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## PROBLEM OF OLD FOLKS.

We observe in a Boston newspaper the announcement of a forthcoming lecture—which may have been delivered by the time this is published—that is entitled, "What a Psychologist World Do With Our Old People."

The problem of dealing with the Old People vexes not merely New England. We know of Young People in Fredericton who have given it much attention and thought and discussion, and still feel that they have not reached a satisfactory conclusion. The question arises, indeed, almost any time that the Old People feel moved to give advice, an ancient practice which they do not seem to realize does not fit into a period in which each of us, particularly the youthful, must be permitted to Live His Own Life. There are rumors that suggested solutions have even involved slow poison. We will not swear to that.

But what seems an important phase of the subject can also be put in the form of a question: "What Are Old People?" or "When Are People Old?" A mother of 37 years of age was showing the results of a day's shopping. Her 17-year-old daughter spoke up, "Mother, do you think that hat is quite the thing for an old lady?" There must be all sorts of definitions of Old People, varying with the point of view of persons of different ages. Probably a clear definition ought to be laid down and standardized before the bigger task is attacked of doing things with or to Our Old People, psychologically or otherwise.

The Mail is in receipt of a copy of a little paper called "The Centre," published in London, England. Its motto is "Down With Slavery, Up With Freedom". The sole proprietor and editor is R. Mary Barclay, LL. B., M. D., Dipl. Psych. The following extract from an editorial under the caption of "The Root of the Evil" would indicate that the editor would not have much difficulty in eliciting the sympathy of a number of the members of the New Brunswick Legislature: "Public Health Schemes and welfare work are the greatest cause of high rates and taxes". We commend this sentiment to Mr. Smith of Kings.

The Halifax papers are publishing a proclamation offering a reward of \$500 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the parties who stole and carried away a large quantity of liquors from the bonded warehouse. It has been figured out that 101 cases, including twenty-one different brands, were stolen. A brand known as Johnny Walker seemed to be in the greatest demand, as twenty cases of this were carried away.

It has been ruled by a judge in London that cats have a right to roam either day or night. It is a relief to know that the matter has been settled if that is what these nocturnal arguments have been over.

Signs of Spring, Nos. 241-243: Babe Ruth claims to be in the pink of condition. Annual prophecy published that bobbed hair is on the wane. Democrats in Maine expect to win a Congressional seat in the fall.

Experiments have demonstrated that worms can find their way into and enjoy the environment of a tightly closed ice box. This will prove a bit disheartening, just possibly, to the early bird.

According to a well-known flyer, the future of aviation will depend entirely upon the training received by aviators. An aviator, quite naturally, should know the business from the ground up.

The Federal Parliament which adjourned for the Easter holidays, resumed work this afternoon. It is expected that the budget will be brought down some day next week. Some relief from taxation has been promised.

Through his ingenuity in resuming operations along in March, the Riffian warrior contrives to be away from home during the Spring cleaning season.

How pleasant to shop where the salesman concedes that you may know what you want even better than he knows.

When the modernization of Shakespeare is complete, Cleopatra of course will allude to Marc as "The boy friend."

There hasn't been the anticipated number of puns on the possibility that the Cathart drama, "Ashes," would screen well.

Automobile enamels have been so improved in recent years it is said a wolf scratching at a limousine door no longer mars the finish.

Nothing more having been heard of the sea serpent, spotted last week by a Pacific skipper, the assumption is it has been put back into its bottle.

Some fortunates move in the spring, but some own homes and must clean house.

If the bravest are the tenderest, few beef cattle show much evidence of valor.

It is noted that most of the heavy villians in European cartoons of recent date wear shell-rimmed glasses.

Some simply reduce their contention to a premise that prohibitory law won't work as long as fruit juice will.

## THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Never spoil a man's dreams. Some of them may come true.

Maybe prohibition is a failure but the street gutters are cleaner.

"Home, Sweet Home" is one song they haven't jazzed yet.

There are flowers that bloom in the spring, but billboards bloom the year round.

Don't worry about the hypocrites. They can't take your religion, if any, from you.

It's impossible to have a city beautiful without a place to hide the dirt.

Lima Beane says the necessities of life are what the neighbors have and you haven't.

There is possibility of a flaw even in the rule of minding your own business. Your own business might interfere with some other man's business.

Every human being should feel thankful there are laws that restrain him from making a dog-gone fool of himself.

The neighbors are fully convinced that their cat is a Persian but he looks to us as if he had considerable Congoleum blood in him.—Bob Ryder, Ohio State Journal.

Step on his tail, Bob—if he purs he's a Persian.

## PULLMANS TO SHELTER SOME GUESTS FOR BALL

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couches and chairs for sitting out are placed in advantageous positions. A running supper will be served in the Legislative Library which is at the rear of the main building on the ground floor. The punch-bowls will be in the Engraving Clerk's office just off the main corridor.

The Parliament Buildings lend themselves to entertainments of the kind and tonight's ball will be no exception in the long list of enjoyable social events which have occurred there.

## DIED

M'NUTT—At the home of his daughter Mrs. Milford Brodie, 160 Saunders street, on the 5th inst. Samuel McNutt of Tay Creek aged 70 years. Funeral service this evening at 5 p. m. by Rev. F. H. Holmes. Funeral at Tay Creek Wednesday with service at 1 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Jewett. Interment at Tay Creek.

MAXWELL—At the home of Mrs. Fred Risteen, 122 Smythe street, Elizabeth S. Maxwell widow of James Maxwell, in her 85th year. Funeral from 122 Smythe street, Wednesday, with service at 2.30 p. m. by Rev. F. H. Holmes assisted by Rev. Dr. Weddall. Interment in the Old Protestant Cemetery.

## PUBLIC OPINION ADVICE FOR LULU.

Editor of the Daily Mail,  
Sir,—I read the letter of Lulu Warren and feel that I may be able to give the writer a few hints as to the best methods of finding the men she longs for so greatly.

Miss Warren makes the very common error of classifying the entire male race under a single heading, just as the male writers in their ravings anent the modern girl seem to judge all the female race by the few they have met.

I admit that there is plenty of room for improvement in the standards of morals and conduct of the average young man of today, but there are many young men who cannot be brought under her classification.

Young men of the type which Miss Warren seeks cannot be found, as a general rule, attending a public dance hall. They do not drive the cars that girls are insulted in. They leave cigarettes and bad liquor for those of their fellows who haven't the common sense to avoid them. They may not earn a great deal, but what they do earn they save, or spend it in some other manner than taking out "gold diggers."

Why doesn't Miss Warren try some of the places where the better class of young people are to be found?

Girls seem to have the mistaken idea that to be popular they must allow familiarities. This is all bunk and the sooner this impression is corrected the better for all concerned.

If at the slightest sign of familiarity a girl would tell the young man emphatically that she does not go in for that kind of thing it would end the matter, and, though he may not show it, the young man would respect her for it. In any case, what is popularity compared with self-respect? I would like to say here that I and countless other young fellows admire and respect those girls, few though they may be, that refuse to lower their moral standards or to give up their self-respect for the doubtful benefits of popularity.

R. D. B.

Fredericton, April 6th, 1926.

## FISHING.

(By Sterling Brannen.)

Ever hear anybody complain that fishing trips are dry affairs?

What some anglers use to prevent taking cold prevent their taking fish.

Too often an angler has a reel in his walk as well as in his tackle.

The early worm catches the fish.

A fish on the hook is worth two in the pool.

The poor fish that tries to bite off more than it can chew usually gets the hook.

An angler does not mind how often the line is busy.

Though an angler returns with no string, he has "some" yarn.

The biggest ones never get away from the imagination.

## Want Concrete Sidewalk.

The City Council has received a petition for a concrete sidewalk on the southeastern side of King street between Regent and Church streets, and also for a concrete sidewalk on the southeastern side of Regent street between Union and Aberdeen streets. The petitions have been referred to the Roads and Streets Committee.

## City of Fredericton

### Proposed Assessment Act

The citizens are invited to attend an adjourned meeting of the City Council to be held in the City Council Chamber on Wednesday evening, April 7th, at eight o'clock, for the purpose of considering the proposed new Assessment Act.

C. FRED CHESTNUT,  
City Clerk

City Hall, April 6th, 1926.

## SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

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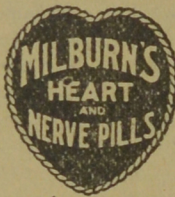
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## Her Nerves Were "All Broken Up", She Could Not Sleep

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