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THE SPRING TIME

All existing records for endurance in fox-trotting are shattered by a couple who spin dizzily for some seven hours in an English provincial dance hall; Omaha reports the first appearance this season of a rhubarb pie of the lattice-top type; A human fly falls to death from the side of a New York hotel; Mr. A. B. See, who has risen to fame and fortune on elevators, publishes a tirade against an alleged lack of logic in women;

A Haverhill, Mass., dealer starts suit for payments made on two carloads of fireproof anthracite; Isadora Duncan feels she is on the verge of passing in the checks; A New York legislator introduces a bill limiting heart balm damages to six cents per suit; Egyptian styles inspired by discoveries in a Luxor tomb, made their debut;

An 18-year-old youth crosses Niagara on a girder 10 inches wide; A "fever girl" fools physicians for a week with a concealed hot water bottle; Magnates who made the drama what it is today talk of creating a great national theatre; Lenin is dead for the first time in 1923;

This, briefly and in popular patois, is the silly season. Almanacs designate it merely as the official arrival of spring.

THINKING

"It is good to live and learn," remarks Cervantes, plumbing the depths of human experience. Learning is the machinery with which man creates his life. The two belong together.

President Burton of the University of Michigan, addressing the New York alumni, pleaded for encouragement of "thinking," which, when all has been said, is the seed from which the word 'university' has grown. Any university, predicate their existence on the preparation for life. The mind is disciplined and prepared, taught orderliness and enterprise, and so made ready, is given to the world to do its double part; first it has the duty of contributing to society whatever it may discover of the secret of existence, and second it has the obligation to bring the life of the individual to fruition.

Books, education, lectures, thoughts all are stagnant and, what is worse, sterile until the individual, by celebration, applies them to life and the art of living. This, supremely, is the why of birth. The better to fit mankind for this task universities are founded and developed.

The House of Commons yesterday by an overwhelming vote reaffirmed its stand against the granting of titles to Canadians. A British Columbia member wanted an exception made in the case of those who had performed distinguished service in education, literature, art and science but his motion was defeated by a vote of 121 to 14. New Brunswick has but one resident knight, Sir Douglas Hazen, Chief Justice, and it is safe to say that the remaining 380,000 of the people of this province will heartily approve of the stand taken by the House of Commons.

According to a return brought down in Parliament a few days ago ex-President Taft, who represented the Grand Trunk shareholders at the arbitration proceedings, was paid a fee of \$75,000. The money was paid by the shareholders.

The Custom Sutters Club in New York says that "snappy dresser" requires fourteen suits and twenty two hats in a year. But Old Man Average Pocketbook is indifferent to the adjuration, "Make it snappy."

Mussolini is planning to put a stop to gambling in Italy, on the ground that it is vice. It promotes a flock of vices, from the vice of idleness all up and down the line.

In Detroit a baby was born in a wrecked automobile. Fate likely got rattled and thought they were staging her other end of a human's existence.

A Cambridge young man seeks annulment of marriage because he says the girl pestered him into it. She wasn't very clever to let him know

A dispatch says that New York has a woman who speaks nine languages fluently. Does a woman ever speak a language otherwise?

The Church of England proposes to reduce the Ten Commandments. This won't mean anything to quite a few, one way or the other.

Bustles are coming back. And basques probably. And goods will be cut on the bias again. That will be the normalcy of 1880.

An investigation of School affairs by an expert is absolutely necessary.

Is the City Council representing the People or the Board of School Trustees?

Weather probabilities for a few days more: March.

Once there was a time when Easter had nothing to do with hats.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Who dictates the style of dogs?

Dishwashing spoils more dispositions than pretty hands.

Lloyd George, when premier, got paid for keeping still. Now he earns money by talking.

No matter what Fashion tells the girls they must do, they must grin and bear it.

One thing the matter with the country is that so many people think the law ought to make an exception in their case.

"It pays to be good," remarked the Man on the Car, "so you see there is a little selfishness mixed with virtue."

An innocent amusement of grown people is that of trying to get bashful children to talk and persuading talkative children to shut up.

If you are always on the job you will always be expected on the job. Such is the reward of faithfulness and a sense of responsibility.

Ristling silkskirts are reported to be coming back. If they do you'll hear them. They make a noise like shuffling feet through dry Autumn leaves.

Soloman, one of the few great paragraphers, if any, has said: "If thou faint in the day of adversity thy faith is small." The spirit can't do much with weak knees.

PERSONAL MENTION

School Inspector Fox of Gagetown is a guest at Windsor Hall.

Mr. Donald Fraser of Plaster Rock is a guest at Windsor Hall.

R. S. Wilby of Aberdeen street who has been ill with pneumonia for the past couple of weeks is much improved.

Montreal Gazette: Philip W. K. Robertson and his bride, formerly Miss Florence Lockhart, of Dorchester, N. B., are expected to return home the latter part of next week from their wedding trip to Boston and New York.

MONTREAL IS THE MECCA OF WHITE SLAVERS

Montreal March 19—Declaring that Montreal was known all over the American continent as the ideal place for wine, women and song, Nathan Gordon, former prosecuting attorney of the city of Montreal, uttered a scathing denunciation of this city's red light district, in an address to the Montreal Women's club here this afternoon. He said Montreal was the mecca of white slavers in search of easy and prosperous vice conditions. He gave detailed information of the methods of pursuing the trade in drugs and vice, showing how every drug addict was sought by every conceivable means; how the drug traffic and the trade in women were run hand in hand, the one depending on the other and the profits in both cases going to people who stood aloof and had little or no ostensible connection with the traffic that brought them wealth.

He concluded there was only one way of dealing with the red light district in order that the city might "no longer be a leper among other cities."

The traffic officer has it down in his notebook that a lot of sleep walking is done in broad daylight.

NO LICENSES ISSUED TO THE EXPORTERS

Ottawa, March 19—The Dominion government does not issue licenses to carry on the business of exporting intoxicating liquors. Bonded warehouses have been authorized in British Columbia since the commencement of the year 1920 with the consent of the provincial authorities for storage of intoxicating liquors in bond subject to provisions of the customs act governing warehousing and ex-warehousing of imported goods. This statement was made in the House of Commons this afternoon by the Hon. Jacques Bureau, minister of customs and excise, in reply to a question by General J. A. Clark, Conservative member for Burard as to how many licenses had been issued in that province for the business of exporting intoxicating liquors or of having said liquor in licensed warehouses. Mr. Bureau gave a list of twenty-six proprietors to whom licenses had been issued for the purpose indicated, in six cities and towns in British Columbia. He stated further that the unqualified consent of the proper provincial authority is required before the privilege is granted of storing intoxicating liquors in bond in all provinces and districts where the sale of intoxicating liquor is prohibited under the provincial law.

WOMAN WAS OVERCOME BY SMOKE

Campbellton, N. B., March 19—Fire which caused damage estimated at \$5,000 broke out at an early hour on Sunday morning in a building situated on Roseberry street opposite the C. N. R. station here and owned by Mr. Landry, of Bathurst. One of the inmates of the upper flat of the building narrowly escaped suffocation from the smoke and was only rescued by the act of policeman, Robert Burns who managed to bring her out after making two efforts to fight his way through the smoke. She was overcome but is now much improved.

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