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SHOP EARLY.

This is the time of year when everybody likes to discover ways of making other folks happy. Now there is a very simple way to double up on the happiness which we plan to confer on others. The gifts we buy for our children, parents, other relatives or friends will give them pleasure, of course. But we can make those same gifts give pleasure to persons who are not to be the recipients at all.

We can do this by merely responding to the suggestion that we "Shop early."

Store people and delivery people constitute a vast body of workers for whom the holidays are a season of nerve-racking toil. They never know in advance whether the Christmas trade is to be spread over a period of several weeks or compressed into a single week, with pressure mounting to the very end. The public has been doing better in recent years. Apparently a good many people are following what they know to be the wise and humane course this year. But with some—perhaps many—there will be the old neglect, the old delay until the last possible moment.

Why not double your investment in Christmas happiness by making your purchases, or all you possibly can of them, this week?

Early in the morning, too, is a good rule for those who can follow it. The stores are open at 9 o'clock.

Early in the month and early in the day—that will be doing a great favor to everybody, including yourself.

TIMES HAVE CHANGED.

Philadelphia's exposition, a 20 million dollar failure, has taught that city and other cities a lesson. Philadelphians say they will build no more big shows. Other cities will do well to adopt similar resolutions.

The world has changed so much since 1893 when Chicago led the way with a mammoth world's fair, that no longer do great expositions attract. In this day of magnificent invention and widespread luxuries for the poor as well as rich, folks are thrill-proof. Good roads and cheap autos take them up and down the land constantly—seeing sights every day. And the picture theaters fill much of the demand for excitement. No place any more for world's fairs.

DO WOMEN REACT?

Even experts go wrong. A psychiatrist in Germany, testifying in the case of a woman whose automobile had killed two persons, says the woman, though normal, is not responsible.

"Women's nervous systems are such," he said, "that they cannot react quickly and rationally in danger." The jury, brighter in this case than the doctor, sent the woman to prison.

Even people who are not experts know that women do react sensibly in danger, probably as often as men. Women, in an emergency, often rise to meet it with more courage and with more power of adjustment than men.

Beware of living by one dimension. If you are deeply interested in money making, be sure you keep your interest in something different. If you are interested in collecting books, don't be so interested in it that you can't give attention to other things—to making a living, for instance. All the failures are not one-dimension men, but most one-dimension men fail to live life at its best—whether they are rich or poor.

The Saint John Globe has discovered that the record of the provincial government is no more popular in Gloucester than in other parts of the province. Possibly the Globe may be right, but if so, it seems strange that it should sit by and allow a candidate of this alleged unpopular government to be returned by acclamation right under its nose in Saint John County.

Epictetus says "education lies in learning to distinguish what is ours from what does not belong to us," but that isn't our idea of it. The modern thought is that education better fits one for taking from someone else what belongs to him, and paves the way for advancing any number of arguments why we should keep it.

Bewailing the report that turkeys will be higher this year, someone writing in an exchange blurbs, "Oh, for a Mussolini!" Huh! The idea of

substituting a tough old bird like Mussolini doesn't appeal to us.

A cork with a metal top has been invented which is designed for use in bottles containing poison. It has four sharp projecting points. Fancy carrying one of those in a hip pocket!

Prospectors in Northern Mexico have found a mineral which explodes when exposed to the air. The next move, it is supposed, will be to distill it and try it out with ginger ale.

"X-Ray equipment can be used in detecting flaws in big guns." Sure, by means of X-Rays they've found flaws in some of our biggest guns—and then they've operated on 'em.

Premier Ferguson's supporters in the Ontario Legislature will include two clergymen, an Anglican and a United Churchman. They are for Government control too.

There wasn't any "flaming youth" in 1890. But when it acted that way, it had reason to think dad had set it afire.

Who remembers the old-fashioned statesman who said No, instead of endorsing something or other in principle?

Some men seem to regard Conscience as that "still, small voice" that should remain still in order to permit them to remain comfortable.

You can't blame a truck for its manners. It contains more pig iron than an automobile.

Nearly all kids have a chance to become hardy except those raised with thermometers in their mouths.

Old-time doctors wrote books about sex, but they didn't call their work literature.

Those who said dime novels would ruin kids were wrong. Perhaps modern prophets aren't any better.

Every community has at least one man who isn't good for anything except to see the other fellow's duty.

Modern typewriters are much better than the old ones, but still have no social place to park the gum.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

It is not necessarily a mistrial if the jury is simply dumb.

No one is wise at all times—Uliny the Elder. We all have our off days.

If she is fat and is eating out of a bag of chocolates she isn't reducing.

Before marriage there is billing and cooing. After marriage there is nothing but bills.

There are millions of successful men who never get their pictures and grand stories in the success magazines.

"Kind treatment," remarked the Man on the Car, "will do as much toward invigorating the furnace on a cold night as cusswords."

For conversational purposes among women a minor operation is all right, provided there are no major operations present.

H. G. Wells says "the common life is a tissue of expectations never realized." Still, life would be rather dull without expectations, and realization is often disappointing anyway.

Someone has said the whole philosophy of life and success is contained in the twenty-eight chapters of St. Matthew. The luncheon clubs are not absolutely necessary.

Died in Saint John.

Luke E. Craig died on Tuesday in Saint John at the age of forty-seven years after a brief illness. The body was brought to this city Tuesday night and was taken to the residence of Ralph Craig brother of the deceased 70 Saunders street. The deceased returned from the Province of Quebec a few weeks ago. Surviving are three brothers and three sisters. They are Joseph, William and Ralph and Mrs. Arthur Jones of Sherbrooke, Que. Mrs. Charles Rawlings of Putnam, Conn. and Mrs. Alfred Craig of Woodstock. The funeral will take place Thursday at 2.30 p. m. with service by Rev. Mr. Berry.

BOLSHEVIK RULE IN MEXICO THE TROUBLE

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reason it was attacked. Luis Marones was the recognized head of the Mexican Bolsheviks.

Action at an Early Date.
Mr. Welch said that the outrages in Mexico and the confiscation had reached such a point that intervention could not be far off and the United States and the British Empire were the nations expected to act.

Catholicism Not to Blame.
The speaker dealt with the statements that the Roman Catholic Church was to blame for meddling in politics, for the poverty of the country and for its ignorance. He denied that the church took part in Mexican politics. The total wealth of the Roman Catholic Church in buildings, endowment and institutions when confiscated amounted to \$62,000,000. The Baptists alone in the United States had property valued at \$216,760,000 and in Mexico the Roman Catholics had been three hundred years gathering that sum. As for as ignorance was concerned the Roman Catholic Church had established schools as soon as it had been established in the country. Night schools and manual training schools had been operated in the 16th century. In 1729 a college exclusively for Indians had been established. The first printing press was brought in by the church in 1546 and the University of Mexico was established about the same time.

Vote of Thanks.
A vote of thanks was extended to the speaker on the motion of Rev. Father Howland seconded by ex-Ald. Cain.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

To Meet on 17th.
The special committee of the Senate of the University of New Brunswick appointed to consider the application for increased salaries for members of the faculty, is to meet here on Friday the 17th.

DIED

ORAI—At Saint John, December 7th, Luke E. Craig, aged 47 years. Funeral Thursday afternoon at 2.30. Service at home of Ralph Craig, 70 Saunders street, by Rev. R. G. Berry.

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NOTICE! Tenders for DRY HARDWOOD

Sealed tenders, marked "Tenders for Dry Hardwood," will be received at the Provincial Department of Public Works, Fredericton, N. B. up to and including December 8th, 1926 at 5 o'clock P. M., for supplying 15 cords of 16 inch dry hardwood and 9 cords 24 inch dry hardwood for Furnace use for the Legislative and Departmental Buildings. This wood may be a mixture in equal proportion of Yellow Birch, Beech and Rock Maple, medium size, to be delivered at the above mentioned places as may be directed. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. A. STEWART,
Minister of Public Works
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Fredericton, N. B.
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C. FRED CHESTNUT,
City Clerk.
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