

CASE OF SHOPPING MANIA.

Accumulation of Nineteen Years Labor Unearthed.

New York, Feb. 5.—The Tribune says: More than \$250,000 worth of goods bought in four years of shopping in Brooklyn and New York city, piled up in rooms, closets and halls, nearly filling a large four-story brown stone mansion in Brooklyn, lay for nineteen years unheeded.

Laces were heaped upon calico, furs on cotton, the daintiest of linens and silks were stored with common household garments, \$500 gowns from the most fashionable of dressmakers, solid silver and cheap plate, the most fragile of china sets were mixed with ironware, crystal and cut glass with common glassware—all cast in piles reaching as high as the ceilings, stuffed in closets and lying on the stairs.

WOULD FILL SEVERAL VANS. This was the result of a search of the "house of mystery." No. 178 State street, Brooklyn. It tells of the mania of Mrs. Mary Cook King, who died nearly two weeks ago in a Flushing sanitarium, and it explains what became of part of the \$500,000 estate left to her by her husband twenty years ago. The search was conducted by J. H. Squibb of No. 148 Columbia Heights, executor of Mrs. King's estate. The goods will fill several large vans, and except for the pottery, the silver and crystal they are of little value, for the moth and time have ruined everything else.

Mrs. King died two weeks ago Tuesday. She had made one request and that was that she should have the key of her house, and in no circumstance was any member of her family to obtain entrance until after her death. By her will Mr. Squibb was the executor. Thursday of last week he turned the key in the rusty lock and entered the house.

First entering the drawing room he found it nearly filled with bundles, boxes and parcels, some of them as large as a man could carry, others tiny enough to slip into the pocket. He opened one and the tattered, moth eaten fragments of a silk skirt were disclosed. He forced open the windows and became interested. He tore open bundle after bundle, and began to get an idea of whence the money had gone. On the parcels were the names of the great merchants, milliners and dressmakers of past days, and inside was everything a woman could wear, in all grades, quantities and sizes. None had ever been worn.

ONE THOUSAND HANDKERCHIEFS.

Closets of the upper rooms gave up the china, crystal and silver. The silver was still wrapped and only a little tarnished. One room was devoted to handkerchiefs. There were hundreds of packages and more than one thousand handkerchiefs, some worth \$3.00 and others five cent cotton affairs.

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THE PIOUS PRODIGAL.

The Open Sinners are Not the Only Ones Who Have Deserted the Path of Rectitude.

Now his elder son was in the field. And he was angry and would not come in.—Luke xv., 25-28.

Perhaps the pulpit will always feel an obligation to berate the young man who wandered into the far country and spent his substance in riotous living, and to be silent regarding the brother who sulked and complained at the father's rejoicing when the prodigal returned. But the average man or woman cannot but feel a good deal more liking for the reckless wanderer than for the respectable stay-at-home.

This would be a mad world with nothing but prodigals of the wild, loose type in it; but it would be a sad, bleak world if filled with these elder brothers. They are the cold-blooded, steel-eyed, respectable young men, the ideals of the banker, the ambitious mother, and the wise young woman. They save their money, walk decorously, speak softly and acquire a reputation for respectability.

But somehow children will have nothing to do with that type of man. Hearts turn from him because his heart is paralyzed. This is the constant danger to this model young man, this flawless specimen of the ideal according to the cold cash world. He is as flawless as artificial ice, as correct as an automatic model. His life is but a negation, its whole object being not to do what others might disapprove.

If the one lad had wandered far away in wild lusts, the other was equally a prodigal wandering in the desert of cold greed and selfishness. The man who seems to sit at home may wander farther from the father's heart. No matter how precisely a man may appear to conform to the external laws of religion, he is far away, lost and alone, if he has spent in selfishness or lost through dissuade the power to love his brother, if in this he has departed from the essential and eternal law of religion.

Full many a man preserves his respectability at the price of his real

religion. No matter how nearly ideal the life may seem to be, a man is far from the kingdom if love be not the great law of his life. And when he gets so holy that he would rather see his sin-stained brother go down in the mire than soil his immaculate hands by helping him up he is not likely to realize that the voice which whispers approval in his ear is not that of the Most High, but of another.

The hardest sinners to reach are the ones who are ensnared in their own smug self-satisfaction, the very ones for whom the sifting in the end of this parable was intended. In rapid contemplation of their own perfections they have lost all sense of others, or at best they have thought of them only as a fitting foil and background against which to display their own well-tended virtues. The way of the prodigal is dark and to be avoided; but when he came to know his sins, with broken heart he hated them, while the Pharisee cannot repent, for his heart is atrophied with self-approbation.

The man who thinks only of himself, even though his thought be the noble one of the perfection of life and character, is taking the way that leads far from perfection. The development of the most perfect life, the attaining of the highest and most worthy selfhood comes only through forgetting self in service for our fellows. They only find life who are willing to lose it; they find character who are willing to lose it if only they may do some good and help some other one.

He who in his desire for rectitude love for his wandering brother, is loses his interest in his fellows, his himself a prodigal, a wanderer from brotherhood, and therefore from his Father. He is out of all sympathy with his Father's longing for the return of the lost and shut out from his plans for bringing even the worst ones back to himself. It is self that takes us away from the good, whether we wander afar or abide at home; it is love, love for the father, for the oldhome where the best things and best thoughts are, and love for one another that brings us back to the father's face and the son's rightful place.

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HEIR TO MILLION.

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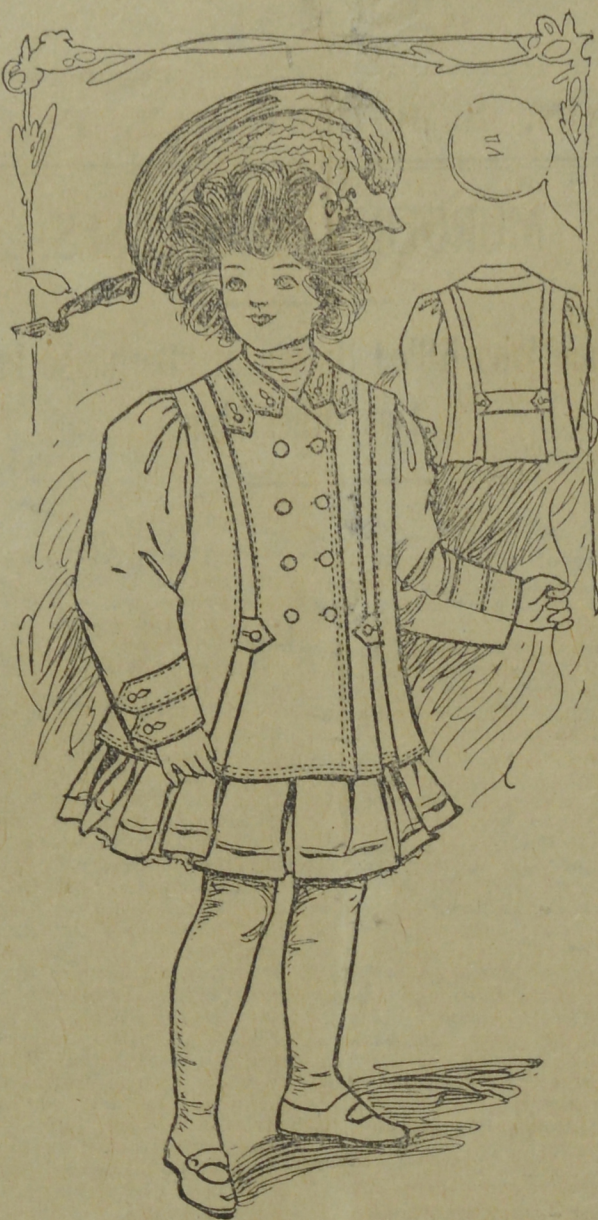
Mt. Holly, Vt., Feb. 5.—Determined upon being a self-made man by starting at the foot of the ladder, Edward Jay Cook, the 16-year-old son of a millionaire bondholder and farmer, has started his business career as a newsboy. In this small town, which lies in a depression of the Green mountains, the son of the millionaire, who will inherit a greater part of his father's wealth, has succeeded in establishing a newspaper route, which nets him enough to buy his own clothing and put a little in the savings bank.

Young Cook attends the Black River Academy at Ludlow. While his companions spend the recreation hours in play, he occupies the hours in studying, selling newspapers or doing errands for persons in the neighborhood—anything to make money, as he puts it.

The boy is starting out in life in the same way his father did by earning money to support himself while still at school. The father, Nelson W. Cook, was also the son of a wealthy farmer, and while he inherited considerable of his father's money, he had accumulated sufficient at that time to start himself in a lucrative business.

Nelson Cook's grandfather, Samuel Cook, migrated from Preston, Ct., in 1790, and went as far north as the present town of Mt. Holly, where he purchased 1000 acres of land for \$1,

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Though the dress-length coat is warmer, it is true many mothers have come to realize that the jacket loose in cut and reaching half way between the waistline and the knees is far better for the small maid, especially for everyday wear, affording as it does more freedom while running and playing, even though an additional petticoat be worn. This model is of a navy blue cheviot, double-stitched seams running from shoulder line downward both back and front, a collar effect given by side

means of stitched straps finishing in front with pointed ends, buttons and simulated buttonholes of braid set on each point. The double-breasted front has small pointed button-trimmed straps at the waistline, a broad stitched strap buttoning across the back. Sleeve is of the coat variety, double button trimmed straps simulating a cuff. The hat is a jaunty round sailor in blue milan, the band and streamers of navy blue satin ribbon, the same ribbon is a narrow-shoulder line downward both back and front, a collar effect given by side

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000 in gold. Nearly half that land is still in the possession of the Cook family.

Despite the fact that his father is more than 74 years old and at times quite feeble, young Edward Cook works with as much determination as though he was the son of a poor man. That trait, the father says, is characteristic of the whole family all the way down the line from the first Gregory Cook, an ancestor, arrived at Cambridge, Mass., from England and ran the first grist mill ever operated in this country. He does some work on his father's farm and for the past four years has been the first boy each time to apply for work carrying Christmas trees from the forest to the town. The town is one of the greatest Christmas tree growing places in the world, and each December some 100 carloads are shipped to the large cities.

Young Cook already has accumulated a tidy sum, and with what his father has given him for working about the farm has enough to start a small business though only about 16 years old.

STRATHCONA'S OFFER.

Would Contribute to a National Sanitarium.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—According to a communication received here from Dr. C. J. Fagan, secretary of the British Columbia board of health, Lord Strathcona has signified his willingness to co-operate with the health authorities of the various provinces of Canada and the general public in the establishment of a national tuberculosis sanitarium.

In his letter Dr. Fagan says that while in England he had a long conversation with Lord Strathcona on the subject. Lord Strathcona asked

him to put himself in communication with the boards of health of the different provinces, and authorized him to state that:

"If the authorities and the general public would demonstrate in a practical manner their desire to have such an institution, he would be ready and even anxious to contribute to a national movement which would have as its object the gathering of the tuberculosis patients of Canada at a place found most suitable for the purpose."

A clergyman, who is absent-minded tells how he once unconsciously helped a bashful swain. He was pondering something theological, when a neighbor's daughter, walking by with her diffident lover, called out to him: "Oh, doctor, we are just going for a ramble. Won't you join us?" "With pleasure. Do you want the ceremony in a church?" The bashful lover suddenly fired with an enthusiasm that four years of gnawing at his heartstrings had failed to arouse, and he fairly shouted: "Yes, yes, and if Maud consents the sooner the better." Maud consented.

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No. 321 Suburban for Marysville.....	11.15
No. 327 Suburban for Marysville.....	13.25
No. 329 Suburban for Marysville.....	21.00

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT FREDERICTON.

No. 302 Express from Montreal, Quebec, Chatham and Loggieville.....	13.05
No. 304 Mixed from Chatham Junction, Chatham and Loggieville.....	18.35
No. 318 Suburban from Marysville.....	8.35
No. 322 Suburban from Marysville.....	12.25
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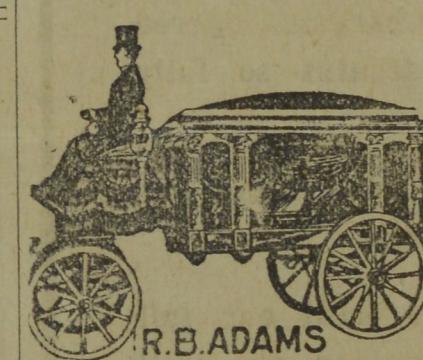
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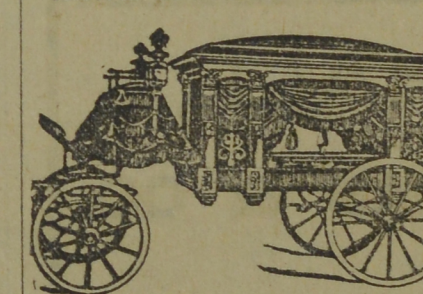
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