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Harry W. Forest

## Women and Their Sphere.

Among the many admirable words spoken or written in regard to the attitude of the New Woman, a rather conservative consideration of the subject by Mrs. Margaret Deland, in a recent number of the Atlantic Monthly, deserves more than passing mention. Mrs. Deland, who is well and favorably known as a writer of stories, takes a serious view of the question of woman's rights, and one that will in all probability bring a certain amount of censure—or at least of criticism—upon her head. She shows that the woman of the present is a restless, discontented creature, ever seeking amusement or occupation outside of the home and family circle, in which lies her real opportunity, her real influence. The part that the modern woman has taken in the general uplifting of her sex and of mankind generally is cordially recognized by Mrs. Deland, who rather deprecates than condemns the spirit of shallowness that seems from her point of view to be the dominating note in the mental make-up of the present-day woman. The sense of social responsibility has been grasped rather as a child grasps a plaything with little or no regard for the opportunities it affords, and with no apparent appreciation of the consequences that will follow a misuse of the power it entails. This is apparent in the demand for universal suffrage; in the manner in which women have attacked the existence of various social evils, lopping off the branches and ignoring the roots that go to the very depth of life itself; the heart of the woman is all right, the error is largely one of the head; emotionalism plays too large a part in the mental make-up of the woman to allow her to look impartially upon evils that need coolness, slowness of judgment, time to settle them for the best interest of the world at large. Mrs. Deland has written convincingly, courageously on the unpopular side of a popular subject; whether her words will have any effect upon the New Woman, who is no one can doubt, terribly in earnest, is another matter.

## Zam-Buk in 3 Accidents.

It would seem that Zam-Buk, the famous healing balm we hear so highly spoken of everywhere, is particularly useful in the family circle. A report sent by Mrs. E. Davey, 786 Ellice Ave., Winnipeg, will illustrate this. She says: "My little boy, of three, while playing, fell from a high veranda to the ground, cutting his forehead badly. Instead of calling a doctor who would undoubtedly have put in a number of stitches, I bathed the wound well, and applied Zam-Buk. The little fellow, although suffering keenly, soon had relief from his pain. In the course of three weeks by applying Zam-Buk daily, the wound in his forehead was nicely healed."

"Since then I have also used Zam-Buk for a boil which came on my cheek and which proved very painful and looked unsightly. Zam-Buk soon drew the boil to a head and it then quickly banished it."

"Another time my baby was scalded on her left thigh and calf of leg with boiling water. This was a severe scald and the child suffered cruelly, screaming from pain. Directly it was done I thought to use Zam-Buk, as we had a box in the house, and spreading some on her I wrapped up the baby's limb. Next morning she rested much easier and I applied a fresh bandage with Zam-Buk. I kept this treatment up daily and was rewarded by seeing a great improvement each time I dressed the wound. In a very short space of time the scalds were all nicely healed."

"I cannot recommend this wonderful heal-

ing preparation too highly for family use, and I have such great faith in its healing powers that my house is never without a box. For all skin injuries and diseases, piles, eczema, salt rheum and face sores Zam-Buk is absolutely unequalled. 50¢ box all drug-gists and stores, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Refuse all substitutes.

## Not Running!

(Christian Register).

When Senator Vance was running for congress, he called on an old negro, who had in early life served the Vance family. Asked after his health, the negro replied: "Mighty polly in this worl', but its all right over yonder." "Do you believe in the doctrine of election?" asked Vance with great solemnity. "Its the doctrine of the Bible," answered the old man. "Uncle Ephram, do you think I've been elected?" asked Vance again. "Massa Eb, I'd a lee'le rather you wouldn't draw this question. I'm too near de grave to tell you, but de fact' an, I neber yet knowed nor hear tell of no man bein' elected what wan't a candidate."

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## Colonel Roosevelt Repudiates Methodist Statement.

On April 5th, the Rev. Mr. Tipple of the American Methodist church at Rome, expressed his views on the Vatican, and made a host of enemies.

The Reverend Mr. Tipple's statement was in part, as follows: "The Vatican is incompatible with Republican principles. This is a bitter dose for patriotic Catholics in America to swallow. I wonder how many doses of this sort they will take before they revolt. Is Catholicism in America to be American or Romanish? If Romanish, then every patriotic American should rise to crush it, for Roman Catholicism is the uncompromising foe of freedom."

"After the Fairbanks episode the Methodists never dreamed that the Vatican would commit a similar blunder with Mr. Roosevelt. That it has done so is an added proof that the policy prevailing there is the same yesterday to-day and forever. The Vatican is the Vatican. The world advances, but the Vatican, never."

"Americans can now better understand how it is that the Roman Church has lost France, the men of Italy, and is losing Spain and Austria."

There was a great deal of displeasure felt everywhere among Catholics over this statement, and the reception to the ex-President planned by the American embassy was cancelled in consequence of it, at the request of Mr. Roosevelt, who thereupon convoked

the journalists and dictated another statement as follows:—

"I had no engagements to speak at any church or clerical organization in Rome. I have received gentlemen of all religious faiths who have called at my rooms or at the American Embassy."

"Under the circumstances I have requested the American Ambassador not to hold the reception which he had intended to hold Wednesday afternoon."

"As regards all efforts by whosoever made to bring about and inflame religious animosities because of what has occurred between the Vatican and myself I can do no more than to refer to the emphatic remarks contained in my open letter to Dr. Lyman Abbott already published."

"All that I there said, I desire to reiterate with my whole power."

Only a week out of the wild lands of Africa, and this modern Prince of Democracy, has openly denounced a powerful political party in Egypt, resented the formalities of the Vatican Court, and now repudiates the diplomacy, or the lack of it, of the Methodist party in Rome. Is it any wonder such fearlessness in a truly great man continues to keep him in the front pages of the chief journals of the world? It may be as one Parisian journal puts it, he is merely an advertiser, but the American Republic will not believe it. Roosevelt may be ridiculous as when he gains the reports to dictate a long, and for him an exceedingly tame telegram about the incident to New York. He may be lacking in a sense of humor, his cock-sure temper may incline him to take himself much more seriously than the world at large is inclined to do, but few in the United States or in Canada will doubt his good faith, or his down right homespun sincerity.

## BLAME MERRY DEL VAL.

Catholics dwell on the many evidences of his friendship while he was the occupant of the White House and declare emphatically that the church is being placed in a false position towards the ex-president and Amer-

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## The Old and the New Rates in The Canadian Tariff Compared

The following table shows the old and new rates on the articles affected by the transfer from the general to the intermediate tariff, along with the value of imports of such articles last year. Outside of importation under the "omnibus" clause, the total is \$3,842,906.

The latter clause, the Minister explains, covers articles which may crop up and are not enumerated in the tariff. The Trade and Commerce returns do not specify total importations under that head. According to the Minister's interpretation of what the clause is, and which seemingly differs from Mr. Knox's, it would appear that many articles mentioned in Washington despatches as coming in that category are not so entitled, having regard to their being specifically enumerated in other schedules of the tariff. Cotton seed oil is one. Mr. Knox says it comes under the omnibus clause. It is, however, enumerated in the schedules of the Canadian tariff. The same is the case with other articles. The list affected, exclusive of this clause, is as follows:

| Articles—   | Old Tariff   | New          | Value of Imports, 1909. |
|---|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| Dates, figs, dried, per 100 lbs. ....   | 62½c.        | 55c.         | \$125,421               |
| Prunes and dried plums, raisins, dried currants, per lb. ....   | 1c.          | 2 3c.        | 728,085                 |
| Almonds, walnuts, Brazil nuts, pecans, shelled peanuts, per lb. ....  | 3c.          | 2c.          | 112,633                 |
| Nuts, all kinds, not otherwise provided for, per lb. ....   | 3c.          | 2c.          | 175,375                 |
| Photos, chromos, pictures, maps, charts, etc. ....  | 25 per cent. | 22 per cent. | 422,571                 |
| Soaps, powders, powdered soap, mineral soap, and soap not otherwise provided for. ....  | 35 " "       | 32½ " "      | 494,036                 |
| Perfumery, including toilet preparations, non-alcoholic. ....   | 35 " "       | 32½ " "      | 371,935                 |
| Table ware, china, porcelain, white granite and ironstone. ....   | 30 " "       | 27½ " "      | 216,604                 |
| Common and colored window glass. ....   | 15 " "       | 12½ " "      | 209,611                 |
| Watch actions and movements. ....   | 15 " "       | 12½ " "      | 538,366                 |
| Dongola calf and all finished leathers. ...   | 17½ " "      | 15 " "       | 310,634                 |
| Feathers, natural and artificial, and imitations of fruits, leaves and flowers for hat ornaments. ....  | 30 " "       | 27½ " "      | 139,665                 |
| All goods not enumerated in this schedule as subject to any other rate of duty, and not otherwise declared free of duty, and not being goods the importation whereof is by law prohibited. .... | 20 " "       | 17½ " "      | .....                   |

Provided that duty shall not be deemed to be provided for by this item upon dutiable goods mentioned as N. O. P. in any preceding tariff item. Provided further that when the component material of chief value in any non-remunerative article.

## Roosevelt Helps Briand.

Paris, April 4.—Nowhere in Europe has the failure of the Pope to grant an audience to Mr. Roosevelt created greater interest than in France on account of the long separation fight, and it is expected to prove a strong card for the government in the coming elections, as supporting the contention of M. Briand, the premier, that the recent agitation of the French episcopate was inspired by the present intransigent and intolerant attitude of the Vatican.

Responsibility generally is placed personally on the shoulders of Cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary of state. An eminent ecclesiastic is reported to have said: "It is not the church, but the private act of the Spanish secretary of state against the colonel of the Rough Riders in Cuba."

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