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THE NEW CHIEF INSPECTOR.

The Temperance Bulletin after acknowledging that it recommended Mr. L. A. Gagnon for the position of Chief Inspector, pays the following tribute to Mr. McFarlane, who has been appointed:

"The Government has now appointed Mr. W. L. McFarlane, of Nashwaak-sis, York Co., a good Temperance man and who will we believe honestly endeavour to carry out the law, and who, if he receives the whole hearted support of the Government will make a success of the position. Mr. McFarlane was at one time Scott Act Inspector for York County, and so has had some experience in law enforcement, and has been Warden of the County, and has the respect of all who are acquainted with him. He is a Trustee of St. Paul's Church, Fredericton. Mr. McFarlane will have back of him the whole hearted support of all good citizens. Whatever the Temperance Alliance can do to make his work a success he may safely count on being done."

London dispatch says that the mortality rate of sharks in Far Western waters has greatly increased since women started to wear shoes made of shark skin. If the fashion continues the sharks may be wiped out. Perhaps Governments will have to decree a closed season for sharks. As the sharks decrease in number the fish on which they feed will increase and multiply. And the fish on which the "shark food" feed will correspondingly decrease. And—Good gracious! There's no end to conjecture when women step out in new tootsie covers

"Revenue from tourists is estimated to bring Canada more than any branch of industry except grain and grain products," says the Toronto Globe. "The statement will be a surprise, especially in the light of the comparative neglect of preparations for such business. It is worth extending facilities and enlarging means of comfort and entertainment for visitors."

The Chatham World in concluding an editorial on the new Chief Inspector under the Intoxicating Liquor Act says "The Chief Inspector's office is the heart of the provincial system. Who knoweth but Chief Inspector McFarlane has come to the kingdom for such a time as this."

A charge of possessing liquor for sale has been filed against George Brady, negro butler at the mansion of Governor Ferguson, Austin, Texas. Governor Ferguson posted a reward of \$500 Saturday for arrest and conviction of every wealthy Texan violating the liquor laws.

Analysis of beer sold by a Toronto hotel-keeper revealed that two samples had alcoholic content of 2.37 and 2.51 per cent. and one sample 5.56. From the viewpoint of some folks the sale of the former as "four-point-four" constituted the most serious offense.

The richest man in France has been chosen to guide the finances of the country, but will he step toward the treasury with his own funds saying, "This way, please?"

It is reported that Jackie Coogan has finally decided to abandon the bob for a regular hair-cut. It seems out in California they wouldn't let him vote at the last election.

A large consignment of rum-soaked puddings has arrived in Boston for holiday consumption. The proof of the pudding in this case is said to be about 100.

Chicago Judge has ruled that hereafter no childless wives shall collect alimony. Slowly the law is adapting itself to changed conditions.

Bryn Mawr College authorities seem to have hit on an ingenious way to stamp out smoking among the girls. They let them.

Statistics are those irrefutable figures the great orator draws into the speech to prove anything the audience already concedes.

The anthracite industry isn't the only old-fashioned thing in Pennsylvania: Pittsburgh police have been asked to look for a horse thief.

In the end it will be discovered the most effective form of disarmament is a general unhinging of jingo tongues.

Governor Smith, of New York, has lost his dog. If it were his goat it would be a news item.

Home is something a man is five miles away from, when the weak garter finally succumbs.

This New York annulment suit is merely more evidence that few love letters grow old gracefully.

We note with interest not unmixed with concern that Santa Claus is wearing the same ill-fitting whiskers.

Now is the time for all good magicians to come to the aid of France.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Static helps one to get one's mind off the radio.

Holidays look best two days before the date of their arrival and three days after they have gone.

Truth crushed to earth will rise again but by the time it does the lie is on its way.

Lima Beane says the man who can either think or not it alone usually thinks.

Our guess is that the poet meant to say that man wants a little more here below, but the printer set it up wrong.

Many things the scientists are going to do never get nearer than the advance notices to accomplishment.

One way to pick out an average man is to find out whether he thinks taxes are too high. If he does he is.

Even if we could see ourselves as others see us, a power which the late Robert Burns thought would be of such advantage to us all, we don't suppose we'd admit anything.—Ohio State Journal.—We'd visit an oculist at the first opportunity.

SEE DOCTOR NOT JUDGE WHEN MARRIAGE FAILS

New York, Dec. 4—Why marry? Especially if: "in the heart of every man there is something of the knight errant and the gentleman, something of the devil and something of the brute" and—

"There is in the heart of every woman something of the angel, something of the devil and something of the cat."

Some young women may take exception to one or both of these definitions given to 500 young men at the Young Men's Club of the Broadway Tabernacle, New York. Dr. Eugene Lyman Fisk, however, advised the young men they are accurate definitions.

"Why marry" was the subject of his address.

He advised, further, that when the devil, or the cat, or the brute gets the upper hand in either marriage partner, he or she should see a doctor, not a lawyer.

"No substitute for marriage could possibly be considered in any civilized estate," he said.

ST. PAUL'S LADIES' AID.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's United Church was held Wednesday night and was well attended forty-six ladies being present. Reports were presented and the usual business transacted. The election of officers resulted as follows:—

Honorary President—Mrs. Joseph Walker.  
President—Mrs. W. M. Burns.  
1st Vice-president—Mrs. W. M. Todd.  
2nd Vice-president—Mrs. Percy Smith.  
Secretary—Miss McLaggan.  
Treasurer—Miss W. G. Everett.  
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Executive—Mrs. T. A. Belmore.  
Mrs. C. L. Sypher, Mrs. C. S. Whitaker, Mrs. A. H. Woods, Mrs. W. M. Kesson.

Plans were completed for the Christmas Sale and Tea which the ladies intend holding on the 15th.

PEG O' MY HEART WENT OVER WELL THURSDAY NIGHT

Miss Annie Sypher in Title Role Made Decided Impression — Specialties All Well Received.

Last evening at the Opera House S. C. Hurley presented "The Little Theatre Group" in the brilliant comedy "Peg o' My Heart." It was under the auspices of the Mayor and Aldermen of this city and in aid of the poor. The parts were all admirably taken. Miss Annie Sypher as "Peg" was particularly good. Her answers to her "ant" and the love of her dog, Michael in preference to the Englishmen provoked much laughter. The characters were as follows:  
Mrs. Chichester .... Mrs. N. Sheraton  
Jarvis ..... Jack Winters  
Ethel, Mrs. Chichester's Daughter ..  
..... Mrs. A. G. Turney  
Alaric, Mrs. Chichester's Son .....  
..... S. C. Hurley  
Christian Brent ..... Karl Bishop  
Peg O'Connell ..... Annie Sypher  
Montgomery Hawkes, Solicitor .....

Bennet, the maid .... Dugald Tozer  
Jerry ..... Morland Robinson  
Pet, Michael ..... By Themselves

Three excellent specialties were shown between the acts. The first was a juvenile musical turn. Mrs. W. P. Fox in readings and James Biggs in Irish melodies were well received. "Tea for Two" the last turn, singing and dancing, also was well presented.

The personnel in the specialties were as follows:—

(Between Acts 1 and 2.)  
"I WANT TO BE HAPPY"

Soloists .....  
Binty Bebbington, Patrick Sheraton.  
Assisted by Betty Irvine, Elizabeth Howes, Ruth Currie, Hilda Wainwright, Margaret Seely, Laurie Walker, Royden Allen, Stuart Sypher, Jas. Sheraton, Richard Gunter, LeBaron Bull and Stanley Douglas.

(Between First and Second Parts of Act Two.)

Reading (Drummond) .. Mrs. W. P. Fox  
Old Time Melodies .... Mr. Jas. Biggs  
(Between Acts 2 and 3)

"TEA FOR TWO"

Soloist ..... Alberta Hazlett  
The Tea Girl ..... Clara Daugherty  
Assisted by Bonnie Robinson, Maggie Chestnut, Frances Gale, Jerry Wilson, Edith Richardson, Phyllis Richardson, Chas. Blair, Martin Hall, Harold Haney, Norman Skinner, Harold Nicholson, Walter Foster.

The play will be repeated tonight with a Saturday matinee.

CAPITALISTS INTERESTED IN GOLD FIELDS

Quebec, eDec. 3—Dr. L. F. Lemieux, agent-general of Quebec at London, this afternoon told the Provincial Government that big English interests were on the eve of entering the North western goldfields of Quebec, after sending investigators here who had been satisfied with the guarantees given by the legislation which might effect them.

A few days before his departure from England, Dr. Lemieux announced that a company backed by the Bank of England whose name he was withholding for the present had been formed to exploit feldspar on the North Shore. Work was to be started as soon as provincial incorporation had been obtained.

Who can remember when mother was afraid the children might get killed by a runaway horse?

"Japan suspicious of proposal to scrap submarines." Natural. Suspicion is general. It is what starts wars.

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