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CHAPTER XXVII. THE DIE IN CAST.  
At the Revels, Lady Lillian Foyle was playing her cards extremely well. Her foot, she declared, was practically cured after two weeks' stay at Lord Heron's guest.

She did not attempt to flirt with him or to attract his attention, but left him to his own devices. This was her grand chance, and she was clever enough not to spoil it by any false step.

It was on the evening of the fourteen day of her stay, after she had read an account of the incident at the Midnight Club, that Lady Lillian's patient angling was rewarded.

Lord Heron recognized Iris in Miss Howard, for the account mentioned the fact that Lord Montacute had addressed her by that name. It also told of his engagement to Iris.

It was in desperation over the loss of Iris that Lord Heron asked Lady Lillian to become his wife and to take her place as mistress of the Revels.

Lady Lillian pretended surprise very artistically and gave her consent with a proper amount of discreet reserve. She was reclining on a couch near the open window, and he bent and touched her forehead with his lips.

"Would to Heaven I were more worthy of you, dear Lillian!" he murmured.

Lady Lillian put up her arms and wound them round his neck, and drawing his face down, pressed her lips to his, then, with her face dyed scarlet, pushed him gently from her.

It has been said that the window was open, and if they had not been so much engaged, both, or at any rate Lady Lillian, might have caught sight of Signor Ricardo, who barely troubling to conceal himself, stood just outside contemplating the picture they made with glittering eyes and a cynical smile.

The signor had taken his grace's advice and had left London on the morning following the scene at the Midnight. Something seemed to convince him—perhaps it was the scar on his face and his cut and bruised lips—that it would not be safe, now Lord Clarence had arrived on the scene, to attempt any further blackmailing of Iris, and, like a skillful tactician, the signor turned his attention to his grand coup. Having dressed himself with the greatest care, and sewed his bank notes inside his waistband, he took the train for Knighton, intending to present himself boldly before Lord Heron, and put his little plot into execution.

But as he walked along the drive he caught sight of Lady Lillian lying by the window, and being curious to ascertain whom she might be, he stole gently along the terrace, and reached

the window in time to hear Lord Heron's proposal.

The signor was an intelligent scoundrel, and what he had heard "gave him pause," as Hamlet says. With the cynical smile still playing on his damaged lips, he stole down the terrace and into the park and seating himself under a tree, lighted a cigarette and reviewed the situation.

CHAPTER XXVIII. LORD MONTACUTE CALLS.  
The morning following the fracas at the Midnight Club, Lord Montacute called at Iris' home on Markham Street to inquire whether she was feeling any ill effects from the adventure.

After having satisfied himself that she was none the worse for the unpleasant incident, he noticed that her glance fell on the newspaper lying on the table, and that, as it did so, a frown of displeasure showed on her brow. The paper, of course, contained a full and elaborate account of the affair.

"You are not angry with me?" he murmured, anxiously.

She raised her eyes to his face with a swift look of gratitude and comprehension.

"Angry? No! But—but was it worth the trouble, my friend?" he repeated.

"Worth the trouble!" he repeated. "I only hope he will give me the chance to punish him as he deserves—but don't be uneasy!" he added, quickly, for a look of alarm had come into Iris' face.

"He will be quite satisfied with what he has got. I know his grace too well. It is not the first time he has had a glass of wine thrown in his face. But he won't say any more about the matter. I came to speak of something else this morning," he added, as Paul went to the other end of the room.

"Iris, you have called me your friend; I want you to let me be one in reality, not in polite fiction only. I was your father's friend, remember, and I have, therefore, the right to ask you to listen to me."

"I think I know what you are going to say," said Iris, in a low voice, and with a look of trouble about her eyes.

"I want you to leave the stage," said Lord Clarence, earnestly. "Iris, it is not a life for you. Think of last night. There is not a day but you may be exposed to a like insult! Besides, it drives me mad to think of you, you, singing and acting for money! I know what you will answer; you will ask me what you shall do to independent in some other way than this!"

She shook her head again.

"Ah!" she murmured. "If you knew how hard it is for me to refuse you—anything! But I must refuse, dear friend! I think and I am wedded for life. I shrank from it at first as keenly as even you could have believed in destiny. Lord Clarence? Well, I think it is my destiny to develop into Mabel Howard, the actress! No, I cannot leave it, even if I wished to, and," she added, thoughtfully, "I don't know that I do wish it now! If I am not happy, I am, at any rate, content. It is only when I am before the footlights that I can forget myself, and—and the past. Don't say any more, dear friend!" she said, quickly, and with a sharp sigh. "It only pains me to have to refuse, and refuse I must!"

Lord Clarence obeyed her, just as Heron Coverdale had done, for, like him, he knew that it would be impossible to shake her resolution; so they sat and talked, and she told him of all that had happened to her, her eyes filling at times, and at others the rare smile shining on her face.

And then she insisted upon hearing his adventures, and when he had finished, she said, gently, but earnestly: "And now you will go home, Lord Clarence?"

He shook his head as resolutely as she could have done.



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forced her to realize how helpless and alone she was in the midst of the world.

"And I may come and see you now and again!" he said, wistfully, as he held her hand and said good-bye.

"Yes," she replied, with a sad smile. "But I would rather you went back to the Towers, much, much rather."

"And I would rather stay in London," he retorted. "Good-bye, Paul; you and I are old friends already, I hope."

"Any one who is Mabel's friend is mine," said the boy, simply, as he looked up at Clarence's face, with his great, earnest eyes.

So Clarence went on his way, if not made happy, at least with a load of anxiety and apprehension lifted from his heart. He had found her, and could see her now and again, and that was something!

CHAPTER XXIX. A TERRIBLE TEMPTATION.  
Lord Heron had been caught! That was what the county declared, and not one in a hundred but declined to believe that Lady Lillian Foyle had anything whatever the matter with her foot!

It was wonderful how soon her foot recovered from its injury after Lord Heron's proposal, and after a few days she was back at the Priory, and already beginning to make preparations for her wedding trousseau.

He had proposed to Lady Lillian on the spur of the moment when smarting under newspaper paragraphs which had announced Iris' engagement to Lord Montacute. If he regretted his hasty words, he did not admit such regret to himself. It was all a matter of pure indifference to him. If he could not marry Iris, it was of very little consequence whom he married, and, as Lady Lillian had declared that he could make her happy—well, some good would result of the bargain. For as to the prospect upon his approaching marriage, as a man avoids dwelling upon some event which has rendered inevitable, and which he does not regret.

It was a lovely evening, and after dinner Lady Lillian went and seated herself in a comfortable chair under the veranda to await Lord Heron, and to revel by anticipation in her coming triumph. She and Lord Foyle had decided on six weeks as a suitable length for the engagement.

Six weeks! They would soon pass, and then! As with a smile, she pictured herself, reigning the mistress of the Revels, the principal lady in the county, a man's step sounded on the smooth gravel. She thought it was that of Lord Heron; but suddenly it struck her that the footsteps were lighter than his, and turning her head, she saw a tall, dark man, standing within a few paces, and regarding her with an insinuating smile.

The man's face had an expression of confidence that was almost insolent in its ease, and struck her at once. As she turned her head, he raised his hat, a soft, broad wideawake, and in a smooth voice, said:

"Have I the honor of addressing Lady Lillian Foyle?"

Lady Lillian regarded him silently for a moment. She saw that he was a foreigner, and at once concluded that he had come to sell steel pens, or had brought a begging letter. Then, as she noticed that he was well and carefully dressed, she dismissed that idea, and wondering what the man could want, replied:

(To be continued)



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His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint: Messrs. Arthur Turner, (Happy Adventure, B.B.) and Frank Phillips, (Cape St. George's) to be Surveyors of the Land, and Mr. Henry John Giney to be a member of the Church of England Board of Education for the District of Change Islands, in place of Mr. George Elliott, retired. Dept. of the Colonial Secretary, Dec. 13th, 1921.

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Lloyd George as a Practising Lawyer  
In the Welsh town of his birth, young Lloyd George, fretted under the benevolent feudalism which restricted the villagers to vote for the candidates of the landowners of the neighborhood of the village, out of their own pockets. His uncle, Richard Lloyd, was a shoemaker with a property of his own which allowed him to be the only liberal voter in Llanyrdwyn. It was this uncle who supplied the money for Lloyd George's law education and his hatred for the servitude exacted by the proprietary class. The young solicitor's early cases were mostly those in defence of a poor villager who took a rabbit from the game preserve, or of the rich who soon realised that a man who had fish from prohibited waters was a good deal more hardily adventurous than the drunken brute who took his wife in some desperate fight. He differed from his associates by his lack of deference for the bench, which he frequently charged with unfairness.

While ratification between Britain and Ireland was urged by speakers, Lloyd George was received and was received with a rose to speak. He concluded between received so universal. It had been cleared. Of Britain quarter, and in the claim. He noticed criticised in some of the joining were by the pipe for which the much. Early in the George silenced interrogated him. The state of Ireland State with alleging turning to the U. phatically, "yes, and swearing all. Continuing the the Irish lead make peace between designed by Pro. gether in part. He would not sa. pealed to the me. not to say a wo. more difficult to set the present. into considera. more trad. and the of danger to George said the. had been land would ha. army or navy that a large s. mean a large. possibilities of the Inter. large armed fo. render, the P. it to be con. could be settle. the terms ar. associate with. in her grou. we have neg. world to mak. cause their. legs and co. successive rad. less repression. was affected. history, least. of a re. Irishman who. legitimate so. settlement. Government. ward bill, bo. than an allan. in her grou. do not sh. claimed. the Prime Min. siderable wa. that the agre. "we have sleep and pas. chair at the. was vacant. hospital a vie. the last per. ceased. But. rise I am s. will be there. the old motio. and's copyri. meaning. have it in. der. anxious.

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**FRANCHISE LEAGUE HOLDS SUCCESSFUL MEETING.**

The meeting held last night in the C.C.C. Hall by the Women's Franchise League in connection with civic affairs and the new Municipal Vote was very largely attended by both men and women. Mrs. W. G. Gosling presided, and in her opening remarks said that she was pleased to see so many present, showing as it did, that the importance of the occasion was properly appreciated. The occasion was, in fact, an unique one for it was the first gathering ever held in Newfoundland for the consideration of women's rights. On the following day, women would for the first time in the history of the country be permitted to exercise that right which had been so long denied them, the right to vote. It was only in a Municipal Election, it was true, but that was the stepping stone to greater things. It was a very definite forward step. Over 1000 women would be permitted to vote in the election, and they had come there this evening to receive some advice from men who had had a wide experience in civic affairs. She urged women to study the questions of the day, both social and political so that they may be well fitted to exercise the privilege of franchise. Mrs. Gosling then called upon Mr. C. P. Ayre, who was for many years a city councillor, to address the meeting.

**WOMEN'S PART IN HISTORY.**  
Mr. Ayre referred to the great part that women had played in history throughout the ages, and declared that in every case they had showed themselves possessed of marked ability. He asked them to consider well the qualifications of the candidates between whom they had to choose on the morrow, and he briefly told what the duties of a councillor should be. He hoped that all who were qualified to vote would take advantage of their newly acquired right, and that before very long he would see women as members of the Municipal Council. The next speaker was Dr. V. P. Burke, Deputy Minister of Education, who made an excellent and witty address. He believed that women should have a say in the management of the city. Government by half the people for the people was not democracy, and it was well time that women were enfranchised. He compared the city to a large house which required cleaning up, and who were better fitted to perform this work than the women? He referred to the high rate of infant mortality existing in St. John's, and said it was anything but creditable to the city, and he trusted that women would now try to stop the appalling crime which was being committed in our midst. We could have a brighter, better, more hygienic city if all did their duty, and he appealed to all who possessed a vote to make use of it. If the women polled a good vote in the coming election it would signify that they were determined to do their best for the community.

**EX-MAYOR EXPLAINS PROBLEMS.**  
Mr. W. G. Gosling, who was mayor at the time that the city charter was prepared and who was responsible for the enfranchisement of women, followed Dr. Burke, and explained fully the many problems with which the City Fathers have been and will be faced. He told of the responsibilities of the Council, and offered suggestions whereby civic conditions might be improved. He laid great stress on the necessity for the early payment of taxes, and he hoped the women would set a good example in this direction. Mr. Frank Bradshaw also offered several useful suggestions which if adopted, would go far towards improving conditions in the city. In the course of an exceedingly witty address, he pointed out the great need for improvement, and he stated that his motto in this connection was "Cleanliness is next to Godliness."

**APPRECIATION OF SPEAKERS.**  
In moving a vote of thanks to the speakers of the evening, the management of the hall, the C.C.C. Band, and Mr. A. Bulley, Mrs. Alan Fraser expressed the hope that women would appreciate their responsibility and govern themselves accordingly. Mrs. Hector McNeil seconded the motion, and spoke of the necessity for the advancement of education. Upon being put to the meeting, the motion was carried by acclamation. The National Anthem played by the C.C.C. Band brought the meeting to a close. Several prospective councillors were present during the evening.

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## A Moro Feast.

Out in the great sala Ah Fong and Arip Sali sat upon the divan of many colors, one on each side of a large, pretentious tripod tray, the highly polished brass of which gleamed under the single swinging-lamp, suspended from the center of the amaran ceiling. The old Celestial, in his embroidered, light blue satin jacket, was bent forward, holding a little rice-bowl in his left hand and sending the contents flying into his wide-open mouth with the tiny spoon in his right, while the Malay had encircled a flat plate with his left arm and, with his greasy fingers was shoving mandfuls of the white rice between black, filed teeth. Presently the serving-men in their short red jackets and skin-tight trousers brought in the raw turtles' eggs and dried sharks' fins. Arip mixed these with his chicken, dried-fish soup and rice, and swallowed great handfuls of the conglomerate mass. Ah Fong, having finished his rice, ate the eggs and fins alone, and then sat back with his hands turned upward upon his knees, waiting for the sugared cocoon, canned lilies and tea, for which the serving-men were already clearing a space on the mats.

Not a word had been spoken during the entire meal. But when the tea was placed upon the tray in its long-necked, ornamented brass pot, Arip Sali, straightening up from the labor of eating, looked at Ah Fong, wiped the perspiration from his face and ventured a remark.

"It is not often," he observed, "that I am not often that the rich merchant of the Pier condescends to parake of the humble fare of the poor chieftain of this wretched village."

"It is not always that the feet can step where the heart desires," quoted Ah Fong from the Book of Right Sayings and Satisfactory Truths, bending until his chin touched his breast.

"Aha!" cried Arip, swallowing the tea from his glass at a gulp. "Then there shall be the pipe of happiness for the friendship that must never break in two."—A. Dale Riley, in Asia Magazine.

## Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

### THE ART OF LIVING IN RENTED ROOMS.

Do you know how to make a rented room look homelike? A friend of mine who has lived a wandering life for some years, moving from one rented room to another, has reached a point of perfection in the fine art of living not too desolately in rented rooms that I feel I ought to share her methods with my readers.

Three Things She Carries With Her. Of course many of you have never lived in rented rooms and never expect to, but one can never tell what she may be called upon to do. And thousands of young people in every city must be living away from home in rented rooms.

My friend moves often so that it is not possible for her to carry many bulky accessories. Of course anyone can make a room look pleasant by carrying enough things but her art is that she carries very little and does not spend much money.

Three things she always does carry. One is a small shaded light with enough length of cord so that it can be placed anywhere in the room. This she considers absolutely essential, as no room can look other than dismal with only high lighting. She also carries her own puff which hung over the foot of the bed adds a lovely touch of color and makes her independent of insufficient or unsatisfactory bed clothing. The third article is a pretty cretonne cover for her trunk which thereby often becomes a window seat. The shade of the lamp, the puff, and the cretonne cover should be in the same tones, of course. As she thinks yellow brightens a room more than any other color that is the basis of her color scheme.

She Seldom Spends a Dollar. The things she buys are these: One yellow desk blotter for the desk, or the table which she asks for if there is no desk. One bowl for fruit, of a good design and color which she says can be picked up for ten cents. (The last time I saw her room she had a most artistic one of glazed brown pottery). One bowl for flowers or green stuff of similar cost. Some yellow tissue paper out of which she fashions simple shades for the wall lights.

She is a person of great artistic perception and appreciation so she takes down most of the pictures that she finds in the rooms she rents. In place of these she puts two or three of the beautiful reproductions that the magazines and the Sunday supplements supply us with nowadays. She mounts these on some simple cardboard—mount of her own devising, and fastens them on the wall, changing them from time to time.

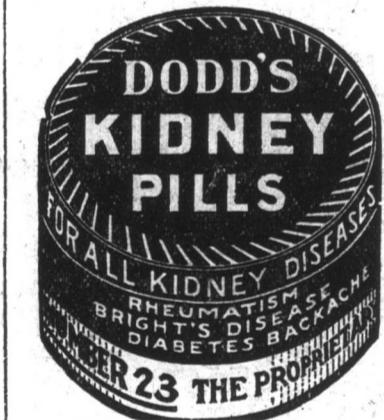
Sometimes, when she is to be for several weeks at any place she has a few bulbs growing in another of the inexpensive artistic bowls.

The Finest Ornament of All. If there is a mantel, a cover of quaint design and beautiful coloring, which she always carries with her, the bowl for flowers, her travelling clock and perhaps one of those wonderful ten-cent candlesticks make it attractive.

To these simple ornaments within the reach of all she adds one more, equally useful for anyone to have, the ornament of perfect immaculateness and order. And the result is that the simplest, barest room becomes homelike and habitable when she lives in it. Do you think I go too far in calling her manner of accommodating herself to her surroundings an art?

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## Wellington's Dramatic Love Story.

The first Duke of Wellington inspired a great deal of admiration and enthusiasm among women, and yet he declared in the last year of his long life that no woman ever loved him. This is strange, for sixty years earlier he had courted Catherine Pakenham, daughter of the second Lord Longford, who refused to sanction their union. At that time there was little in the future hero of Europe to attract favour, for we are told he was a shy and awkward youth. Still, he captured the heart of the Irish girl. With tears and mutual pledges of fidelity the lovers parted a few months later, when Major Arthur Wellesley was sent overseas to India. The years of severance that followed were bitter for both. Although he was winning many laurels on Indian battlefields, and the girl was reigning queen at the viceregal Court, they were both unhappy, for they were not allowed to communicate with each other. But to girl's heaviness was to come. Smallpox became rampant in Dublin and she was among the victims. She recovered, but only to find that the disease had swept away every trace of her beauty. When at last Wellesley returned to Ireland, crowned with

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**Shipbuilding at Standstill.**

H. FENNER, Editor, Marine Engineering.

The third year after the armistice the outlook for the shipping and shipbuilding still far from bright. The year in particular has been a very dark one for shipowners all over the world and those who were not established on a firm basis, have in many cases met with disaster. The old established lines, especially the old established British lines, with ample reserves of capital and its benefits of expert management have gone ahead refitting their fleets with vessels suited to particular trades that the lines

are engaged in, and preparing for the time when again carrying will again be on a normal basis. The large passenger carrying lines, with definite trades and services, have also replaced their war losses with ships of a suitable type, and are carrying on. The great effect of the slump has been felt by many of the companies organized during the boom years immediately succeeding the armistice, who bought ships at the ruling exorbitant rate, and made money for a short time on the exorbitant freight rates that were in force at the same time.

The difference in the shipping situation may be readily understood by the prevailing prices for tonnage. Thus sales are recorded in the British shipping press of recent date where vessels have changed hands at 26 per

cent, or about \$30 at normal exchange rates, the same vessel having been purchased in 1919 at a price of nearly \$30 per ton, or close on to \$150. With dropping freight rates, large numbers of tramp ships have been laid up, and are still laid up, and there is little relief in sight for some time to come.

**U. S. Fleet Laid Up.**

The great fleet of the United States Shipping Board is for the most part laid up, and the little experiment in shipowning carried out by our neighbors to the South, has already cost about \$300,000,000 per annum, and at the same time continually getting the State Department of the U. S. into recriminations with other powers through the ill advised attempts of

the Shipping Board executives to budgeon other nations into giving cargo to the ships of the Board. By their manoeuvres they were mainly responsible for a general lowering of freight rates on several occasions, and as the U.S. vessels cost considerably more than any other nations to keep afloat the more cargoes they received the more money they lost. The newly appointed Shipping Board is now trying hard to charter the boats or as many as they possibly can to private owners on a very advantageous charter form, but are not meeting with any great amount of success. If there is one nation who has had a lesson in public ownership it is the U.S.A., and signs are not wanting that they have learned it, at least as far as owning ships is concerned. Their shipbuilding industry which assumed such large proportions during the war, has returned to pretty near its pre-war state, excepting of course that the large yards are there, and are so far, not yet turned into any other channel of production.

In Canada, the war has receded, and the C.G.M.M. have finished building their ships, and the shipbuilding industry is also high on the rocks. There is a little building going on here and there, but it cannot be said to be on a normal basis. Out on the C. coast a passenger steamer has been built for the C.P.R. and the achievement was very creditable, but it is preposterous if any more will be built. Some small wooden barges are being built for the lumber trade, under the auspices of the Government and for the Government fleet. Some of the yards are turning their equipment to the manufacture of other goods than ships, the Port Arthur Co., in particular having gone into special machinery manufacturing. They of course still have their dry dock for repair work and all their equipment. The outlook for shipbuilding in Canada is about what it was before the war, and the outlook for our Government owned fleet is that of all shipping the world over, with this difference, that whatever the C.G.M.M. loses, the Canadian people will pay, and not as in a private concern, the shareholders only. Apart from whatever results may accrue from their operation, our \$300 a ton ships are to-day worth about \$30 per ton in the open market.

When she is to be the chief judge at a baby show it is usual for her to see to it that each babe exhibited gets some sort of a prize, for she infinitely hates to see any disappointed mothers after a show is over.

More and more frequently in these days, she is called the "children's princess." There is not a movement having anything to do with babies or young children in which she does not take a vital interest.

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Argument Regarding Painting by Old Master Ended by Application of a Modern Science Which is Used Chiefly to Detect Criminals—New Way to Discover Identity of Artists.

Sir Joseph Davenport, famous authority on questions of art, is being sued for a large sum by a woman who owns a picture which Sir Joseph is said to have declared a fraud. It is possible that Sir Joseph, if he tries to prove the truth of his assertion, may be able to do so by applying the thumb-print test. This test was recently employed with great success by Sir Charles Holmes, another art critic. The painting which was to be identified was Sir Vincent's "Madonna of the Rocks," which is a treasure of the National Art Gallery in London, and for which the goodly sum of \$45,000 was paid. This painting strongly resembles another, and even more famous picture of the same name in the Paris Louvre. The French picture was admittedly a de Vinci, and suspicion that the London painting was not a work of the artist, but that an artist like the great Leonardo would hardly paint two pictures so much alike. The French Madonna was a perfect work of art. Why then should he paint so similar a picture? Would he rather not expend his great genius upon another subject?

Beginning with these questions critics proceeded to find other evidences in support of their theory, that the London Madonna was the work of some inferior artist who had tried to imitate da Vinci's manner. It occurred to Sir Charles Holmes that the picture itself might contain absolute evidence of its authenticity. He knew that much of the most delicate modelling in oil painting has been done by softening the still moist paint with the finger and thumb up. Once these marks were made, and the paint hardened they would remain as long as the paint remained. Therefore, if these marks could be proved to be those of a certain painter, the genuineness of the painting would be settled beyond dispute. With a microscope he set to work and found on the London canvas certain lines, whorls and loops that could only have been made by the artist.

These were photographed and enlarged and turned over to the experts at Scotland Yard. Then an examination was made of other paintings which were da Vinci's beyond all question of doubt. These, too, were photographed, and the two were compared. The result showed that the London "Madonna of the Rocks" was undoubtedly the work of the great Florentine. This ingenious application of the science of finger prints to fa-

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finger prints to paintings ought to prevent subsequent disputes concerning their identity. It will also probably suggest to painters the wisdom of thus marking their paintings deliberately. Signatures, when made with a brush, are much less characteristic than when made by a pen, and are usually most carefully dabbed. It has been suggested that it was merely incidental to his modelling that da Vinci left his unmistakable trademark upon his paintings, but that he did it deliberately in the knowledge that these were not in the world two finger prints exactly alike.

That he should have reasoned to this conclusion hundreds of years before the fact was rediscovered is not astonishing to those who know something of the scope of this man's genius. He had been called the greatest genius who ever lived, and nobody ever so greatly excelled in so many spheres. He was a master in painting, sculpture, architecture and engineering. He constructed canals, of which the principle holds good to-day, and for Cesare Borgia did some remarkable work in military engineering. He was the originator of the science of hydraulics, and centuries before Harvey, divined the circulation of the blood, and something of the law of optics. That he should have anticipated Galton in the matter of the science of finger prints is not to be disbelieved any more than that Roger Bacon, with whom in many respects he might be compared, solved other mysteries hundreds of years before the rest of mankind understood them.

Of the "Madonna of the Rocks" an admirer has written:—

"How mysterious, how charming and strange is 'The Madonna of the Rocks.' A kind of basaltic cave, in which flows a stream that through its limpid waters shows the pebbles of its bed, shelters the holy group, while beyond, through the arched entrance to the grotto, lies a rocky landscape, sparsely set with trees, wherein a river runs; and all of this is of such a undefinable color that it seems like those faint wonderlands through which we wander in our dreams. And the adorable Madonna, with the pure oval of her cheeks, her exquisite chin, her downcast eyes circled by a shadowy penumbra, on her lips that vague and enigmatic smile which da Vinci loved to give the faces of all his women; she is a type of all Leonardo's own and recalls nothing of Perugino's 'Virgins of of Raphael's'—

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**ROGERSON—HOLMES.**  
The wedding of Miss Fan B. Rogerson, eldest daughter of W. P. and Mrs. Rogerson, and Mr. A. C. Holmes, son of the Rev. A. A. Holmes, late of Pouch Cove, but now residing at Wroxeter, Ontario, took place at the residence of Mrs. George Knowling, Remble's Mill Road at 8.30 o'clock last evening. The drawing room, in which the ceremony was held, was beautifully decorated with flowers. The marriage was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride, and the officiating clergyman was Rev. R. E. Fairbairn. The bride was beautifully gowned in shell pink charmeuse with silver trimming, and wore a very old veil, which had been lent by a friend. She was attended by Miss Metta Louise Orr and Miss Mary Rogerson, who wore pan velvet on a blue with silver. Miss Peggy Knowling was flowergirl, and Mr. Jack Paterson performed the duties of best man. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. W. P. Rogerson. After the ceremony Mendelsohn's Wedding March was rendered on the piano by Mr. Ern. Fox, and Miss Elsie Herder sang "O Promise Me." A reception was held at which a large number of friends of the bride and groom were present. Later in the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes left for Donovan's where they will spend their honeymoon. They will leave by S.S. Digby for Oporto, via Liverpool. The presents received were numerous and valuable, and testified to the popularity of both bride and groom. The Telegram extends its heartiest good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Holmes.

### COOMBS—TOMS.

Last night at Gower Street Church, Methodist Church, a very pretty wedding took place. Rev. W. Forbes performed the ceremony. The happy couple, who were united for life, were Miss Hilda Toms of LaSalle, St. Barbe District, and Mr. Lewis Coombs of Pogo. The father of the groom was Mr. Geo. Forsey of Burin, who also performed the duties of best man. Miss Vera James was bridesmaid. After the wedding service the bride and groom repaired to the home of Capt. George Green, on Penrynwell Road, with whom the groom is closely associated being mate of the Louisa W., commanded by Capt. Green. There a sumptuous repast prepared by Mrs. Green was partaken. Among the friends of the bride and groom assembled were Miss Vera James, Miss Spooner of LaSalle, Mr. Frank Green, cousin to Capt. Green, Mr. George Forsey, brother to Mrs. Green. An enjoyable time was spent by all. Mr. and Mrs. Coombs leave by S.S. Snares for Pogo, their future home. The Telegram extends its congratulations to the happy couple and wishes them many years of wedded bliss.—Com.

### Visiting Officers Entertained.

**BANQUET AT K. of C. ROOMS.**  
District Deputy R. J. McDonald and Bros. H. McNeil, T. H. Cook and Dr. Fraser were entertained at Columbus Hall last night by Terra Nova Council No. 1453. At 9.30 a splendid banquet was served by Miss M. Power of the Columbus Ladies' Association. At the conclusion the members repaired to the Council Chamber where they were addressed by State Deputy Cahill and Grand Knight Joseph Fitzgibbon. Speeches were also made by the visiting officers and a particularly fine address from Bro. McArthur of Sydney. The Council entertaining team then put on a programme of musical and vocal selections, parodies and tableaux which was greatly enjoyed by all. Bros. Rev. Fr. O'Brien, J. Walsh, L. Burke, R. J. Power, F. Jardine, A. Neary, M. Hackett, W. J. Garraway and Mr. Thomas Doherty rendered appropriate numbers and a very enjoyable social night was spent. The visiting delegates who leave shortly for their homes, were treated to a most entertaining reception and expressed their pleasure at the very enjoyable time they spent in Newfoundland.

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### Christmas Holidays in Britain.

By the King's proclamation, England, Ireland and Wales will this year have three and a half bank holidays in celebration of Christmas. This follows a precedent set in 1910, when Christmas also fell on Sunday. Tuesday will be a holiday as well as Monday.

### Our Local Pepys.

**HIS DIARY.**  
December 14th.—A foul morning, there being much wind and rain, which did put me in a most unpleasant mood. To Water Street and no news of any sort to be had. At noon to the Board of Trade and there find the discourse of the town to be about the election of candidates for the City Council, and of nothing else. Meeting Mr. O'Neil that is a Head Constable of the detective force, I did set about the extraction of news from him in my wildest manner, but to no avail. To several places, to pay what I owed. Amongst others to my bookseller, to pay for my books, which cost me more than I could pay for at one time. To the C.C.C. Hall to the women's meeting, but what it was about, I know not, for there were divers speakers all of whom did talk on a different matter, and I much confused thereby. With Mr. Outerbridge, that a candidate for councillor, to see the Bill's Rooms and so home, and to a consideration of how I should cast my vote in the election, did I but possess the franchise.

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### Labor Prospects in Great Britain.

(G. D. H. Cole, in The North American Review.)  
The pendulum has swung from industrial to political action. There are, indeed, two possible morales of the recent set-backs; and each of them is drawn by a section. The Communists, a small and recently established but growing party, draw the moral that nothing short of revolution will achieve the results desired by the labor movement. The constitutionalists of the Labor Party, on the other hand, see the need for intensive Parliamentary activity, with a view to a coming General Election, as the moral of the hour. The great bulk of the British Trade Union movement is certainly not Communist, through the preoccupation of Communists by the Government, and the demonstrated inadequacy of constitutional industrial action, have recently swung a good deal of sympathy in that direction. Nor is the bulk of the Labor movement strictly constitutionalist, as most of the Party leaders are. It is awayed by contemporary events and emotions, and will follow the leaders whose policy seems to promise best at a particular moment. Just now, the Labor Party, which suffered some eclipse during the period when industrial action was in the forefront, is again making great headway and would undoubtedly command the support of the great mass of the organized workers.

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