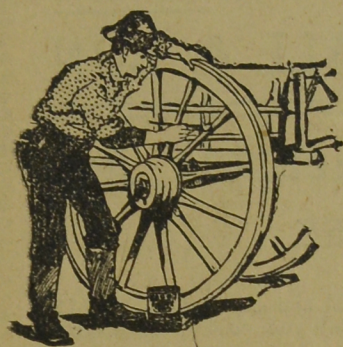


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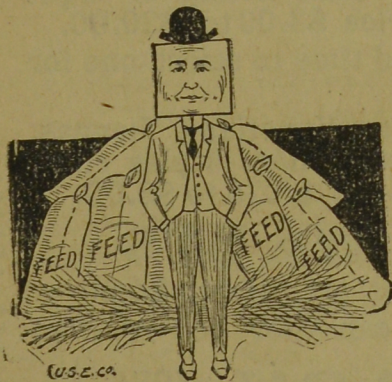
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As surely as the general health suffers when there is derangement of the health of the delicate womanly organs, so surely when these organs are established in health the face and form at once witness to the fact in renewed comeliness. More than a million women have found health and happiness in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It makes weak women strong and sick women well. Ingredients on label—contains no alcohol or harmful habit-forming drugs. It is made wholly of those native, American, medicinal roots most highly recommended by leading medical authorities of all the several schools of practice for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments.

For nursing mothers, or for those broken-down in health by too frequent bearing of children, also for the expectant mothers, to prepare the system for the coming of baby and make its advent easy and almost painless, there is no medicine quite so good as "Favorite Prescription." It can do no harm in any condition of the system. It is a most potent invigorating tonic and strengthening nerve, nicely adapted to woman's delicate system by a physician of large experience in the treatment of woman's peculiar ailments.

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The formula is printed on every wrapper of "Golden Medical Discovery," attested as to correctness under oath, and you can't afford to accept any substitute of *unknown composition* for this *non-secret remedy* no matter what selfish interests may prompt the dealer to urge such upon you. In fact it is an insult to your intelligence for him to do so. You know what you want and it is his place to supply that want.

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WINNIPEG IN A HUGE DEAL.

City Proposes to Buy Out Gas, Electric Power and Street Railway Plants.

WINNIPEG, April 2.—Winnipeg will buy out the Electric, Gas, Power and Street Railway enterprises, operating them under municipal ownership.

The electric enterprises are operated by Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann and the gas plant by a private company. The scheme has caused considerable stir, especially as the city has recently experienced great difficulty in raising money. The possibility is, of course, that funds would be more readily forthcoming for buying out such profitable concerns as those mentioned in the despatch.

JEWELRY CLERK WAS A WOMAN.

Strange Story of a Woman Who Passed off as a Man at Ottawa—How Sex was Discovered.

Ottawa Citizen: Some years ago a popular novelist named Gunter published a tale entitled *A Florida Enchantment* wherein a young man, by the simple process of swallowing a mysterious pearl, could change himself into a rather awkward young lady. The complications that arose in polite society when the transformation was effected and the young woman would absently fish out a cigar, place her feet on a table and attempt to strike a match, formed, among other things, the basis of an amusing, if somewhat improbable, story.

Something along this line recently happened in Ottawa. At least the main character, hero or heroine as the reader may prefer, evinced a strong liking for pearls, and became enchanted with them to such an extent that she (better make it she right now), became a man in order to get as close to the plunder of the oyster burglars as possible. Elsewhere a young woman have her hair clipped short, don a coat, vest and pair of—well, anyway, why should she, if it wasn't just to let the management of a big Sparks street jewelry store think that she was what she appeared to be—a nice, neat, polite new clerk? The management did think so, and the new clerk with the small hands and the little trillies took his place (let's use the masculine gender; it may help make a man of this clerk) behind the show cases while the wise pearls did blush in their purple velvet beds.

He was a big success, was the new and soft-spoken young assistant, and the lady customers in particular seemed much attracted by his manners and general appearance. And thus everything went on well until, after a while numerous articles of jewelry began to disappear in the most mysterious way. The thefts, despite the utmost precautions, kept up, to the consternation and chagrin of the staff, who felt that their reputation and honor were being seriously compromised. None, however, seemed more distressed than the new man who was rapidly forming a pleasant circle of friends, and whose conduct was above suspicion.

But one day a little trap was set and that same day a strange man visited the house where the pleasant clerk roomed and searched all over

and found pearls and things. While he was looking at the jewelry, and perhaps wishing that he had a cultivated taste like the person who lived there, the door opened and the clerk came in and made an awful mistake, and wasn't he in the wrong room? The stranger began to explain, but didn't get any further than saying he was a detective, when the clerk dropped off in a dead faint. The detective, like all detectives, was soft hearted, and when he realized that he had been a little abrupt, he got sorry and went to get some water to bathe the clerk's head. Besides, it's easier to walk down to the station with a friend than to have him, like a lot of spare time, hang heavy on one's hands. So he went for the water.

But when the detective, rejoicing in his good deed, as indeed he might seeing how sadly the profession is often misjudged, knelt down with a little prayer of thankfulness that he had been given the opportunity to be of some service to his fellowman, he experienced one of the greatest surprises in his long and romantic career. The detective was just about to percuss the patient's chest with his rough but honest hand, when the clerk opened his mouth and uttered a scream. Even now, when the whole thing is past and gone, the detective sometimes hears that scream in his troubled sleep and awakes to find his trembling limbs bathed in a cold perspiration. He knew as soon as his trained ear caught the sound that it emanated from any other but a female larynx.

There isn't much more to this story, which, considering the present price of white paper, has already cost a good deal. The jewelry firm, whose place of business is located on the north side of Sparks street between Metcalf and Elgin, (no, not a word more; it would not be fair) didn't care to prosecute under the circumstances; the police kept silent, and the young lady left town. She didn't go back to Carleton Place, because she had carried out her little plan successfully in that town before coming to Ottawa. Instead she went to Ogdensburg, where, rumor says she has once more assumed the distinctive attire of the male, and is a popular man with the ladies.

TO REVISE SYSTEM OF EDUCATION.

P. E. I. Government Decides to Appoint Commission—Prof. Robertson Suggested

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Apr. 2.—In the provincial legislature last week, a lively debate took place on the question of education.

It started with a resolution moved by Mr. Matheson, leader of the opposition, who asked that the House appoint a committee to deal with the question of text-books in this province, with a view to prevent their frequent changing and to obtain them at more reasonable prices. Premier Haszard moved an amendment to appoint a commissioner who would deal not with the question of text-books merely, but the whole educational system in this province.

Members on both sides took part in the discussion, which overflowed into three sessions, and was terminated by the government's amendment carrying on a straight party division.

One of the government speakers suggested the name of Dr. J. W. Robertson, principal of St. Anne de Bellevue College, as a proper person to serve on this commission.

Dr. Robertson had done valuable service to the farmers in this province by inaugurating a system of cheese and butter factories which is now spread throughout the province; it was through his efforts, also, that manual training and nature studies were introduced in the Prince of Wales College. He succeeded in establishing the first McDonald consolidated school on the island, and the system of school gardens in different parts of the island.

Premier Haszard said that Dr. Robertson stood high in the estimation of our people and that men of his stamp would be welcomed on such a commission. He would not say that he would be asked to serve, or not, this was a matter for further consideration of the government.

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DOUKHOBORS ARE TAKING UP LAND.

Great Body of Them are Now Under More Enlightened Leaders and are Doing Better.

LANGHAM, Sask., March 31.—Doukhobors taking out naturalization papers and making homestead entries is the latest development following the schism which was definitely separated the great bulk of these people from their less tractable fellows. This movement is now daily becoming more evident and comprehensive. The adherents of the naked and primitive cult are falling away and under the leadership of a more intelligent element are at last coming to an idea of citizenship and personal responsibility.

Rev. Dr. McDougall, Doukhobor Commissioner, and Interpreter White are busily engaged visiting Doukhobors and taking homestead entries, some thirty-five of which were made last week in this district alone. This movement is far from popular with those squatters who have relied on the obstinacy of the Doukhobors to gain title to some of their land.

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