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OCTOBER

These are the days when fields and forests are aglow with glory. The luxurious foliage which held sovereign sway through Spring and Midsummer has been invaded by a host of yellow conquerors whose triumph is assured. Here and there maroon, russet and crimson intermingle in lovely confusion and the commonest hedge row is adorned by splashes of scarlet and variegated with delicate tints and vivid colors in most unexpected places. The leaves are falling faster with each passing day, until bye and bye the ground will be carpeted in a pattern of commingled brown and carmine and old gold.

The bird life is meager now and suffers sadly when compared with those choruses that made forest and field vibrant with melody in May. The cheery notes of the Chickadee, the friendly chirp of a vagrant Woodpecker and the harsh measures of the handsome but unmusical Blue Jay compensates in part for the absence of the velvet throated songsters of yesterday. Colonies of Blackbirds, belated in their departure, congregate noisily, and give the impression that they are debating some all important issue.

The first frosts have come. An azure haze hangs over the horizon and throws a filmy veil across every vista. There is a tang in the air and the smell of burning brush. The Wild Geese fly honking overhead, dreaming of the sun-lit pools in the Southland. The Chipmunk scampers across the road to a place of safety under a rail pile where, certain of security, he scrutinizes the passersby.

It is October, mellow with the maturity of a year four-fifths gone, rich and riotous of color, but melancholy and sad only to those who will have it so. It is a great month for the pedestrian to be on the road and to tramp across the fields. It is time for the city man to forsake the streets and to take the nearest highway that leads to farm land, forest and stream. It is the month of all months to be out of doors and to range at will over highway and woodland ere Winter comes and the long nights and the biting cold induce one to linger long by his wood fire and browse among books and magazines.

WHY THE KAISER QUIT

Serial publication of the memoirs of the ex-Kaiser lately reached an interesting episode—his abdication.

His Imperial Majesty, it transpires, was not the first to entertain the thought of his retirement. The suggestion came to him through his minister of the interior, Drews, who had been drafted by the chancellor for the unpleasant task. That it was unpleasant, the narrative plainly shows. The Kaiser took the poor minister to task for presuming to approach him with a proposition so inconsistent with his oath as an official of the king. At that time the Kaiser refused to abdicate. Later, he began to see the necessity of doing something, and decided it would be well to quit as emperor but to retain the throne of Prussia and keep the army group around him—lest they all resign and leave the fatherland unprotected.

But the pressure finally became too great—and the Kaiser made his exit across the border. He is still agitated lest any one should think he deserted the post of duty. But he need not fear. The verdict of history will be that he did his duty then. His mistakes began farther back.

The Kaiser really quit because the allies had won the war; the German nation was in ferment, ready for peace at any price; and peace could not be had until the Kaiser stepped out.

"England loses a super-man," is the reference which a British newspaper makes to the appointment of Sir Henry Thornton as head of the Canadian National Railway system. Sir Henry is a big man both physically and mentally. He has made good in the old country and it is believed that he will fulfil public expectations in the important position he has been called upon to fill in the Dominion. The Liberal Government promised to give public ownership a fair trial and it is going to carry out its promise.

Hon. Bonar Law has accepted the leadership of the Conservative party

in Great Britain and will undertake to form a ministry. The chances of his government surviving a general election are not considered overly bright.

Some burglars possess extreme hardihood, as, for instance, those who took a chance at robbing the flat of Miss Pearl White, the daredevil movie actress.

Doctors have found a serum that they say will cure diabetes. When they get all the diseases abolished what will some people do for conversation?

A pastor has made a list of "Don'ts" in regard to picking a husband. But there is none that says: "Don't pick one."

The hand holders will view with alarm the news that a method has been devised of showing the movies in the light.

At the present price of hooch, remarked the eminent student of Mother Goose, it takes an awful lot of jack to buy a jill.

A Clarksburg, W. Va., street car conductor has become a clergyman. His car will travel the Straight and Narrow.

Mother Goose and Moses have tied in a popularity contest in a Chicago college. Probably judged by their quotability.

Just think what a terrible fellow the Turk would be if he ever got drunk!

What with one murder and another the spotlight man doesn't know which spot to light next.

Georges Carpentier isn't sending any of his worshippers his latest photograph.

Years ago a jilted woman sat down for a good cry. Nowadays she stands up and shoots.

The ones in New Brunswick, N. J., act like mail order detectives.

It may be somebody said to Jack Frost: "Make it snappy!"

Through Our Sieve

To be half sick with a cold is to be wholly sick of it.

Boys can give a good imitation of being happy though on their way to school.

The man whose wife insists on a thick squirrel coat looks ahead to a hard winter.

Generally it is the very letter that comes "Postage Due" that one wouldn't give two cents for.

Many a man fails to make good because he spends most of his time trying to prove that luck is against him.

Six New York hotels hire 510 cooks showing that these hostilities are at least making an attempt to provide things fit to eat.

Lima Beane says the worst of it is being honked at by a horn that sounds like the bawl of an unhappy calf.

Constantine admits that he is through thus showing that any man may acquire the knowledge which is the common property of all the world.

Some people try to bargain with the Lord, promising all sorts of things if He will come across with blessings they want. But the Lord doesn't do business that way.

"Brooklyn man moves that the name of ginger ale be changed. He has tried it and says there isn't a bit of gin in it." Wha can he expect? The dictionary put the gin in ginger ale, and the dictionary is dry.

Militia Orders
Recent militia orders included the following: Canadian Officers Training Corps, New Brunswick University Contingent—Captain E. L. Harvey is transferred to the Corps Reserve, 21st August, 1922, Infantry, The North Shore (New Brunswick) Regiment (132nd Battalion, C. E. F.)—Captain G. A. Mowat is transferred to the Corps Reserve, 1st August, 1922.

"Of all known sciences, none has been more unstable, confused and contradictory, in doctrine than medicine"—J. Rhoades Buchanan, M. D., Boston, Mass.

Personal Mention

Mrs. T. L. Good, proprietor of the Madawaska Inn, of Edmundston was in the city yesterday.

L. R. Whittaker of St. John is registered at the Barker House.

J. H. Cochrane of Moncton arrived in the city last night.

Dr. R. D. Small of Portland, Me., and Mrs. A. Carleton Porter of Cambridge, Mass., are at the Barker House.

C. K. Howard of Toronto is at the Barker House.

RUSSIANS SAID TO BE STARVING

New York Oct. 24—The collection of jewels that belonged to the late Emperor Nicholas has become a burden to the authorities and what is to be done with them is puzzling the officials who declare the stones are so large nobody appears to want them.

Kameneff told Col. Haskell that the Soviet Government was eager to dispose of the collection as whole or in part but as yet no one had stepped forward even with the suggestions of an offer. He said they might be advertised and knocked down to the highest bidder or perhaps some would be sent to Warsaw in partial payment to Poland under the terms of the Soviet Polish Peace treaty.

Kameneff also said that all of the money realized by the sale of confiscated church treasures had already been expended for famine relief. The proceeds he said were far below expectations.

TAKES EXAMS. BY DICTAPHONE

Ottawa Oct. 23—Because he broke his right collarbone playing football John Grant of Halifax one of the five sons of Hon. McCallum Grant lieutenant governor of Nova Scotia is being allowed to write civil service examinations through the medium of a dictaphone.

Mr. Grant was one of the sixty odd men selected from several hundred applicants for positions as junior trade commissioners.

When he discovered he was going to be unable to write he telegraphed the civil service commission asking if he might dictate his replies to a stenographer.

If he were anxious to make good on the examinations, the civil service commission decided he ought to be given a sporting chance. It was reflected that some stenographers were pretty bright girls so the dictaphone was substituted and permission given for the rolls to be transcribed by a typist in the presence of an examining officer.

POPPY DAY

Will be observed this year on Armistice Day, which falls on Saturday, Nov. 11th. The Fredericton Branch of the G. W. V. A. is ready to supply the following outlying districts in addition to those which co-operated with the Society in making Armistice Day of 1921, such a great success: Fredericton Junction, Tracey Station, Gagetown, Upper Gagetown, Oromocto, Millville and Hawkesbury.

The poppies in 1921 were supplied by children in France. This year they are being manufactured by the disabled soldiers in Canadian hospitals so that all money derived from their sale will remain in Canada. Any society wishing to cooperate with the G. W. V. A. in the sale of poppies on Armistice Day will please communicate with the undersigned.
J. S. SCOTT,
Sec. G. W. V. A., F'ton, N. B.

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Minto, N. B.

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COLD REMEDY

October is typically a month of colds, and early fall months bring colds that are liable to stay. Great protection is necessary since these colds can run into serious ailments if not prevented. Our Cold Remedy is especially designed to combat any cold from any cause and to head it off in the quickest possible time.

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