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**Quotations from Cowper.**

A Hartland correspondent asks for the insertion of the following lines which, applicable to Cowper's time, is no less suitable to the present:

In man or woman, but far most in man,  
And most of all in man that ministers  
And serves the altar, in my soul I loathe  
All affectation. 'Tis my perfect scorn;  
Object of my implacable disgust.  
What!—will a man play tricks, will he  
Indulge

A silly fond conceit of his fair form  
And just proportion, fashionable men  
And pretty face, in presence of his God?  
Or will he seek to dazzle me with tropes,  
As with the diamond on his lily hand,  
And play his brilliant parts before my eyes  
When I am hungry for the bread of life?  
He mocks his maker, prostitutes and shames  
His noble office, and instead of truth,  
Displaying his own beauty, starves his flock!  
Therefore avant! all a-tude and stare  
And start theatric, practised at the glass.  
I seek divine simplicity in him  
Who handles things divine; and all besides,  
Though learned with labor, and though  
much admired

By curious eyes and judgments ill informed  
To me is odious.

We are also requested to quote in this connection, the words of the Apostle Paul in 2 Cor., 4th Chapter, 5 verse: "For we preach, not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord."

**Thackeray's Substitute.**

Many American readers of Thackeray have wondered how he was able to write so graphic and correct an account of George Warrington's escape from Fort Duquesne, and his journey through the wilderness to the banks of the Potomac,—as Thackeray had never seen the magnificent valley through which his gallant hero fled after his daring escape. It will be a surprise to many people to hear that Thackeray did not write that chapter at all, but that the well-known author John P. Kennedy did. This is the story as Colonel John H. B. Latrobe once told it:

Kennedy was at a dinner in London, with Thackeray, Anthony Trollope, Wilkie Collins, and other celebrities. The dinner was over, and the guests were settling down to the wine and cigars, when Thackeray, who was entertaining the company with his wit and satire, suddenly stopped, and, taking out his watch, exclaimed:

"Gentlemen, I must leave you. I hate to go, but I must. I have promised the printer a chapter of 'The Virginians' to-morrow morning, and I haven't written a line of it yet. The printer is inexorable. So, wish, for you all another meeting when I can be longer with you, I bid you good evening."

Thackeray had almost reached the door when Kennedy called him back and said:

"Perhaps I can write the chapter for you. What are you going to describe?"

The great novelist seemed a little surprised, but, being a perfect man of the world, said:

"Kennedy, you are extremely kind, and gladly would I let you write that chapter for me, for I hate to leave a jolly party."

"Then don't," all the company cried. "Stay with us, and let Mr. Kennedy write the proposed chapter."

"I've half a mind to let you do it, just for the fun of the thing. It is a chapter chiefly of description, giving an account of George Warrington's escape from Fort Duquesne and his journey to the Potomac."

"If that's what you are writing about I can do it, for I know every foot of the ground."

"All right, then," said Thackeray, resuming his seat at the board. "Let me have it early to-morrow morning."

Mr. Kennedy withdrew, and, going to his hotel, wrote the fourth chapter of the second volume of "The Virginians," and thus it happened that George Warrington's narrative of his flight was so accurate as to the topography of the country through which he passed.—D. K. Janowitz in July Lippincott's.

**The College Backs The Girl.**

No girl, nowadays, need stay away from college because of lack of funds. There are many ways in which she can earn the necessary money, even while attending college, in fact, outsiders must wonder at the variety of tasks the college girl finds to do—from sewing on buttons to being dieticians in large hospitals in Summer vacation. Back of the girl workers stand the college faculties to advise and help secure employment, says Laura A. Smith, in the July Delineator. Former students help greatly by founding Students' Aid Funds. A girl may borrow from these funds paying back after she leaves college. Patrons help by giving scholarships ranging from fifty dollars to many thousands. All colleges supply information about these scholarships. All colleges will help the girls sincere in their determination to secure a college education and are willing to work.

Here is an unusually interesting experience, told by a Western girl with grit and business acumen. All girls should read and remember her first statement. She says:

"In all my work my policy has been to find something that people wish done and then to do it for them as well as possible; rather than to sell something to some one who does not wish it, and to be, all the while I am selling, heartily ashamed of it. The thing of which I am proudest, because it is my own invention, is my trunk business. At Christmas and in June I get orders for the girls' trunk, acting as expressman, seeing that the trunks are at the proper railway stations on time. I make my contracts with reliable express companies. If the trunks are not at the right stations on time, the express company forfeits a certain sum. I see that each trunk is tagged, loaded and I settle with the company, receiving from it twenty per cent. of the express charges. I make eight or ten dollars each time the trunks are sent out."

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**The Gentle Art.**

Wit is not precisely the quality best calculated to make friends for a man, yet, though wit is one of the salient virtues of Thomas McLean, the author of The Master Influence and one or two other novels, his list of friends is long and loyal. Among them, however, is no longer numbered a distressingly dull acquaintance who hailed him a month or two ago when he was in a hurry to go elsewhere.

"Say, McKean," he began, "I want to consult you about a scheme of mine. I have a couple of ideas in my head—"

"Have you?" said McKean. "And you want my advice? Very well, my advice is: Keep them there. Keep them there, man—they may breed!"

**A Year's Promise.**

It is estimated that the Western Provinces have five and a half million acres in wheat this year, upwards of half a million more than in 1907. With an average of twenty bushels to the acre, this acreage will ensure a crop of over 100,000,000 bushels. Present prospects, however, point to rather better than this yield, and it is not improbable that the Western wheat crop of 1908 will be little, if any, short of 120,000,000 bushels.

In Ontario prospects are equally encouraging. A vast amount of hay has already been put in the barn in excellent condition; with another week of fine weather the Province will have the best lot of feed of this kind in store in its history. Grain crops are coming on well, and corn is making magnificent growth. The weak points are in dairying and, in hogs; it now seems likely that the output of cheese and butter may actually be less than last year, and it is quite certain that the hog output will be very light. Cost of production in both these lines promises, however, to be much less than in 1907. In fruit a good crop is promised, and trees, speaking generally, never looked healthier.

Taking it all in all, including crop prospects as well as market outlook, it is safe to say that the agricultural situation in all Canada was never more promising than it is at the present time.

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"Can anybody tell me," said a country-bred man, "why city people slice tomatoes; and will somebody tell me how anybody can be so far lost to a sense of what is reasonable and right as to serve tomatoes with their skins on? Where I come from we get the tomatoes fresh off the vines, and we don't pick them until they are fully ripe. In that condition, of course, they taste the best, and at that stage of their growth they can be easily skinned. You don't have to cut the skin off them, but it can be easily peeled off. And having got your fresh, ripe tomatoes from the vines you peel them and then you cut out the eye where the tomato had been attached to the stem, and then you cut them up—you don't slice them, you cut them up. The tomato, you know, is divided around by walls or partitions within, which form the seed pockets; and you can, if you wish, cut up the tomato along through these walls, or you can cut it up without regard to these walls into irregular shaped pieces or chunks of a size convenient to eat, which is the way that I prefer."

"I might add here that sliced tomatoes stick together and look flat and uninteresting, while what we call cut up tomatoes, and however they may be cut up, rest lightly in a dish and look like an attractive red fruit."

"Now I am no pig, but I am fond of tomatoes, and when I eat tomatoes I like to have enough of them; not two or three little thin slices with the skins on, but a good generous dish of cut up ripe tomatoes. I can make a very satisfactory breakfast of nice, fresh cut up tomatoes and fresh bread and good coffee."

"I put salt and pepper and a little vinegar on my tomatoes. I have seen people put sugar on raw tomatoes—I won't stop to tell you what I think of that. But I do tell you that the only way to eat raw tomatoes is cut up."

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G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent, Post Office Department, Mail Contract Branch, Ottawa, 20th June, 1908.

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**Probate Court, County of Carleton,**

Province of New Brunswick.

To the Sheriff of the County of Carleton or any Constable of the said County.—GENTLEMEN:

WHEREAS Charles F. Leo Kearney of Nelson in the County of Northumberland in the Province of New Brunswick, hath prayed that Letters of Administration of the Estate of Elizabeth Kearney, deceased, late of the Parish of Simonds in the County of Carleton in said Province, widow, of Charles Kearney, late of the said Parish and county, may be granted to him.

You are therefore required to cite the heirs, and next of kin of the said Elizabeth Kearney, deceased, and all others interested, to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at my office in the Town of Woodstock within and for the said County of Carleton on Tuesday the Twenty-first day of July A. D. 1908, at the hour of two of the clock in the afternoon, to show cause, if any, why Letters of Administration of the Estate of the said Elizabeth Kearney should not be granted to the said Charles F. Leo Kearney as prayed for.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the L.S. said Probate Court this twenty-seventh day of June A. D., 1908.  
(Signed,) THANE M. JONES,  
Judge of Probate for the County of Carleton.  
(Signed,) JAMES McMANUS,  
Registrar of Probate for the County of Carleton.  
W. P. JONES,  
Proctor for Petitioner.

July, 1-81.

**The Long, Cold, Dark Evenings,**

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