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The Real Spy

Next month, in Cooperstown, New York, will be held a week's centennial literary celebration in honor of James Fenimore Cooper. To those who hold the author's works in beloved memory the following account of one of his characters may prove interesting. The description is taken from an article by Mr. Miller, entitled "A Spy of the Neutral Ground," published in the New England Magazine.

The chief interests of the "Spy" centers about the figure of Harvey Birch, who plays his part in the book as one of the prominent spies of the Revolution.

At the time the novel was published, in 1821, there was much speculation in regard to this hero, and to this day the world at large regards Birch as a creature of pure fiction. The character, however, was taken from the living fact.

Enoch Crosby was born in a Massachusetts village in 1750. Soon after his birth his family removed to Carmel, New York, where the boy grew up to be a cordwainer, or shoemaker. He was a pronounced Whig, and when the Revolution began, took active service.

Westchester County, New York, was called "The Neutral Ground," as it lay between the opposing armies. It was a region of disorder, ravaged by renegades and refugees who laid waste the land. As Cooper makes one of his characters say, "The law of the Neutral Ground is the law of the strongest." It was to capture a party of such marauders that Paulding, Williams and Van Wart were lurking when they surprised Andre.

Enoch Crosby, an intelligent, reticent young man of twenty-seven, was crossing this tract at one time when he met a man who took him for a Tory, and invited him to his house, where was gathered a company of royalists.

The cordwainer remained until he had possession of a store of Tory secrets. Then he made his way to White Plains, where he told his story to John Jay, who at that time was a member of the Committee of Safety. This was the beginning of Crosby's career as a spy.

Finding that the young man had special aptitude for the service, Washington advanced him, until he became one of the most important agents in secret work. He led a life of sacrifice and danger, and from the various parts he had to play without explanation, was distrusted by his friends. When the war was over, John Jay asked Congress for an appropriation in recognition of Crosby's valuable services. This was granted, but to Jay's astonishment, Crosby refused to accept it.

"It was not for gold I served my country," he said. "The country has need of all its means. I can gain a livelihood in various ways."

Enoch Crosby lived the rest of his days in Carmel, where he became one of the leading

men of the town. In 1827 he visited New York City. Cooper's romance of the "Spy" was then filling the theatre, and the old patriot went to see the play. He was recognized, introduced to the audience as the real spy, and received a tremendous ovation.

Got His Revenge.

With all of his knowledge and talent Lord Brougham was eccentric and slovenly in his personal habits. While he was a young and comparatively unknown barrister he was asked to a dinner at which the prince regent presided. Mr. Brougham's hands needed washing. The regent's keen eyes rested on them. He beckoned to a waiter and gave an order which the man heard with a scared face, and then going out he speedily returned with a ewer full of water, soap and a towel.

He carried them to Brougham, presenting them with the prince regent's compliments. The barrister instantly withdrew and never afterward referred to the insult.

Years later, when the prince, now king, tried to divorce his wife, Brougham, as her defender, so vehemently sustained her cause that she triumphed. The king's name was not mentioned during the trial, though the nation knew that he was secretly the prosecutor. Brougham in his speech declared that he saw in the distance the nameless persecutor of his innocent client, quoting with terrific effect Milton's words:

The other shape, If shape it might be called . . . black it stood as night, Fierce as ten furies, terrible as hell, And shook a dreadful dart; what seem'd his head The likeness of a kingly crown had on.

George IV felt seriously this savage attack. The nation sided with the queen, and her defender had paid his debt with interest.

Dairy Notes.

The udders of some cows are so sensitive that cold hands in beginning to milk will cause them to step about and possibly kick.

The best cure for a kicking cow is to find why she kicks, then find the remedy. A cow will kick from a hurt or a sudden fright.

Any harshness to the cow will cause an increase of nervousness and a decrease in the milk flow.

There has been quite a discussion with reference to the no-purpose cow, and there is a hearty agreement that she is a poor investment; but just imagine the predicament of a no-purpose man in possession of a whole herd of no-purpose cows.

A starved calf never amounts to as much as a cow. Keep her growing.

Slipshod, careless, filthy, profane, and cruel men cannot and do not succeed in dairying, says Successful Farming. Eliminate this class from any particular industry and the rest are a prosperous people.

The speed of your separator bowl has a great influence on clean skimming. That's why the maker's directions are worth consulting.

Don't feed rotten vegetables to cows, though they may eat them.

The milking-machine is now deemed a success, says an article in the Kansas Farmer, and all it requires is a little time. There are at the present time, over 1,300 milking-machines in operation in the United States, and from reports by the users, there is good evidence that they are meeting demands.

Fly-flaking for Women.

If our sisters, who are seeking new fields of employment through which they may obtain the wherewithal to keep the wolf away from their doors, will turn their attention to artificial fly-making, they will find it profitable and in many ways adapted to their tastes. Some of the finest artificial flies and other lures found in the markets of the world are fashioned by women. Their fingers are deft and their work in this field skilful. Nor is much capital required in the beginning, for the fly-maker's tools are few and small and the materials are sold by wholesalers. Several women who earn a living making flies began by asking angling friends for orders. Their skill soon becoming known, the rest was easy.

Millions of flies are made and marketed every year at a reasonable profit. One often marvels where all the flies made go to. Still the demand is constant. Out of a dozen flies purchased, perhaps six are lost or damaged and therefore discarded. Moths destroy more flies than all the fish caught on them. There is not an angler who does not possess twice as many flies as he can ever use in fly-fishing, but he purchases more from time to time, and never seems to be overstocked. There is something irresistible in a case of flies in a tackle shop.—Forest and Stream.

Halting Progress.

Chinese reform has been given a setback by an imperial decree that tells the new educational methods to chase themselves and instructs the teachers to pound into the round heads of the Chinese youngsters the great truths originally printed by Confucius with a ten cent marking brush.

Possibly the empress dowager considers western learning a yankee peril, but if hopeful young Chinamen after having had their heads lined with wise sayings several thousand years old, go against students from a modern business college when they try to break into commercial life they will discover that the world has moved up several pegs since the great teacher done his heavy thinking.

Knowing Confucius may help the men whose highest ambition is to launder shirts, but a few chapters from the life of P. T. Barnum would prove much more helpful to the boy who intends to organize trusts for a living.

Effects of Water Drinking.

For the last few years physicians have, says the Medical Adviser, in Green's Fruit Grower, been strenuously urging the necessity of drinking water. In almost any climate copious drafts are required by the system, not only to assimilate the food, but to flush the stomach, bowels, and kidneys in order that they may be better able to perform their work. The water should be taken on an empty stomach, otherwise the gastric fluid will be so diluted that it cannot properly perform its functions. Half an hour or an hour before breakfast, midway of meals and on retiring, are the most approved times. A quart or more during the day will serve to hold the system in good condition, and will keep the stomach, bowels, and kidneys in good working order, provided these rules are rigidly followed.

The Ruling Passion.

(Westminster Gazette.)

An uncommonly good story is being told of the Rev. W. H. White, who died recently. Early in his history, when a curate in Brighton, he was aroused from his sleep in the small hours of the morning by a sick call. He was summoned to a bad quarter of the town, and was brought to the bedside of a man who was rapidly sinking amid surroundings of destitution and squalor. He passed away while Mr. White was offering up prayers on his behalf, and Mr. White, on rising from his knees, discovered to his astonishment that his watch had been removed from his pocket and was held tightly in the grasp of the dead man.

Gallantry.

The new lady clerk's yellow hair glittered in the flood of sunlight that poured through the window of the office. But old Duke, the bookkeeper, had no eyes for the girl's beauty. He lighted a cigar and set to work. "Mr. Duke," said the lady clerk. "Eh?" the old man grunted. "Look here," said she imperiously. "I am sorry, but smoking always makes me ill." "Then, said duke, without looking up, "Dont ever smoke."

A great prelate of the Church is reported to have once said that he would rather see the British people free than sober; and this saying is treasured up and constantly repeated by those who champion the vested interests of brewers and publicans. But it is certain that no man who is habitually drunken can be in any real sense free; he is slave of his own passion for drink, says Sir John Gorst in 'The Children of the Nation.'

Clothes which have been worn in the fields during the day are not suitable for milking purposes. Every milker should be provided with a clean milking suit. Milkers should also wash and dry their hands before milking, and, above all, should keep them dry during milking. To wet the hands with the milk is a filthy practice.

If our weaknesses are not discovered, men will over estimate us, hence these humiliating moments when our human frailties find such expression as to bring sorrow to our own hearts and disappointment to others.



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9.05 A MIXED—For Aroostook Junction, and M intermediate points.
11.40 A EXPRESS—For all points North; M Presque Isle, Edmundston, River du Loup and Quebec.
2.35 P MIXED—For Perth, Junction Plaster
5.10 P MIXED—For Fredericton, etc., via Gibson Branch.
6.03 P EXPRESS—For Houlton, St. Stephen, M (St. Andrews after July 1st), Fredericton, St. John, and East; Vanceboro, Sherbrooke, Montreal, and all points West, and Northwest, and on Pacific Coast, Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc. Palace Sleepers, McAdam Junction to Montreal; Pullman Sleepers, McAdam to Boston; Pullman Parlor Car, McAdam to St. John.

ARRIVALS.

11.40 A. M.—EXPRESS—From St. John and East St. Stephen, (St. Andrews after July 1st), Boston Montreal and West.
12.20 P. M.—MIXED—From Fredericton, etc via Gibson Branch.
12.40 P. M.—MIXED—From Perth Junction and Plaster Rock.
6.03 P. M.—EXPRESS—From Fort Fairfield, Caribou, Presque Isle, Grand Falls, Edmundston and River du Loup.
4.40 P. M.—MIXED—From Aroostook Junction.
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