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## BUCKINGHAM CONFERENCE IS UNLIKELY TO EFFECT SATISFACTORY SETTLEMENT OF HOME RULE TROUBLE

Hindus Reported to Have Drowned Four of the Crew of the Steamer "Komagata Maru"

### KING'S COURSE WAS DICTATED BY A LIVELY APPREHENSION OF A CRISIS IN ARMY AFFAIRS

The Morning Post Says That the Army Council Had Represented That a Grave Military Situation Would be Created if Civil War Arose in Ireland

#### ONLY THE SMALLEST PROSPECTS OF AN AGREEMENT BEING REACHED

Expected That To-day Premier Asquith Will be Obligated to Announce That the Conference of Party Leaders Has Been an Absolute Failure

London, July 23.—At the close of a Cabinet Council meeting last night it became known that there was only the smallest prospects of the Home Rule Conference arriving at an agreement; its termination when it reassembles today is regarded as certain. Carson, it is understood, stands out for the complete exclusion of six counties of Ulster from the operation of the bill, including Fermanagh and Tyrone, while Redmond declines to go beyond the concessions Asquith already has made in permitting a referendum. Unless some way out of the difficulty is discovered at the eleventh hour it is believed the Premier will be obliged to announce the failure of the conference.

**Premier Now Blamed.** Asquith's assurances to Parliament assuming full responsibility for the King's speech and declaring that no constitutional precedent had been contravened, has allayed much of the angry feeling among the Liberals, or rather has transferred it from the King to the Premier himself.

Active negotiations are proceeding outside Buckingham Palace between the party leaders. The Premier had an interview with Lord Lansdowne and Andrew Bonar Law, Opposition Leaders, between two separate sittings of the Cabinet.

**Many Rumors Afloat.** All kinds of rumors are current; one that Churchill, the First Lord of the Admiralty, representing a minority in the Cabinet, and favoring "Clean Out" exclusion of Ulster had threatened to resign; another that the King will make another dramatic move at the conference and that a speedy general election has become inevitable.

The Unionist morning papers take a gloomy view of the prospects of the Home Rule conference. They assert that yesterday's meeting showed that any agreement on the exclusion question was impossible and they expect that the conference will be broken up today.

**Reason for Conference.** The Morning Post says it has reason to believe that one of the causes Home Rule conference was a series of recommendations from the army council representing that a grave military situation might arise from civil war in Ireland, and adds that it understands the King's speech to the conference contained references to matters not strictly Irish, which, with the consent of the conference, were omitted from the published report of the speech.

#### Paper Sues For Fifty Thousand

London, Ont., July 18.—The London Advertiser, the local Liberal organ has instituted a \$50,000 legal action against the London Free Press for alleged blackguardly attacks for some time past, and demands complete retraction of certain statements published.

#### MUCH INTEREST IN CONFERENCE

Enormous Crowds Gather Round the Gates of Buckingham Palace

London, July 22.—Interest in the Home Rule crisis overshadowed every thing else in the British Isles to-day. When the representatives arrived at Buckingham Palace this morning to continue the conference, they found an enormous crowd assembled in the open space before the gates of the Palace.

Openly, of course, both sides declare that they cannot withdraw from their present positions, but it is understood that Asquith is likely to submit to the conference a proposal to allow the Protestant counties of Ulster to vote together on the exclusion resolution, and that he may go so far as to change the time limit of six years as embodied in the amendment bill, which has already been dealt with by the Lords.

**Wants it Included.** Carson will make a fight to have County Tyrone included in this agreement and this proposition will, it is thought, provoke a tussel between the two sides which will decide the fate of the Conference.

The Conference was in session again for half an hour to-day, and then adjourned until to-morrow. At to-day's meeting the claims of the two opposing Irish parties, led by Redmond and Carson, formed the subject, and the question of the boundary and area to be excluded from the operation of the Home Rule Bill was presented to the Conference.

**Kept a Secret.** As neither the Nationalist nor Ulster Unionist leader possessed plenipotentiary powers, these claims must be submitted for the consideration of their respective party caucuses at each stage, so that the progress of the conference necessarily must be held secret.

As Redmond and Dillon left Buckingham Palace, and passed along the sidewalks in front of Wellington barracks they were given a great reception by the men of the battalion of Irish guards stationed there.

#### MRS. F. CARMAN IS OUT ON BAIL

Charged With "Manslaughter" in Connection With Killing of Mrs. Bailey

Mineola, N.Y., July 17.—Mrs. Florence Carman was arraigned in the supreme court here to-day before Justice Van Sicken, on an indictment returned yesterday charging her with manslaughter in the first degree for having caused the death of Mrs. Louise Bailey, a patient of the defendant's husband.

She pleaded not guilty and was given two weeks in which to change her plea or demur to the indictment. Counsel for Mrs. Carman suggested that she be liberated under \$20,000 bail, and to this District Attorney Smith agreed.

The prisoner looked very wan and pale when brought from the jail to the courtroom. Her husband, Dr. Edwin Carman, stood beside her. When the preliminaries of giving bail were adjusted he said he would take her out of the village at once.

#### U. S. APPEALS TO THE RIVALS

Asks Villa and Carranza To Co-operate in Interest Of Peace

Washington, July 22.—Secretary Bryan's appeal to the two Constitutional leaders, Carranza and Villa, to eliminate any personal differences that might exist between them, is interpreted at Washington to-day as the American Government's preliminary step to prevent counter-revolts after the entry of Carranza into Mexico City.

An appeal to Carranza is made at President Wilson's command by his personal representative, who left Monterey to accompany the revolutionary chief to Tampico. An early answer is expected.

Both Wilson and Bryan have reached the determination that when the Constitutionalists have triumphed, and a responsible government is set up, revolutions in the southern republic must end.

#### SNAKES KILLED 900 PERSONS

Terrible Death Roll in India In 1913 as a Result of Poisonous Bites—Much Higher Than in 1912—Wild Animals Kill Thirteen Hundred Cattle

Bombay, July 18.—Just over nine hundred deaths which so far have come to the notice of the authorities, were caused by wild animals in 1913, as compared with 794 in 1912. Snakes accounted for all but ten of this total in 1913 and for all but eight in the preceding year. These two years are the only ones in the last eighteen years in which casualties from snake-bites have been below 900. Altogether 3,080 snakes were destroyed throughout the Province.

Two persons were killed by wolves in Gurgaon and one in Karnal, two by leopards in Gurdaspur, two by hyaenas—one in Kangra and one in Umbhalla—and three deaths were caused by the "gohera," or poisonous lizard (Eublepharis macularius), in Hissardistrict.

The number of cattle killed by wild animals was 1,562, as compared with 1,799 in the preceding year. Bears and leopards were chiefly responsible for this destruction. Large amounts were paid in rewards for the destruction of these animals.

#### STEERAGE RATES ARE INCREASED

Berlin, July 22.—The North German Lloyds and Hamburg-American lines to-day decided to raise the rates for steerage passengers from Germany to the United States by \$2.50, thus bringing them up to \$13.50.

#### CHARGED WITH THREATS TO KILL

Sequel to Attempted Murder And Arson at Montreal Race Track

Montreal, July 18.—Two deliberate attempts were made early Wednesday morning to destroy the stables, stands and other buildings at the Dorval Park race track for which attempts, as well as on a charge of threatening to murder, John Rice, 44 years of age, of No. 5 Wretham Avenue was taken into custody yesterday afternoon.

#### FIVE KILLED BY EXPLOSION

Panama, July 22.—A premature explosion at the Cucaraca slide today, killed five workmen, four white, and severely injured seventeen negroes.

#### \$300,000 DAMAGE BY A CLOUDBURST

Much Property Destroyed in New Brunswick—1,000,000 Logs Swept Away

Apoahqui, N.B., July 21.—A cloudburst Saturday morning during the most disastrous storms in the memory of the residents of Apoahqui, caused damage in that section conservatively estimated at \$300,000 and will result in the closing of the Jones Brothers mill at Apoahqui owing to the loss of one million of logs, and the wrecking of the end of the structure by the mighty flood in the mill-stream.

#### Hot Weather Stories Continue To Come In

Here's One About a Fear-some Adventure of a Milker

Windsor, Ont., July 22.—Norman Collins, a 12-year-old Windsor boy, spent part of his vacation on a farm near Collam last week, but he is back home again and declares he is through with pastoral affairs forever.

The lad was milking a cow during an electrical storm, when a lightning bolt struck the animal, killing it instantly.

Collins was leaning back on the milking stool when there was a blinding flash and the cow dropped, having been struck on the forehead.

#### SHIP 'PLANE' 'AMERICA' HERE AUGUST FIRST

Porte and his Men are About Through With Preliminary Tests

EVERYTHING GOES SATISFACTORILY

Aviator Hopes to Start From Here Before Middle Of August

Hammondsport, N.Y., July 20.—Lt. John C. Porte, who will command the Rodman Wanamaker transatlantic flying expedition, speaks confidently of the prospects for the attempt to be made early in August.

"It looks very much now," he says, "as if we would be able to ship the America by steamship to Newfoundland on August 1, and I expect to go with her at that time: While here I shall see Captain F. Creagh-Osborn, who returns to England aboard the Aquitania, of the Cunard line, next Tuesday. We now have all the instruments needed for the flight through his assistance."

**Trying Time.** Lieutenant Porte appears slightly worn by the anxieties of the recent experiments, but had brightened perceptibly since the good results were obtained in Wednesday's trials.

He hopes that the America will rise with her full load of nearly a ton after the present reconstruction of the hull is completed in the rough, possibly by Sunday or Monday. After this is achieved the aircraft will be taken from the shore of Lake Keuka to the Curtiss factory, about a mile away, to receive the finishing touches. This work must be ended by Tuesday, July 28, to give sufficient time for dismantling, packing and shipping the big flying boat to the Red Cross steamship pier in Brooklyn in time to put her aboard the steamship leaving on Saturday, August 1.

#### HINDUS HOLD IMMIGRATION OFFICERS AS HOSTAGES?

B. C. Authorities Find it Almost Impossible to Get Rid of Unwelcome Immigrants—Hindus Got All the Grub They Needed and Still Refuse to Move Out—Two Government Officials Said to be Kept Prisoner on Board the Hindu Ship

Vancouver, July 23.—Rumors are afloat that the Hindus have again taken possession of the Komagata Maru, that they have gotten rid of the crew and that four members of the crew have been drowned. Up to the present there has been no means verifying these reports.

It is further stated that two immigration officials are aboard the Maru whose names cannot be ascertained, and that they are being held as hostages.

#### HINDUS RESIST LAW OFFICERS

Prevented Them From Boarding the Komagata Maru—Showered Down Coal, Bags, Machinery and Other Articles, Seriously Injured Twenty Men

Ottawa, July 20.—The following important statement concerning the Hindus at Vancouver was handed out by E. Blake Robertson, acting Superintendent of Immigration, Saturday afternoon:

"The captain of the Komagata Maru was given until six o'clock last night to state whether or not he intended to obey the deportation orders, which had been served upon him covering the 350 rejected Hindus. Shortly after that hour he reported that the passengers prevented him from getting up steam, and asked for assistance. About 160 policemen and immigration officers went out to the vessel in the largest tug available, but were unable to gain the decks of the Komagata Maru in the face of the stubborn resistance offered by the Hindus on board, who from all parts of the ship hurled down on the officers coal, iron bars, pieces of machinery, hatchets and clubs, injuring men and smashing the window of the tug.

**Shots Were Fired** "Some shots were fired by the Hindus, but the officers, although armed, in the anxiety to prevent bloodshed, if possible, did not return the fire, and at 2 a.m., realizing the difficulty in reaching the decks from the tug, returned to shore taking with them their twenty injured, among whom was the captain of the tug suffering from two broken ribs. Fortunately none of the injuries received are likely to prove fatal.

"The self restraint of the police and immigration officers under great provocation is appreciated and highly commended by the acting Minister, Hon. C. J. Doherty.

**Determined to Enforce the Law** "While desirous that no unnecessary violence shall be used the Government is determined that the law shall without fail be effectively and rigidly enforced, and with this end in view has authorized the use of the Rainbow to affect a boarding of the vessel, when, if necessary to obtain control the full number of Hindus will be handcuffed, an action which is fully justifiable.

"The Government has instructed its agents to deport the rejected Hindus on the Empress of Japan next Thursday, if it appears that deportation by the Komagata Maru cannot be effectively accomplished. The Government is also taking legal proceedings against the masters and charterers of the Komagata Maru."

Last evening Mr. T. A. MacNab's motor car collided with a horse at King's Bridge.

The auto was slightly damaged and one of the carriage shafts was bent.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Toronto (noon)—Moderate to fresh E. Winds, showery. Friday: Moderate winds and mostly fair.

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Vienna, July 19.—A wedding whose guests numbered over 8,000 persons and whose festivities continued for eight days, was celebrated recently at Sadagora in Bukowina, one of those remote country districts of Austria-Hungary where mammoth festivities on a scale utterly unknown in Western Europe are the rule. The affair at Sadagora exceeded in magnificence and lavish hospitality any function on record in that district, however. It was a Hebrew wedding. Sadagora enjoys a certain fame in Eastern Europe as the seat of the renowned Rabbinical dynasty known as the Miracle Rabbis. The bride was the daughter of the Grand Rabbi of this line, Aaron Friedmann, and the groom, Salomon Friedmann, belongs to a branch of the same Rabbinical dynasty at Czortkow. The marriage was arranged by the chiefs of the two families, entirely without the knowledge of the young people. In fact, they met for the first time only the evening before the wedding at a preliminary feast, when they danced together as a sign of their willingness to marry.

Invitations Galore.

The chiefs had taken it for granted that there would be no hitch in their plans and had invited the Rabbinical

families of all the orthodox Jews in Russia, Poland, Roumania, Galicia and Hungary. They came down on Sadagora in thousands. Many were of imposing stature and patriarchal dignity. They wore black silk caftans, low shoes and white stockings, while their ladies were attired in a sort of crinoline and adorned with rich jewels. There were some dressed in the latest modes of Paris and Vienna.

The ceremony took place in the gardens of the Grand Rabbi's palace, guarded by mounted troops. Thousands were unable to hear or see what was going on, so dense was the throng, but all had a hand in the feasting which followed. During the eight days the commissary's books accounted for 200 pounds of fish, 500 head of poultry, 250 pounds of beef, 5,000 pounds of bread and many casks of wine. The Grand Rabbi was out of pocket to the extent of at least \$40,000.

In addition to this he presented the bridal couple with a palace in Sadagora, completely-furnished and equipped with a staff of servants. He will meet the entire cost of the household for a period of six years, when it is assumed that the young bridegroom will have attained a position where he can support his family himself.

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## DANGER OF STRIKE THOUGHT OVER

Representatives of Illinois Railwaymen Accept Offer Of Federal Authorities To Mediate in Their Dispute With General Railway Managers.

Chicago, July 18.—Danger of a strike of engine crews of Western railroads was deferred last night when the representatives of the men accepted an offer of mediation by Wm. L. Chambers, chairman of the Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation. The meeting with the full board will begin here July 20.

The committee of the General Managers of the western railroads and the chiefs of the Brotherhoods of Railway Engineers and Firemen spent today in preparation to submit their wage dispute to the Federal Board of Mediation, hastening here from Washington to open sessions Monday.

### Accepted Mediation

Acceptance by the men's leaders late yesterday of the federal offer of mediation after they had declined to consider it, alleging that the roads had not been bound in the past by arbitration courts decisions, roused hopes that the wide differences between the engineers and firemen and their employers might be adjusted. No compromise offers between the

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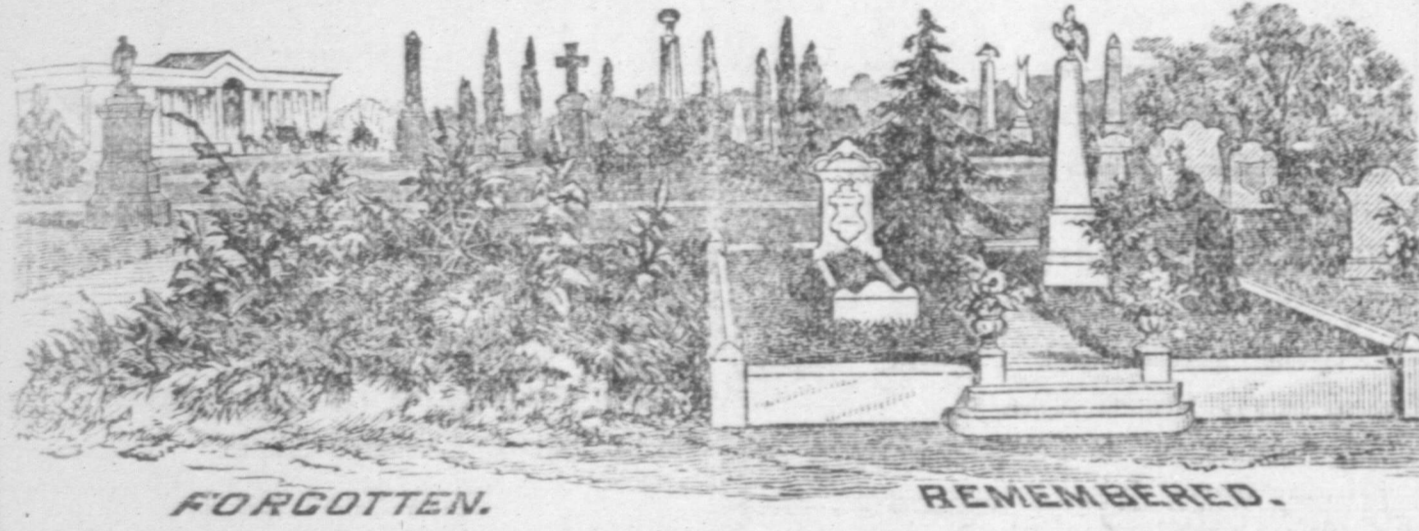
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The King of Siam will be represented at the Panama-Pacific international exposition by his brother, Rajani, and he will send also a sacred white elephant, Siamese dancing girls and other features typical of the nation. A battalion of Siamese troops is to attend, and the officers will be carried in the king's private yacht.

### Civic Aeroplane

Dallas, Texas, is the first city officially to enter an aeroplane in the around-the-world aviation race of the Panama-Pacific international exposition. Capt. J. H. Worden, aviator now with the Mexican federal army, is to be the pilot, and the machine is called "The Dallas." The city has agreed to build the machine and will back his flight with \$250,000. He is the first aviator to participate with his machine in actual warfare in the western hemisphere.

One of the most important corollaries of the aerial race around the world organized by the Panama-Pacific international exposition will be the bringing together at the exposition of the Sixth World's Aeronautical Congress of such men as Ch. Maurain, Le Directeur Institut Aero-technique de l'Université de Paris; R. T. Glazebrook, C.B., H.A., D.E., F.R.S., Director National Physical Laboratory, Teddington, England; chairman British government advisory committee on aeronautics; Baron

Deutsche de la Mourthe, president Aero Club of France; Dr. L. Prandtl, University of Gittingen, are among the delegates to the congress who will come from all over the world to discuss the advances made in the science of aerial navigation and to consider from a scientific standpoint the results of the world flight.

### Sixth of Its Kind

This congress, the sixth one of its kind that has ever been held, will be the first that has been brought together since the real development of practical aviation. The first was assembled at Paris in 1889 on the initiative of Jamesen, the French astronomer, and each of the succeeding congresses have been held coincidental with universal expositions. Eleven years passed before the second congress was held in 1900, and six more before the third at Milan.

Ground has been broken on the site of the Ohio building of the Panama-Pacific international exposition. The Ohio site adjoins the site of the Illinois building.

The Vanderbilt cup and the Grand Prix automobile races have been granted to the Panama-Pacific international exposition for 1915. Hollis E. Cooley, chief of special events of the exposition, and W. L. Hughson, chairman of the racing committee, have returned from New York City, where they made the necessary preliminary arrangements for the races.

General Loynaz del Castillo, Cuban exposition commissioner, has informed the department of horticulture of the Panama-Pacific international exposition that Cuba will send specimens of all its principal floral species, and that a special ship will come through the Panama canal, landing its cargo directly at the exposition grounds.

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Tremendous Increase in  
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Ottawa, July 18.—According to the French General Statistical Office which has been compiling the world population it will not be so many generations until the globe is populated. According to the estimates the present population is 1,650,000,000, an increase since 1861 of 500 millions or 43 per cent. The figures have just been received by the Ottawa statistical branch, and have been examined with interest.

The increase between 1811 and 1861 is placed at 250 millions or 28 per cent, and between 1761 and 1811 at 150 millions or 20 per cent.

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**OUR POINT OF VIEW**

**CIVIC MATTERS.**

CITIZENS are taking a keen interest in municipal matters and these subjects are being freely discussed since the new commissioners took charge.  
 The question of sewerage and the collection of garbage is a live one, and the Sanitary Committee have busy times ahead in improving the present system.  
 That improvement is necessary is admitted by all. The nightly visits of the "chariots" are objectionable. In some parts of the city they may be necessary, but in many places they should be stopped.  
 The ever increasing cost of cleaning the town is almost alarming and there is very little adequate returns. Time was, 20 years ago, when a much better service was given by the sanitary department. Then the employees spent upward of five hours daily removing the night soil. At the present and for some years back this work is performed in one hour and a half each day.  
 The men—30 in all—leave the stables at 2 o'clock, midnight, with 15 horses; they return between 1 and 1.30 a.m. Some go to their homes and sleep until about five o'clock, while others remain around the sanitary department.  
 This shows that for four hours every working day that thirty men and fifteen horses are idle.  
 This means a heavy expenditure and goes to prove the unbusinesslike and extravagant system prevailing in the sanitary department.  
 These men after their four hours rest start in again and work away until 12 o'clock.  
 In the meantime a similar number of men commence at 7 a.m. to assist in the cleaning of the town.  
 This, obsolete and costly practice should be inquired into and a more economical change introduced and adopted.  
 This can be done, simply by dividing up the staff of men and horses.  
 The loss of time can reasonably be estimated at four hours per day for every day of the year, less Sundays.  
**ADVERTISE IN THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE**

**PLURAL VOTING**

THE Liberal Government of Great Britain is particularly desirous of holding on to office long enough to legislate the Plural Voting Bill on to the Statute Book. The measure has already been passed twice by the House of Commons and rejected each time by the House of Lords.  
 Under the Parliament Act, any measure passed three times by the House of Commons becomes law, with or without the concurrence of the House of Lords. Hence Asquith is anxious to hold another session of the House of Commons to put the Plural Voting Bill through for the third time.  
 The measure aims at effecting a great and necessary reform.  
 In certain parts of Great Britain the possession of property, irrespective of its value or occupation, entitles the owner to a vote, even though he may possess voting rights in other constituencies. Thus property owners may, at any one election, be able to cast two or more votes.

The new Franchise, or, as it is popularly known, Plural Voting Bill, aims at abolishing this state of affairs, basing the possession of the franchise on occupation rather than ownership and establishing the principle of "one man, one vote."  
 When the Bill was up before the House of Commons last May, Sir Robert Finlay, speaking for the Opposition objected to it on the ground that, contrary to the tenor of all previous reform measures, it was a disfranchising rather than an enfranchising measure, and he stated that it would take away five hundred thousand votes.  
 "It is true that the Bill does get rid of half a million votes at a general election, but it does not deprive a single elector of the right of voting once," said The Westminster Gazette, commenting on this speech.  
 "If Sir Robert Finlay calculates rightly the Unionist party has a majority of 300,000 plural voters. Supposing that in votes actually cast the plurality has not been more than 200,000 we are faced by the fact that the Unionists have never won a vote majority as great as that in any general election. That is to say, Unionism has never had a majority of the actual electors behind it."

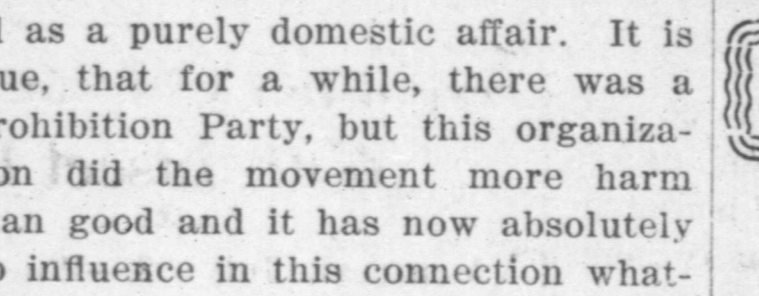
**UNPLEASANT FEATURE.**

ONE very unpleasant feature of the recent elections in Manitoba, at which the Robin Government so narrowly escaped defeat after holding office for over a dozen years, was an attack made on Rev. C. W. Gordon, the author-minister so well known as "Ralph Connor," by Hon. Arthur Meighen, a Cabinet Minister.  
 Dr. Gordon was taking an active part against Sir Rodmond Roblin and Mr. Meighen attempted to offset his influence by charging that the temperance advocate had received divided cheques from an hotel which ran a licensed bar, attempting, of course, to prove that, while Dr. Gordon was posing as a champion of temperance, he was receiving an income from the liquor business.  
 "What were the facts, as conclusively proven by the libelled divine?"  
 Dr. Gordon, and some other active temperance leaders in Winnipeg started a temperance hotel at Neepawa. The enterprise failed any they were forced to sell out. Dr. Gordon received a cheque for \$40 from the purchasers, his sole return from \$250 invested in the original undertaking.  
 This cheque was signed by J. H. Howden, representing the purchasers, who now operate a licensed bar in the "new hotel and it was a copy of this that Mr. Meighen produced on the platform as "proof" of Dr. Gordon's alleged hypocrisy.  
 Nowadays it seems that the man who ventures into the political field with the hope and high purpose of bringing about some great and necessary reform must risk his reputation; must figure on becoming the butt and target of the unscrupulous and the slanderer.  
 That was the experience of Dr. Gordon in Manitoba; it has also and quite recently, too, been the experience of the reformer in Newfoundland.

**PROHIBITION IN THE U.S.A.**

WITH the party campaign cries of Ontario and Manitoba still ringing in our ears, it is interesting to turn to a consideration of prohibition as it is and as it has been effected in the United States of America.  
 In the two recent Canadian elections referred to the opposition adopted temperance reform as part of their party campaign platform and their opponents were, therefore, to some extent, at least, regarded as putting up a fight against this movement.  
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**TO THE EDITOR**

**A SAD CASE**

(Editor Mail and Advocate)  
 Dear Sir,—Saturday last was indeed a sad and gloomy day in the little settlement of Kelligrews, for while the devouring fire brought destruction to the beautiful church and school, and left two poor families destitute and homeless, and while hundreds poured in from nearby settlements to witness the appalling sight, a still sadder scene was taking place in the home of Mr. William Hennessey, where his faithful and loving life partner was breathing her last.  
 Mrs. Hennessey was a great sufferer for the past two months, and having given birth to a baby girl some three weeks ago, her condition became very serious.  
 Dr. Pritchard was attending her for the last week, but her case was hopeless, and although everything possible was done for her it was unavailing and her spirit passed out of the great beyond at 6.15 p.m. on Saturday.  
 The Rev. Canon Colley was daily at her bedside and contributed in making her end the happy one it was.  
 She was quite conscious to the last and received Holy Communion a few hours before death. She has arrived at the age of 42 years and leaves a young family, consisting of two sons and three daughters, as well as her sorrowing husband, with whom the whole community sympathises.  
 Mrs. Hennessey was formerly a Miss Hibbs, being a sister of Richard Hibbs, Chairman of the F.P.U. Council here.  
 Kelligrews, July 21st, 1914.

**UNFORTUNATE**

(Editor Mail and Advocate)  
 Dear Sir,—The saddest feature of the disastrous fire which destroyed the chapel and school house as well as the Walsh and Craig homes, here on Saturday is the destitute condition in which Mr. Craig and his family are reduced. These poor people lost everything they possessed, with the exception of a couple of beds, a cart and plough. The former was saved at much risk by Miss Flossie LeDrew and Mrs. Adams, and the latter by the presence of mind of the Rev. Canon Colley, who called on some men, who assisted him in putting these implements in safety.  
 The rev'd gentleman worked indefatigably and by advice and action inspired the people to stay the progress of the fire, which might have wiped out every home in Kelligrews.  
 An appeal will be made on behalf of the Craig family both on this shore and in the city, and we commend this case to all charitable disposed citizens, who we feel sure will respond in this case as they have so nobly in the past.  
 R.H.

**TITANIC VICTIM LEFT BIG ESTATE**

**Mark Fortune Was Worth a Million and a Half Dollars**  
 Winnipeg, July 18.—In the matter of the estate of Mark Fortune, who lost his life in the Titanic disaster application was made in the surrogate court before Judge Meyers to pass the accounts and fix the compensation payable to the Executors The Standard Trust Company.  
 This was the largest estate ever put through the surrogate court here. It totalled \$1,538,250. His Lordship awarded the trust company a total of \$41,000.

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**POEMS OLD and NEW**

**NIGHTFALL**

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 Has turned to mist; all stir  
 Of wind among the leaves grows  
 Less.  
 Only the night, only the night again,  
 On soft-shod feet is here,  
 Trailing forgetfulness—  
 Throughout this quiet country, which  
 all day  
 Lay shadowed with no more  
 Of light than lingers when the  
 sun has fled  
 Behind a cloud. O! living gray,  
 Passionate land—what flame burns  
 at the core.  
 Of this still earth I tread?

Pale flame—faint smoke,  
 Slow circling in enchanted twilight  
 spun  
 From drowsy ecstasy,  
 Which like a magic cloak,  
 Fashioned far out of sight, far  
 from the sun,  
 Rests lightly spread upon the  
 earth and sea.  
 —Margaret Sackville, In The Nation.

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**STORM CAUSED FIVE WRECKS**

**Local Gale With the Unusual Accompaniment Of Dense Fog and Heavy Thunder and Lightning Sweeps Nova Scotia Coast—No Lives Lost**  
 Halifax, July 20.—A forty mile gale with the unusual accompaniment of dense fog and heavy thunder and lightning swept the Nova Scotia coast on Saturday and caused the most damage to shipping wrought by any one storm since the historic Saxby gale of forty years ago.  
 Two steamers, a bark and two big schooners were driven ashore at various points, and all will likely be total losses. The two steamers and one of the schooners struck within a stretch of ten miles on the southeastern coast of Cape Breton, in a period of ten hours.  
 All five crews escaped safely, although in several instances they had narrow escapes for their lives. One of the most striking circumstances connected with the disasters is that not one of the five craft flew the Red Ensign. Two were American, one a Norwegian, one Italian, and the fifth of Cuban registry.  
 One of the steamers and the bark were formerly British owned.

**Strayaways Here**

Edward Frazzel and Charles Silver, fishermen of the Canadian banker Artizan, arrived in the city this morning.  
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 St. Petersburg, July 22.—Russia is about to recognize as legitimate the emigration of her surplus millions to countries other than Europe, and the ministry of commerce has submitted to the cabinet a bill to abolish some of the penalties hitherto attaching to unauthorized emigration.  
**Cash Sent Home.**  
 The bill in its preamble specially alludes to the 281,000 emigrants from Russia to America last year, and also to the fact that \$50,000,000 was remitted to Russia in 1913 by Russian subjects who have settled on the other side of the Atlantic. In place of the expensive passports which heretofore have been necessary to everybody desiring to depart from Russia permits will be issued at the cost of only ten cents in future.  
**Fine to be Abolished.**  
 The fine of \$7.50 half yearly until now inflicted on absentees who have been more than six months abroad is to be abolished in the case of those returning on board Russian steamers. The bill also provides for the establishment of a fund to assist emigrants at the Russian ports and abroad, and for the appointment of special commissions to defend their interests in foreign countries. Emigration agents by one clause of that bill are made liable to imprisonment for holding out false inducements to emigrants.

**Found Wounded**

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Officers Require Considerable Income to Maintain Necessary Appearances

The demand for a "democratization" of the army, such as was raised in England after the Curragh incident, has long been known in Germany. But it comes from the Social Democrats alone. The rest of the country, however much it may protest against particular restrictions, agrees on the whole with the attitude and arguments of those in authority. In a conscript army, it is said, the officers' corps must inspire respect, and without "birth and training" respect is impossible. As a result, for all practical purposes, the army remains the prerogative of a special class.

From every officer aspirant in Germany is demanded proof that he springs from an "honorable and reputable family," and this demand is strictly interpreted. No one whose relatives are touched with the taint of retail trade can expect admission, no son of a subordinate civil servant, of a commercial or financial employee of a "Volkschullehrer," of anyone in fact below the academic class or that of the larger industrialist. The Jew too, is

strictly excluded. Theoretically there are no restrictions of creed, but there the officers themselves step in with their veto. Every regimental mess has the right to elect its new members and although in the past the kaiser himself has consented to propose Jewish candidates, they have been invariably rejected. In Bavaria there are occasional exceptions, but even here the Jewish officer is very rare.

As the result of this right of election many regiments are still exclusively noble and for the "burgedlich" officer the field of choice is strictly limited. In part this is the result of tradition, which assigns particular regiments to officers from particular families. But to a large extent it is due to the fact that the aristocrat naturally prefers service in Berlin or some other large centre of the dreary round of garrison duty on the Russian or French frontier. To the lieutenant of noble birth every mess is open, to the non-noble only those which are not already filled by his aristocratic competitors.

**No Promotion From Ranks.**  
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a non-commissioned officer has been made lieutenant, but in every case these "ranker" officers have been put on the retired list at the end of the war. Occasionally, too, as a reward for most exceptional services, a non-commissioned officer is raised on retirement to commissioned rank, but as the title is little more than honorary it forms no real exception to the general rule. The officers of the clothing and supply departments have, it is true, almost all risen from the ranks, but the line of distinction drawn between these officials and the active officer is very sharp. Even the army surgeon himself is treated as an inferior and has no right of admission into the officers' mess.

In general it may be said that for the German officer a private income is essential. It is perhaps just possible for him to drag out an existence on his very meagre pay in one of the frontier garrisons, where mess expenses are small and no social demands are made upon his purse. But even then the difficulties of making both ends meet are so great that only quite exceptional

characters have determined enough to continue the struggle. For the sons of officers who have distinguished themselves in the state service an exception is made in that financial aid is very often given out of the kaiser's private purse. In the two personal regiments of the kaiser, the Guards du Corps and the 1st Foot Guards, both of which are stationed in Potsdam, financial help is said to be almost invariably given, and that in very large amounts.

Before entering the army and before permission is given for him to marry the officer must produce evidence to show that he is able to support himself "in a manner befitting his station." This necessary income varies with every regiment. In some exceptional cases, as has been said, it is just possible for the officer to live on his pay. In the Guard Cavalry, the most select of all regiments, an income of at least £400 to £600 is required. In certain Westphalian and Silesian regiments, patronized particularly by the scions of the great industrial families, the standard of living is probably much higher. But in general heavy expenditure is discouraged, and running into debt is fatal to an officer's career.

**Caste and Promotion**  
Whether birth still plays an important part in the promotion of the officer within the army itself it is difficult to judge. There are many complaints among Liberals and Socialists that the non-noble officer can never hope for a position of real authority. At the first glance this charge would

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appear to be well grounded, since no officer of really high rank bears a "burgerlicher" name. But the injustice is more apparent than real. In practice the non-noble officer, if he shows real merit, is rarely kept back; he is promoted, and at the same time receives a patent of nobility. In this way the efficiency of the army and the shibboleth of caste are equally maintained.

To the impartial observer, with the experience of other armies before him there can be little doubt that the supposed military interests which demand these class distinctions are nothing more than the interests of the privileged class itself. Nevertheless, one thing must be said in justice to the German aristocrat. As an officer he takes his duties very seriously, and, unless appearances are very deceptive, still performs them as well if not better than the officers of more democratic armies. Politically the aristocracy as a class may be one of the greatest stumbling blocks in the way of Germany's development: from the purely military standpoint it is still an enormous asset.

### Attempts Suicide With Insect Powder

Montreal, July 18.—When the man Marie Felcovitch expected to marry said with a tragic air, "Then it's all off—I'm going West." Marie walked into the kitchen and taking a package of insect powder swallowed as much of it as she could. Then her relatives wanted to lynch the young man.

Hearing that there was trouble in the Polish quarter, Captain Turner, of the Frontenac street police station hurried out with reserves. In her home at 306 Harbor Street, he found the young woman and at once sent for a doctor, who sent her to Notre Dame Hospital.

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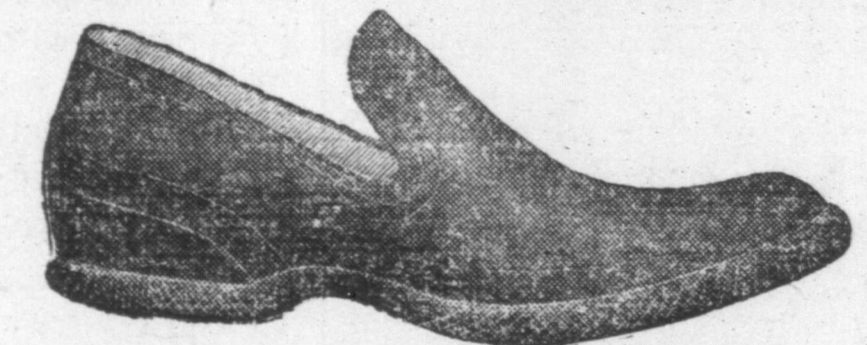
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### ASK THE POWERS TO INTERVENE

On Behalf of Hundreds Of Thousands of Albanian Refugees

Rome, July 18.—The mayor of Avlona and the president of the Italian National Committee have sent a message to the Tribuna reporting that Greek regulars, disguised as Epirates, are coming over the frontier in large numbers, and have driven before them 100,000 Albanians. Some of these fugitives have arrived at Avlona in a deplorable condition.

The message concludes with an appeal to the Powers to intervene and end an intolerable situation.

### LOOK OUT NOW!

Everybody's doing it now? Doing what? Why, reading The Mail and Advocate of course. It's surely the house paper now! Without doubt the most widely circulated in the country.

## MACHINE, NOT A GIRL.

By Mildred Houston Hemingway.

"**T**HEN you do love me," he whispered, as he held her in his arms and tried to reach her lips with his.

Rosy made no audible reply, but gave a little sigh of satisfaction and cuddled closer in the encircling arms.

"You'll never let anything come between us?" he pleaded, this time succeeding in turning the pretty face to his, and preventing any reply by covering the little mouth. At last, however, Hugh managed to gain from the bashful young girl her confession of love, and then the two began planning for an early marriage. This was Tuesday night.

Wednesday morning a cloud arose on the horizon of their love. Rosy was singing at her work around the house, when Kathryn Steward ran up the steps. Kathryn had been married three months, and Rosy was extremely anxious to confide her engagement to her friend, so she ran to open the door. Before their greetings were fairly over she began to pave the way for her confession.

"Hugh was here last night," she smiled.

"Hugh who?" Kathryn asked, although she knew as well as Rosy.

"Hugh Howard."

"Well what of it?" Kathryn asked going over to the mantel and arranging her hair before the glass.

"Why, I—well—he was here," Rosy faltered.

Kathryn turned. "You don't mean to say that you are interested in him?" she said. There was real concern in her voice.

"What makes you say that?" Rosy cried, her eyes filling with tears.

Kathryn forgot her hair, and took her friend in her arms. "I'll tell you," she said softly.

"Rich knows Hugh very well indeed, and he told me the other night that he was crazy about a typewriter. Those were his very words. Said he could talk of nothing but that typewriter, and you aren't a typewriter, are you?" and Kathryn kissed her little friend.

Poor little Rosy began to cry. Perhaps, if left to herself, she might have sent for Hugh and asked for an explanation, but under Kathryn's persuasive direction she wrote him the following note:

"I am going to ask you to forget

what happened last night, to treat it as though it never occurred. Do not try to see me, for I never want to meet you again. Rosy Parsons."

"And now you are coming to our summer cottage with me," Kathryn said decidedly, and before Rosy recovered her breath, Kathryn had explained to Mrs. Parsons, packed Rosy's suit case, and borne her away.

As the cruel letter slipped from her fingers into the mail box, Rosy gave a little sob, and might have written another to recall it if she had not accidentally come across Hugh on the way to the depot. He did not see her, as he was walking beside a remarkably pretty girl, and the two were laughing and talking in an animated manner, although there was nothing loverlike in their attitude. Still, to Rosy, this was proof positive of his perfidy.

Just as Hugh was thinking, with joyful anticipation of the evening, he received Rosy's letter, and could scarcely believe his eyes as he read the few words her epistle contained.

"Well, of all things!" he said at last, drawing a deep breath.

If he had been like some men he might have retired into a sulky silence and pride would have reared a wall as high as heaven between the two, but Hugh was made of different material. Instead of visiting Rosy, he went out to see her mother, and after a little time convinced Mrs. Parsons that he really did love her daughter.

"I can't tell what the matter was," Mrs. Parsons confessed, "but Kathryn was back of it, and took Rosy up to the lake with her."

"Why, I thought Kathryn was my friend!" Hugh cried, more bewildered than ever.

"It was something she told Rosy," Mrs. Parsons insisted, and Hugh left the house trying to puzzle out what the trouble could be.

Then he went to Richard Steward and asked him if he knew anything about the matter.

"I haven't the remotest idea," that young gentleman returned, and then added:

"Come up with me Saturday and ask Rosy for yourself. We'll nothing to the girls about your coming, and take them by surprise."

In the meantime Rosy was any-

thing but a pleasant companion to her hostess, for, if the truth be told, she sulked and cried nearly all the time, and Kathryn began to wish she had left her friend in ignorance of what she had found out.

On Saturday the two went over to the station to meet Richard, and Rosy felt her rebellious heart give a throb of joy when she saw Hugh with her host, although she pretended to be very angry, and would not speak to him.

They all climbed into the boat which was to take them to the Stewart cottage, and then Hugh asked quietly:

"What did you tell Rosy about me, Kathryn?"

Kathryn's face grew a little redder than it had been since she first saw Hugh with her husband, but she said stoutly:

"I just told her you were crazy about a typewriter. I think you ought to be ashamed of yourself, Hugh."

Hugh and Richard looked at each other, and then burst into a roar of laughter, while the two girls looked furious.

"So I am," Hugh said at last, "but it is a machine, not a girl. I'm going to have the agency for it, and that is one reason I can think of getting married at this time."

Richard and Kathryn effaced themselves as soon as their guests reached land, and Rosy made up for her willingness to believe evil, although she did ask meekly after a time:

"Who was that I saw you with the other day when we were coming to the depot?"

"Why, the girl who gives demonstrations on the typewriter. She taught me how to get a high rate of speed from the machines so I could show them to better advantage."

Rosy looked up at him, and then buried her face tearfully but happily on his shoulder.

### CANAL TO MAKE NEW BUSINESS

And Another Cable Will Be Laid to Provide For It

New York, July 18.—To provide for the large increase in business which it is said will follow the opening of the Panama Canal, a new cable will be laid from New York to Colon by way of Guantanamo before the end of the year. The cable, which will cost \$1,500,000, is being constructed in England and will be much larger than the present cable.

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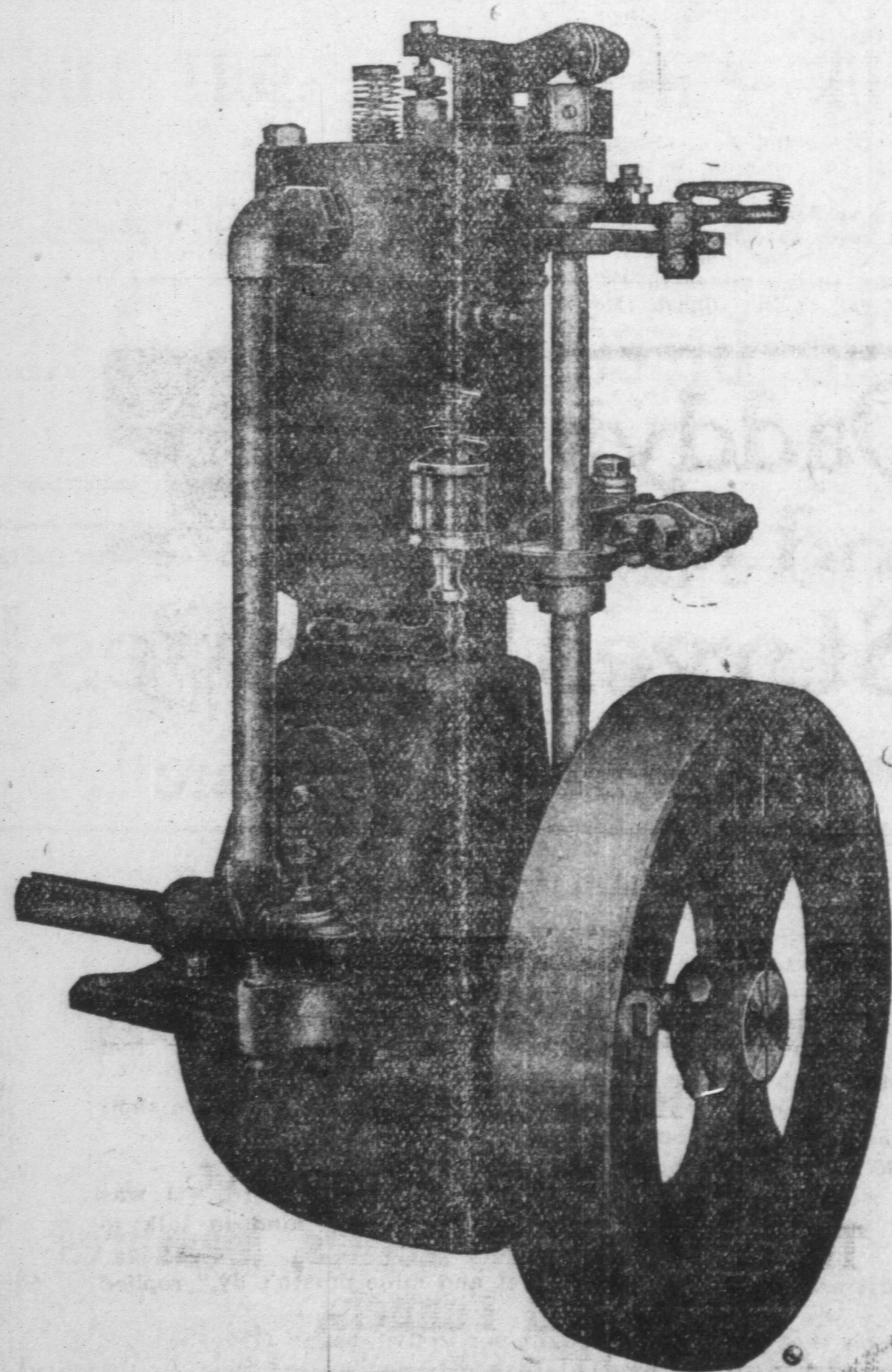
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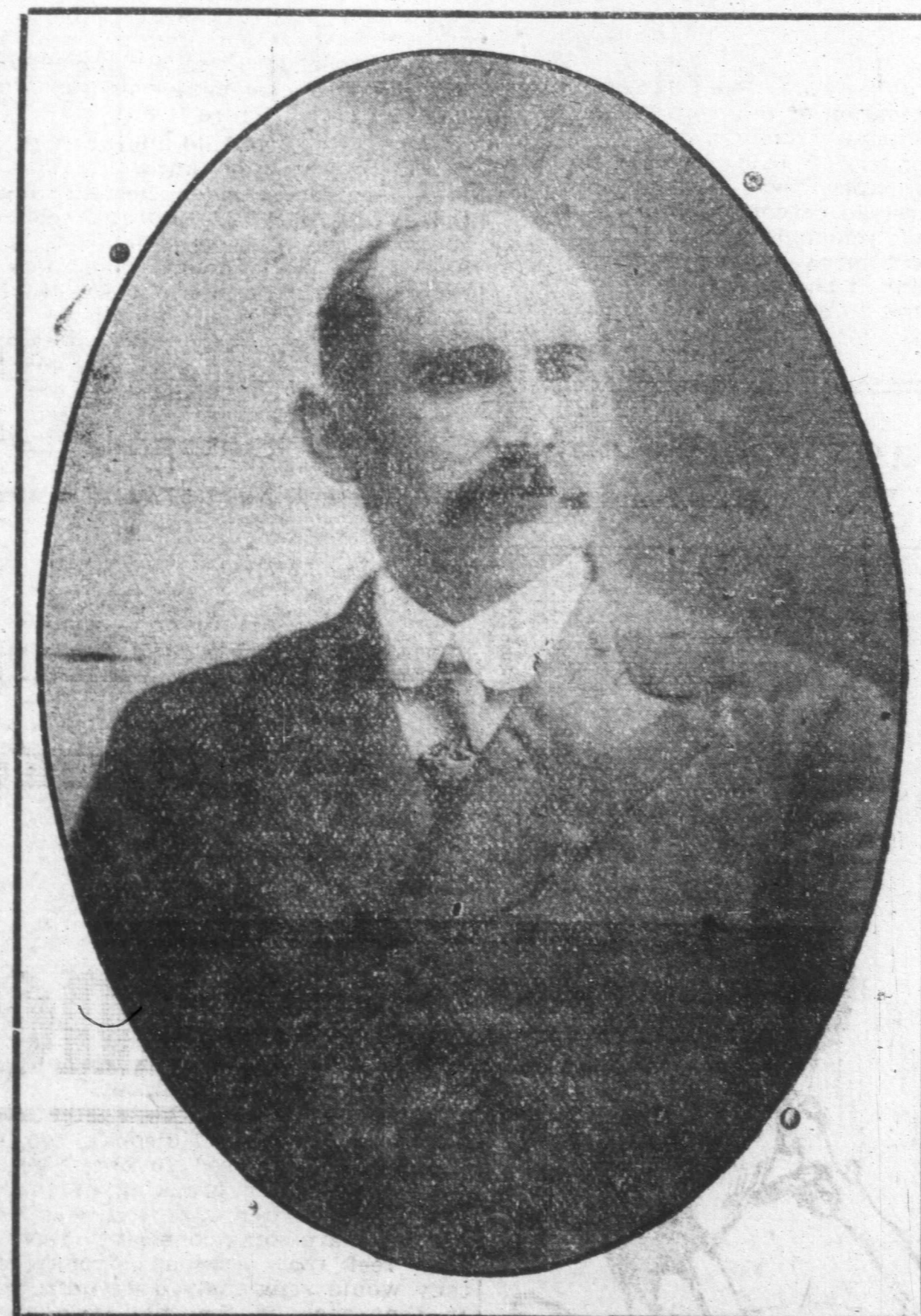
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# DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

## Very Latest Fancies of Fashion

### Soft, Flowing Net Effects Seen in Newest Frocks

By MADGE MARVEL



PLAIN white net is a most important fabric this season. It forms the foundation of nine-tenths of the blouses and gowns of the spring and summer. It is the lining fabric pre-eminent and has quite displaced the heavier "waist lining" of other days.

Soft slinkiness is the thing to be desired in all gowns. With this effect there is the same need as ever for a certain firmness which is in unapparent existence, and it is for this that net is most desirable. In the coarser mesh, such as is used for linings, it gives all the body required even for the woman of full figure who feels that in the making of her gowns she must have "something to hold her."

#### Net Waist Features.

Even so slight a thing as the net lining makes all the difference in the world in the wear of a gown and gives perishable blouses something of substance. In the linen frocks the net bodice lining will lessen the necessity of such frequent trips to the cleaners, and will give a feeling of crispness and freshness which linen should have and which it loses when it is subjected to contact with arms and neck moistened with perspiration.

In making the net waist the outside fabric is caught only at the side seams. The foundation is plain and fitted and fastened with tiny snap fasteners. The net lining sleeves are made separate from the sleeves of the gown so they can be slipped out and cleaned. This makes them of great advantage for use in the summer gown, for the sleeves are the first part of a gown to become sticky and soiled.

## MODERN GRACES :: By Michelson



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THOSE original Three Graces so dear to tradition waited on Venus. But note this—SOMETIMES attended Apollo. It's in the books and we must believe it. The point is that they were goddesses, and, in particular, they represented Grace, Beauty and Joy. If they ever paid an attention to Apollo, he probably deserved the high gift. For they were honored goddesses. And of all Graces, Her Grace Miss America is the most difficult to draw—and to win.

## Secrets of Dainty "College" Candies

By Ann Marie Lloyd

WHEN Josephine Martin was a student in college she was called "the dandiest fudge maker" in the university. She made candies of every kind, from the most elaborate and ornate bonbons, which tasted exactly like dollar-a-pound kind, to simple taffies. Her candies made her famous all over the country. The girls were always begging her to make them a box to send to some of the "girls at home," and she was voted the "sweetest girl" in each of her classes. After she left college there was a sudden turn in her fortunes. Her father, who had lavished money on her, died suddenly and left his family almost penniless. It remained for Josephine to support herself, her mother and a younger sister. A less practical young woman might have tried to teach, or do some of the other regular things to which the mind of woman instinctively turns when she has to earn money. But instead she took mental stock of her accomplishments. She had never been a student. She had slipped through college, and her record for popularity was far more brilliant than her record for scholarship. "I am going into the candy business," she announced to her family. And she did. Luckily she had her home, and so

**Unknown.** "You say that you are a stranger in town? Don't you know any one?" "Not a soul. Why I am such a stranger that I could not be identified sufficient to entitle me to be lynched."

**Both Seeking Rest.** Gobang—I think I will go to the country next week to get a little fresh air. Grymme—I sent my wife and little fresh to the country a week ago to get him away from me.

**Then the Fighting Begun** "What started that Kentucky feud?" "Col. Bludd started that. Gore a dog." "That was not much to fight about." "No, but he said the sort of dog he meant was a water spaniel."

## Secrets of Health and Happiness

### Why Freckles Are Signs of Your Natural Vigor

By Dr. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG

A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins).

Do you know Jimmy Ransome, doctor?"

"Who is he?"

"He's the boy that is such a great goalkeeper on the City College team."

"Oh, the chap who caused the City College and the Polytechnic to suspend athletic competitions?"

"Yes."

"No. I don't know him personally. What about him?"

"Well, he has the jolliest freckles you ever saw. I'm proud of my own since I saw his."

A beautiful girl of sixteen said this. She exhibited good sense beyond measure.

Odd to say, ninety-nine girls and men with freckles are forever tormented by the thought of these indices of good health. Indeed, this pretty maid, so sensible and sweet and innocent in her naive remark about the boy of Fantagruel look like a teacup.

"Is he conceited?" I asked this more and more wonderful maid.

"Of course not," she archly answered. "Nobody with freckles is egotistic. He has too many to be so."

"And," she roughly added, "so have I."

This is in part true, and Solomon was never more wise. The vanity of any one with freckles is exactly in inverse ratio to the number and extent of the freckles.

With 10 freckles you are 8 per cent. conceited. With 20 freckles you are 93 per cent. vain. With 30 freckles you are 99 per cent. egotistical.

From this degree upward vanity begins to grow less and less until a myriad of the pretty, little, serene and yellowish brown dots are legion and accountable.

Modesty, humility, bravery and bashfulness are in direct proportion to the swarm of proud freckles. While it is true that many persons are foolish about a few freckles, those with teeming faces full pay no heed to them.

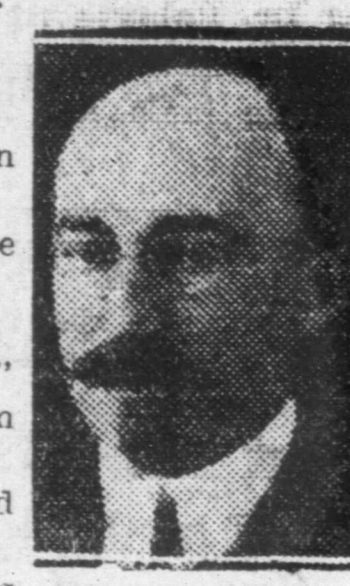
It is their lack of personal self-consciousness and looking-glass egotism which precludes their attention to themselves.

Strange as it at first blush appears, freckles are deposited by a combination of circumstances, which ancient philosophers and modern alchemists have eternally sought.

This is to wit, I actually the "giving power" itself. Chemists know how to make freckles, to dab this ethereal pigment of nature upon the modest cheek of man, they would have solved the mystery of the ages.

A drop of blood surcharged with an overabundant food and frustrated, as it were, with more electric sparks of human vitality than is needed, reaches the arched of the deeper folds of the skin.

Now Apollo, the sun god, shoots his few darts of his burning beams through



DR. HIRSHBERG

#### Answers to Health Questions

PHILADELPHIA—Why is it that tonics and washes make my hair come out? If I merely brush it, it is O. K.

This is exactly as is to be expected. Crude oil, vaseline and resorcin ointments clean it, and also keep the brushes fresh. . . .

Dr. Hirschberg will answer questions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He will not undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. Where the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally if a stamped and addressed envelope is enclosed. Address all inquiries to Dr. L. K. Hirschberg, care this office.

#### Advice to Girls

By Annie Laurie

Dear Annie Laurie:

A boy whom I have known for years and who is my next-door neighbor, but whom I have been on bad terms with and have not spoken to for months, asked his cousin, a friend of mine, to introduce him to me at the rink. This was ridiculous, considering the length of time we have known each other, even though we are not friends at present. Luckily his cousin refused to comply with the request. This saved me from much embarrassment for the time being, but if, in the future, he should get some one to carry out his foolish plan, what should I do? EXPECTANT.

WELL, now, little Expectant, aren't you making a good deal of a fuss over nothing, or next to nothing? What there so terrible about this boy who lives next to you that you haven't spoken to him for months? Of all the silly things on earth the "not speaking" fad is the silliest. No one who is over 10 years old should ever indulge in it. You needn't be dead in love with a boy to say "Good morning, isn't it a beautiful day?" need you? I think he seems to be a young person with a bit of humor myself. Why don't you "oultage" him? The next time you meet him anywhere and he asks to be introduced to you as if you were a perfect stranger, be present, laugh, and put an end to the whole ridiculous business. Don't be a goose; be a nice, jolly, good-natured girl with a friendly heart for every one, and see how much more fun you'll have.

Annie Laurie

Miss Laurie will welcome letters of inquiry on subjects of feminine interest from young women readers of this paper and will reply to them in these columns. They should be addressed to her, care this office.

## PETER'S ADVENTURES IN MATRIMONY

By Leona Dalrymple

Author of the new novel, "Diane of the Green Van," awarded a prize of \$10,000 by Ida M. Tarbell and S. S. McClure as Judges.

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

#### The Word "Obey."

MARY and I have had a queer discussion—queer in that I took the side one would naturally expect her to take, and she took the side the average man might take—over a clinging vine.

It began by an article I had read about the elimination of the word "obey" from the marriage ceremony.

"I wonder," I said, looking up from my newspaper, "was the word 'obey' in our marriage ceremony, Mary?"

"I don't remember," said Mary.

"I don't think it was," said I. "Nor do I think it should be," said I. "Nor do I think it should," said Mary unexpectedly.

"Now I don't believe Mary said that for any reason under heaven except to be in direct opposition to me. That's my biggest objection to equal suffrage. I believe every woman would disagree with her husband merely on general principles, and the resultant political jungle would be terrible indeed."

"Why do you think the word 'obey' should remain in the marriage ceremony?" I inquired warmly.

"Well," said Mary with her prettiest clinging vine air, "it's always been there and old things are best. I don't like changing so much, Peter. And if a woman honestly loves her husband she won't in the least mind obeying. That's just the way I figure it out."

"That's beautiful, lovely, rot," I said frankly. "I don't believe it. The best argument under heaven against that word 'obey' is that it irrevocably commits the average woman to a lie. She knows well enough that there are certain conditions in which she wouldn't obey. If her husband beat her, it's a relic of the days when a man was privileged to beat his wife by law provided he used a stick no bigger than his thumb. And believe me," I added, "you could muss up a person nicely with a stick no bigger than your thumb."

"Don't be slangy," said Mary frowning. "I still insist, Peter, that the word is merely an empty form, and it's an old custom and therefore beautiful."

"Yet," I said, "if there is a dispute in a family—a really serious one—and the man takes advantage of his prehistoric privilege and commands his wife to do something she doesn't want to do, in that case, if the man were brutal and criminal, he could force his wife to do unto things merely by harping upon the word 'obey.' If a strongly religious woman who believes that the marriage ceremony is divinely inspired and regards the word 'obey' as a literal oath to be kept inviolate until her death were to be commanded by an unscrupulous husband to do something unscrupulous, I wonder what would evolve from her eventual spiritual struggle."

"But, taking it all in all, I don't believe in clogging up a beautiful thing like a marriage ceremony with hollow forms. Women have never literally obeyed—they never will. Therefore, why saddle them with a lie at the beginning of a partnership?"

"The whole truth of the matter is simply this: Mary would disobey, too, even if she had promised to obey, but she wouldn't feel the breaking of the vow strongly. Women are that way. And yet there are some conscientious women who feel that vow so strongly that they would religiously obey until death. In that case, if the man were brutal and criminal, he could force his wife to do unto things merely by harping upon the word 'obey.' If a strongly religious woman who believes that the marriage ceremony is divinely inspired and regards the word 'obey' as a literal oath to be kept inviolate until her death were to be commanded by an unscrupulous husband to do something unscrupulous, I wonder what would evolve from her eventual spiritual struggle."

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#### Our Bird Friends

The Chickadee

BECAUSE of its delightful notes, its confiding ways and its fearlessness, the chickadee is one of the best known birds of the United States and Canada. It responds to encouragement, and by hanging within its reach a constant supply of sweet the chickadee can be made a constant visitor to the garden and orchard.

Though insignificant in size, titmice (another name for the attractive little birds) are far from being so in an

The Chickadee at Work on a Twig

economic sense, owing to their numbers and activity. While one locality is being searched for food by a larger bird, 10 are being scrutinized by the smaller species.

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## Daddy's Good Night Story

By GEORGE HENRY SMITH

TING-A-LING! Ting-a-ling!

Mrs. Web-foot stood outside Mrs. Leghorn's door and pulled the little string while the merry bell rang inside.

"Come in," said Mrs. Leghorn, and when she caught sight of Mrs. Web-foot she rushed right up to her with:

"Why, how do you do. I am delighted to see you."

"How are your dear children?" inquired Mrs. Web-foot.

"They are all well, but I have quite a time keeping their feet dry," replied Mrs. Leghorn.

"Now isn't that funny. My children are never so happy as when their feet are wet," said Mrs. Web-foot.

"You should never worry about your children."

"I wasn't worrying about my children," said Mrs. Leghorn. "I was simply telling you something. It always relieves one's mind to talk to someone."

"Your children mustn't get their feet wet and mine mustn't fly," replied Mrs. Web-foot.

"I didn't know that your children ought not to fly," began Mrs. Leghorn.

"Some ducks do. Wild ones, of course, but not my dear children. They have enough to do swimming."

Mrs. Leghorn laughed.

"What are you laughing at?" asked Mrs. Web-foot.

"Well," began Mrs. Leghorn, "my little Willie, bright boy that he is, tried to go in swimming one day when he saw Dickie Duck paddling around. He almost drowned."

"I remember Dickie had to pull Willie out," replied Mrs. Web-foot.

"Yes," said Mrs. Leghorn. "That wasn't all. He told Willie that children should stay where they belong."

"You see, Dickie is a bright boy, too," said Mrs. Web-foot, as she followed Mrs. Leghorn into the kitchen.

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NEWS OF THE CITY AND THE OUTPORTS.

BOY RUN OVER; BADLY BRUISED

Seven-Year-Old Austin Cluney Meets With Accident—Badly Shaken Up

Austin Cluney, 7 years old, was run over by Mr. G. Bowman's buggy near the Cross Road's last evening.

WANDERERS WIN IN THE REPLAY

Again Beat The B.I.S. And Will Play in the Finals At Mt. Cashel

Yesterday afternoon at St. Bon's practice grounds, the protested baseball game between the B.I.S. and Wanderers, was replayed, resulting in a win for the latter by 13 runs to 2.

There was a large attendance of spectators. The Wanderers will now play off at Mount Cashel Garden Party.

Table with columns: B.I.S., Batteries, Wanderers. Lists players like Joy Sinnott, Doyle, Ring, Campbell, etc.

WILL TAKE TRIP IN AEROPLANE

St. John's Citizens Will Leave Old Mother Earth For a While

Sheriff Carter and Mr. E. R. Burgess, of the Balsam House, have both accepted the invitation of Mr. W. D. Walker for a trip in Lieut. Port's airship, when it reaches St. John's.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL—St. George's Field, 7 o'clock this evening, Star vs. C.E.I.

TO-NIGHT'S GAME; LINE-UP OF TEAMS

In to-night's football game the players will be: C.E.I.—Voisey, goal; L. Stick, Hartley, backs; R. Stick, Drover, Fox, halves; Hunt, Evans, M. Churchill, Auckinleck, E. Churchill, forwards.

ST. PATRICK'S H.N.S.

The members of the Holy Name Society (St. Patrick's) are requested to meet in the Cathedral grounds at 7.30 o'clock this (Wednesday) evening for the purpose of attending the presentation to His Grace the Archbishop.

Be Sober and Watch

The Members and Band of the St. John's Juvenile T. A. & B. Society are requested to meet on this (Thursday) evening at 7 o'clock for the purpose of taking part in the reception to His Grace Archbishop Howley.

T. J. DUNN, Chairman Guardians. JOHN P. KELLY, Secretary Guardians.

STEPHANO HERE FROM NEW YORK

Brought Many Passengers, Including His Grace Archbishop Howley

The s.s. Stephano, Captain Smith, arrived from New York via Halifax at 6.45 a.m., after a splendid run of 39 hours from the latter port.

Fine weather prevailed until 4 this a.m., when she ran into fog. She brought a full freight and the following passengers:

From New York: Mr. S. S. Allen, Mrs. D. B. and Miss F. Austin, Miss Hannah H. Bachman, Mr. S. R. Barrington, Mr. Joseph D. Bartel, Mr. F. E. and Miss H. H. Belmont, Miss M. C. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. L. Burnstein, Dr. Bethel, Mrs. J. J. and Miss Maude Blythe, Mrs. John Parker Bryden, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Burgess, Jr., Mr. F. J. Canning, Miss Angela Car y, Mr. H. M. Clark, Miss Dalgliesh, Miss M. Deady, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Develin, Miss Lillian Dillinger, Mr. L. S. Dunbar, Mr. F. G. Ebsary, Miss Stella Evans, Mr. G. L. Farrington, Miss A. J. Fennell, Miss Mary A. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Fletcher, Messrs W. E. and Edwin Florence, Mr. H. A. Forward, Mr. Isidore Frank, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. French, Miss Anna Freund, Mr. W. E. Futch, Miss Madeline Galloway, Miss A. E. Gibbs, Mr. W. W. Giles, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilmernat, Miss F. A. Goerner, Mr. J. A. Goewey, Miss Mary Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gunnell, Miss Idella Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. M. Haughey, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Haverstock, Misses K. R. and M. J. Healy, Mr. McDavid Horton, Miss M. A. Hill, Mr. W. Kaye, Mr. W. E. Kimberling, Mr. O. Koscherik, Miss Helen LaMonte, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lane, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Large, Mr. A. L. Lawhead, Miss Edna Lewis, Miss Mary E. Littell, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Lloyd, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lowenthal, Miss M. S. Lynch, Mr. P. H. McCabe, Mrs. John A. McDonough, Mrs. Julius Malloy, Miss Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Martin, Miss Katherine Martin, Mr. Seward Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Mettler, Messrs James A. and William C. Meyers, Miss A. Moffatt, Mr. M. Monday, Miss Nagle, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Nesbitt, Mr. T. Painter, Mr. C. S. Pike, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Prenter, Mr. and Mrs. B. Rothschild, Mrs. G. and A. Misses L. and H. Shannon, Dr. and Mrs. Harry A. Sheppach, Mr. Louis Shierman, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Smith, Jr., Mr. Guy Smith, Mr. C. W. Snow, Miss Laura Steel, Mr. Bernard Steinberg, Miss Pauline Steinert, Mrs. F. J. Sullivan, Miss H. Sullivan, Mr. J. J. Sullivan, Mr. Carl Swenson, Miss Louise Thompson, Dr. F. C. Turner, Miss Frances Turtle, Miss E. Ursser, Mr. Charles H. Wackerberg, Mr. Asher Walter, Miss B. E. Weekes, Miss F. F. Welsh, Mr. C. Wighton, Miss J. Wood, Miss M. Collins, W. C. Dunn and 14 passengers.

From Halifax: Archbishop Howley, Rev. Mgrs. Reardon and St. John, Mrs. J. Watson, G. G. Brown, J. Keane, M. Keane, Mrs. Vincent and 2 children, C. G. Pringle, W. J. Mitchell, Miss A. Butte, Mrs. H. Merry, Miss M. Williams, M. B. Carleton and son, W. Piercey, Miss C. M. Chambers, J. C. McFarlane, W. A. Dashwood, F. J. Bowers, G. A. Shaughnessy, D. E. Clancey, W. C. Wyman, G. T. Hewitt, L. C. Outerbridge, and 32 steerage.

Found Salmon Scarce

Messrs. W. J. Higgins, J. Ryan, and W. F. Butler have returned from their salmon fishing trip to Trepassy.

Each secured a few fish, but salmon were not plentiful.

T. J. Edens, J. C. Hephurn, F. J. Morris and F. H. Steer, in one party, W. R. Howley and W. J. Carroll in another, were left behind hoping for better conditions.

GARDEN PARTY MOST SUCCESSFUL

The ladies of St. Thomas's Parish held their annual garden party at the Rectory grounds, which were prettily decorated for the occasion.

The tables were well supplied with good things and the ladies in charge spent a busy afternoon.

The Punch and Judy and Aunt Polly shows afforded much amusement.

H. E. the Governor and Lady Davidson were among those present.

There was a large attendance of the general public and the receipts were large.

The C. L. B. Band was in attendance and as usual rendered charming music.

Lintrose arrived at 6.55 a.m.

MEIGLE REPORTS POOR FISHERY

Complete Failure From Battle Harbor To Flower's Cove—Poor Weather

S.S. Meigle, Captain Goobie, arrived at Humbermouth yesterday afternoon from Battle Harbor and intermediate ports. Unfavorable weather was met the whole trip, with five days fog.

HELD A CONCERT ON THE STEPHANO

Successful Affair On Red Liner—Archbishop Howley Was Present

A delightful concert was held on the Stephano last night. Mr. J. C. Large acted as chairman, and the programme was carried out successfully.

Misses M. S. Lynch and J. Wood of New York sold the programmes and realized a goodly sum.

The programme was:

Part I. Selection, High Jinks; "Stephano" Orchestra. Song, Two Grenadiers; Dr. J. P. Bethel. Monologue, Experiences; Mr. W. Mitchell. Song, Absent; Mrs. B. Lowenthal. Baritone, Rose in the Bud; Mr. W. W. Giles. Cornet Solo, Alice, Where Art Thou?; Mr. H. H. Cavendish. Recitation, Gunga Din; Mr. W. Kaye. Song, Because; Mr. I. Frank. Chairman's Address. Part II. Selection, By the Beautiful Sea; "Stephano" Orchestra. Song, Rosary; Mr. F. R. Smith. Song, A Dream; Dr. J. P. Bethel. Whistling Solo, Come Back to Erin; Miss M. D. Collins. Song, I Hear You Calling Me; Mr. Bernard Steinberg. Song, The Star and the Flower; Mrs. B. Lowenthal. Recitation, The Charge of the Light Brigade; Mr. W. Kaye. Baritone, I Know a Lovely Garden; Mr. W. W. Giles. God Save the King. America. His Grace Archbishop Howley was present and at the conclusion made a brief speech, in which he extended the visitors a hearty welcome to Newfoundland.

BODY OF VICTIM ARRIVES HERE

The remains of the late J. B. Peddle arrived by to-day's express, and the funeral will take place from his father's residence, 16 Queen Street, to-morrow afternoon.

He left home about seven years ago, and for the past four years had been working in Vancouver with the Britannia Mining Company, of Britannia Beach.

At the time of the accident he was off duty, and had gone to the engineering house, when he was struck by an aerial bucket and instantly killed.

His father, mother, and three sisters in this city, and his brother Charles, of the Nova Scotia Co.'s staff at Bell Island, have the sympathy of all.

READ THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE.

St. John's Municipal Board

NOTICE to QUARRYMEN

Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received until 12 o'clock noon on Friday, 24th inst., for the delivery of Five Hundred (500) Tons of Quarry Spawls near the Rock Crusher, East End.

The Spawls are to be subject to the approval of the City Engineer or the Road Inspector.

Tenderers are requested to mark across the envelope the words, "Tender for Spawls."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

By order, JNO. L. SLATTERY, Secretary-Treasurer.

READ THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE

NFLD. SCORES ALL THROUGH

In the Various National Events at the Highland Games Yesterday—A Splendid Series of Events List of the Various Winners

The annual Highland games took place on St. George's Field yesterday afternoon, under very favorable conditions. The weather was ideal and the contests were exciting.

The stand was well filled with spectators, though the general attendance was not as large as it would have been but for the other attractions.

At 4.15 His Excellency the Governor and Lady Davidson, attended by Capt. Goodridge, A.D.C., were received by the President, Mr. John Browning and Mr. R. C. Smith. The Premier and Lady Morris, Chief Justice and Lady Horwood, Rev. J. S. and Mrs. Sutherland, Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Thomas and many other prominent citizens were present.

Well Competed.

The contests were well competed. The wrestling matches were exciting and were keenly watched by ladies as well as gentlemen. R. Marshall was declared the final winner on points.

The dancing of Messrs. J. Rossley, H. Ross and the seven little girls, pupils of Mrs. Rossley, was very creditably done.

J. Kavanagh received Mr. R. C. Smith's prize for breaking the record in the mile race, which he won in 4 minutes and 46 seconds, but the course was short and the time was not allowed to stand.

Power established a new record of 5 feet 3 3/4 inches for the high jump. Kavanagh's claim that Burns passed him on the inside in the quarter mile, and was therefore disqualified, was not allowed, there being some misunderstanding of the rule on the part of the judges.

List of Events.

The list of events is as follows: Hurdle Race—1st, Robertson, 44 seconds; 2nd, Trebble. 100 Yards (handicap)—1st, Burns, 11 2-5 seconds; 2nd, H. Harvey. Mile (handicap)—1st, Kavanagh, 4 minutes 46 seconds; 2nd, Robertson. Football Fives (a)—NFLD. vs. Wales—Won by NFLD., 3 goals to nil. (b)—Scotland vs. Ireland—Won by Ireland, 2 goals and 1 corner to 2 goals. 220 Yards (handicap)—1st, Burns, 25 seconds; 2nd, Kendrick. Sack Race—1st, Haynes, 17 secs. Hammer Throw—1st, Coffield, 89 ft. 7 ins.; 2nd, Kennedy, 78 ft. High Jump—1st, Power, 5 ft. 3 3/4 inches; 2nd, Dick. Quarter Mile (handicap)—1st, Burns, 59 seconds; 2nd, Kavanagh. Putting the Shot—1st, T. Morrissey, 28 ft. 3 ins.; 2nd, C. Parsons. Football Fives (England vs. Newfoundland)—Won by NFLD., 3 goals and 3 corners to nil. Broad Jump—1st, Dick, 15 ft. 7 ins.; 2nd, Trebble. Shoe and Barrel Race—1st, Kendrick, 1 min. 8 secs.; 2nd, Haynes. Pole Vault—1st, C. Eagan, 6 ft. 19 ins.; 2nd, Murphy. One Mile Walk—1st, Power, 9 mins. 25 secs. Half Mile (handicap)—1st, Dick, 2 mins. 30 secs.; 2nd, Robertson. Half Mile (Society)—1st, Dick, 2 mins. 30 secs.; 2nd, Robertson. Football Fives (final) NFLD. vs. Ireland—Won by NFLD., 3 goals to nil. The players were: Quick, Drover, C. Rendell, Tait and Fenwick. The prizes were presented by Lady Davidson and Lady Morris. The C.C.C. band under Lieut. Bulley rendered an attractive musical programme during the afternoon.

EXCITEMENT AT RAWLINS' CROSS

There was a flutter of excitement at Rawlins Cross last night when Dr. Macpherson flitted around in his automobile looking for a couple of officers.

The constables were eventually located and proceeded to Mr. H. Macpherson's residence, Rennie's Mill Road, where it was stated a burglar was at work.

Lights had been seen in the residence, although the occupants are in the country, and the furniture was found to be disturbed, but no burglars were located.

Bible Class Outing

Wesley Bible Class outing yesterday at the Octagon was attended by about 170 ladies and gentlemen. A very pleasant time was spent.

During the afternoon there were outdoor sports, and after tea various indoor amusements. Return was made at 10.30.

Picked Up Package

Thos. Hynes, of Woods Island, has picked up a package 10 miles off Cape St. George, containing 4 pieces dress goods, 1 piece velvet, 1 piece flannel-lette, 1/2 dozen table cloths, 1 doz. towels.

They were apparently a long time in the water and are of very little value.

2 Canadian Troopers Here For Prisoner

Two Canadian troopers are now in the city, having been sent here by the Canadian authorities for the young man Snow who was arrested last week charged with desertion and robbery.

July Clearing Sale Ladies' Summer Coats and Dresses To make room for early autumn deliveries we offer the balance of our SUMMER DRESSES and COATS at attractive prices to money-savers. Cream Alpaca Coats \$3.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.00 to 8.00 Tussore Silk Coats \$7.50, 8.00, 10.00 to 13.50 Serge Paletots \$9.00, 12.00 Moire Coatees \$7.50 to 10.00 American Wash Dresses \$3.50, \$6.00, 7.00 Misses' Wash Dresses \$4.50 German Model Dresses, no two alike, some very handsome Styles \$3.50 to 10.00 Embroidered White Dresses. The above are to be seen in our UPPER STORE Show Room. In our LOWER STORE we offer: Ladies' Summer Dress Skirts, in White Pique, Drill Lawn, Holland, etc 60c, 80c., \$1.00, 1.70 to 2.00 Children's Wash Dresses \$1.20 to 4.00 Children's Marquisette Dresses, marked down to clear. Ayre & Sons LIMITED

AUTO WAS BADLY SMASHED UP

Mr. G. Marshall's auto was almost completely demolished while coming over Topsail Hill this morning.

The engine refused to work and before it could be stopped the auto ran amuck and was considerably broken. It is likely repairs will cost over \$1,000 and the machine may have to be sent back to England.

ARCHBP. HOWLEY RETURNS HOME

After Being Abroad For Several Months—Is In Good Health

His Grace Archbishop Howley, accompanied by Mgrs. Reardon and St. John's, arrived by the Stephano this morning, after their extended trip abroad.

His Grace spent the early part of the winter in Rome and then visited Ireland and later several American cities. He left Boston last week by the plant steamer for Yarmouth and then took train for Halifax, where the Stephano was joined.

Last night the R. C. Cathedral and grounds were profusely decorated with flags, and this morning when His Grace arrived the joy bells pealed forth.

His Grace is enjoying excellent health and is charmed to be back again. This evening he will be tendered a genuine Newfoundland welcome by his people. Extensive preparations have been made by the R. C. societies of this city. An address will be presented at 7.30.

St. Patrick's Party Well Attended

St. Patrick's garden party in the field adjoining Bowring Park yesterday afternoon was largely attended. Special trains left at 2.30, 4.30, 5.30 and 6 o'clock for the grounds, which carried about 2,000 persons.

The tables were well arranged and laden with fruits, ices, iced drinks, cakes, etc.

Those in charge of the tea tables had a busy afternoon.

During the afternoon Rev. Fr. McDermott, Rt. Rev. Mgr. Roche and many other clergy; Rt. Hon. the Premier were among the visitors.

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Sagona left Baie Verte at 2.30 p.m. yesterday.

GOOD FISHING AT LAMALINE

Lamaline telegraphs finest fishing for traps last three days in remembrance of oldest inhabitant.

The approximate catch from Lord's Cove to Point May is now 15,000 quintals.

Still In Fog

At 3 p.m. yesterday the S.S. Pomoranian was 126 miles E. N. E. of St. John's, in dense fog.

SHIPPING

Bruce left Basques at midnight.

Fogota left Musgrave at 9.50 a.m.

Schr. Carl has sailed from Ramea with fish for Oporto from Clement & Penny.

Portia left St. Joseph's at 9 a.m.

Prospero left Coachman's Cove at 10.30 a.m.

Stephano leaves at 3 p.m. Saturday, taking in saloon C. A. Janes, Mrs. Summers, Mrs. L. Bristerland eight steerage.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Noseworthy, Clarke's Beach, and Mr. Edgar Templeman, son of Hon. P. Templeman, this city.

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