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St. George, N. B.

From a Woman's Point of View

I have been reminded lately of an old saying of my mother's, that I never had such good manners as when I was sick.

Just now my neighbor, little Eleanor, has had a slight operation on her throat and nose, but it necessitated the taking of either. It was all successful, and her mother was talking in low tones with the nurse as the child came to herself and found she was not alone.

A New York miller says that women should wear hats to match the soul. To wear an Alice Blue one must be musical and poetic, enthusiastic, inconsistent, reckless.

A capable housewife must wear red, a domestic person with a sympathetic nature has a rose-colored soul, and must wear the most vivid pink.

Young girl said to me just the other day, "How I hate those words, 'if and but.'"

Many a voice has been raised to regret the passing of youthful enthusiasm, and the insistent note of worldly doubtfulness, but in this case as in many others the preachers fail to practise and another chance to spread the contagion is gone.

Remember, enthusiasm is "catching" and one undaunted person can save the situation even when it is as doubtful as well, as a picnic party caught in a shower.

An expedient of a woman home dress-maker who considers the wash tub was noticed on a new plaited skirt the other day. Every plait was stitched as near the edge as it was possible to run the machine needle and not cut the edge.

They are to serve in outline that few girls realize what a good effect can be gotten by adding ribbon until they see the costume of some one else.

A suit of dull red linen, with a tight jacket and a row of large white pearl buttons down the front of the skirt, brought a good many women to a standstill before the place where it was shown.

The Baptist Ministers

The Baptist Ministers Institute of the Maritime United Baptist Convention met in the Germain Street Church this morning at 10 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. Austin K. DeBols, 1st Baptist Church Chicago; Rev. E. W. Miller, Jensen; Rev. Osgood Morse, Westville N. S.; Rev. E. B. McLatchy, Moncton; Rev. Stephen, Langville; Rev. W. C. Goucher, St. Stephen; Rev. Dr. Gordon 1st Baptist Church Montreal; Rev. J. B. Cannon, Sec'y N. B. S. S. Association; Rev. Milton Addison, Chipman; Rev. Thomas Blackalar, Somerville; N. S.; Rev. A. I. Prosser, Port Maitland N. S.; Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, Campbellton; Rev. C. W. Staples, Kingston; Rev. F. M. Young, Parrsboro; Rev. Arthur S. Lewis, Bridgeton, N. S.

In conclusion he said that the seat of authority was in God and that conscience and the Bible are authoritative, if from God. Dr. Goodspeed's position was objected to by Rev. Professor Kierstead, who said that the former advocated a position that had been exploded.

He asked Dr. Goodspeed a number of questions and spoke at some length. He differed with Dr. Goodspeed he said on matters of philosophy. The paper was in the opinion of the ministers, a very able one. Rev. F. S. Bamford of Moncton will read at paper this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. DeBols will speak this evening.--Times.

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EXHIBITION PROSPECTS BRIGHT The Features of the Big Show Varied and More Attractive Than Ever

St. John Exhibition prospects were never brighter in any year since the Intercolonial Fair has been held in this city.

This year the people of St. John are uniting to make the show good in every particular, the exhibitors from all parts of the country have made entries up to date.

Every department of the Exhibition promises to be more interesting than usual.

A Great Leader

If an election is in store for us this autumn, it is already clear that the personality of the Prime Minister will be the dominating element in determining the result.

Canada cannot afford to deprive herself of the advantage of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's services, and while this consideration will naturally be set aside by those who rigidly adhere to the opposing party, nevertheless it will almost certainly be adopted by the average man, and so by a decisive majority of the people.

It is not by accident that personal pre-eminence is attained in a democratic community, nor is there ever much doubt about where the priority rests.

The contest for high office is, in the last analysis, pretty much like any other of human combat. The eyes of the spectator are fixed upon the leading contestants, for all the sufficient reason that the forces which are best directed are most likely to win.

It is human instinct to recognize, to applaud, to reward, and to support whatever champion in any form of combat shows himself undisturbably the best, in France, the highest recent example of this was the career of Napoleon, which had carrying force enough to bring in the Empire.

In England, the monuments erected in every city in honor of the Duke of Wellington bear witness that worship of the highest excellence is not confined to France.

In England, also, the amazing career of Mr. Gladstone gave unmistakable proof of the passionate desire of the people in an intelligent democracy to put in its best at the head.

In Germany, Bismarck was able by dint of sheer fitness to hold his place of power, despite unnumbered intrigues fomented by persons of great but feeble intelligence.

We in Canada would probably be edamorous in pointing to Sir John Macdonald as the one great example of supreme fitness for the great place he held.

presided over the destinies of Canada in the era of its greatest prosperity in the years when the long awaited forward impulse was left at last from end to end of the Dominion; but the work by which he will be remembered, the work that was made possible by a happy concurrence of good times and good management, is the National Transcontinental Railway, now in course of construction.

Sir Wilfrid has a right to ask to be allowed to finish that work; he has the right to demand that the government be not turned over, in this critical stage of the enterprise, to those who represent one phase or another of interested opposition to that work.

Let Sir Wilfrid finish his work. By the time it is done Canada may have recognized the presence of the one man of the morrow, who can stare out, in his turn, upon the work of his time.--Montreal Herald.

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Leavitt-Dines A very pretty wedding took place at the Christian Church, Back Bay, the contracting parties being Seymour Leavitt and Mabel Dines, eldest daughter of Mr. Sydney Dines, keeper of the Electric Fogalarm, on Thursday evening, August 20th, which was the groom's birthday.

Precisely at 8 o'clock, while a crowd of church listened to the strains of the wedding march, played by Violet Williamson, the bride paraded up the aisle and took their places beneath an evergreen arch and floral bell. The church was beautifully decorated, the color scheme being pink and white. The bride looked charming in a dress of cream and lace and wore a bridal veil festooned with orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of pink and white sweet peas.

The bridesmaid, Miss Ella Leavitt, sister of the groom, was gowned in white. The groom was supported by Owen Hinds. The flower girl Clara Dines, sister of the bride, was dressed in pink and white and carried a basket of flowers. The ushers were, Eben Leavitt Russell Hooper, Frank Leavitt and Chester Johnson. The groom's present to the bride was a gold brooch and to the bridesmaid a gold bracelet. Many useful and beautiful presents consisting of glass, china, silver, linen and fancy work were given the couple.

After wishing the happy couple a long and happy life the company returned home at a very late hour.

GRANITE CUTTERS UNION AND O'BRIEN & BALDWIN REACH AGREEMENT

Settlement to Cover a Period of Three Years Mill Now Running

At a conference held Friday evening between representatives of the Granite Cutters Union and O'Brien & Baldwin, a satisfactory agreement was drawn up and signed by both parties.

It is understood that the Union modified some of the demands made in their bill, but the main features were acceded to, and the men will now work eight hours per day, with increased pay.

It is stated that the utmost harmony prevailed during the negotiations, and the long struggle of nearly three months is ended to the entire satisfaction of the parties concerned in the settlement.

The bill signed is to cover a period of three years with a proviso; for five months notice in case of any desired changes. The mill resumed operations Monday, with an immense lot of orders which will be rushed out to meet urgent demands. New machinery and improvements will be added to the mill, and the company will greatly increase its output.

The public feel relieved, as the situation was becoming serious. Up to this writing it is not known what steps the other manufacturers will take, but it is expected that the bill will be signed by all the firms this week.

Repatiation A few days after the Hazen government came into power, they signed an agreement with a London newspaper giving it the sum of \$2,000 for one year's advertisement of the province, setting forth its claims for immigration. The space occupied is four inches square, so that the bargain from the newspaper's standpoint was a very generous one.

The benefits accruing to the province however are not apparent. The government has not been able to announce the arrival of a single immigrant as a result of its \$2,000 expenditure with its friend the London Standard of Empire, but Mr. Hazen has personally benefited by the St. John correspondence of the paper giving him some very flattering personal notices, in which he is held up as a great reformer and public spirited man.

This is doubtless very pleasing to the premier but it does not bring immigrants to New Brunswick.

However, Mr. Hazen disappointed at the failure of his European immigration policy, has started in a new line. There are many thousands of New Brunswickers in the United States and some of them are having a hard time during the financial depression. Industrial establishments are closed or have cut down their staffs of workers, and Mr. Hazen has entered upon a policy of repatriation, bringing the wanderers back to their native province.

In inaugurating such a movement, what more natural than that Mr. Hazen should first think of his own immediate relatives, who had become citizens of the neighboring republic.

A man, especially a member of the present local government, or of Mr. Hazen's support in the legislature would be considered as loss to all, that is fair and honorable if he gave no thought to his distressed and needy relatives, and hence Mr. Hazen's great repatriation scheme his native land of the premier's maternal uncle, and his appointment to a lucrative position in the government service.

The new appointed is no less than our esteemed friend Mr. Harry Beckwith, late of Boston, who now holds down a seat in the Department of Public Works, by the grace of his distinguished nephew, Premier Hazen, who is securing the preferment to reward a member of his immediate family, but at the same time he gave a practical illustration of the success of the governments repatriation policy.

It is one of Mr. Hazen's greatest triumphs up to the present time, quite casting into the shade the school book business, the double tax highway act, and the journeyings of the medical agricultural commissioner and his outfit.--Herald.

Mr. W. A. Lockart met with a painful injury on Friday that will confine him to the house for some days. Mr. and Mrs. Lockart have been members of a camping party at Lake Utopia. They were returning home on Friday and in lifting some bundles aboard the yacht, Mr. Lockart slipped and fell. One of his ankles was so badly sprained that at first it was feared it was broken. Dr. Taylor was called and made Mr. Lockart as comfortable as was possible for the journey to St. John. Dr. Addy is now looking after Mr. Lockhart. The sprain is a serious one, and it is feared some of the ligaments may be torn. Mr. Lockhart will be confined to the house for a couple of weeks, and perhaps longer.--Globe.

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We must decline Mascarene correspondence as writer omits name.

Wm. Hooper one of Back Bay's most respected citizens died Sunday evening, aged 88 years.

The Pulp Company has about completed building the big dam at Magogadavic lake. The structure is six hundred feet long and is built on the old site. A new dam is also being built on Hatch brook.

While employed in putting a new super structure under a seven ton buoy at Yarmouth Sound, Friday afternoon the hooks attached to the buoy gave way and the four men employed on the work were thrown into the sea. One man was drowned and the others were saved. Mr. Daniel Gallagher, concert soloist of the City Cornet Band, and well known here was among those saved, but was badly injured. The body of the missing man has not yet been recovered.

Miss Kate O'Halloran of St. Andrews, is the guest of Miss Nellie Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Toy are spending a few days in St. John.

Miss Clara Dewar is visiting relatives at Musquash.

Miss Fanny O'Brien will teach at Lord's Cove, D. I. this term.

Mrs. Clarence Clark and young son, returned to St. John on Saturday.

Miss K. Maxwell returned from her vacation Tuesday.

Miss Fanny Murphy, who has been visiting in Boston returned on Monday.

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AS OTHERS SEE IT

In referring editorially to the Saskatchewan election, the Toronto Globe, Independent, Canada's best newspaper has the following. This is a fair and unbiased view of the election result, and fair-minded people would do well to read and consider it.

The latest returns indicate that Premier Scott of Saskatchewan will have a majority twice as large in the new House as he had in the one recently dissolved. The attempt of the Opposition journals to extract matter for rejoicing and hysterical double-column articles out of these facts puts the famous operations of the philosophers of Laputa completely into the shade.

Mr. Hamilton's privileges in this respect quite balanced any advantages the Government possessed. Mr. Scott's victory cannot be discounted, therefore, by fabulous statements about the "federal machine" playing an influential and sinister part in the elections. As Mr. Sifton said in the interview published yesterday, Hon. Mr. Oliver telegraphed to all the agents of his department in the West forbidding them to take any part in the elections on one side or the other on pain of dismissal. If there was an outside machine in the election it was that supplied by the Manitoba Government, without whose instigation and Robinsonian methods there would have been but little of a fight in Saskatchewan.

Perhaps Mr. Ames, M. P., and his dark or light lantern should not be left out of the account. He made the mistake, however, of going where the facts are better known than in other parts of the Dominion.

Those who know the Premier of Saskatchewan would be gratified to read the tribute paid him by Mr. Sifton. With every word of that tribute every unprejudiced person who is cognizant of the facts will be in hearty agreement. The two Liberal Governments which were formed in the new Provinces have shed lustre on the Liberal party. There has never been at the head of affairs in any of the Provinces of the Dominion a man more sincerely desirous of giving the people honest and unsparring service than Walter Scott. He has surrounded himself with men of a like public spirit, and it must be said that if such a man had failed in his appeal to his fellow-citizen it would have been something to deplore. That the electors of Saskatchewan have returned him to power with a double majority is a matter for congratulation to every one who cares more for the recognition of patriotic public service than for party advantage.

Altogether apart from the question as to whether it will pay or not, the recent action of one of the granite firms, in acceding to the demands of the men, is a genuine attempt to test the matter. When the manufacturer, the workman, and the public become indifferent and even angry, over the situation, it is time for sober thought.

There are no doubt wrongs to right and evils to remedy, but where both sides meet and discuss the questions at issue dispassionately, every needful and practicable reform is possible. There is no getting away from the fact that the granite trouble has been an enormous loss to all concerned, and a settlement is welcomed by everyone, and it is most fortunate that the manufacturers and employes have demonstrated their ability to settle their differences in a manner that we hope will prove beneficial to both sides. With all hands working in harmony, opportunities still greater are bound to come to the granite business of St. George.

Prosperity depends upon a mutual regard, and a spirit of co-operation. Let all concerned keep their heads and the business will be prosperous. Both sides must give and take.

Here's prosperity to employer and employee!

The Liberal party will meet in convention at St. Stephen Monday Aug. 31st., when a candidate for the Federal house will be chosen. It is the general impression that a St. Stephen man will receive the nomination.

BY THE WAY

A hard blow!

There is law enough for the protection of game, if enforced.

With bated breath the world awaits "Fair Plays" next production.

The appearance of the tax collector is a reminder of an eternal certainty.

A big man at the start of the campaign, but the end will dispel the illusion.

August days are the days above all not to worry and to endeavor not to worry your neighbor.

Commodore Perry is still sailing, and the location of the North pole remains unchanged.

The Salvation Army officers are full of enthusiasm for the town and the opportunities for their work.

The letter that appeared in our columns last week in reference to the granite situation, was published without prejudice to anyone. Our columns are open to both sides in this matter.

The new wing on the school building is about completed. It is to be hoped that the "technical knowledge" used on the main building will not be in evidence on this new addition.

Fair Play, in the Courier, is trying to impress the public that he—or they—have been persecuted. A plan to draw sympathetic tears from those who seldom weep. It has aroused derisive laughter. Give us a truthful statement of facts.

"I have eternally queered myself with Jones."

"What's the matter?"

"He was wheeling the homeliest kid I ever saw, and I went up to him and admired the baby and said how much it looked like him."

"That ought to have pleased him even if the kid was a fright."

"But it belonged to one of the neighbors."

Another thing to avoid is the howled habit. An eminent specialist remarks that there's no more unhealthy pastime than exchanging symptoms. Nothing could be more demoralizing than the way invalids and semi-invalids and chronic complainers get together day after day to talk over how they feel. Crap shooting is recommended as a more uplifting occupation. And then, too, there is that perennial theme, the weather.

A pathetic illustration of the disadvantages of obesity is afforded by the case of a member of the Philadelphia band.

"What has become of the big man who used to beat the brass drum?" once asked a returned Philadelphian of the leader of the band.

"He left us more than a year ago," was the answer.

"Excellent man; but he got so fat that when he marched he couldn't hit the drum in the middle."

The Hamilton Herald (Ind.) took this view of the outlook of the Conservatives should a Dominion election take place.

"Probably the only reason why the Laurier government will go to the country this year is that it is deemed to be a favorable time for a renewal of their confidence. The prospects are bright, and it is likely that in two or three months the good effects of the bountiful harvest will have begun to be felt and people will be in a hopeful and cheerful mood and not inclined to be dissatisfied with the powers that be. The Laurier luck will not probably desert the premier in what may be his final campaign and he is good enough politician to perceive and take advantage of favorable conditions. Present indications do not point to a change of government as the result of the elections."

A young colored man asked permission of his employer to use the telephone, as he wished to speak to a colored girl employed at another residence. Upon receiving consent, he explained, "You see, it's dis way. I loves dat girl an' wants to ask her to marry me, but 'fore de Lord! I ain't got de grit to ask her 'word out of mouth'; an' so I wants to use de phone. I'll jest call her up."

"Hello! Is dat Dinah?"

"No. Will call her."

PERSONAL

G. K. Wetmore, has returned to his duties at Ottawa.

John C. O'Brien town clerk, arrived home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyd, went to Eastport, Wednesday.

Miss Blanche McGee, drove up from Back Bay Wednesday.

Chas. Johnson Jr. arrived here Wednesday from the West.

Walter Greason, of Barre Vt., is the guest of Mrs. James McLean.

Miss Mae Johnson, has returned from a pleasant visit in St. John.

Edw. and John O'Neill, went to St. Stephen on Tuesday's train.

Miss Wright, of Beaver Harbor, is visiting Miss Teresa Meating.

Jul Cook, mate of the Schr. Wm. Cobb, spent Tuesday in town.

Capt. Jos. Boyd, of Wilson's Beach, was a visitor in town Wednesday.

Thos. McGrattan who is working in St. John, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Mand Dick has accepted a position in the Richardson D. I. school.

Chas. Irish, who has been working in St. Stephen, arrived here Saturday.

Mrs. Manzer, of St. Stephen, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Justason.

Dr. Alexander who has been in St. John on business returned on Tuesday.

Fred Paul, the affable hotel man from Beaver Harbor, was in town Wednesday.

Milton Eldridge and R. T. Wetmore of Beaver Harbor, were in town Sunday.

Miss Clara McCafferty, of St. Stephen, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinds.

Thos. Dunbar is home, from Maine, and will leave in a few days for Barre Vt.

Mrs. John McCarten has returned from St. Stephen, accompanied by her sister.

Mr. John Dewar, left on Friday for Northfield Vt., where she will visit her son.

Andrew McGee, the enterprising merchant of Back Bay, was in town Friday.

J. W. Webster was called home Saturday by the death of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kent entertained friends at the club house, Lake Utopia, Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Young and daughter of Parrsboro, N. S., are visiting Mrs. A. Young.

You Should See

Our Fit-Rite Suits

The coats cut 32 inches long, with latest long roll lapel, and natural shape shoulders.

Long padded collar, hand made buttonholes, linings good quality. Three button sacks or double breasted. Vests cut either single or double breasted. Trousers cut full at the hips and shaped gracefully. Altogether these are the handsomest suits it will be your pleasure to see.

Cut from rich blue serge, from mixed tweeds and from fancy worsteds in the very latest effects

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Clearance Prices on Men's Suits

We will place on sale for the following two weeks the best values you can possibly get for your money. The balance of our Summer stock of Men's Suits!

Every suit in this sale is a worthy product of a well-known establishment. The linings, the fittings are up to the standard the "Broadway Brand" clothes always maintain.

These Suits will wear you well and give the best of satisfaction.

\$20.00 Suits cut to \$17.00
\$17.50 " " " \$14.00
\$15.00 " " " \$12.00
\$12.50 " " " \$10.00

Cheaper Suits all cut in prices to make a quick clearance for Fall Stock. It's a good chance to get a good suit for the balance of the summer and next Fall.

JAMES O'NEILL, St. George

Dry Goods and Gents' Furnishings

LIBERAL MEETING

The members of the Liberal Party are requested to meet in Foresters' Hall on Friday evening, 28th inst, for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the Convention at St. Stephen on Monday, 31st inst. A full attendance is requested.

By Order
Vice Pres.

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LOCAL AND SPECIAL

To Kent—Four pleasant rooms in the Young block.

We will not publish unsigned communications.

Hon. W. S. Fielding is expected to visit New Brunswick shortly.

The residence of C. Hazen McGee and Bouds Hotel, have been connected with the new sewer.

Line fish at Beaver Harbor are very plentiful. On account of the large catches prices are low.

According to report the potato crop will be up to the average, notwithstanding recent wet weather.

Hon. Wm. Fugleby is expected to be present and address the Liberal Convention at St. Stephen Aug. 31st.

It is said that some of the young men who went west on the harvest excursion will make their homes in that country.

Miss Bessie Carvell who recently obtained a second class license, with a high average, has taken a school at Canterbury.

The children of the Presbyterian Sunday School held a delightful picnic on Wednesday at Mahars Beach, Lake Utopia.

The men engaged in removing the abutments at the lower bridge have found it necessary to remove some parts with dynamite.

It is reported that two St. George men were slightly injured during the attack on the harvest excursion cars while en route to the west.

The officers of the Salvation Army held an interesting meeting in Courts hall on Tuesday evening. It is said that the army may locate here.

The Baptist Sunday School picnic was held at Gillmor's Beach Wednesday. The young people were out in force and had a most enjoyable time.

Advertisements are up around town for granite cutters to work in different granite centers of the United States. In the town of Bethel fifty men are wanted.

Liberal Convention at St. Stephen, Aug. 31st. Steamer Viking will sell tickets from Black's Harbor at 75c. from other points 50c. good to return next day.

The steamer Viking ran on a ledge in L'Etete passage Wednesday morning damaging her keel. She was laid off a few days for repairs, but is now on the route again.

Friday night the heavens were aglow, the Aurora Borealis filled the Northern horizon with shafts of scintillating lights, mellow and beautiful. The display lasted for hours.

The pulp mill has resumed operations, having been closed down for repairs. The resumption of operations is quite a boom to the industrial situation here at the present time.

Some good work is being done along the line of the N. B. S. Ry. The ballasting has made a decided improvement, and travel is increasing as a result of the improved condition of the track and general service.

The town presents a deserted appearance on account of the suspension of the granite industry. The effect of the departure of a large number of young men, who are engaged in this business, is being seriously felt.

The many Miramichi friends of H. Price Webber will be sorry to hear that his scenery, costumes and other paraphernalia were lost in the burning of the Masons Theatre, Amherst, a few days ago. This is the second (or third) time he has been burned out.

Engineer Goodspeed, of the Public Works Dept., was in town last week in connection with the work on the public wharf, for which an appropriation of \$5,000 has been made. The wharf will be extended on the eastern side, and will also be higher, which will be an improvement that will be appreciated by the men who handle pulp.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Miss Fanny Messinett died at the home of Henry Baldwin Monday. Age 65 years.

New timbers were placed in the scales at the hall last week, the work being done by Nat Austin.

Herring are reported plentiful in L'Etang. Large quantities are being sold to baiters at good prices.

A smart little gasoline yacht came up the river Sunday afternoon. The party on board were Frank and Herbert, Chaffey of Indian Island, Hal Boden, and Mr. Pike and two daughters of Eastport.

Jim Gordon, George McCormick and Paul Reardon who are engaged in construction work on the N. B. Southern spent Sunday at home. They came in from Musquash on a pump car.

Our old friend "Mooney" in renewing his subscription has this to say: "That I enjoy Greetings goes without saying. It is like a visit to the old town. I also wish to compliment you in your spiky and concise manner in its construction."

There is no particular change in the sardine situation, the fish being again reported scarce off the Maine coast. The packers are behind in their orders, on account of the raw material; and there is a feeling that prices should be advanced.—Eastport Citizen.

Howard Frederick, ten months old, the bright little child of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilcox, died suddenly on Wednesday last of cholera infantum. Only those who have suffered the loss of one of these little ones can realize the sorrow of the parents, all can and do sympathize with them. Rev. H. I. Lynds read the beautiful service of the Church of England and officiated at the funeral which was held on Friday afternoon.

While driving from the Canal Friday, Arthur Frauley and G. K. Milne had a narrow escape from serious injury. The whistle-broke and in trying to control the horse, a spirited animal, the rein snapped. Both young men were thrown out, Frauley landing heavily on a stump, painfully bruising his leg, but no bad effects are anticipated. Milne escaped with a few scratches.

A sad accident occurred at St. Stephen Thursday, by which the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kerr lost her life. Mr. Kerr was unloading hay into his loft by aid of a horse and his daughter, three years old, had hold of the reins as the horse moved out into the yard. Some portion of the gearing caught and the horse was thrown back upon the child causing the little one's ribs to penetrate the lungs with fatal results.

It is fitting to repeat the prescription prepared by Dr. L. O. Howard, chief entomologist of the Department of Agriculture, for driving mosquitoes out of a sleeping room or enclosed space, in camp or elsewhere. One ounce of oil of cedar, two ounces of oil of citronella, and two ounces of spirits of camphor, form a preparation a few drops of which, on a pillow case or towel, will bring the area thereabouts into great disfavor with the mosquitoes.

The polling districts of Charlotte are entitled to delegates to the liberal convention as follows:

St. Andrews,	8	Letete,	5
Miltoven,	10	St. George,	9
Upper Mills,	1	Beaver Harbor,	3
St. Stephen,	16	Pennfield,	3
Dufferin,	1	Lepreaux,	2
Scotch Ridge,	5	Clarendon,	1
Ballie,	6	Chocolate Cove,	3
Tower Hill,	3	Lord's Cove,	5
Oak Bay,	4	Wilson's Beach,	4
Flame Ridge,	1	Welshpool,	4
Rolling Dam,	3	North Head,	7
St. Patrick,	4	White Head,	2
St. Croix,	3	Seal Cove,	4
Second Falls,	2	Grand Harbor,	5

St. George and Beaver Harbor base ball nines met at Beaver on Friday last. The game proved interesting to the large number of people who witnessed it. The inability of the Harbor nine in batting was fatal to them. In the field they played good snappy ball, but the deceptive curves of Doull—pitcher for the Utopians were fatal. Twelve men were struck out by him during the game. The Utopians won by a good margin. The batters were Doull and Gillmor, Cross and Wright. Excitement during the game at times ran high, brilliant plays were made by both sides. The boys from town were treated in royal style. An excellent fish chowder was given them at the hospitable house of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Paul. A dance in the evening was well attended and enjoyed by a merry crowd of lovers of the light fantastic.

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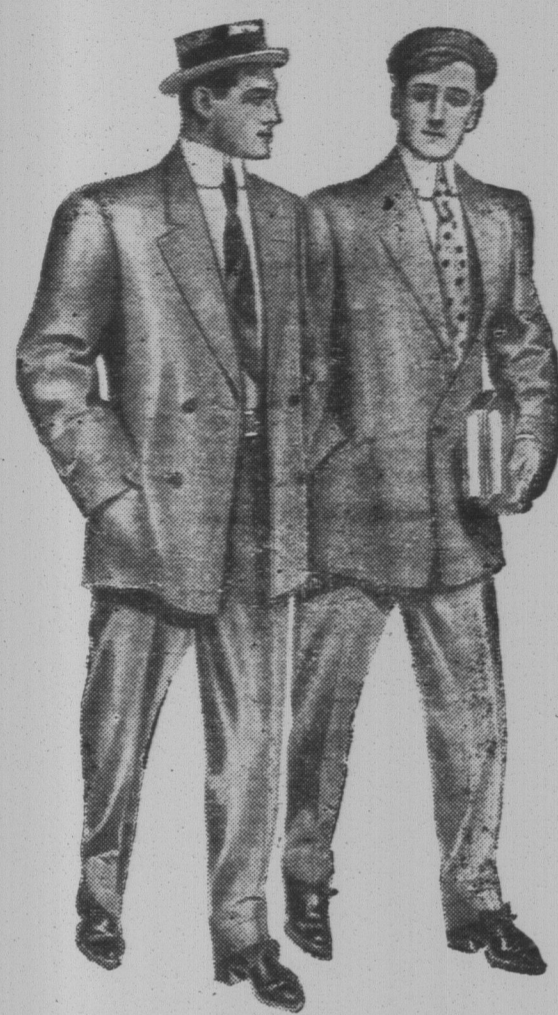
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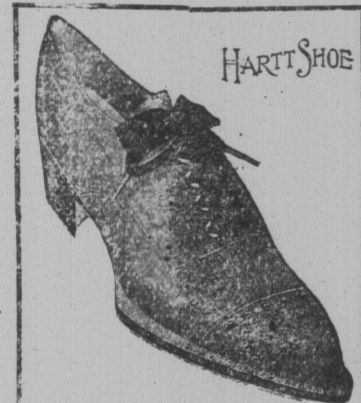


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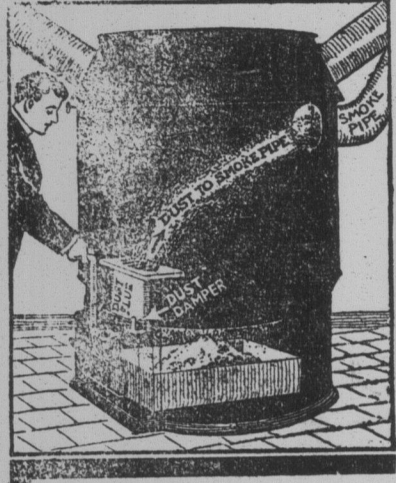
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Faint Heart And Fair Lady

"Yes, it is really true that I came near marrying an American girl," said Paul Touchard. It is now 15 years ago. I was spending my vacation in a little town. On the lovely shore of No. manly there is always a breeze and there the cottage ladies gather on the beach every afternoon to gossip. One evening in August it was between 6 and 7 we saw far away a cloud of smoke and a little while afterward a large elegant steam yacht came towards us. It anchored, an old gentleman and a lady and a young girl went into a boat and came ashore. Excuse me, sir, but would you please tell me the nearest way to the hotel?" "Hotel Beau-Rivage, I suppose?" "Yes, sir."

It was I whom the young lady addressed. While I gave her the information I looked at her closely. She was a dark blonde with big eyes, which seemed to look straight into your heart. Her features were beautiful and I was especially taken with the pose of her head.

After she had left I could not help thinking of her and I kept thinking of her for a long time. The proprietress of the hotel was an amiable and most courteous lady, and she was not slow in getting all the information she could from the servants of the new arrivals. It was not long before I knew that the new guests, the Foggs family, were Americans, and that Mr. Foggs had made an immense fortune in fur. His steam yacht alone would represent a fortune in France.

The next day the Americans came down to the little pavilion built at the foot of the downs close to the beach.

Miss Annie Foggs wore a white dress with short sleeves and she had the most beautiful arms I ever saw. When she entered there was a pause, but only for a moment, then the people kept on dancing. I went across the floor and asked the American girl to honor me with a dance.

"With the greatest of pleasure," she said.

She danced well and never seemed to get tired.

Three times a week we had a hop in the little pavilion.

Mr. Foggs no longer thought of leaving his daughter, whose will was law unto him, and decided to stay.

The Americans and I were soon inseparable and the old couple were exceedingly kind to me.

I do not think they cared to know my business, at least they never asked me. Miss Annie and I took long walks together every day. We did not exchange sweet words, but both of us knew that deep in our hearts a feeling was growing which promised fair to develop into love.

None of us cared for the gossip of the other guests and we kept on with our daily walks although they were far more dangerously to us than the steep cliff which the goats climb.

Suddenly one day Annie said: There is something you want to tell me, Mr. Touchard."

And what should that be, Miss Annie? She looked at me and her brown eyes were soft as velvet.

"Yes, I know there is something you want to tell me, but you do not dare because you are poor--"

"Do you want me to tell you what it is? I believe you love me. I dare not say now that I love you, but I like you immensely. And then there is another thing. I'm engaged to marry a young man at New York, but I don't care for him. He is a miserable dancer and has big ugly hands and thinks too much of his business and very little of me."

"Are you going to break your engagement?"

"No; that cannot be done. My father has arranged the marriage, and he will not break his promise, especially as my fiancé is the owner of some of the largest oil wells in the United States."

"Then I do not understand what you mean."

"Don't you understand, Mr. Touchard, that you are to go with us to New York? There my father will give you a position in his business and we will see each other as often as possible, dear."

"Your father will offer me a position?"

"Yes, and he will give you \$2000 a year. That will do for a start."

I looked at her, for I did not at first believe she was in earnest, but one glance at her face was enough to convince me she was. I was young. I loved Miss Annie, and it was not clear to me what a difficult situation I was going into.

"I accept the offer, Miss Annie."

"Perhaps I love you, too, she said slowly, looking down into the sand where she was drawing figures with the point of her parasol. But when she raised her head I saw to tears in her eyes.

The same evening Mr. Foggs came to me and shook my hand.

"It is a go, Mr. Foggs; I accept the position you offer."

From that moment I was allowed to court Miss Annie openly, but my position seemed rather queer to me when I remembered what she had said about being engaged already.

Nevertheless, I spent to happy weeks with her. We took long walks in the pine woods and along the shore admiring the beautiful nature. A few times she allowed me to kiss her hand, but that was all.

One day she came running up to me, greatly excited, holding a telegram in her hand.

"My fiancé..." she stammered.

"Is he dead?"

"No; it is much worse than that. He

has been faithless to me."

And then Miss Annie told me that the owner of the great oil wells had married a Creole girl from Cincinnati, who was a chorus girl in the bargain.

"Imagine, a colored girl! He prefers a colored girl to me."

Suddenly she burst out: "Will you marry me?"

"Oh, Miss Annie, you know that I would consider that the happiest moment in my life."

"Well, then, we will marry; there is only one thing I demand. As soon as we are in the United States you must challenge that scoundrel. I love you with all my heart, dear, but I cannot anyone to insult me as he has done."

I confess that I did not answer immediately. What she wanted me to do seemed too ghastly. To risk one's sweetheart's life simply because one's feelings were hurt was a thing I did not understand.

Miss Annie noticed my hesitation and turned pale. Her eyes shot fire.

"Well, what is your answer?" she asked. She did not give me time to reply. Her white teeth glistened and I can hear even now her mocking laugh.

"Oh, I understand you. You do not love me enough to risk your life for my sake. Good-bye!" With these words she picked up her dress in both hands and ran away from me.

When I woke up the next morning I looked through my window for the yacht. It was not there and some of the fishermen told me it had left during the night.

That is how my love affair ended, said Paul Touchard. I have never again visited the little town in Normandy and I have never seen the Foggs, no less Annie.

"But as I have grown older I have thought a great deal of this affair. Perhaps the American fiancé, the telegram and the breaking off of our love was only a test she wanted to make to see whether I was worthy of marrying her. Perhaps I let a fortune slip out of my hands that day simply because I hesitated. I shall never know."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Some First Things in Canada

- First census, 1665.
- First colonization movement from France, 1605.
- First newspaper, Halifax Gazette, March 23, 1752.
- First settlement in Quebec 1618.
- First R. C. church built in Canada, at Port Royal, 1608.
- First Canadian Bank (of Montreal) started in 1817.
- First steam railway built in 1836—the St. Lawrence and Champlain.
- First steamship to cross the Atlantic from Quebec, the Royal William, 1833.
- First canals built in Canada, 1779.
- First C. P. R. train crossed the continent, July 12, 1886.
- First telegraph line built in 1846 between Toronto and Niagara.
- First cable message sent by queen Victoria, August 12, 1868.

The footprints of Dyspepsia have been directly traced to the Stomach nerves. When these "inside nerves" fail, indigestion and stomach distress must surely result. For this, druggists everywhere are supplying a prescription known as Dr. Sloop's Restorative. First, these tiny inside Stomach, Heart, and Kidney nerves fail. Then gas belching, Heart palpitation, or failing Kidneys follow. Don't drug the Stomach, or stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is wrong. Strengthen these failing nerves, not the organs that are calling for help. Within 48 hours after starting the Restorative treatment, you will realize the gain. A test will tell. Sold by All Dealers.

The Care of the Eyes

A great many of the mysterious headaches with which women are afflicted must be put down to overstrained eyes, and this kind of headache can only be cured by giving the eyes a thorough rest and when a cure has thus been effected, great care in the use of the eyes in future is indispensable. Reading, writing or sewing in a dim and flickering light must be given up, and the common practice of attempting to read in a jolting train or street car must also be discarded. The eyes should never be used too long at a time, and when much eye work is necessary, brief rests and bathings in hot water should be resorted to, if the dreaded headache is to be kept at a distance.

Dog-day Hysteria

It is remarkable that all the signs of preparation for an approaching political conflict proceed from the Opposition side, and that Liberals are not apparently concerning themselves with the prospect of encounter. On reflection it will be found that there is nothing abnormal about such a situation. The candidates and lesser leaders of the opposition are well aware that the men at the head of their party cannot have much to say about determining the date of election, and so must be prepared to face the issue whenever their opponents choose to enter the lists. The supporters of the Government, on the other hand, know that the choice of time is in the hands of their leaders, who can fairly be depended upon to give due notice of a contest, and sufficient time for preparation. There is nothing at all surprising, therefore, in finding one side apparently unconcerned while the other is restlessly active, and it would be unwise to deduce unpreparedness from inactivity. There is no compelling reason for an election just now, all indications point to conditions next year being quite as agreeable as they are now, there are no great issues upon which the public might call to pronounce, nor do there promise, for the matter of that, to be any for next year. What the Opposition activity amounts to is an effort to familiarize the electorate with the names and faces of the new men who have succeeded the now almost forgotten leaders of a dozen years ago. It is a perfectly proper and highly desirable form of propaganda, and if talk about an expected election excites a little extra curiosity about it, that is just so much to the good. But Opposition activity does not necessarily mean an election; the signs of that must be looked for elsewhere.—Montreal Herald.

Woman Describes Cure for Eczema

Here is a simple treatment for skin diseases, such as salt rheum, eczema, tetter, etc., that is so good that I feel I ought to make it public in your columns. Dissolve a teaspoonful of pure powdered citric in two tablespoonfuls of hot water and bathe the diseased skin with the warm solution 20 minutes at a time twice a day. The only precaution is to be sure to get the pure drug just as it comes from the chemical works, in small sealed packages, and make the solution fresh each time it is to be used. It must be applied fresh and warm. Any good drug store has this well-known chemical. It seems almost too simple, but the best things are always simple. I cured my husband of a very bad case of eczema on the leg, and my little boys ringworm with it; also a very dear friend who had tetter on her hand. It dries up the eruption in a few days and stops the itching at once. A friend of mine who got the prescription from a famous skin specialist gave it to me. It is a priceless discovery, and I hope you will publish this.

MRS. R. H. BURNHAM

Useful Home Remedies

Every housewife ought to know that common baking soda (bicarbonate of soda) is the best and safest of all remedies for burns and scalds. It may be put on either dry or wet and when applied promptly the relief is instantaneous. Mustard is another valuable remedy. Two or three teaspoonfuls of ground mustard stirred into half a pint of water is the safest and surest emetic and is pleasanter to take and milder than salt and water. Equal parts of ground mustard (use less mustard if the skin is tender), and linseed meal, made into a paste with hot water, and allowed to simmer for a few moments on the stove (so that it may thoroughly retain the heat), and spread on a piece of muslin with another piece laid over it, forms the best sort of a mustard plaster. For all internal pains and congestions there is no remedy of such general utility. It acts as a counter-irritant by drawing the blood to the surface; hence in severe cases of croup a small mustard plaster should be moved about over the spot to be acted upon, for if left in one place it is liable to blister.

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Be an Optimistic Thinker

Did anyone ever get any good from talking about hard times, or fault finding, or allowing himself to think that the lack of a college education handicaps him, or that he does not have the chances others have, or that there is no use for him to try to do anything about the ordinary, and so on? Can you recall any man having been made better, or attracted to himself more friends or pleasanter surroundings, by such thinking? If not, then you can make up your mind that such thoughts are a waste of energy. Though he may think he has good ground for anger, hate, envy, fear, worry and the like, did such feelings ever get anything worth having? On the other hand, haven't you noticed that the man who doesn't complain about his territory, or his circumstances, or his lack of early advantages, or people or things, but keeps right on plugging away thinking and doing things that are worth while—haven't you noticed that such a man forges steadily ahead?—R. L. Norris.

Australia has established a record of rapid legislation. The legislation which recently adjourned for a three months' recess, after a session of nearly a month's duration, put through an old age pension bill in quick time. At 10.30 p. m. on June 2nd, the draft of the bill was completed. At midnight it was finished by the government printer, at a quarter to one, or forty-five minutes later, it had been read a first time. The debate of the second reading took place on the afternoon of June 3rd, and the measure passed through all stages before two o'clock the following morning on June 4th reached the Senate and after a few hours' debate was unanimously passed. The bill provides a pension of ten shillings a week to people over sixty-five years of age.

