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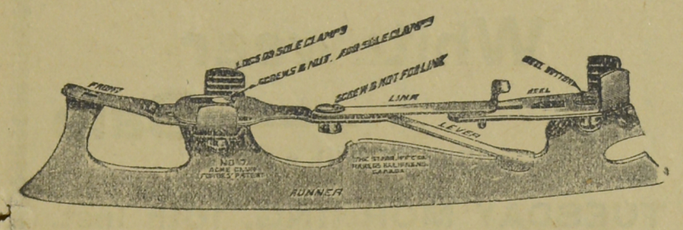

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Then go away for thirty minutes to one hour and let the "Sunlight" Soap do its work.

NEXT.—After soaking the full time rub the clothes lightly out on a wash board, **and the dirt will drop out**; turn the garment inside out to get at the seams, **but don't use any more soap**; don't scald or boil a single piece, and **don't** wash through two suds. If the water gets too dirty, pour a little out and add fresh. **If a streak is hard to wash, rub some more soap on it, and throw the piece back into the suds for a few minutes.**

LASTLY COMES THE RINSING, which is to be done in lukewarm water, taking special care to get all the dirty suds away, then wring out and hang up to dry.

For Woolens and Flannels proceed as follows:—Shake the articles free from dust. Cut a tablet of **SUNLIGHT SOAP** into shavings, pour into a gallon of **boiling water** and whisk into a lather. When just lukewarm, work articles in the lather **without rubbing.** Squeeze out dirty water **without twisting** and rinse thoroughly in two relays of lukewarm water. Squeeze out water **without twisting** and hang in the open air.

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The indorsement of checks is a very simple thing, but, as the following story will show, it, too, has its difficulties:

A woman went into a bank where she had several times presented checks drawn to Mrs. Lucy B. Smith. This time the check was made to the order of Mrs. M. J. Smith—M. J. were her husband's initials. She explained this to the paying teller and asked what she should do.

"Oh, that is all right," he said. "Just indorse it as written there." She took the check and after much hesitation, said:

"I don't think I can make an M like that."

THE PEOPLES BANK OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

The general annual meeting of the Peoples' Bank of New Brunswick will be held at their Banking House on Thursday, the 18th January, 1906, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may require to be done.

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HERALD'S PULPIT.

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in Greater New York, has very solemnly and prophet-like announced that the world is now "looking for" and trying "to find a new religion." Contrary to the teaching of God's word that "the faith was once for all delivered to the Saints" he seriously tells the world that "a new inspiration and new convictions are growing out of the old faith. Old landmarks of knowledge and thoughts are being replaced with new, and our religion must change to coincide with new data. The thirty-nine articles are obsolete." Thus the world is robbed of its God, its Saviour and His word! Just now the Bible, under this theory, is going to be evolved to suit the times it is hard to foretell, for if there is anything certain it is this—as has been well said by another—"this Bible in the mirror of the world, and if it is to redeem humanity it must take hold of human sin, and with gloved and scented hands, but with a grip that will make men shudder. A Bible adapted to the taste of dainty and fastidious minds would never have subdued Goths and Vandals and Anglo-Saxons to faith in Christ."

Quite reassuring is it to turn to the third theory known as the dynamical or Athanasian definition of inspiration. It harmonizes in their action both the mechanical and natural elements by retaining them. This theory has been defined as follows: In its essence and nature inspiration is a miraculous impulse from the Holy Ghost to write certain things, reaching on in the controlling influence to the accomplishing of the objective effect the writing of scripture itself, accompanied with various degrees of the gifts of revelation and illumination in respect to the subject-matter, bringing into exercise and using all the powers, acquirements, and activities of the human writer, leaving his individual characteristics, both intellectual and moral, in full play—using each inspired man, such as he is, for its organ, yet always so as to secure that the result shall be infallible truth, that the word written shall be properly the "Word of God." To this theory the late Dr. Goodwin added the definition of plenary and verbal inspiration—plenary because always one and the same in kind and degree, whatever the source of its knowledge or the nature of its subject—(matter, verbal, for it permeates and energizes the activity of the mind, accompanying it in the development of its thought and the choice of its words, it does not become mechanical, for the inspired man still forms his ideas, thinks his thoughts and chooses his words in the conscious exercise of his natural faculties. This dynamical theory is more than the naturalistic theory. Mathematically expressed it is the dynamical, the mechanical, the naturalistic theory. This, so it appeals to me, is the best definition of Scriptural inspiration, as it does not ignore the Spirit's work nor the human element. While all Scripture is thus inspired, all Scripture is not a Revelation, e.g., the mention by St. Paul of his cloak left at Troas and his injunction to St. Timothy to bring it to him, is not a part of divine, revelation, though written by St. Paul when under Divine Inspiration—and certainly serves to give us a glimpse into the life of an inspired apostle and to teach the lesson of carefulness and Christian kindness and courtesy. Under this theory we conclude that the Holy Scriptures are verbally and plenarily inspired, primarily teaching religiour truth and only incidentally science, chronology and philosophy. This theory I imagine, gentlemen, is yours, commending itself to you as the right theory, as it does to my judgment. This, I believe to be the theory accepted by the Catholic consensus of the church from the IV. century to the present time. It was Sir Isaac Newton's, I believe, who defined his theory of the inspiration of Holy Scripture as follows:—"The Scriptures have God for their author, salvation for their end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for their matter." This theory of Sir Isaac Newton agrees exactly, certainly, in spirit with dynamical theory. Moreover, it is a reverent definition of Holy Scripture, which cannot be said of the manner of defining Scriptural inspiration by many of this our day. The spirit and temper of our times is lack of reverence in the handling and treatment of divine things, and assuredly is it so of the interpretation of Holy Scripture, which has become "a lost art." The irreverence of the secular press has invaded and outraged the sacredness and privacy of our homes and families so also has it outraged the sacredness of God's Word and become the parent of infidelity, the violator of personal purity and the marriage relation, the cause for the desecration of the Lord's Day and the undermining influence in the destruction of our social integrity. No inspiration, no Revelation, no God. Such are the downward gradations in the irreverent treatment of Holy Scripture. Be our theories what they may, so long as they are reverent, they will throw some light upon the meaning of God's Word and let in upon the souls of men some of that life, which our Blessed Lord told the Jews they found in their Scriptures. Where the spirit of reverence is lacking, such must "wrest the Scriptures to their own destruction."

Dr. Samuel Smiles in his book on "Character" has given us a beautiful example of this reverent treatment of the inspired Scriptures. It is his theory of inspiration, and it is a model and satisfactory theory; He says: "The Bible is the most sacred and impressive of all books—the education of youth, the guide of manhood, and the consoler of age. It is a series of biographies of great heroes and patriarchs, prophets, kings, and judges, culminating in the greatest biography of all—the life embodied in the New Testament. How much have the great examples there set forth done for mankind? How many have drawn from them their best strength, their highest wisdom, their best routine and admonition!

Truly is the Bible a book whose words live in the ear like music that can never be forgotten. Its felicities often seem to be things rather than mere words. It is part of the national mind, and the anchor of national seriousness. The memory of the dead passes into it. The potent traditions of childhood are stereotyped in its verses. The power of all the griefs and trials of man is hidden beneath its words. It is the representative of his best moments, and all that has been about him of soft, and gentle, and pure, and penitent, and good, speaks to him forever out of his English Bible. It is his sacred thing, which doubt has never dimmed and controversy never soiled."

LIBERAL HOPES HIGH.

Friends of British Ministry Confident of Country's Endorsement.

London, Jan. 12.—Liberal politicians seem to be gaining confidence that their party will elect sufficient members to the House of Commons to control it without Irish help. Developments of the last three or four days, they say, have convinced them that the Conservatives have not been very successful in their effort to turn the minds of the voters from the fiscal question by the introduction of the home rule issue. They also profess to be convinced that the country is decidedly against any change in the tariff system.

A London journalist of high reputation as an election forecaster was asked what he thought of the Liberals' expectations.

"I'm not forcasting this year," said he. "I don't know what will happen, but I'm satisfied that the Liberals will make several handsome gains. But in order to control the House without Redmond's help they will have a tremendous gap to cover. It is doubtful if today they can capture enough seats to give them a clear majority, but they are working hard and enthusiastically, and I'm not prepared to say they will fail in their undertaking. If the trend of early pollings should be strongly in their favor they would be apt to win a sweeping victory. I think they are right in saying the home rule issue is not helping the Conservatives, and also in the belief that the country in its present state of knowledge of the tariff question is against protection."

IS SUING ONTARIO.

The Dominion Hopes to Recover a Million and a Half.

On the last day of this month the hearing of a case brought by the Dominion Government against the Province of Ontario for the recovery of no less a sum than $1,500,000 will commence in the Exchequer Court in Toronto. The case arises out of what is known as Indian treaty No. 3. This was a treaty made by the Dominion with the Indians north of the height of land, north of Lake Superior, up to Rat Portage and for some distance eastward. The Dominion filed this claim in 1893 before the arbitrators for the payment of moneys advanced to the Indians. During the past year an action was brought by the Government of Ontario against the Dominion in the Exchequer Court disputing liability under treaty No. 3. The Dominion claim is very large; with interest it amounts to something like $1,500,000. That liability is disputed by the Province.

With reference to the defence of Ontario for recovery of annuities paid under the treaty, counsel for the Government of Ontario is understood to have advised that there can be no ultimate recovery by the Dominion.

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DESERTED IN HIGH SEAS.

Steamer Sighted With no Sign of Life Aboard.

New York, Jan. 12.—An apparently deserted steamer, with lifeboats missing, and answering no signals, and yet safely riding out a heavy storm, was sighted by the officers of the Italian steamer Liguria, which arrived at her dock today from Genoa. The steamer was seen a short distance north of the Bermuda Islands on Jan. 6. Captain Dodero of the Liguria says that a heavy gale was blowing and a high sea was running at the time. The steamer, he said, rode high out of the water, as if she had no cargo abroad. He made her out as a freight-carrying steamer of about 1,000 tons, with two masts and one funnel. The funnel was black, with two blue bands, separated by one white band. Two steamship lines have this mark on the funnels of their steamers, the Corinthia Shipping Company of Liverpool and the Arthur Holland Company of London. Both are freight lines. Most of the steamers of these lines run to South American ports, and, according to the marine register, none of them should have been in the vicinity of Bermuda Islands on Jan. 6.

The Liguria steamed about the stranger, all the while signalling, without receiving any reply. Not one lifeboat was seen during the circuit.

DESERTED AT THE ALTAR.

Wedding Party Waited, but the Faithless Swain Did Not Appear.

Moncton Transcript.—Last night at 8.30 a wedding was scheduled to have taken place at a residence on High Street, but fate and a false lover decreed otherwise.

Some months ago a young man belonging to Belle Isle, a place near St. John, arrived in Moncton and received employment in the I. C. R. round house.

Besides finding time for his daily employment the young man wiled away his idle hours making love to a young lady who lives with her parents on High street. The ardent lover, although a little recreant at times, finally won the young lady and an engagement ring was procured and placed on a willing finger. The wedding eve was set by the young man himself for the evening of January 10th at 8.30 o'clock. The days and hours apparently seemed like years to the happy twain. The young man last Saturday got a leave of absence from his foreman for the space of a week, informing him of his matrimonial intention and wanting a few days to prepare for the impending ceremony, and this was readily granted.

The engagement ring was procured from the intended bride with the stated intention of having it for a measure for the wedding ring. A request was also made to the intended bride's mother for a loan of twenty dollars and last Monday that lady readily drew the money from the bank and handed it over, looking upon the young man even then as one of their own. On Monday the young man took the money and the engagement ring and started to get a license and engage the minister. But he did not come back. Even up to last night the young lady did not think of any wrong on the part of her lover, and invitations were sent out to friends, and at the stated hour last evening a merry party gathered at the house and waited for the prospective bridegroom and minister.

But they did not arrive and it now transpires that no wedding ring was ordered and no minister interviewed in the matter and a search by the father of the young lady revealed the fact that the young man had disappeared on Monday or Tuesday, going in the direction of St. John.

The young lady is almost heartbroken over the affair and in an interview with a Transcript representative said she looked upon her fiancee as perfection and could not see what his reasons were for doing so as they had always treated him well at her home and she had given him no cause for such actions. The mother of the young lady is very much surprised at the young man's actions, as he had always been a perfect gentleman as far as she knew and although very sorry for her daughter thinks it is better so now than to happen later and would gladly dismiss the young man from memory if he would only return the twenty dollars.

So far the young lady's father—well, according to all accounts, the young man had better steer clear of Moncton.

MAN 80, SETTLES SUIT OF WOMAN.

Dimon, Great Barrington, Pays $300 in $10,000 Breach of Promise Case—Said She Proposed in Leap Year.

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 11.—For $300 John Dimon of Great Barrington today settled the breach of promise suit brought against him by Mrs. Lydia White of White Plains, N. Y. She sued for $10,000, and attorneys on both sides were ready for trial when settlement was made.

Mr. Dimon is 80 years of age, Mrs. White 40, and was his housekeeper for several years. He says she got sweet on him and proposed during leap year. He rejected her advances, but admits that he thought enough of her to get out a marriage license.

Mrs. White's former husband, a Mr. Bottom of East Canaan, Ct., from whom she secured a divorce in Illinois some years ago, was subpoenaed as a witness today. Had the breach of promise suit been prosecuted, Dimon's attorney, A. Chalkley Collins, would have sought to show through Botton that the divorce was null and void, and that Mrs. White is now, under Massachusetts law, a married woman.

After the settlement, Dimon waltzed into the court room, 25 years younger than his white whiskers looked him to be, and cried out gleefully, "I have settled." He walked over to Bottom, and they congratulated one another.

Dimon left the court house clutching his marriage license and waving it in the air. He spoke up: "I shall be older than I am now when I use that."Dimon has a fortune of about $75,000.

WHAT CAUSES APPENDICITIS?

The commonest cause of appendicitis is constipation. When you require physic don't use cheap drastic pills—get Dr. Hamilton's Pills which strengthen the stomach, regulate the bowels and prevent any tendency to appendicitis. In one day you'll feel the tremendous benefit of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. By purifying the blood and cleansing the system they prevent headaches, lift depression and drive away weariness. No medicine as successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills, sold everywhere in 25c. boxes with yellow cover; get the genuine.

YOUTHFUL GENIUS.

Brown (producing his scrap-book, and pointing with pride to one of his early effusions—There, read that! I wrote that when I was only twelve years old!

Frogg (after reading)—Can it be possible, Brown, that you were so old as twelve when you wrote this?—Puck.