enough to feed a large herd all winter.

At the Nova Scotia Agricultural College they have been conducting some very interesting experiments along this line, and believe they have struck upon a village that comes up to the requirements of the Nova Scotia farmer. In this Province the silo has never made much headway, on account of the uncertainty of the corn crop. At the farm they are feeding their fine herd this winter with excellent results on an oats, peas and vetch silage. Here is the story of the crop:

The seed was put in the ground early in May, and the crop was harvested in August. It was cut when the oats were just beginning to come into the dough stage and yielded over eleven tons per acre. It contained 26 per cent of dry matter when put into the silo, and thus furnished 5720 pounds of dry matter per acre, equal to the amount to be found in a little less than 3 1/2 tons of good hay. Further, this feed contains a higher percentage of protein than ordinary mixed hay and comes out of the silo in a succulent, palatable condition much relished by the cows.

It is believed by those at the College Farm directing these experiments that the find is one of inestimable value to the farmers of the Province, and one that should particularly engage their attention. It is pointed out that the oats, peas and vetch are all hardy plants and well suited to Nova Scotia, growth and offering in yield a crop highly profitable.

This interesting and important phase of the farming, which especially appeals to Nova Scotia, will be one of the subjects thoroughly discussed at the Short Course to be held at the College in Truro from Jan 5th to 15th. It is anticipated that the coming Short Course will excel in interest those previously held.

These courses are absolutely free, no tuition of any kind. Full particulars can be obtained by dropping a postal to Principal Cumming, Agricultural College, Truro, N. S.

Take One Tonight

If you feel bilious, "headachy" and irritable for that's a sign your liver is out of order. Your food is not digested, it stays in the stomach a sour, fermented mass, poisoning the system. Just take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets—they make the liver do its work—they cleanse and purify the stomach and tone the whole digestive system. You feel fine the morning. At all druggists, or by mail from Chamberlain Medicine Company, Toronto 15

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Every Man's Duty.

Self protection is the principle of public defence in British communities. John Bull has always been his own champion as well as the champion of his dependancies, and of weak neighbors. He has never sunk into dependence upon mercenary troops, nor has his prowess ever shrunk into any single streak of his nature. Whenever the State was threatened from without, its whole manhood rallied to its defence. All classes were animated by the same spirit of loyalty to the nation. If Britons never paid the avowment of "Miles leads to guard them from danger, neither did any class of British people ever throw upon any other classes the whole task of public defence. The humblest citizen as well as the proudest aristocrat were of one mind and of one spirit in the hour of Britain's danger.

And so it is to day. The men who form the British army that is now fighting in Flanders are from all classes of British society, and the men who are recruiting the army so rapidly at home are likewise representative of the common citizenship. The simple, manly youth of lowly lot and the simple, manly youth of high lineage, finished education and brilliant prospects go to the service of their country with the same sense of duty and with the same noble feeling that whatever may befall them on the field of battle, their country's honor and greatness must be sustained there. The great body of the gallant fellows whose families are being placed at the service of the State are men who in times of peace are not deeply cogitating upon public affairs, they are young fellows to whom life is dear, who enjoy it to the full, but when it comes to facing the common danger they are the true lion's cubs. In the hearts of these little experienced, tender-faced lads there is the spirit that has kept Britain great throughout the ages.

The men of the dominions are of like spirit. When fighting is to be done for the common defence, their part of it will be done in their own persons. They will not leave it all to the soldiers of other States in the rear, nor coming forward to fill the ranks of new expeditions bound for the field of war. They are doing their own thinking. They are not being urged on by recruiting sergeants, or by public influences of any kind. They are going of their own volition and under no illusion. They know the danger. They are consecrating themselves to the service of the Empire.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Length of the War.

All sorts of periods have been set by prophets in foretelling the length of the war, from three months to three years, but it is worthy of notice that the most competent observers agree that the war will be a lengthy one. A note of optimism is prevalent in France and Russia that their efforts will be crowned with success when the winter finally sets in. Critics on the German and Austrian side give 1916 as the limit with successes for their arms. The Swiss view likens Germany to a salmon netted, exhausted, itself in saving efforts to escape the inexorable closing meshes. The London Standard says:

"The foolish talk of the war being practically ended and the Germans already hopelessly beaten is unworthy of brave and intelligent people, and should be severely discounted. Germany is still (unfortunately for the world) possessed of the most formidable war machine that has ever existed."

The London Daily Chronicle publishes an interesting article by an American, long domiciled in Germany, who says:

"I have every reason to believe that the supply of gunpowder is causing the general staff the gravest anxiety. They lack the saltpetre and nitrates necessary for its manufacture. I do not mean to imply that there are not still immense reserves of ammunition in Germany, but for this reason alone they will be unable to carry on the war after next June. I am sure that the most vital considerations of this struggle are Germany's lack of copper and gunpowder."

The Finishing Touch.

A Christmas gift is not really finished until it is wrapped, for really the festive wrapping means much to the success of the gift. The first impression comes from the wrapping, and the first impression goes a long way.

The shops are full of attractive boxes, decorated with Santa Clauses, holly, mistletoe, Christmas bells and other emblems of the happy season. These can be used to hold Christmas gifts of almost any kind, from handkerchiefs to umbrellas. Then there are the festive cards, inscribed with fitting sentiments and embellished with fitting emblems, that go in the box to bear the name of the sender and the receiver. Next come layers of tissue paper, tied daintily with ribbon—holly covered, red and green striped or tinsel ribbon. Instead of the tissue paper heavier paper decorated with holly can be used. It is a pretty custom to tuck a sprig of holly or mistletoe somewhere under the ribbon that wraps the package or tie the Christmas seals can be used to help hold the paper in place or to keep the ribbon from slipping.

After all the wrapping described, there remains nothing but a safe out side box or paper. If the package is to go through the mail or express service, this outside wrapping must be clearly marked with your own name and the name of the person to whom the gift is sent. And it must be tightly tied with string, not ribbon. But it, too, can carry a bit of Christmas spirit with it, for it can be thickly pasted with Christmas seals of various sorts, and it can bear on its face one of the little posters that warn the recipient not to open until Christmas.

A good story is going the rounds with reference to the habit of sending mail parcels. One of these ill-mannered people called on the British War Office the other day, and in the course of an interview with the war minister inquired—"What do you think, Kitcheener?" Lord Kitcheener assumed a sardonic smile and blandly remarked "Don't be so beastly formal. Call me Herbert."

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Christmas Cooking.

In buying your Christmas supplies be sure the fruit you get is fresh; that the flour is dry, the bread crumbs from a loaf at least three days old, and especially see that the suet is fresh and sweet. Above all, be sure the eggs you use are fresh. Better an eggless pudding or cake than one permeated by the flavor of an egg that is not fresh.

In making cake, accuracy in proportioning the ingredients, good flour, fresh eggs (the yolks and whites should be beaten separately—the yolks in a thick cream, the whites in a stiff froth) are necessary. Sift the flour well and mix it thoroughly with the cream of tartar or baking powder, rub the sugar and then sift it. Butter must be placed where it will become moderately soft, but it is not to melt. A cake will become spongy and heavy when made with butter which has melted. Spices should be ground or powdered; raisins and other fruit carefully looked over and prepared. Currants especially should be carefully examined so that no pieces of grit or fine sand be left among them. These should be thoroughly dried, as the cake will become heavy if they are added when damp. Much of the success of cake making depends on the way the ingredients are mixed.

Hardwood Floors.

Hardwood floors are exceedingly popular because of their beauty and sanitary qualities. Many fine floors have been spoiled because of improper finishing. The following method has stood the test of time. After the floor is sanded and thoroughly scraped and sanded, do not allow walking on it as it raises the grain of the wood. Apply at once a good liquid floor filler tinted just enough to take away the raw look of the wood. Floors darken with time and show the dust when they are dark, so finish as light as possible. Allow to dry twenty-four hours. Sandpaper lightly with a fine sandpaper.

Go over the entire surface with a soft cloth to remove the dusty surface, then oil with boiled oil, applying with a paint brush. The oil feeds the filler and prevents it chipping out of the grain of the wood. Allow to dry.

Next give a heavy coat of guaranteed hot water resisting varnish, spreading evenly. Allow this to stand twenty-four hours. The varnish will hold the filler in place and protect the wood so that stains will not penetrate.

The quality of varnish used may be high grade so that snow, umbrella drippings, etc., will leave no mark and the color will be elastic to resist heel marks.

When the varnish is set, sandpaper again with fine sandpaper and wax with a good floor wax, using a weighted brush. Re-wax once a month.

The surface will last twenty years and is free from many of the objections urged against hardwood floors.

An Alphabet.

A was an Allemand who went out to slay,
B the brave Belgian that stood in his way,
C was the culture he thought to im-
D were the duffers he led by the nose,
E was the eagle turned into a vulture,
F was the fruit of that sort of culture,
G were the Germans, once men of good fame,
H were the Huns which they quickly became,
I the Imperial bully and boss,
J is John Bull who gave him a toss,
K is the Kaiser whose rage knows no bound,
L poor Louvain, which he made to the ground,
M stands for many a braggart bad man,
N stands for Nietzsche a wicked mad-man,
O the old prig who put darkness for light,
P the professors who teach black in white,
Q is the question, "What is your them to do it?"
R is the road by which they will rue it,
S is the Superman, haughty and high,
T stands for Treitschke who taught him to lie,
U were the Ullans 'mid heaps of the slain,
V were the victims who pleaded in vain,
W the war-lord, he croak in the air,
X is the exit, carnation and bare,
Y the poor youths he beguiled to their fall,
Z stands forever the end of it all.

Friend—When you delivered your lecture on Browning in that little Western town, you said you were going to last summer, did the audience seem to follow you?
Lecturer—Oh, yes, they rose as one man and followed me to the nearest freight train.

Misard's Liment Cures Gargat in Cows.

To a False Patriot.

He came obedient to the Call;
He might have shirked like hail his mates,
Who, while their comrades fight and fall,
Still go to swell the football gates
And you, a patriot in your prime,
You wear a flag above his head,
And hoped he'd have a high old time,
And slapped him on the back and said:
"You'll show 'em what we British
Give us your hand, old boy, to shake,
And took him round from bar to bar,
And made him drunk—for Eng-
land's sake.
That's how you helped him. Yesterday,
Clear eyed and earnest, keen and hard,
He held him off the soldier's way—
And now they've got him under guard,
That's doesn't hurt you; you're all right;
Your easy conscience takes no blame;
But he, poor boy, with morning's light,
He casts his heart out, sick with shame.

What's that to you? You understand
Nothing of all his bitter pain;
You have no regiment to brand,
You have no uniform to stain.
No vows of service to abuse,
No pledges to King and country dear,
But he had something dear to lose,
And he has lost it—thanks to you.
—Sir Owen Seaman, in Punch

A Word of Gratitude.

"In justice to humanity I want to tell you that I was a great sufferer from itching piles and have found Dr. Chase's Ointment the best treatment obtainable," writes Mrs. Fred Hines, Brodhagen, Ont. "It gives instant relief and I can recommend it to any sufferer from this dreadful disease."

The truth about the war is gradually permeating Germany. The authorities are taking drastic measures to prevent the truth from penetrating to the people. At Munich, General von der Tann, has issued the following decree in order to suppress the alarming reports which are recurring with ever increasing persistence: "I decree that anyone who spreads reports of a nature likely to alarm the population shall be punished with one year's imprisonment."

An exchange makes the following pertinent comment: A farmer who was carrying an express package from a city mail order house, was accosted by a local merchant: "Why didn't you buy that bill of goods from me? I could have saved you the express and besides you would have been patronizing a home store, which helps pay the taxes and build up the locality." With characteristic frankness the farmer asked: "Why didn't you patronize your home paper and advertise? I read it and I didn't know you had the goods I have here, nor did I ever see your name in the paper inviting me to come to your store."

Nothing Like It for Colds.

Mrs. Holland Ferguson, Sheffield, N. B., writes: "Dr. Chase's Eucalypti and Turpentine has cured my children and myself of severe colds. We are never without it in the house. There is nothing like it for colds and throat trouble, and it is so soothing and pleasant to take, my children would drink a whole bottle if they were permitted."

A little girl about six years old told about in Harper's was visiting friends, and during the course of the conversation one of them remarked: "I hear you have a little sister."

"Yes," answered the little girl, "just two weeks old."

"Did you want it to be a little girl?" asked the friend.

"No, I wanted it to be a boy, but it came while I was at school."

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Constipation of the bowels is undoubtedly the greatest source of disease and suffering. By using one of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills at bedtime as often as necessary to keep the bowels regular you can cure constipation and the consequent indigestion, and relieve the cause of backache, rheumatism and other painful diseases.

"Daily movement of the bowels" is the greatest law of health. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will help you to form this habit, add to your years, and bring comfort in old age.

Professor A. T. Smith, 1 Mt. Charles street, Montreal, and formerly of Boston, Mass., writes: "I suffered for many years from bad digestion, constipation and horrible backaches. I have been treated by many doctors, without any result. One day a friend in Boston advised the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. After using two boxes I noticed great improvement, and after the fourth box I was completely cured. My digestion is good, I never feel any pain in the back, my head is clear, and I feel like a young man. I think Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are one of the best medicines on earth."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

No Increase in Price

Royal Baking Powder, made of pure Cream of Tartar and soda, the greatest bake day aid to the housewife, has not advanced in price, notwithstanding the shortage of the raw materials from which it is produced.

Give Him a Chance.
"One of the unfortunate facts of life is that the world in general regards business principles as something entirely different from the code of morals which govern the other relations of human beings—a code into which love and charity freely enter. It took a ragged little newspaper boy to prove, the other day, that certain old-fashioned Biblical precepts are not out of place in the practical working world. A newspaper tells the story:
A gentleman hurrying down town, stopped for a paper.
"Can't let you have one," said the boy.
"Why not? I heard you crying them."
"Yes, but that was down the other blocks where I hollered."
"What does that matter? Come, I'm in a hurry; no fooling."
"Couldn't sell you a paper on this block, mister, 'cause it belongs to

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 18, 1914.

Editorial Briefings.

There will be no Christmas truce in the war zone. The peace for which the world longs can only be brought nearer by the destruction of German militarism.

The Manitoba government is the latest to fall in line in the world wide movement to curtail the drinking of intoxicants in time of stress and strain.

The Victoria Cross has been conferred on Drummer Spence John Bont Ask, of the Lancashire Regiment, who, near Legeer, after his officer, a platoon sergeant and section commander, was struck down, took command and succeeded in holding the position.

The following letter has been received in Liverpool from a nurse in a French hospital by the widow of a private in the 1st Scots Guards fatally wounded at Ypres.

A Montreal paper tells of a valuable social centre work that is being carried out there with one of the school buildings as a centre.

Evelyn Starr's Recital.

A delightful young violinist, Evelyn Starr, came down to New York from Canada (Nova Scotia) last week and gave a recital on her chosen instrument at Aeolian Hall, on the evening of Tuesday, November 24th.

Although we're 'cross and contrary' boys, There is never a one will handle a gun As well as the gallant Tipperary boys.

Canada in her history is indebted to one of the sons of Tipperary. The late General Sir William Francis Butler, as Captain Butler, offered his services to Colonel Wolsley in 1870, at the outbreak of the Riel rebellion.

Miss Starr is too young yet to have 'arrived' entirely. But she possesses already a well grounded technique, which includes delicate and facile finger work and is at the same time sure and firm, good intonation, admirable bowing and a marked degree of feeling.

Tipperary.

Some time ago a writer was deploring the fact that the war had called out no great song nor march, but that the troops were going into battle to the tune of a rag time melody.

The annual report of the Bank of Montreal, submitted at the meeting of stockholders held last week, contains the following:

The demand and prices for lumber declined during the early part of the year, but the foreign trade is improving with a resultant upward tendency in prices.

The fishing industry has been less satisfactory. The catch shows a reduction and lower prices prevail.

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OUR GOOD SHIP THE "SANTA CLAUS" HAS ARRIVED.

We have a large assortment of Xmas goods unloading and our prices are right. Only 5 more shopping days. Every day of the 5 will be Bargain Day with us.

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Maritime Provinces: The annual report of the Bank of Montreal, submitted at the meeting of stockholders held last week, contains the following: Though the Maritime Provinces are not enjoying the same measure of prosperity as a year ago, economic conditions may be summed up as being fairly healthy, and surprisingly good as compared with those of the world over.

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Wools! Wools! All our wools were bought before the advance and are sold at old prices. Berlins, Zephyrs, Beehive, White Heather, all shades. Slipper Soles.

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This popular place for Toys will be opened SATURDAY THE 12th Complete assortment of Toys, Games, Books, Rocking Horses, Dolls Carriages, Christmas Tree Ornaments and Decorations and everything that makes Xmas.

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ANY DYSPEPTIC CAN GET WELL

By Taking "Fruit-a-lives" Says Capt. Swan

Life is very miserable to those who suffer with indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach and biliousness. This letter from Captain Swan (one of the best known skippers on the Great Lakes) tells how to get quick relief from stomach trouble.

PORT HURON, Ont., May 28, 1913.

"A man has a poor chance of living and enjoying life when he cannot eat. That was what was wrong with me. Loss of appetite and indigestion was brought on by constipation. I had had trouble with these diseases for years. I lost a great deal of flesh and suffered constantly. For the last couple of years, I have taken "Fruit-a-lives" and have been so pleased with the results that I have recommended them on many occasions to friends and acquaintances. I am sure that "Fruit-a-lives" has helped me greatly. By following the diet rules and taking "Fruit-a-lives" according to directions any person with dyspepsia will get benefit."

H. SWAN

"Fruit-a-lives" are sold by all dealers at 50c. a box of 12, or trial size 25c. or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

White Ribbon News.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union first organized in 1874.

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3rd.—A knot of White Ribbon.

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 - U. B. Bulletin—Mrs. Louville.
 - Prize Work—Miss Margaret Barr.
 - Parlor Meetings—Mrs. J. Kaye.
 - L. T. L.—Mrs. Howe.

A Song for Women.

We cannot go with the fighting line,
Or help to fire a gun,
Or do deeds that will ever shine,
Till the nation's life is run.

But we can help with a courage high
To bid our men good cheer,
With a stirring word instead of a sigh
And a smile instead of a tear.

CHORUS:

With never a sigh or aching heart,
With courage in our face,
We will do our work and take our part
For the glory of the race.

For men, the march and the roll of drums,
And the battle's fiery breath,
And the mighty chance that with them comes
Of glory—or of death.

For women, the spirit that sends them there
With a courage twice their own,
The pride that never knows despair,
And a faith that knows no moan.

The men can follow where Nelson led,
And Wellington and Drake,
And the brave unnamed in ages dead
Who fought for their country's sake.

We women of England, too, shall aid
A page to history,
For we give our dear ones—and are glad
For the cause of liberty.

—Elizabeth Baker, in London Telegraph.

Fulfillment of Life.

We live in deeds, not years; in thoughts, not breaths; in feeling, not in figures on a dial; we should count time by heartbeats. He most lives who thinks most, feels the noblest, acts the best. Life's but a means unto an end; that end—Beginning, middle, an end to all things—God.

—Philip James Bailey.

Liquor Trade Standers

Last week an exchange had the paragraph which is quoted below, under the heading:

"Kitchener Gives Rum."

"Every man on the battle line will fight on a full stomach," said Lord Kitchener at the outbreak of hostilities with the Germans, and the publication of Tommy's menu shows plainly that England's war minister has made good his word. Every soldier is allowed a pound and a half of bacon and beef per day, and a half of bread with cheese or jam; two

Strength Past Fifty Years

can be maintained by adopting the right method, and Nature's own oil—**Scott's Emulsion**—has strengthened thousands of men and women to continue their work and usefulness for many years.

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OBJECTIVE OF ENEMY

License For Explosives Factory Opposed by Admiralty and Refused

Nobel's Explosives Company, Ltd. failed at Sittingbourne, England, to get an explosives factory at Harry Isle. Evidence in support of the application was given by Sir Frederick Nathan, formerly of the Army, as Brigadier-General Stone.

On the other side, Major-General Maxwell, General Officer Commanding the East Coast Defences, on behalf of the Admiralty, said if an explosives factory were established on the proposed site it would form an objective for an enemy, who, if successful in securing a landing there, would be able to take the defence of Sheerness in the rear.

Captain Schwann, assistant director of the Air Department of the Admiralty, said an explosives factory there would hamper the operations of the Instructional Flying school at Eastchurch.

The chairman of the Bench announced, after a private consultation, that they could not disregard the evidence of General Maxwell. The objection of the Admiralty must be upheld, and the license refused.

WEATHER PROPHETS VERY UNRELIABLE

That is, the Unscientific Forecasters Who Base Their Guesses on Mere Superstition

There is no other subject around which such a mass of signs and superstitions has arisen than the weather. In spite of the repeated assertions of the most careful scientists, people will probably go on to the end of time taking of "wet" moons and "dry" moons and looking for weather changes with the varying phases of the moon. Most meteorologists are inclined to say that the moon can have no effect whatever in the making of weather changes, while some will suggest that the only possible influence it can have upon the atmosphere is similar to the tidal effect upon the ocean waters, but that even this must be so slight as to be insignificant.

Another favorite superstition is that of the equinoctial gales. Careful calculations made by the observatory at Toronto, based on the analysis of gales in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces covering a period of forty years, lead them to the conclusion that there is no marked increase in storm energy about the time of the equinox, and that a term of any other kind of days in any part of the month of March or September would give quite as many gales occurring, whether moderate or heavy, as the months of June and July.

There are millions of people who cling faithfully to the belief that it rains on the 15th of July—July 15th—it will rain for forty consecutive days thereafter, and that in spite of the incontrovertible scientific fact recorded by the Greenwich Observatory for twenty years that not once did it rain for forty days.

On such things as these superstitions is our belief that a certain cold day is the "coldest ever"; and that when it gets really warm, "it never was so hot before." It is of interest to note the information on this point in an article on "Meteorology in Canada" as reported from the Journal of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

"In order to gather information as to whether any attraction was paid to Meteorology and Climatology in the early days of Canadian history, the 'Edinburgh Gazette' of the 15th of July, 1874, was carefully gone over, and all references to climate phenomena have been copied and arranged under various headings, such as: winter, summer, drought and other phenomena; and from these notes it has been possible to draw conclusions as to the general character of the seasons in Canada during the 17th and 18th centuries. . . . and a study of the notes leads to the conclusion that the only valuable information to be gathered from this source is that this climate then was just about the same as it is now."

LORD MA OR'S FIRST GOLF

London's Lord Mayor, Sir Thomas Vanillart Bowater, opened a new golf course at Shirley Park and suddenly found himself under the necessity of making his first essay at golf before a critical crowd.

Sir Thomas had never used a club in his life, and when Tom Crapp, the professional, put one in his hand and told him how to strike the innocent-looking ball the Lord Mayor looked with perplexity at the flag on the green 400 yards away. However, he buttoned up his coat and said he would do it.

Then he struck wildly at the little ball, actually hit it, and it drove hard into an unhappy spectator.

The ball rebounded into the rough and was not found for a few minutes. Then it was handed to the preparing Lord Mayor in a silver frame as a souvenir.

LORE OF THE SEA

Drastic Rules Which Portuguese Sailors Once Observed

Some remarkable advice to seafarers is given in an old Portuguese book, published for the guidance of mariners. Amongst other things, it deals with the rights of captains to assault sailors, and the methods in which the attacks are to be legally met.

The sailor is advised to bear calmly any verbal abuse that an irate skipper may hurl at him, but if he is passed to blows he was to run away into the bows and firmly take his stand beside the anchor chain.

Should an infuriated master, armed with a belaying pin or other lethal weapon, chase him to his stateroom, the master was to slip around to the farther side of the chain—should he still be pursued, he was to call his messmates to witness that the master had broken the rules by circumventing the chain.

Then, at last, he was to defend himself. Other little matters of discipline are set out, and to forfeit all property if he made a wrong entry in the ship's book, or connived at such an entry.

A seaman who fell asleep on his watch was only put on a diet of bread and water, unless the offence was repeated, in which case he was to be stripped naked, flogged by his messmates, and ducked thrice in the sea.

If he were an officer, however, he would only lose all food except his bread, and have a pall of water hung over him from the head downwards.



MME. LEONIE REBOUX

Mme. Leonie Reboux is the most beautiful woman in Paris, according to her husband, Paul Reboux, noted playwright. Other judges of womanly beauty are inclined to agree with him, in fact, several French artists have declared that her loveliness is unrivalled.

Fraud on Undertakers

A man, who represented that his wife had just died, called at the offices of two firms of undertakers in Bayham to make arrangements for the funeral. In each instance a parcel was made up for him with the usual grave clothes required on such occasions. The man made requests for a loan of money to enable him to carry out other arrangements pending payment of the insurance. This request was refused, but the order for the interment was taken as bona-fide, and in one instance the undertaker's bill at the address given caused a good deal of annoyance. The parcels containing the grave clothes had been deposited at the doors of houses in different parts of the town, and the finders were annoyed at what they looked upon as a gruesome practical joke.

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