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Panama Hats Only a Few Left SELLING AT COST TO CLEAR All Straw Goods Below Cost Secure One This Week ANDERSON & CO., 55 Charlotte Street.

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NEW ZEALAND'S CORDIAL FAREWELL TO U. S. FLEET.



SASKATCHEWAN RETURNS ARE STILL VERY INCOMPLETE

TORONTO, Aug. 15.—That Premier Scott has a majority in the new House is certain even the Conservative papers concede that. The Globe gives the figures as Liberal 25, Conservatives 15, the Mail and Empire says Liberals 20, Conservative 15, doubtful 4.

SIX DEAD ON SCHOOLSHIP.

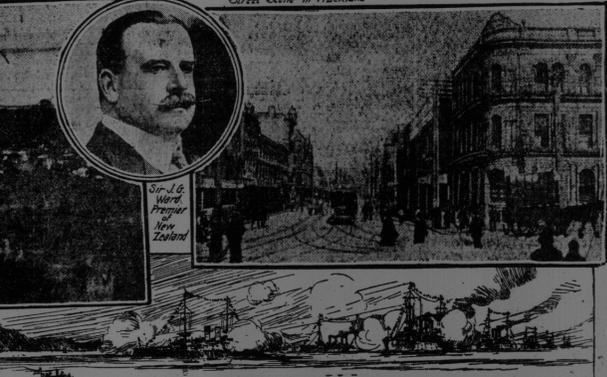
TOLSON, Aug. 15.—Six students of the French Artillery School were killed today and eighteen were hurt by the explosion of a shell on the gunnery schoolship Couronne.

FOUND THIRD WIFE POLICE DECLARE

WINDSOR, Ont., Aug. 15.—Additional evidence against George Ferguson, who was arrested on the charge of bigamy, leads the police to believe that he has a decided weakness for matrimony.

ONE MAN KILLED.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 14.—One man was killed and several injured today when an engine and three cars of a freight train bound from New Haven for Bridgeport, over the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, left the rails at Nausetuck Junction and toppled into a ditch, the locomotive turning on its side. The conductor was caught under the cab and practically cut in two. The engineer was also badly injured.



NEW ZEALAND RECEIVES THE FLEET

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Aug. 15.—The sight when the United States battleship fleet left their anchorage here today was a magnificent one, the flagship Connecticut tumbling and steaming between the lines of battleships which tamed an ocean and followed it to sea.

LARGE LEAKAGE IN GOLD MINES OF RAND

DURBAN, Aug. 15.—There is every reason to suppose that disclosure is imminent of a gigantic conspiracy to rob the Rand gold mines of enormous sums annually.

1909 THE YEAR FOR WELLMAN?

LONDON, Aug. 15.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Tromsø, Norway, says that Walter Wellman apparently will renew his attempt to reach the North Pole in an airship next year.

HIS MEN AT SPITZBERGEN GET ORDERS TO SLAY ANOTHER WINTER.

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NEW VEGETABLES MAKE MARKET ATTRACTIVE

The city market is looking very attractive now with plentiful supplies of new vegetables piled up in all the stalls. The season for field grown products has been somewhat earlier this year than usual.

TWO WHITE MEN SHOT, UNKNOWN NEGRO LYNCHED IN SPRINGFIELD RIOTS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 15.—Two white men were killed, an unknown negro was lynched, more than half a hundred persons were injured, and two scores of houses, mostly occupied by negroes, were burned last night as the result of an attempt to lynch a negro who had assaulted a white woman.

BEST YEAR FOR FRUIT MEN

ST. CATHARINES, Aug. 15.—There seems to be a feeling of satisfaction among the local fruit-growers connected with the St. Catharines Cold Storage and Forwarding Company that this will be the best year in the company's history.

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COAL, American and Scotch Anthracite in all sizes. Old Mines Sydney and Reserve Soft Coals delivered in bags or in bulk. R. P. & W. F. STARR, Limited. 40 SMYTHE ST. 14 CHARLOTTE ST. Telephone 9-115.

LOCAL NEWS

Sale of trimmed hats, \$1.00 each, at Mrs. Brown's, 11 Brunson St. Get the habit of having your clothes cleaned and pressed at McFarland's, 75 Prince Street, Charlottetown. Phone 141-11.

HAS RETURNED FROM ST. LOUIS CONVENTION

Knights of Columbus Had Fine Time. State Deputy W. J. Mahoney of the Knights of Columbus, is home after attending the annual convention of the order at St. Louis, Missouri. Mr. Mahoney was the representative for the Maritime Provinces. Other Canadian representatives were Joseph Mever and Edward Walsh for Quebec; Daniel O'Connell and J. Chasolm for Ontario; Territorial Deputy Byrne for British Columbia. There were in all about 10,000 Knights at the convention.

THE WANDERING KNIGHT OF THE KEY; ROWING SPRIT

The telegraph operator is a wanderer by nature and by practice. Ask any man you see pounding a telegraph key in New York if he is a native New Yorker and nine times out of ten the answer will be that he isn't. That he was born in Kalamazoo or Seattle or Sioux City or some other place equally remote, says a writer in the New York Sun. There is usually a good demand for expert operators and the man who will give up a job in one city cheerfully and move on to another feeling pretty certain that he'll land on his feet in the United States and Canada too in the thousands of men in New York city who work for the Western Union or the Postal Telegraph Company, for brokers, for newspapers and for press associations, and who will find on inquiry that they have gridded the United States and Canada too in their wanderings. Ask them why they are such a roving lot and they will tell you they like to travel, that it's in their blood.

TIED TO A BUOY FOR THREE DAYS

Awful Experience of 3 Fishermen LAUNCH BROKE DOWN. They Clung to Buoy in Fierce Gale Until They Were Rescued. SYDNEY, Aug. 14.—Tied to a buoy off the mouth of the harbor for two days with a fierce gale blowing and expecting to meet death at any moment, three fishermen whose motor launch had broken down were rescued by the government steamer Lady Louisa today. When their engine failed, a gale blowing and the motor boat drifting on the rocks, the fishermen, who were in the launch, made the gale mill recede. Time after time it seemed as if the frail craft would fill and go to the bottom and the men were kept busy bailing for their lives.

Parlor Suites

We have a pretty assortment of fall parlor suites. These suites are made on our own premises and will last a life time. Parlor Suites from \$22.00 up to \$100.00. Fancy odd pieces for parlor; Couches, lounges, easy chairs, bed-lounges, at bargains. Amland Bros., Ltd. Furniture and Carpet Dealers, 19 Waterloo Street.

AMUSEMENTS

ONE LONG LAUGH Humanovo Co. in THE Book Agent. Join The Merry Throng of Nickel-goes Today. RUNAWAY CART—A humping, jumping and thumping comedy. FATHER'S FAULT—A social drama of an entirely new type. EMMA FELIX MADE A HIT YESTERDAY in "Roses, Roses Everywhere". JACK GURNEY in "SAME OLD PAL". ORCHESTRA.

PRINCESS THEATRE

MADAME DEMBY—The most high class vocalist in the Eastern Provinces. MORRIS SMITH—A black-faced Comedian with an up-to-date specialty. HARRY NEWCOMBE, in latest illustrated songs. NEW PICTURES: Too Old To Work—A pathetic drama. Too Obliging—Very funny. How Jones Gets Rid of Ma-in-law—Comedy. Superfluous Hair Remover—A film of fun.

LONGEST PROGRAMME IN THE CITY

UNIQUE THEATRE TO-DAY. THE LITTLE MAD-CAP. Or Oh! Splash! One continuous hearty laugh. THE TRAGEDIAN. An original comedy. BROODLE TURN THIEF. Comedy. THE AFFAIR OF THE SELECT HOTEL. Comedy. NEW SONGS: When Mandy Said Good-bye, by Miss Outous. Should We Part, by Mr. W. S. Harrison.

Opera House

FRIDAY and SATURDAY Aug. 14 and 15. That Charming Play Miss Petticoats. By a Splendid Company of Artists. Popular Prices. Seats now on sale. Blueberry Excursion and Picnic AT WELSFORD ON SATURDAY, AUG. 22, 1906. "The Annual Outing". City Cornet Band will provide music. The programme includes dancing, archery, shooting gallery, etc., etc. Tickets: Adults, 70c; children, 50c. Trains leave St. John at 9:25 a. m., 1:15 and 5:05 p. m., returning at 9 and 10:30. 15-3-4.

BIJOU THEATRE

Still They Come. More good pictures to please the ever changing picture-loving public. 5-TO-DAY-5 THE SQUAWMAN'S DAUGHTER THE MAD MUSICIAN THE MACHETIZED MAN MAY AND DECEMBER DREAM OF A PEARL FISHER. — SONG — "Where The Swans Hear Winds Its Way," Mr. David Higgins. The Whole Story on Page 3.

WILL HAVE CHARGE OF THE ART DEPARTMENT

Women's Council Making Extensive Plans for Fine Exhibit. The Women's Council, under the direction of Mrs. David McNeilan, will have charge of the art department for the exhibition this year. Visitors at the last exhibition will remember the great interest that was taken in this department and the ladies of the council, having the advantage of a thorough knowledge of the work, hope to make this year's exhibit a greater success than the last. The department includes the art and fancy works, demonstrating rooms, a rest room and a tea room, where tea will be served between the hours of 6 and 8. In addition to their own teacher in the demonstrating room they hope to secure the services of Miss Barlett, the Domestic Science teacher.

AN INSIDE VIEW

Jedah had just emerged from the whale. "I thought it would be better to have a surgeon in command," he explained. Herewith he gracefully retired from the scene.—Harpur's Weekly.

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS SOLD ON THE MERITS OF THE ORIGINAL. Mrs. W. F. Lewis and two children arrived home yesterday by G. P. R. train from Minor, Saskatchewan, where they spent the last two months visiting Mrs. Lewis' sister, Mrs. J. S. Brown.

BOB CRAWFORD KEPT BUSY AT CAMPBELLTON

Has Had Many Robberies to Look Into During Past Week. Robert Crawford, chief of police at Campbellton and formerly of St. John, has been having lively times during the past few days with robbers at Campbellton. Three nights in succession robberies were committed. On Wednesday night Alex. Blackley stole a gold watch and \$20 in cash from Peter Henry in Campbellton. He was arrested and sent up for trial at Dalhousie in September. On Thursday night a Spaniard named Louis Mona stole a gold watch and \$20. The watch was found in his possession when arrested. Last night a house was broken into and Chief Crawford believes that he is on the track of the burglars. One of them is supposed to have come towards St. John, and the police here were notified to be on the watch for him and arrest him if he arrives.

FOOD FOR THE FIRE

What to Feed Your Self-feeder so That It Will Give You a Warm Pleasant Greeting on a Winter Morning. For a Self-feeder you want the Hard Coal that lasts the longest, makes the strongest fire, burns up clean, and makes little ash. Gibson and Co's Triple X Lehigh appears to fill these conditions better than any other Hard Coal imported into the Maritime Provinces. It has just arrived from New York with about 600 tons of Triple X Lehigh for Gibson and Co. This coal costs a little more than the other grades of Hard Coal but it is well worth the difference. A considerable portion of the cargo has been sold in advance so that it will be advisable to place orders promptly. Telephone, 678.

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Advertisement for Pen-Angle pens, featuring an illustration of a pen and the text: 'A new lease of Underswear Comfort will begin the day you don't Pen-Angle. In the Pen-Angle it's easy to find: A size to fit you perfectly. A fabric to agree with your skin. A weight to suit the season. A price you are willing to pay. Your money refunded on any garment trademarked with the Pen-Angle in red that is defective in any particular.' The advertisement also includes the text: 'THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE BEWARE OF IMITATIONS SOLD ON THE MERITS OF THE ORIGINAL'.

Advertisement for Victoria Roller Rink, featuring the text: 'Victoria ROLLER RINK FINE SKATING Open Every Afternoon BAND TONIGHT'.

Advertisement for Every Woman, featuring an illustration of a woman and the text: 'Every Woman is interested and should know... MARVEL Whirling Spray... WINDSOR SUPPLY CO., Windsor, Ont. General Agents for Ontario.'

Advertisement for The Squawman's Daughter, featuring the text: 'THE SQUAWMAN'S DAUGHTER THE MAD MUSICIAN THE MACHETIZED MAN MAY AND DECEMBER DREAM OF A PEARL FISHER'.

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Advertisement for The Affair of the Select Hotel, featuring the text: 'THE AFFAIR OF THE SELECT HOTEL Comedy'.

Advertisement for The Annual Outing, featuring the text: '"The Annual Outing"'.

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TO LET—A large front room, furnished. Apply 42 Garden St. 13-8-3.
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LODGING—Transient or permanent. Single and double rooms. 6 Charles St. 11-8-6.
ROOMS AND BOARD—Apply 113 Union street. 27-4.
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WANTED—General girl in small family. Apply 73 Main St. 11-8-6.
WANTED—General servant. References required. MRS. THIBO, RUSHING, Union Point. 12-8-6.

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MISCELLANEOUS

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY—Any young man with \$100 to invest will learn of an opportunity to come upon a deal that will secure a permanent income after a few months. Unless you can raise the money after being convinced don't answer. Address Box 46, Star Office. 12-8-6.

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S. J. WITHERS, GENERAL CARRIAGE Agent, 99 Germain street, Phone 195. West Side Express. Furniture packed, moved, stored. 37-3-2mo.

LARGEST MOUNTAIN LION

Charmont Correspondence Los Angeles Times. The largest mountain lion ever killed in Southern California was shot Thursday by William Dewey of Riverside. Dewey, who had been staying at Camp Baynham in San Angelo Canon, was walking on the trail to Old Baldy with two companions. When about two miles from camp, as the party approached Telegraph Peak, Dewey saw the huge beast standing on a ledge fifteen feet above them. Without a word to his companions Dewey raised his rifle and fired with deadly effect and the lion rolled down the slope to the trail, lying at Dewey's feet almost before his surprised companions had time to turn about.

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NORTH SEA WAR CONCLUDED; AN ATTACK ON SHEERNESS (London Exchange). After developing with great rapidity on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, the important naval operations in the North Sea which have been in progress since "war" was declared on July 15 came to an end on Wednesday afternoon. So far the Admiralty's orders for strict secrecy have been loyally adhered to, and only certain incidents of the "war" have become public. The result of this is that his command being nominally weaker than the "enemy," represented by the Channel Fleet under Sir Charles Boscawen, Admiral Bridgeman effected a junction with reinforcements from the Atlantic Fleet before any attack could be delivered by an enemy's fleet issuing from the Bight. The honours of the first blow however, fell to Lord Charles Boscawen, who, with the moderations of the seas, made some rapid movements on Sunday, with the result that he can claim the capture of a Scotch town. On Sunday afternoon the people of Wick, the fishing town in the North of Scotland, were surprised, by the sight of a big grey, four-funnelled cruiser entering Wick Bay at a point of speed. She loomed before them in a large party of seamen well ashore. Two officers and twenty men marched swiftly to the signal station at the naval reserve battery, and took possession of it. Their vessel proved to be the Creasy, of the Blue Fleet. The men of the coastguard were, however, on the lookout, and when they saw the enemy approaching they promptly cut the telephone wires, and taking all important documents with them, retired to the surrounding country. Search was made for them by the attacking party, but in the fields surrounding the station they were able to remain concealed, until the enemy had disappeared. Two hours after her capture of the station the Creasy put to sea and vanished, going east at high speed, having received a wireless message. The cruiser God Hope also struck a blow at the Red, or defending fleet, under Vice-Admiral Sir F. Bridgeman, by capturing the destroyed Petrel, which was conveying despatches. This success was enhanced by the fact that the scout Skirmisher arrived at Portland on Monday "out of action." Later several reports were posted between May Island and St. Abbs Head. During the afternoon big gun firing was heard, but the location could not be gauged, owing to the high wind. It was presumed that an engagement was being fought between the battleship squadron and the attacking force well out into the North Sea. BRILLIANT NIGHT ATTACK. One of the most brilliant spectacles outsiders have been privileged to witness.

ANOTHER MAYOR REFUSES TO SIGN NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Aug. 14.—Charles J. Holden of Lowell, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Helm Clayton, wife of the well known aviator and official of the Blue Hill Observatory, made an ascension from Aero Park here at 8:25 o'clock tonight. The ascension was without incident, the balloon, owned by the Aero Club of New England, rising easily and after striking the upper currents, started off slowly in an easterly direction. The garrison was well on the alert, as on Tuesday afternoon it was reported that torpedo destroyers belonging to the hostile "Blue" fleet had been seen cruising a few miles to seaward. Consequently when soon after dark a flying column signalled "enemy approaching," all was ready. The troops at once stood to arms, the forts were fully manned, and the Royal Engineers brought their searchlights into operation, sweeping the Thames and Medway estuary from Sheerness and Grain with dazzling shafts of light. A battery of lights converged on the enemy channel and when about ten o'clock a scouting vessel came within range she was greeted with two or three rounds from the guns. Half an hour later the first of the three divisions of torpedo boats made its rush for the Medway entrance, making its movements for a while behind the Dutch mail packet. Xmas Sheerness Harbor the boats increased their speed, but the Royal Engineers kept the low-lying hills in circles of light and the great guns opened a terrific fire, the country all about Thames mouth echoing and re-echoing to their booming. Some of the boats ran the gauntlet so close to the fort that the men of the King's Own Regiment gave them rapid rifle fire. The two other divisions repeated the attack in turn, but soon after midnight each boat was accounted for by the batteries, and the defenders returned to camp after being twelve hours under arms. A similar attempt to enter the Fifth of Fort on Monday night was, it is understood, unsuccessful, two battleships and two cruisers having evaded the enemy, and joined the imposing defending fleet, with its destroyers and submarines. A splendid German yacht belonging to apparently private owners, was anchored between Lemon and the fortified island of Inchitree throughout the manoeuvres. The yacht departed on Wednesday and is stated to have left a company of military experts who watched the manoeuvres throughout.

RESCUED FROM SHARK

Narrow Escape of Filipino Sailors From a Wrecked Vessel (From the Cebu Courier). Capt. Carlos Keeba, commander of the steamship Dalupagan, reports that last Sunday afternoon about 2 o'clock, while en route from Tulaia to Iligan, the ship sighted four Filipinos clinging to a submerged banca surrounded by a school of sharks, which, even after the vessel had come alongside, persisted in hovering about the banca. The four men upon being picked up related a terrible tale of suffering and agony. They stated that they had left Cebu on Saturday they ran into heavy weather which caused the banca to fill, sinking to the water's edge and washing away their food and drink. Shortly after that the weather cleared, leaving these poor mariners under the glare of a tropical sun. Then the sharks appeared and to the agony of thirst and the pangs of hunger was added the terrible fate of becoming a morsel for a shark's tooth. They had despaired of relief and every vestige of hope was gone when they sighted Dalupagan.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 15, 1908.

IN SASKATCHEWAN.

It looks as if the Scott Government has been sustained in Saskatchewan. While the returns are as yet incomplete, there is not much doubt that Premier Scott has gained a victory over Mr. Haultain and his "Provincial Rights" party. The opposition campaign was probably the bitterest political contest ever waged in Canada, and was full of unwholesome personalities. The complete returns will be awaited with interest.

CONDITIONS IN CHINA.

A prominent Presbyterian missionary, Rev. J. Menzies, D. D., has just returned to Canada from the province of North Honan, China, and while admitting that many changes have taken place in this progressive Dominion during the last thirteen years, takes occasion to refer to the remarkable strides China has made in that period. These strides, the missionary says, are of a very interesting nature. Formerly, to reach the mission from the coast at Shanghai used to take a month of travelling by houseboat; on this recent occasion, in coming out, the travellers entered a sleeping car at 10.00 p. m. and the next day at 4.00 o'clock were at Hankow, distant 450 miles, where they took a large steamer on the Yangtze for Shanghai, and the whole trip occupied four and a half days instead of four months. Since 1901, when Dr. Menzies returned, after the Boxer troubles were over, tremendous strides have been made in the building of railways, and the many centuries old system of education has been swept away by a single edict. A good deal of difficulty is being experienced, however, in introducing a new school system, owing to the great lack of good teachers. There are very few industries in that part of China; the whole population practically live off the land. China, though wealthy in natural resources, having immense deposits of coal, iron and other minerals, has no good roads or other means of transportation, and the market is limited. The people are very poor, and when the crops fail they suffer from famine. The missionaries and other European residents got a great deal of their food stuffs from Canada, chiefly by way of London; also they purchase British Columbia salmon, California fruit, canned vegetables, etc.; but the goods from London are better packed and preserved. Another obstacle in the way of direct trade with Canada is that the freight rates are very high. Sometimes it takes nine months to get goods from Chicago. The United States and Canada, Dr. Menzies observes, have not studied the foreign shipment question as it has been studied in England. There are, Dr. Menzies thinks, great openings for markets in dairy produce, Canadian fruits, flour and lumber. A great obstacle against Canadian and American trade is the trouble caused in making out invoices, merchants having no understanding of what is required, while, in England, the greatest care is exercised. Dr. Menzies, in referring to these matters, is giving his own experience in trying to work up Canadian trade. China, he says, has great need of government reform. There is no such thing as representative government; the people have not the first idea of such a thing. The Emperor appoints the high officials, and these in turn appoint those under them, the positions being practically bought. Christianity has made great progress in China. It is estimated that there are over a million Christians now, the centennial conference in Shanghai last year showing over 300,000 on the rolls, and the work is advancing in every part of China. It is good to learn from Dr. Menzies that the stamping out of the opium traffic promises to be successful. Notices were sent out that after a stated number of months all officials who smoked opium would be discharged, and this has been done; opium dens have been closed; the tax has been raised, so as to make the growing of poppies no longer profitable; and those engaged in the opium business have been given time to sell out and engage in something else.

THE GREENWOOD TREE.

"Firesome turmoil of the town,
Strident rear and raucous cry,
Strife for riches and renown—
From all these we brightly fly!
There's a haunt toward which we hie
That to us is Ardeny.
Where the breezes sing and sigh
Underneath the greenwood tree!

Here forgot is fortune's frown,
What men claim and what don't,
If the throng moves up or down
With its aims we would not vie;
We have glimpses of the sky,
Melodies of bird and bee;
Joy there is for ear and eye
Underneath the greenwood tree!

Hobbling, that feathered clown,
Perches near his tunes to try;
And that anchorite in brown
Minstrel thrush makes clear reply:
Tumbler squirrel pranks it spry;
Jester cricket chirrs with glee;
Nature wears her halcyon eye
Underneath the greenwood tree!

Envoy
Let the world go trooping by:
'Tis enough for you and me
To sit toiler, just to lie,
And reap our harvest sweet
Underneath the greenwood tree!

FAMOUS EPIGRAMS.

Said Celia to a reverend Dean,
What reason can be given,
Since marriage is a holy thing,
That they have none in heaven?
"They have," says he, "no women here."
She quick returns the jest:
"Women there are, but I'm afraid
They cannot find a priest."
—Dean Swift.

"It is hard to propose to a girl!"
"Depends on the girl."
"How so?"
"If she had been out several seasons
It is hard not to." — Philadelphia Inquirer.

"Your mistress tell me, Jane, that
you wish to leave and become an
attendant at a lunatic asylum, of all
places. Why, what experience have
you had?"
"Well, sir, I've been here three
years." — Sacred Heart Review.

BABYLON'S HANGING GARDENS.

The hanging gardens of Babylon were terraces on columns. The gardens were 400 feet square and over 400 feet high. The ascent from terrace to terrace was by flights of marble steps, and on the highest was a large reservoir.

THE ALEXANDRIAN LIBRARY.

As early as the year 47 B. C. the great Alexandrian library contained over 40,000 valuable books.

A WONDERFUL VOICE.

At the peace tables in Boston, 1859, Miss Parva Ross's voice was distinguishable above 12,000 singers, an orchestra of over 1,000 instruments and in a hall where the audience consisted of 40,000 people.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE.

DON'T KNOW HOW TO USE THEM.

There are a great many children who don't know how to use them. The first year they won't let father and mother sleep for their crying, and after that their foolishness of different kinds keep them awake. The knowledge the children think they have and the ignorance they have when they reach their teens, is colossal, titanic, nepheleopaiditic. A broken spirited, subdued father or mother is not a pleasant sight. A child afraid to speak for fear of being scolded is a sad sight, but an elderly man or woman afraid to speak in the presence of son or daughter, is a sadder one. A child that will correct a father or mother when they say the world is flat don't know how to use them. A child that will not study when their parents sacrifice in order to send them to school does not know how to use them. Children who associate with the people of whom their parents disapprove do not know how to use them. The children who marry against their parents' wishes do not know how to use them. Children who spend more than their parents can afford are using their parents very badly. Children who do not take their parents' advice use themselves and their parents very badly.

Thaddius

VANISHED AFTER WEDDING.

Mysterious Disappearance of a Benedict at Windsor.

WINDSOR, Ont., Aug. 15.—On June 19 last, Harry Milton, who gave his home town as Belleville, was married here to the twenty year old daughter of a prominent Detroit family. An hour after the ceremony Milton left his wife ostensibly to go to Belleville on business and has not been seen since. An appeal to the local authorities by the girl's parents develops the fact that Milton is unknown in Belleville. The young man is described as being of a personable appearance, and seemed to be well supplied with ready cash.

THE TWIN CITIES CANNOT AGREE.

PORT ARTHUR, Aug. 15.—Port Arthur has received notice from Port William that that city will appeal to the courts to compel Port Arthur to appoint members to a joint committee for the street railway, but Port Arthur claims that the agreement is practically a lease of the portion recently acquired by Port William and as this city is paying rent it will continue to manage it. A legal battle of large proportions is in prospect.

Let St. John Set The Pace

This is the time of year people are talking about Exhibitions.

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VENGEANCE ON NEGRO RESIDENTS

Springfield, Ill., Citizens Up In Arms.

Cavalrymen Rushed to the Scene From Other Places—Negro Assaultant In Jail.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 14.—A threatening mob bent on wreaking vengeance on the negro inhabitants of Springfield, because of an assault committed today by a negro on Mrs. Earl Halam, a white woman, is raging throughout the streets tonight, beating negroes and disregarding the soldiers of Troop B, of the First Cavalry, ordered out by Governor Deneen to preserve order.

The Governor tonight, by telegraph, ordered out two companies of militia and one troop of cavalry from Peoria, a troop of cavalry from Bloomington, and also one from Peoria. These soldiers are rushing to Springfield on special trains to assist the local troops in maintaining order.

Negroes in various parts of the town have been attacked by the mob, and in two instances the negroes have turned with considerable effect upon their assailants. In one instance a trooper attempted to separate the combatants and was nearly overwhelmed by the disorderly persons who were in pursuit of several negroes. A call for help brought several other cavalrymen to the scene, but they were all disarmed and their guns were carried away by the rioters.

Most of the members of Troop B, of Taylorville are on guard around the jail, whence George Richardson, the negro who assaulted Mrs. Halam at the office today, was removed early in the evening to Bloomington. The rioters looted several negro resorts and a white man and his son, whose names were not ascertained by the police, were shot and injured, supposedly by negroes.

SERIOUS CHARGES LAID AGAINST POLICE OFFICER AT BIDDEFORD, MAINE

BIDDEFORD, Me., Aug. 14.—Charges of conduct unbecoming an officer were filed with the police commission by Mayor Cornelius Horgan, against Chief of Police Charles B. Harmon tonight.

The charges resulted from an incident which occurred today during the drawing of grand and travers jurors for the Supreme Court and Jurymen for the United States District Court. While the municipal officers were in session in the court room in the city building drawing the jurors, Harmon commanded Chief Harmon, who was present, to sit down. Chief Harmon replied that he wished to be able to see how the names were drawn from the jury-box by the city clerk, and he remained standing. The mayor then ordered him conducted out of the room by Deputy Sheriff Andrews. Chief Harmon went without resistance, but returned before the drawing was over, and was again ejected from the room this time by Deputy Sheriff Renouf.

The charges filed by Mayor Horgan, who is himself a member of the police commission of three, in the virtue of his office, demanded the suspension of Chief Harmon from duty pending an investigation of the charges.

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Admiral Evans and Roosevelt, too, Don't Know Much About It.

MYSTIC, Conn., Aug. 14.—President Roosevelt and some of his policies were severely criticized because of the "barracks policy," as it is known in Europe, which requires the enlargement of the army and the building of a big navy, by the speakers at the 42nd annual meeting of the Universal Peace Union at Peace Grove, here today.

Dr. William L. Hall, of Swarthmore, Pa., who attended all the sessions of the second Hague conference, in his address on "limitation of armaments" at the afternoon session referred to some length to the proposition that the nations come together and appoint an international peace-maker. Dr. Hall quoted Bismarck, Rear Admiral Evans and President Roosevelt to the effect that a large army and navy are necessary to preserve peace and indignantly denied that this was so.

"The Stars and Stripes are having read into them the glory red of warfare and the blue of misery," He closed with an earnest plea for at least limitation of armament.

In an address at the morning session, Rev. Scott F. Hersey, of Newcastle, Pa., ridiculed the idea of the United States having to go to war with Japan and criticized Congressman Johnson for "going up and down the country making a disturbance about this matter."

"We should go to war with Japan," he said, "that nation would make our soldiers look not very pretty, because the Japanese care nothing for human life."

After replenishing the supply of gasoline, Captain Baldwin went off on another official speed trial, the last opportunity he would have to get a bonus on his contract price of \$6,750. The ship made the two and one-half mile run in seven minutes and the return to Port Meyer in less than that time, although the ship was traveling against the wind.

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WINNIPEG, Aug. 14.—At a well-attended meeting of the Winnipeg Grain and Produce Exchange in Winnipeg this morning the following resolution was unanimously passed:

That the Winnipeg Grain and Produce Exchange commend the action of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in agreeing at once to carry out the award of the board of conciliation in the matter of dispute between that company and their shop men, and regret that the shop men not only refused to carry out the award but have actually gone on strike.

QUITE NECESSARY. One night as a Canadian doctor who lives in Eastern Ontario, was driving into a village he saw a chap a little the worse for liquor amusing a crowd of spectators with the antics of a trick dog.

EXHIBITION MAN IS UNDER ARREST

Colonel Leslie Charged With the Theft of \$18,946

BAIL IS REFUSED

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—Somewhat of a sensation was caused in the police court this morning when Colonel Denison ordered the arrest of Col. J. Knox Leslie, former treasurer of the National Exhibition and refused to grant bail.

THIS PARROT EMPLOYS RATHER BAD LANGUAGE

Yesterday afternoon on Mill street a parrot in the hands of a man who wanted to sell it caused considerable amusement for a large crowd.



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A Few Past Events Which Show the Accuracy of His Predictions.

- North German Lloyd Pier fire, Hoboken, June 20, 1900. Iroquois Theatre fire, Chicago, Dec. 30, 1903. Galveston flood, Sept. 26, 1900. Burning of the General Slocum, June 15, 1904. Ship factory explosion, Brockton, March 29, 1905. St. Louis Toronto, May 27, 1894. San Francisco earthquake and fire, April 18, 1906. Atlantic City railway wreck, Oct. 25, 1906. Sinking of the Larchmont, Feb. 11, 1907. Mine explosion, Monongah, W. Va., Dec. 6, 1907. Theatre fire, Boyertown, Pa., Jan. 15, 1908. Lynn shoe shop explosion. President William McKinley's death. The attempt on King Alfonso's life and several others, too numerous to mention. But that is the Past. It is now time to

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MRS. MURPHY SURELY BECOMING NOTORIOUS

Woman Who Tried to Kill Herself, Cleans Out Harrigan's Alley

Mrs. John Murphy, who lives on Brusar's street, and who caused considerable excitement on the Suspension bridge a few nights ago by attempting to drop into the river, has again made herself conspicuous by trying to clean out Harrigan's alley.

RAILWAY BRIDGE ON FIRE NEAR WOODSTOCK

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 14.—The Upper Woodstock railway bridge caught fire about five o'clock and for a time the whole structure seemed doomed. The Woodstock steam fire engine was ordered up to render assistance, but before it had gone more than half way the fire was under control, the ultimate damage being of small proportions.

TRYING TO STARVE THE SHINGLE SAWYERS OUT

This is What the Union Men Have to Say About Lumbermen

"The lumbermen are trying to starve us out," said a shingle Sawyer last night to a Sun reporter, "but we are as much alive now as ever and intend to hold out as long as they do."

--Saturday Special--

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AMUSEMENTS.

NICKEL'S HALF HOLIDAY SHOW.

At the Nickel today the Humanovo Co. will continue in the farcical piece The Book Agent, which has made so many people laugh during the last couple of days.

A GREAT SHOW AT THE HAPPY HALF HOUR.

The same large crowds were present at the Happy Half Hour yesterday and an exceptionally fine show was given. Holmes and Buchanan sang that great favorite, Love Me And The World Is Mine, and it was one tremendous burst of applause after their every appearance, and of course encores were demanded.

BIG SHOW AT THE PRINCESS.

The extra large programme at the Princess Theatre today is highly spoken of by the hundreds of pleased people who witnessed it yesterday. It is the general opinion that the Princess show is on a par with the best that has ever been offered to the public.

CROWD ON SQUARE WAS WELL BEHAVED

No Tendency to Disfigure Lawns

More seats are urgently needed in King square if that breathing spot is to continue to attract hundreds of people the evenings on which band concerts are given. Last night the concert given in the new band stand by the City Council has proved a success since which occupied all the available seats and thronged the paths at the centre of the square to such an extent that they were almost blocked.

CROWDED HOUSES, MUCH ENJOYMENT LAST NIGHT AT THE BIJOU; SAME TONIGHT.

For a week-end the Bijou has certainly one of the best programmes yet seen at that house, and that every picture was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience last night, was evidenced by the hearty applause. Opinions were unanimous, all agreeing that in the picture "The Squawman's Daughter" was one of the best portrayals of western life ever presented in St. John. It's a pretty story, one that can only be appreciated when seen.

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"OH, SPLASH," AT THE UNIQUE TODAY.

Four of the best comedies ever shown in this city are being put on at the Unique today. These pictures appeal especially to children and large numbers of the little ones will no doubt be present this afternoon to witness the programme. The leading film is called, "The Little Mad-Cap or Oh, Splash," and shows the experience of a girl whose love of fun gets her into a great deal of trouble.

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STAGE CHARMS

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Astounding Success of the Actress in Capturing Titles

STRANGE as it may seem, actresses are now capturing more titles than American heiresses.

Only the other day it was proclaimed in London that Miss Viola Tree, daughter of Beecham Tree, and an actress of more than insular reputation, was to marry the marquis of Granby.

This on top of reports, not denied, that Estelle Christy, the New York Casino chorus girl, wears an engagement ring given by Lord Elliot; that Maudie Darrell has captured the marquis of Anglesey, and that the earl of Stenhope has laid his heart and title at the feet of Gabrielle Ray.

Long, indeed, is growing the list of foot-light favorites marrying into the nobility. And to their credit be it said that many of them really adorn the new positions to which they attain.

AS it comes to a race between American millions and the stage? is the question being asked in England's aristocratic circles. Just now the foot-light favorites appear to be in the lead.

Since the time when the engagements of Miss Gladys Waverley and Miss Theodora Shonts were announced, no fewer than four English titles have fallen at the feet of actresses.

That is, according to current report, and report in these cases is accepted as correct, because the usual ground deplains have not been made.

Those who do not take readily to this order of things may remark that the capture of honors and position by actresses is really not new; will assert that the introduction of stage celebrities to the English peerage goes much further back than the day of the American heiress.

They will tell you that English kings were flirting with Nell Gwynn when the only American heiresses were the daughters of Indian chiefs and when the wealth of American millionaires was computed in wampum.

Mentioning specific cases, they tell of the third earl of Petersborough, who married Miss Amastasia Robinson, a music hall singer of London, in 1794, while the earl of Derby made Eliza Farnon his countess before the American Revolution.

Never before, however, has there been such a rapid upon titles as the stage is making now. Within five years, it is freely predicted in London, there will be five actresses possessed of one heiress-possess.

Critics find their guns of argument pointed to a considerable extent by the exemplary behavior of actresses who have done the honors.

Belle Elton, the former Gaiety actress, who died about three years ago in Ireland, did so well as Lady, Clancarty that she was sincerely mourned by a large circle of aristocratic friends.

Rosie Boote is winning laurels in her new role of the marchioness of Headfort; Camille Clifford, wife of Hon. Lyndhurst Bruce, who will become Viscountess, has been admitted to exclusive circles of society, and Lady Ashburton, formerly Frances Belmont, is making new friends among those who were shocked by her admission into the purple.

Other good examples of actresses who have entered the nobility, but their heads and filled their new positions cleverly are "Connie" Gilchrist, who became the countess of Orkney, and Eva Carrington, who abandoned music hall popularity to become Lady de Clifford.

MISS TREE HAS MANY CHARMS

Miss Viola Tree possesses a genius for dancing and her grace that she will probably entertain many drawing-room assemblies when she becomes the marchioness of Granby.

Her comeliness of feature and form has made her a favorite in tubercles. To her is a happy gift as an artist, and has wrought excellent likenesses of some of her friends.

When Miss Viola Tree was in London, she was the darling of the young Lord de Clifford, and she was declared the most beautiful girl in the city. She was one of the most famous of the many Gibson girls then on the stage.

That she was not consumed by eagerness to enter the social realms to which her new title was to prove the open sesame, was shown by the fact that she gladly consented to a six months' honeymoon in Abyssinia.

When she returned home she assumed social duties awaiting her. She speedily developed into a model country grande dame.

Every Victoria handkerchief—that was her real name—John Southwell Russell, Lord de Clifford, at a little dinner in Dublin, and the two were victims of a bad case of love at first sight. The wedding took place February 16, 1904.

Lord de Clifford will not settle down as a model Irish landlord, perhaps, for a number of years. The spirit of "wanderlust" is in his blood; he is a great traveler, and his wife is no less enthusiastic in that direction. During her residence on Lord de Clifford's Irish estate the former actress has become an expert rider to hounds.

Camille Clifford rose from the lowly position of a scrub-girl to that of heiress to a countess. She came to America a little Swedish peasant girl, bearing the name of Ottoborn; she went out to domestic service, scrubbed floors, sewed and performed other tasks fitting the lot of a maid of all work.

It was almost by accident that she was engaged as a chorus girl in the play, "Morocco Bound," then running in Boston. As it proved, she only needed this chance; her work was so good and her stage appearance so attractive that she was never without an engagement afterward.

Her beauty won her a host of friends among the theater-going public, and her capability was recognized by managers.

With the family of Lord Aberdare is not old in the peerage. It is one of the wealthiest in England. Extensive property, and she is constantly pouring a stream of gold into the family coffers, and many other industrial enterprises swell the income.

Some years ago a cablegram from London conveyed this information to the young heiress of Headfort, formerly Miss Rosie Boote, of the Gaiety Theatre.

Not only is she very handsome, but she is charming and clever, being exceptionally well educated and possessing the unconventional high spirits and fun of the Irish girl.

One reason why she is so much liked is because she never winces at any reference to her vocation as the



Miss Viola Tree, reported to be engaged to the Marquis of Granby.



Camille Clifford, whose husband will be Lord Aberdare.



Anna Robinson, who, it is reported, has just been divorced from the Earl of Roslyn.



Lady Ashburton, formerly Frances Belmont, a famous "Gibson Girl."



Countess of Orkney, who, on the stage, was a "Connie" Gilchrist.



Lady Ashburton known on the stage as Frances Belmont.



Marchioness of Headfort, who was the "Rosie Boote."

time the young marquis of Headfort, in the teeth of the opposition of his family, his brother officers and even of the king himself, insisted on marrying her.

Going very well with the above is a cablegram only a few weeks old, as follows:

"The Dublin season has been absolutely ruined by the great 'jewel-scandal.' At the first drawing room held by the vicereine, the earl of Aberdeen, there was a perceptible gloom.

"On this occasion the only person who behaved with dignity was the former Gaiety actress, the marchioness of Headfort, who, as Rosie Boote, had been the favorite of the vicereine. She was far more distinguished looking than many other beauties who are so constantly photographed."

"The marquis of Headfort is entitled to sit in the House of Lords as Baron Kenilworth, or Keils, this being his title as peer of the United Kingdom. He is also the earl of Bective.

On a certain night when Rosie Boote was singing in London, the young marquis of Headfort was in the audience. Her principal song was, "Maidie Will Get There All the Same."

Tall, dark, rather handsome and quite unconscious that her fate was sealed within a stone's throw of her, in one of the stalls, Rosie Boote advanced to the footlights and seemed to sing right at him:

Some day I mean to wed a duke, don't doubt me!
And the duke will be his duke, don't doubt me!
The biggest swells will come to me
On Thursday afternoon for tea.
And emperors will make their bows when I'm at Cowe.

At the end of the song the peer of the realm was metaphorically at her feet. The next day he was literally there. It is said that the pair has been exceptionally happy even though the income is not large.

English society was stirred to its depths when Frances Belmont, an American actress, whose stage name was Frances Belmont, married Lord Ashburton only a few

years ago. She was one of the original "Florodora" sextet in a Boston theater. She was playing in "My Lady" as a member of the chorus. One night, as the chorus was filing on to sing "back fence" to Gilbert Gregory's rendering of a scrawwoman song entitled "Maggie Dooley," she gaily picked up her skirts, jumped out to the footlights and did a song and dance of her own. The audience, the star, and a part of the show and enthusiastically applauded the girl. The manage-

ment, in spite of its indignation and threats, had to remain her "hit" on the bill and shortly afterward was compelled to raise her salary. When she appeared as Charles Hawley's leading lady in "A Message From Mars" the theatrical world was astonished.

Lord Ashburton owns about \$3,000 acres. He succeeded to the title on the death of his father, in 1893. The first baron won distinction in the 60's as a special ambassador

of Great Britain to the United States. He was a grand-son of the founder of the famous banking house of Barings Brothers. In 1798 he married a daughter of United States Senator William Bingham, of Philadelphia.

Lady Ashburton's father was formerly a bricklayer in New York. One is not often called from a Harlem flat of six rooms to a British demesne of 30,000 acres, yet such was the fortune of this young actress.

Upon her husband's estates there are for her the stables of hunters and driving horses, the garage crowded with automobiles, the family jewels and plate, cars, blancher with Worth and Felix in Paris, thousands upon thousands in ready pin money—in a word, everything that the heart of woman could desire. Nor in this all does the girl from Harlem, whose face was her fortune, has the prestige of Lord Ashburton's position and wealth all over Great Britain and the continent. And right well, it is said, has she maintained the dignity of her new position.

Of her marriage she said recently: "Ours is one of the very few love matches between American girls and foreign noblemen. While most Englishmen who are looking for brides in America have a fortune uppermost in mind, Lord Ashburton considers that he has found the greatest fortune of his life in the girl he has chosen."

"The members of my family have always been loving and friendly to me and the greatest help in every way. I have met many delightful people in England."

\$1,000,000 A YEAR

When not occupied with social duties in London, where they have a town house, Lord and Lady Ashburton reside at their country place, "The Grange," a picturesque home in Hampshire, twenty miles from Southampton. Lord Ashburton is said to have an income of \$1,000,000 a year.

Only a few years ago the popular countess of Orkney door fluttered about "Connie" Gilchrist. She was the leading Gaiety dancer who was not only the favorite of habitués of London theaters, but could number among her admirers many a gilded youth and bearer of a proud title. Old as well as young succumbed to her wily wiles.

The duke of Beaufort, who might have been her grandfather, lavished gifts upon her. It was from a West End mansion, which he was said to have bestowed upon her in a romantic friendship, that he gave her away as a bride to the young earl of Orkney, and the last, no doubt, will grow with coming years.

Will the charms of the footlight favorite continue to outweigh the attractions of the American heiress?

Whatever may have been the dreams of the fair Anna, she has not long since secured a divorce.

Thus, briefly, are sketched some of the recent romances that ended in plighted coronets upon the brows of actresses. There are others, and the list, no doubt, will grow with coming years.

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What is Popularity? How Photograph Sales Reply.



La Belle Otero, who seems to lead in favor.



Pierre Loti, called the King of France.



Cleo de Merode.

WHAT is popularity? In what does it consist? How can it be gauged? Is it popularity to be cheered as one appears before the footlights? Is it to be discussed daily in the newspapers, to have one's picture each month, in various poses, in the magazines? Is it to have cigarettes, cigars, confections and toilet articles named after you? Is it to write for the consumption of a half million readers? Some one in Paris the other day made a round of the shops to ascertain what photographs were mostly in demand. If one's photograph sells well in the French capital it is considered an unflattering sign of popularity.

MOST popular of all those before the French public, according to the investigation, is La Belle Otero, the dancer. Of every hundred pictures sold in Paris, fifteen were of Otero.

Next came Pierre Loti, the "Rudyard Kipling of France," and "Ralph the Butcher," a widely known wrestler, each with thirteen pictures sold in the hundred. Fourth in favor came Sarah Bernhardt, with eleven, while Cleo de Merode—she of the falling tresses—came fifth. Two of every hundred portraits

bought were of Count Boni de Castellana. It must be a happy thought for the lovely Otero that Merode ranks fifth in popular favor, for the rivalry of the two women has interested Paris for many years. In France, perhaps, the photographs are as good a gauge of popularity as anything, for the people are photograph mad.

In the United States the photograph fad came in late and starts. Perhaps the extent of one's fame or notoriety here could best be gauged by the columns of space in the newspapers. For the time being there could have been little doubt that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was the leader in notoriety. Newspapers printed columns about her. Postcards showing her posing in various attitudes, a favorite picturing her living with her head on a tiger's head, were sold by the thousands.

For some years one of the most popular men of the country has probably been assured of his occupancy of the meridian in the public mind by the sale of Teddy bears. Actresses and authors in this country have seen their popularity rise and wane in the sale of pictures and postcards.

It will be remembered that pictures of few authors ever had the vogue that of Richard Le Gallienne, when he came to America after the success of his "Golden Girls." Schoolgirls proudly placed the picture of the long-haired poet with the classic profile on their mantels, and people talked of the grace and charm of the author of "The Love Letters of the King."

Hall Caine, too, came in for his turn, but as his face was not quite as handsome as that of Mr. Le Gallienne, his fame-in-photographs was brief. Of course people like to know what celebrities look like. So they buy their pictures. Then, too, both in England and America the popularity of an actress can often be gauged by the vogue of a song with which she is associated. For the time being Vestal Victoria's fame faded from every one's lips in the song of "Poor John."

Political success, perhaps, is not better manifested than in public acclaim, and it will be recalled that when the Mayor of a certain city in the United States came out for pure government a grateful people followed him for days when he went to lunch from the governmental building to his club, cheering him on his way.

Otero, the most popular woman in Paris, said to be the most graceful dancer in the world, has long been known as the rival of Cleo de Merode. La Belle Otero went on the stage when she was 8 years of age and while dancing near Madrid danced herself into fame by being abducted by secret agents of King Alfonso XII, who spirited her off to his palace. She forced open a window and escaped.

At the age of 13 she married the Marquis de Otero, a Spanish nobleman. At 18 she eloped. In Berlin the dancer played havoc with hearts, and the Crown Prince Wilhelm, now the kaiser, was said to have been smitten by her charms.

For years Otero has reigned in Paris. Rather, at times she was compelled to share her reign with Merode. For many years the rivalry between the two was the talk of Paris. One tried to surpass the other in richness of dress, toilettes, expensive automobiles, jewels and breeds of dogs. It was Otero, it is said, who started the rumor that Merode hid her ears because they were deformed.

Cleo de Merode, for a long time in high favor with King Leopold of Belgium, is said to be worth millions in her own right, having gained immense profits from lands in the Congo given her by Leopold. The subject of Cleo's ears has been a mystery.

AN UNSOLVED MYSTERY

Since the time when, in the late eighties, she appeared in a picture painted by Alfred Grevin, with her hair plastered down over the side of her face, the world has wondered as to the shape of her ears. She never permits them to be seen by the public.

Pierre Loti, who ranks so high in the estimation of Parisians, is the author of some twenty-odd books, consisting of fiction and works of travel. All are written in a charming style.

Julian Viudez is his real name—is a lieutenant commander in the French navy. He devotes his time to the navy and to literature. Between voyages he spends his time at his home at Rochefort, one of the finest in France, where he is visited by hundreds of admirers.

His books of travel are popular because of their intimate, personal observations. His novels are classics, and his "Romance of a Child" is said to be a perfect work.

That Loti should share in degree of popularity with a wrestler is considered as rather humorous. However, it is not likely that the admirers of Loti are devotees of Ralph the Butcher.

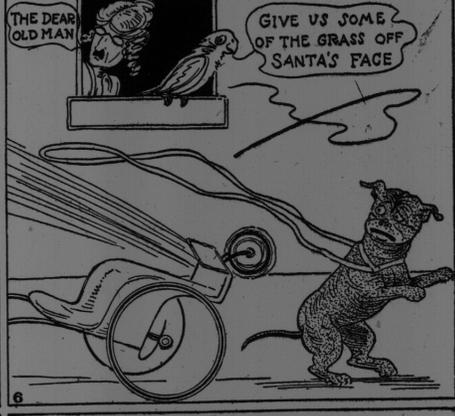
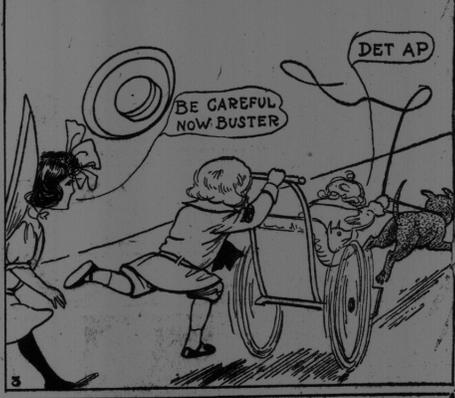
Miss Sarah Bernhardt was first in the hearts of Parisians; her photographs were the most largely sold. But her reign has lasted for so many years that it is not wondered that the public has turned to other gods and goddesses.

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THAT I AM NOT SORRY FOR THAT CROSS OLD MAN. CROSS PEOPLE DONT DESERVE SYMPATHY. THEY GET THEMSELVES INTO TROUBLE. DID YOU EVER NOTICE THAT PEOPLE FRAME THINGS UP FOR THEMSELVES. GENEROUS PEOPLE ALWAYS HAVE IT TO BE GENEROUS WITH. KIND PEOPLE ARE TREATED KINDLY. STINGY PEOPLE ALWAYS HAVE TO BE STINGY. MISERS CANT HAVE ANY FUN WITH THEIR MONEY BECAUSE IT PAINS THEM TO GIVE UP A CENT. THERES ALWAYS SOMETHING FOR A FUNNY MAN TO LAUGH AT. THERES ALWAYS SOMETHING FOR KICKERS TO KICK AT AND FOR WEEPERS TO CRY AT. IF YOU WANT TO HAVE FUN MAKE SOME ONE HAPPY. BUSTER BROWN.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, AUGUST 15 1903.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure

Dykeman's

When Such Values Are Offered as Prevail During This Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

people cannot hold their money no matter how hard the times. It is a wise investment to take advantage of this sale when you can save from 20 to 50 per cent. on the regular price of staple dry goods.

Ladies' White Cotton Gowns.

reduced prices 45c, 55c, 85c, \$1.05 and up to \$2.50. At these prices you merely pay for the cotton.

Ladies' White Underskirts,

an assortment ranging in price from 35 cents up to \$1.50, everyone of them reduced. They are striking values.

Ladies' Corset Covers.

A huge lot on sale at 25 cents each that are handsomely trimmed with lace and embroidery. They are equal to many that are sold in other stores at 50 cents each.

A Sale of Corsets.

50 cent quality is priced 35 cents, 75 cent quality is priced 55 cents, \$1.00 quality is priced 65 cents. All makes of corsets are reduced and you will find in this stock the best shapes that are to be had.

The sale continues all next week. Bear in mind that EVERYTHING IN THE STORE IS REDUCED.

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Now \$3.75

Quality Shoes

Regular prices \$3.25 and \$3.50. Now \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00



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We have a complete assortment. Kodaks from \$5.00 up cameras from 1.00 up

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We sell the Schram Automatic Seal-Plants, 7c; Quarts 5c each. Fruit Jar Rings, 5c. Doz. Tin Top Jelly Tumblers, 40c. Doz. Table Tumblers, 40c, 60c, 90c. Doz. Thin Glass Tumblers, 5c each. Cut Glass Tumblers, \$1.10 to \$3.00 doz.

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A White Lawn Apron Sale TONIGHT.

Fine quality Lawn Aprons, without bibs, 25c, 35c, 43c, 49c each.

(Cor. Duke and Charlotte St. Store Open Evenings.

LOCAL NEWS

St. John Exhibition, September 12th to 19th.

A child's slipper found on King's Square can be had at Central Police Station.

Last night some unknown person broke a plate glass window in the residence of G. H. V. Belyea, 78 Sydney street.

Fred. A. Dykeman has been reported by the police with encumbering the sidewalk on Charlotte street with packing cases.

The three masted schooner, John G. Walter and the Preference were docked this morning. The barkentine Shawmut also arrived this morning.

Jan. McDade has been awarded the contract for the copper and galvanized iron work on new Temple of Honor building, Main street, now in course of erection, also galvanized iron and steel work on new winter street school.

There were twenty-seven births in the city during the past week with the males very much in the majority, there being only six females in the lot. Five marriages were recorded during the week.

Zion Methodist Church, Sunday services: Pastor, Rev. James Crisp. Morning service at 11. Evening service at 7. Sunday school at 2.30. Prayer meeting on Friday evening at 8. Mr. Crisp will hold an open air service from the pavilion platform in Rockwood Park at 6 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, weather permitting.

You can always afford to be well dressed at Pidgeon's end-of-the-season prices, but the end of the season will soon be past and with the prices better fall in line and get your lion's share of the bargains in clothing, furnishings, hats and shoes, at corner Main and Bridge streets, while they last.

J. B. Williamson, of Philadelphia, is spending his vacation in St. John. Mr. Williamson is president of the firm of Williamson Brothers, manufacturers of steam steering apparatus. He is an inventor of note, having originated a much used steering gear for the ferry steamer Ladlow.

The death occurred this morning at the Mater Misericordiae Home, of Mrs. Bridget McDade. Deceased was in the 70th year of her age and leaves four sons and two daughters. Mrs. McDade formerly resided in St. Martins. The sons are: Michael, of Pennsylvania; Terence, of Buffalo and John, of Vancouver. The daughters are: Mrs. T. Kane, of Winter street and Miss Rose McDade, of Vancouver.

There were thirteen deaths in the city during the past week. The Board of Health gives the causes of twelve as follows: Consumption, 3; heart disease, 2; influenza, 1; meningitis, 1; cholera infantum, 1; tubercular peritonitis, 1. In addition to these there was the death of Murray Heane, the cause of which is not assigned and will not be until after the inquest.

The Dominion Census Bureau has issued a report on the probable yield from the condition of the Western wheat fields on the last day of July. Although it shows a decline from an 84 per cent. crop at the end of June to 78 per cent. at that of July, the yield this year will be at least 110,000,000 bushels of first grade wheat.

MISS PETTICOATS

MAKES A HIT

One of the Best Shows Seen at Opera House for a Long Time.

A large audience were given a real treat at the Opera House last night when the drama "Miss Petticoats" was presented for the first time in this city. The play was set with the company's own scenery, and the performance was one of the best seen in the city for some time.

Numerous curtain calls were given after each act, and so rousing were some of the scenes that during a perfect stillness the majority of the ladies in the audience wept, while many of the stronger sex were seen to brush away a few tears.

Frank Allen, as Capt. Joel Stewart, portrayed the character of the retired sea captain to perfection, and the several touching scenes between him and his grand-daughter, Miss Petticoats, were exceptionally well acted. Miss Floriana Parr, who played the leading role is a thorough actress and made a decided impression.

GRAIN DEALERS NOT

ALARMED OVER FROSTS

WINNIPEG, Aug. 15.—Grain dealers do not feel in any way alarmed by the reports of damage to the crop by the frost of Wednesday as they believe the rain which fell almost at the same time will more than offset the effect of the frost. Besides much grain is already in stock. However, business and banking interests have had a very uneasy season.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED.—Reliable woman to do family washing at home. Apply 38 Garden Street. 15-3-1f

TURNED OUT BY

HER DAUGHTER

Old Lady Found on Street

Early in Morning

Now in Jail Waiting Order to be Sent to the Aims House—A Sad Case.

"Alone and only in the way," was about the only plea that Mrs. Mary Taylor could give in the police court this morning when she was charged with wandering about the streets at an early hour this morning.

Mrs. Taylor is over 85 years of age, and is stooped, partly from old age and deformity. It was sad to see the poor old woman, being taken from the rough, unfurnished cell in the police station and assisted up two flights of stairs by a policeman. She who at one time enjoyed the pleasures of youth presented the appearance of a person with no further desire to live, nor a case as to what became of her.

When the old lady slowly stopped before the magistrate's desk, her name was called with other prisoners. She was asked what she had to say to the charge of wandering about the streets at an early hour this morning when one of her age should be a repose in a comfortable bed. With clasped hands and in a feeble manner she informed the court that at times she had been given a home with her daughter-in-law, and at other times she lived with her daughter. Yesterday, her daughter-in-law, she said, turned her out of doors, and as her daughter refused to allow her to enter her house, there was nothing for her to do but walk the streets. "I want now to go to the Aims House," said Mrs. Taylor.

Policeman Nelson told the court about finding the old lady on the street this morning about one o'clock, and the story she told to the court was the same that she told him when he took charge of her.

The old lady returned to the cells, and the magistrate said he would see that her request to be sent to the Aims House would be granted.

SCHOOL PLAYGROUNDS

CLOSED YESTERDAY

Exercises Yesterday Afternoon at Centennial School Largely Attended.

Yesterday afternoon marked the closing of the most successful season yet experienced in the history of the Centennial playgrounds. There was a large number of persons present to witness the exercises.

Miss Peters, the convenor of the committees spoke at the opening of the excellent work done by the supervisor and her assistant.

The following programs was carried out: Flag drill and chorus, by the children; speech by Mayor Balch; solo, Miss Bessie Hill with chorus by the children; reading, Miss Constance Cairns; song, Edward Murray; speech, Dr. J. W. Daniel, M. P.; Scottish song in quartette, Miss Bessie Hill; solo, Miss Margaret McCarthy; speech, R. B. Emerson, chairman of school board; song, Celia Amden.

Miss D. Belle Miller, the supervisor of the grounds, read her report. She gave a record of the work done and the amusements provided and said that the season had been the most successful yet.

During the afternoon Miss Peters stated that she had received a communication from Premier Hazen to the effect that he would discuss the matter of a playground in each school with Dr. Inch, superintendent of education. The premier expressed his regret at being unable to attend, as did also Dr. Bridges in a letter to the convenor.

GOT MIXED UP IN

A SCOTCH MIST

The police court bench was occupied by eight prisoners who ranged from the ages of 25 to 75 years. The youngest was charged with drunkenness and the same charge was preferred against the oldest. The drunks were all fined the usual amount.

One German drunk said he was sure he was drunk, but would get along all right if he had not got mixed up in a Scotch mist.

Ellen Murphy, an able bodied woman of 50 summers, claimed that she was the mother of 15 children, that she assaulted one named Josephine, but she did not beat her husband. She was remanded.

James Seymour was remanded, as it is thought his mind is unbalanced.

KING SQUARE PRESENTED

BAD APPEARANCE TODAY

Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning remarked that the police had reported that non and boys failed to tramp on the King Square grass last night and the only offenders were some women. He hoped the women would be more careful in the future.

His Honor also remarked that the square presented a bad appearance this morning because a great number of hand bills had been thrown about.

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8 Bars Barkers' Soap, 25c. 2 Cans Condensed Milk, 25c.

4 pkgs. Jelly Powder, 25c. 3 Cans Salmon, 25c.

3 pkgs. Mince Meat, 25c. 2 Bottles Ammonia, 25c.

1 lb. Cream Tartar, 25c. And other Bargains too numerous to mention.

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THE FINEST WE HAVE IN STOCK

For \$2.50 Large variety of Cushions with Beautifully Colored Cushions, in Art Satin Tops, in floral and conventional designs, all made up with Silk Cord and Figured Silk Plush—our very best quality of Tops. All Filled, Corded and Tasseled, ready to be thrown in the cosy-corner or on the divan or sofa.

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In Superior Qualities of Chintz, Tapestry, Taffeta and Art Silk.

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