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LUXURY AND STARVATION NEXT DOOR NEIGHBORS

(Chatham World)

The primitive races knew nothing of hunger and starvation in the midst of plenty. They starved at times when food supply failed them, but all went hungry. There was no such thing as one man with his cave full of blubber and dried meat and hundreds around him in a starving condition. And the same is true of the barbarous peoples of today.

But in civilized countries luxury and starvation are next door neighbors. They laugh and groan, live riotously and die miserably, in the same block. Men with more money than they know what to do with and others with no money to buy bread for themselves and their starving wives and children, jostle each other in the streets and worship together in the churches.

Let them work and get food is often said of the hungry. But many of these persons have tried to get work and failed. They have lost their jobs for one reason or another, often for no fault of their own, and have failed to get another. He for example is a sad story from New York that illustrates our remarks:

"In a little attic room with the windows broken and with the rafters running to the floor on either side at 45 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn, the police of the Stagg street station yesterday found the body of Mrs. Mary Sidel. On the floor with no covering over him lay the woman's husband, Peter Sidel, pinched from hunger and blue from cold.

"When Dr. Rumsey came from St. Catherine's hospital, one look at the dead woman was sufficient. 'She had starved and frozen to death,' he said. Then he turned his attention to the man, who was not so far away from the fate that met his wife. It was a pitiful story told the police by Sidel. He said:

"I had plenty of work till last fall," he began. "We lived well then and were looking forward to the child that was to come to us. Then I lost my job. We had not saved anything and when work was not to be had we began to eat sparingly. Soon I was not in physical condition for hard work. We were dispossessed. We came here and told Mrs. Abraham Mogel we would do anything in the way of work for a roof to cover us.

"My wife tried to do the washing, but her strength was not equal to it any more than mine had been when I tried hard labor on an empty stomach. Three months ago the baby came. It was born in this room and did not live long. When it died the doctor told us it was a case of starvation and freezing. A starving mother can't nourish a child.

"Mrs. Mogel allowed us to live in the attic. She sometimes gave us food for us. We believed our hardy the poor helps the poor it seems to me—but we had not enough. My wife continued to fail.

"On Monday night I got a job as a porter for the night and earned a \$1.15. I brought it home to my wife, and yesterday she started out to buy food for us. We believed our hard times were over then. On the street she fainted from weakness and they carried her up here to the attic. Then I got food with the money and we ate. Maybe we ate too much for starving people. Anyway Mary is dead, and I wish I were too."

The doctors did all they could for Sidel and then took him to the hospital. They will bury his wife in the potter's field, where her starving baby was buried but two months ago. The same mail that brings this sad

story of human misery and death for want of food consequent upon the failure of an industrious man to get employment, brings the story of the marriage of George Gould's daughter to Lord Decies, upon which Mr. Gould spent \$50,000 dollars for decorations and other things. Fifty thousand dollars for hymeneal flowers and frills and men, women and children starving to death within the shadow of the church in which the marriage was solemnized!

Charity seems to be ineffective as a remedy for this state of things. In there not something that can be done to make such tragedies unnecessary? Cannot civilization evolve a cure for the greatest curse of civilization? Such tragedies, are ghastly, terrible, heartbreaking. They must inevitably lead to the commune in the end—to such bloody upheavals of the poverty cursed millions as the one that dyed the soil of France with the blood of its princes, nobles and merchants. Something should be done to cure the evil, some remedy should be found for the disease that is sapping the foundations of society. Civilization must find a remedy or take the consequences.

FRUIT PASTES.

Dried fruit pastes make very nice sweets. After soaking the dried fruit for twenty-four hours simmer it in as little sweetened water as possible.

When it is quite soft drain away all the liquid and rub the fruit through a hair-sieve. Put the pulp into a pan and add sufficient lemon juice to flavor.

Stir over a clear fire until the paste is quite stiff. Add a third of the weight of the fruit pulp of sugar and a sprinkling of rice flour. Stir until very stiff.

Sprinkle a pastry-board thickly with powdered sugar and turn the fruit paste out on top. Roll till a little less than a quarter of an inch thick. Cut into small rounds with a luted pastry cutter.

Lay a roll of fondant or a blanched almond on one side of a round and fold over until only a tiny piece of the almond or fondant shows. Place in a warm place to dry. Any grated or ungrated nut can be used as a filling.

These make pretty sweets, as the tints can be varied with the different fruits used. The paste can be cut into squares and the nut laid firmly on top, or they can be simply dusted with sugar and dried.

The latter preparation, if stored in an air-tight tin, will keep good for a long time. Oiled paper should be laid between the layers.

WARDVILLE

February 6.—The weather is getting colder, but not so stormy. It was 10 below zero this morning.

Invitations are out for a big party on the 9th at Mr. Cleveland Kelly's home.

Mr. Hiram White, "our mail carrier," expects to go West with Mr. M. Gilmore, on the 8th. He will be much missed by all.

Wm. Scott has gone to the woods with J. Wade. Master Ralph Gilmore made a flying trip to Cross Creek this afternoon.

Master Ralph Scott passed through here on his way to the city this afternoon. Miss Laura Scott was visiting Mrs. Lester Scott on Sunday.

Mr. Claude Gilmore and Mr. A. C. M. Kelly called on Mr. J. M. Goode Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshal McLaggan was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Scott on Sunday.

Mr. Fred Gilmore called on Mr. Robert Waugh this afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Fullerton of Williamsburg spent a few days with her mother Mrs. F. Gilmore last week.

Mr. Ray Sansom was calling last evening on friends down the road.

Mr. Cleveland Kelly and Miss Rubk Noble accompanied by Mrs. George Dennison called on Mrs. Maurice Gilmore Friday evening.

Miss Jennie and Laura Scott and Hattie Good was calling on friends Friday evening.

Miss Ella Good called on Miss Helen Cameron one day recently.

Master Harry Gilmore is able to be around again, and is attending school.

Our teacher is kept very busy, she has eleven scholars.

Mr. George Dennison is suffering from a lame back.

Mr. Robert Kelly is recovering from a lame back but is not able to be around.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Douglas spent Sunday with Mrs. J. White.

Mr. Claude Gilmore had the misfortune to sprain his thumb while playing basket-ball last week.

Our roads are in a very poor condition owing to the poor health of our road master.

Smart young men (about to light a cigar, to elderly lady sitting opposite)—"Will my smoking inconvenience you, madam?" Madam—"Oh, dear no thank you! I can stand it if you can!"

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ORGANIZER SWAN IS ENTHUSIASTIC

Montreal, Feb. 15.—H. A. L. Swan, general organizer of the Order of Railway Employees returned to the city from Moncton, N. B., where he organized a branch of the Brotherhood. He is enthusiastic over the prospects for organizing the Maritime Province Railway men. A large percentage of them already belong to unions and judging by his experience in Moncton, Mr. Swan declares it will be an easy matter to form a very solid organization. At the first meeting of the new brotherhood 125 members were initiated.

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Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb. 15.—Harriet Carney Young, who became a bride of Brigham Young in 1851, died today at the age of 80 years. She was the last but one of the widows of the Mormon leader, the one still living being Eliza Burgess Young. Mrs. Harriet Young leaves three children and a number of grandchildren.

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J. A. MacAdam UNDERTAKER

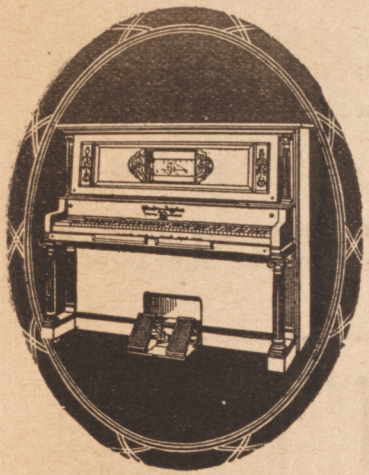
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1-40 Black Melton Over Coat regular price \$22.50 to clear \$16.00

1-36 Dark Grey Over Coat, regular price, \$22.50 to clear \$18.00

1-39 Brown Tweed Over Coat, regular price, \$15.00 to clear \$12.00

1-38 Black Melton Over Coat, regular price, \$15.00 to clear \$12.00

1-27 College Collar Ulster, regular price, \$25.00 to clear \$20.00

1-40 Black Beaver Over Coat, regular price, \$25.00 to clear \$20.00

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1-36 Tweed Over Coat, regular price, \$15.00 to clear \$12.00

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