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THE TABLES TURNED.

For years professors have put college students at desks covered with so-called intelligence tests and demanded that the students prove that they are not morons. Students filled out the questionnaires and played with the "intelligence" test puzzles reluctantly. They had a hunch that no half-hour test could plumb their intelligence accurately.

Experience has proved the students had the right idea. The only thing most intelligence tests correlate with is college information. They are information tests and not intelligence tests.

Now the shoe is on the other foot. University of Michigan professors offer their agonized protests against a plan to have students estimate their teaching efficiency. It's a wretched indignity, as the professors see it.

Let the professors calm their anger. The student estimates of teaching efficiency have succeeded in some large colleges and universities. At Oberlin college the recent alumni were asked to rate their professors. The estimates now are recognized as very fair. It stands to reason that when popular opinion over a period of years indorses a professor he must possess teaching ability. Similarly, if 90 per cent of the group says the instructor is unable to put his ideas across, his pedagogy must be defective.

These student-alumni estimates of faculty ability are particularly valuable when professorial salary increases are up for action. Perhaps that is the basic reason for faculty rage.

A TRUER PICTURE.

Patrons of the movies easily may, as they sit in the theatre, dramatize in their minds stories quite other than those unfolding on the screen.

See her name in white lights. See Dolores Del Rio play some flaming tale of love and romance. Then, piecing in facts from the recent accounts many have read, what other story is unreel?

Don Jaime Del Rio is dead. The Spanish gentleman of wealth and culture who married the unknown dancer, part Mexican and part Indian, is dead. Granting her wish, he took her from Mexico City to Hollywood and created her chance in the movie world. Don Jaime, gentleman ever, faded out and is dead. The Hollywood verdict now is that her recent pictures are "not so hot." Her own fading out seems not far away.

So much of broken hearts and broken lives seldom is packed into a few brief years. Is it not another story and a better one? Not often does the story told on the screen give such a heart-gripping effect of reality. In comparison the Del Rio pictures, first and last, are not so hot.

Fifteen Canadian radio stations extending from Halifax to Vancouver and including station CFNE of this city will be hooked up this evening and will broadcast an interesting program. It will be the most extensive broadcast ever undertaken in the Dominion. Beginning at eleven o'clock Eastern Standard Time there will be addresses by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the C. N. R., and vice-president W. D. Robb.

The New York Sun says the mark of the real New Yorker is an absolute indifference as to what others think of him. But the New Yorker hasn't a monopoly of that sort of thing. The majority of persons who aren't New Yorkers don't give a tinker's dam what New Yorkers may think of them.

"The idea that a man can't learn anything after he is 40 is all bunk," says the Waldport (Ore.) Tribune. Of course it is. After forty a man learns

he has to unlearn most of what he has learned.

An explorer recently returned from Africa says he came across a tribe of pygmies whose men can take as many wives as they can support. Ah, yes; but in the style to which they have been accustomed?

We have been trying to figure out, and are still curious to know, just what that Ohio judge, as reported by an Oregon paper, meant when he ruled that a man "has a right to kiss his wife who is parked along the road."

A party that left New York 10 years ago on a motor trip around the world is not home yet. Presumably held up somewhere by one of those long, deliberate freights.

We notice that railroads are beginning to note a marked decrease in trunks as college girls' baggage, which isn't strange. Few of them take their text books home on vacations.

An Eastern sport writer wants to know "What is an amateur?" Well, that would be a patron of a shooting gallery in Chicago.

These long silk stockings the girls are now wearing ought to make an especial appeal to the small boy about this season of the year.

Conditions seem much better in some quarters: A poet in the East was able recently to die of indigestion.

This is a very bad time of the year to ask the average mail-carrier for a match.

About the biggest lie is the one that begins, "Too much can not be said for," etc.

Along about this season, if a man drops out of sight for three days or so, he is mailing a parcel.

Then there is that awful period when furniture is merely middle-aged, just before it becomes antique.

Someone suggests a course in managing women. Yeh? And who's going to teach it.

Who remembers when crash was a kind of cloth for summer clothes, instead of the end of a ride?

If, as one writer has claimed, it takes a wise man to be a fool, wisdom must be epidemic these days.

FUNERAL OF DR. D. W.

ROSS THIS AFTERNOON
LARGELY ATTENDED

The funeral of the late Dr. D. W. Ross took place at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon from his late home on Charlotte street and was a very large and representative one, all classes of people turning out to pay their last tribute of respect to the memory of a worthy citizen.

Service was conducted at the late home of the deceased gentleman by Rev. Dr. G. C. Warren, pastor of the Brunswick Street United Baptist Church. A male quartette rendered several favorite hymns of the deceased.

The funeral was under the auspices of the Hiram Lodge, F. & A. M. and members of that body acted as pallbearers. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

The list of chief mourners included: Dr. R. B. Ross, W. R. Rideout, G. E. Merrithew, LeBaron Merrithew, Dr. F. Brown, Arthur Love, Glen Love, J. B. Dickson, Lewis Barbour, Chief Nathaniel Jones, F. L. Haviland, Royden Colter, Gordon Garvey, G. R. Sloat, William Vaughan, A. B. Kitchen, Rev. Dr. Kierstead, Chancellor C. C. Jones, Charles Fleet, George Thompson, M. L. Block, J. J. Coy, E. E. Burden, Judson Burden, O. J. Jacobson, Rev. Mr. Telford, Frank S. Lister.

The mourners from Marysville included: Elias White, Rowley Manzer, G. A. Tapley, E. B. Staples, Mel White, John L. Fletcher, J. S. Inch, Bert Manzer, John McInnis, Norman Cochrane, D. McLaughlin.

The Mayor and City Council, the local physicians, the Hospital Board, the directors of the Fredericton Exhibition and representatives of the Fire Department attended and walked in the long procession. Interment was made at the Rural Cemetery Extension.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

To deepen a mystery, call the detectives.

Flu is a mild ailment to persons who escape it.

Winter's arrival was true to the calendar, giving a practical lesson in punctuality.

Radio is giving us many of the old-time melodramas, with the villain properly foiled before bedtime.

Lima Beane says the straight and narrow path makes provision for neither left nor right turns.

Skulls twenty thousand years old have been excavated in Sweden. So "solid ivory" is not new.

There is always something to be done. A growing city is never finished until it begins to go backward.

Resenting the old aphorism that beauty is only skin-deep, Fashion proceeded to prove that it is shin-deep.

Mussolini is a majority of one in the Italian cabinet. The reason he doesn't make himself a majority of two or three is because one is enough.

TO REORGANIZE SPANISH ARMY

(Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press.)

Paris, Dec. 27.—A dispatch to Le Petit Parisien today from the Franco-Spanish frontier said it was understood Premier Primo De Rivera was preparing a complete reorganization of the Spanish army.

DIED

CLARKE—Entered into rest at Fredericton Junction Dec. 27th. Archibald M. Clarke aged 63 years. Funeral from his late home on Sunday next at two o'clock p. m. under Masonic auspices. Service at the Baptist Church by Rev. W. B. Crowell. Interment at Fredericton Junction cemetery.

CITY ELECTION

THE ELECTION FOR MAYOR AND ALDERMEN FOR THE CITY OF FREDERICTON

For the ensuing year will be holden on **MONDAY, the 14th day of January, 1929** at the Polling Places as follows:

Division No. 1.—For all voters residing or owning property above the north-west centre line of Carleton Street, prolonged, at or near the City Hall, in the said City.

Division No. 2.—For all voters residing or owning property in the remainder of the said City, at or near the County Court House, in the said City.

NOMINATIONS

Every candidate for the office of Mayor or Alderman shall be qualified to vote at the election for which he is nominated and shall be nominated by at least TWO ratepayers residing in the City of Fredericton, and qualified to vote at the ensuing election for which such candidate is nominated.

Every nomination paper, with the certificate of the City Treasurer, shall be filed with the City Clerk or at his office and not later than Four O'clock on the Afternoon of MONDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1929, and the City Clerk, before receiving such nomination paper, shall ascertain from the same that the requirements of the Election Act have been complied with.

No candidate is qualified to be nominated for Alderman unless at the time of nomination he is a resident of the Ward for which he is nominated.

The acceptance of each candidate and the signature of at least TWO resident qualified voters, who must sign the nomination paper, shall be proved by affidavit attached to the nomination.

In case of a contest, each elector shall be entitled to vote for ONE candidate for Mayor, for ONE candidate for Alderman for Wellington Ward, for ONE candidate for Alderman for St. Ann's Ward, for ONE candidate for Alderman for Carleton Ward, for ONE candidate for Alderman for Queen's Ward, and for ONE candidate for Alderman for King's Ward.

Dated this 21st day of December, A. D. 1928.

FRED I. HAVILAND,
City Clerk.

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3,500 yards of the above 7,000 is permitted to be bank gravel. All gravel delivered must be satisfactory to the City Engineer or some other authorized representative of the City.

The locations at which gravel is to be delivered will be given to any person interested at the office of the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

FRED. I. HAVILAND,
City Clerk.

City Hall, December 14, 1928.

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