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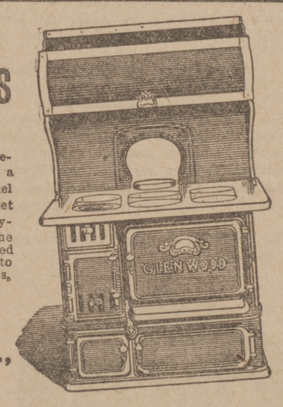
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Breezy Letter From Winnipeg---Its Growth in Keeping With Western Development---Now Canada's Third City---The Housekeeping Problem---Galicians and Domestic Service.

A correspondent of the Toronto Globe writes from Winnipeg as follows:

Winnipeg continues to rise proudly to its opportunities as the metropolis of western Canada. Its leadership among the cities of the west has never been questioned, and it is more definite and pronounced today than at any previous point in its history. To say that it is keeping pace with the prodigious development of the western provinces is, after all, to do it but scant justice. It is the fountain spring and inspiration of much of that development, and is a powerful and energizing influence in every great enterprise that is afoot between the great lakes and the Rockies. It would be vain to repeat here the frequently-told story of Winnipeg's wonderful growth. Barely a generation ago it began to exist. Half a generation ago it had perhaps got abreast of London, but being even then the biggest city within much more than a thousand miles on this side of the line it had put on the airs of a metropolis. By the end of the nineteenth century Winnipeg had grown to the bulk of Hamilton. So much had been accomplished in the days before the great immigration propaganda of the Laurier government. With the coming of the twentieth century, the century which most people seem to agree belongs to Canada, the growth of Winnipeg was greatly accelerated. Within the first five years of the new century the city has doubled its population, and now takes its rank easily than the third city of the dominion. It is well over the hundred thousand mark and is ambitiously looking forward to the time when it will rival Toronto. But it forgets that the east, too, is growing, though less furiously than the west.

Certainly there is no sign at present of any halt in this phenomenal growth. Real estate values are better than ever. Investors come from near and far. One of the heaviest purchases made during the past week was that of a Halifax syndicate. Great business blocks, handsome residences, fine apartment houses, new public buildings, are springing up on every side. The new postoffice is a really imposing piece of architecture of the Renaissance order; its cost is placed at about half a million. Its location on Portage avenue emphasizes the tendency to make the street the great business thoroughfare, or, rather, the natural continuation of the lower portion of Main street. The Free Press had already seized upon the site adjacent to the postoffice, and has erected there one of the handsomest and most completely equipped newspaper offices on the continent. On Portage avenue, too, a block or two higher up than the buildings named, is the famous Eaton store, a handsome six-story structure occupying a whole block, the location of which here is alone a substantial indication of the direction in which Winnipeg is expected to grow. A further distinction is conferred on this street in the fact that it boasts the church of "Ralph Connor," the unique preacher-novelist of Canada. Portage avenue is the beginning of the long road which the Hudson's Bay Company's officials used for generations in their journeys between Fort Garry and Fort Edmonton and the points beyond, and many historic associations are already clustered about it.

The new C. P. R. station is unpretentious in appearance, and is dwarfed by the tall C. P. R. hotel beside it, but it is a spacious and well-equipped building, and compares well with the best type of modern railway depots in its general arrangement and facilities. The hotel adjoining it is not yet quite finished, and, no matter how soon it is completed, it will not be before it is badly needed. It is really remarkable that a city so progressive as Winnipeg should have been so long without a first-class hotel. Close to the C. P. R. station, on the other side from the hotel, is the new Immigration Reception Hall, the substantial and commodious character of which may be perhaps best understood from the statement that it is equal to the strain of providing temporary sleeping room and housekeeping facilities for a thousand souls. This building, moreover, is to be the British Immigration Hall, and will be occupied only by our English-speaking kinsmen. The old building will continue to be used by newcomers of other nationalities.

A somewhat curious feature of Winnipeg building during the last year or two is the frequent occurrence of the apartment house. Toronto had reached the population of two hundred thousand before it found such a compromise between houses and lodgings necessary. Winnipeg already outstrips Toronto in the number of its flats, and the number is being rapidly increased. One reason probably for this is found in the fact that the question of domestics, troublesome enough in Toronto, becomes almost intolerable in Winnipeg, and there is a disposition to lessen the burden of housekeeping by taking apartments rather than houses. Hence the evolution of the flat. I had supposed that the influx of an army annually of English, Scotch and Irish girls, to say nothing of the innumerable Galicians and Doukhobors, would have alleviated the housekeeper's troubles, but it is not so. The Doukhobors do not count, for they are not allowed away from their villages. Their elders found them altogether too apt in acquiring the western temperament, and the young ladies are now kept at home. The Galicians contribute something to the solution of the problem; at least it would be very much worse without them, apparently, for J. Obed Smith, the commissioner of immigration for the west, tells me there are not less than 2,500 Galician girls in service in Manitoba alone. Hotels and restaurants, factories and laundries consume, however, the greater portion of the labor available for domestic help. As to the incoming girls who speak our own tongue, they are married out of hand by the bachelor farmer or mechanic who has preceded them from the old land. They are seldom allowed to spend more than a few months, perhaps no more than a few weeks, in any other employment than that of housekeeping. The wages of the domestic have risen, as a consequence, to a point that is truly terrifying, $30 to $40 per month being no uncommon figure, though it would be unfair perhaps to put the average higher than $25. Many look to the Chinaman for aid, and, on the whole, it is probably the readiest way out of the dilemma.

The Galician girls do their share in marrying the Anglo-Saxon bachelors. They "Canadianize" with alacrity, and there is at least one amusing instance in which the tables have been turned on the Anglo-Saxon with a vengeance. A bright Galician girl, not long out, and whose face was familiar to the commissioner of immigration because of her occasional appearance at his office, was said to be about to marry an English plasterer. Some time subsequently the commissioner observed the Galician young lady again coming into the hall, but he noticed that she came in now by the British entrance, and not by the entrance reserved for the "continentals."

"Why is she coming in that way?" asked the commissioner of an attendant.

"She is Mrs. Henry Jones now," said the attendant. "She has come in to engage a servant, and nothing will satisfy her but she must have an English servant!"

Surely the burden of empire will rest more lightly on our shoulders if the Galicians and others of our sometimes despised friends from the continent help us out in this whole-souled manner.

And the Galician men seem to adapt themselves to western conditions as readily as their women, if we may judge from another incident for the authenticity of which I can personally vouch. Only a day or two ago a letter was received at the Department of Immigration asking for a farm hand and offering $25 a month for a Galician and $10 a month (one almost fears to write the words) for a Scotchman! The department is carefully treasuring the original of this letter. On the whole, the Galician seems to have made himself thoroughly at home among the men of the northern zone.

DROWNED WHILE BATHING

WOBURN, Mass., June 5—Arthur R. Gage, 20 years old, was drowned while bathing in Horn Pond, this city, late today. Two companions were with him, and one of them dived from the boat. Young Gage jumped in after him, rose once and then sank below the surface. The body was recovered an hour later. It is believed that some heart affection caused Gage to collapse.

THE INGLE NOOK PHILOSOPHER OF KENNEBECCASIS BAY

"That butterfly," said Pollard, pointing at one of those flower-like denizens of the air, that waltzed in the sunlight before us, "was an infant at sunrise; at nine o'clock it was a youth; at 12 it had attained the stature of maturity; at 3 it will feel somewhat decrepit, and at sundown it will hide in some secluded corner, shut its wings and die."

"I suppose," continued Pollard, "its life of a day is as satisfying, as full of incidents and, maybe, of joy and sorrow, as ours of three score years and ten. It wanders about this contracted garden, marvels at the magnitude of the world; meets its brother and sister butterflies; chats with one, flirts with another, dines wherever a tempting meal is spread for him and goes away to the Paradise of Butterflies, leaving no enemy behind him, and the world just as good and just as rich as he found it."

Pollard explored his pockets and discovered that he had left his pipe at home.

Said he "I have a genuine affection for the butterfly and the lightning bug. The one keeps us company through the day and the other through the night and neither of them would harm us for the world. They don't break down fences nor root up our potato fields, nor buzz round our ears, nor suck our blood, nor cheat us, nor gossip about us, nor do anything whatever to make the lives of other insects miserable. I think there must be a Paradise somewhere where millions of butterflies and lightning bugs find their reward in cloudless summer days and moonless nights."

Pollard asked if I wasn't afraid I was smoking too much.

"Not a bit," said I, and puffed away.

"There are insects and insects," resumed Pollard; "they are big and little; they are saintly and otherwise, (mostly otherwise). Some of them wear scales, some wear feathers, some wear fur and some wear broad cloth. All of these, including the grafters of every sort, have their little day, just like my friends, the butterfly and the lightning bug, and then they go away, each to his own place. The flowers, the grass, the trees, are just like the insects to which I have alluded; they come and go, each like the other. When we read of volcanic eruptions and earthquakes we are led to question whether this old earth is still in process of creation or is threatened with dissolution. We know that nothing on the earth is permanent; why may not its own infirmities lead to an utter collapse?"

Pollard turned to me for an answer.

"Whether they do or not," said I, "it matters not much more to you or me than it does to your butterfly or lightning bug."

White Head, June 4.

RECENT WEDDINGS

A fashionable wedding took place at Bathurst yesterday when Miss Annie Swayne Desbrisay daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Norman Desbrisay was married to Frank W. Walker, C. E. of Montreal. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. James Wheeler, pastor of St. Luke's church at Bathurst, assisted by Rev. Lestook Desbrisay, rector of St. Agatha, (Que) and uncle of the bride.

A pretty home wedding took place at Yarmouth, N. S. yesterday when Miss Alice Caroline Carey, only daughter of Charles Carey, proprietor of the "Light" was married to S. Ernest Gaudy, son of Israel H. Gaudy, clerk of the Halifax Hotel. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. A. Edwards of the Congregational church.

Rev. Herbert J. Johnston, rector of Parrsboro, was married yesterday at Trinity church to Miss Bessie G. Upham, daughter of Nathaniel Upham. She formerly resided in Parrsboro. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Richardson. The happy couple left for a tour of the lower provinces. The groom will resume his duties, June 17.

TOOK HER OWN LIFE

HAVERHILL, Mass., June 5—Mrs. James M. Noyes, who conducted a boarding house on Merrimac street, this city, committed suicide late today by inhaling illuminating gas. The woman locked herself in the bathroom and then turned on the gas. No reason is known for her act. She was 32 years old.

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PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS

The local government last evening appointed J. M. McIntyre judge of probates for Kings county in place of George G. Gilbert deceased.

Miss Mabel S. Gilbert, Rothesay, was appointed registrar of probates for the same county in room of Robert Morrison, deceased.

Fred L. Fairweather was appointed clerk of the county court of Kings, and stipendiary magistrate for the town of Sussex.

A leegation consisting of J. H. Barry, W. T. Whitehead, M. P. P., and George F. Burden, M. P. P., asked for an increased subsidy for the Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboat Company. the subsidy is now $900 a year and the delegation asked for an additional $500. The government will consider.

The police have been making a house to house canvass of the city to ascertain how many dogs there are, and as a result about 1,200 have been discovered. The owners will be given a reasonable time to take out licenses, and in default of so doing they will be summoned to the police court.

The mayor and Director Murdoch visited the Mispec pulp mill yesterday afternoon to see the two engines which Stetson, Cutler & Co., have notified the city they desire removed to make way for improvements. It is probable they will be brought to the city and disposed of.

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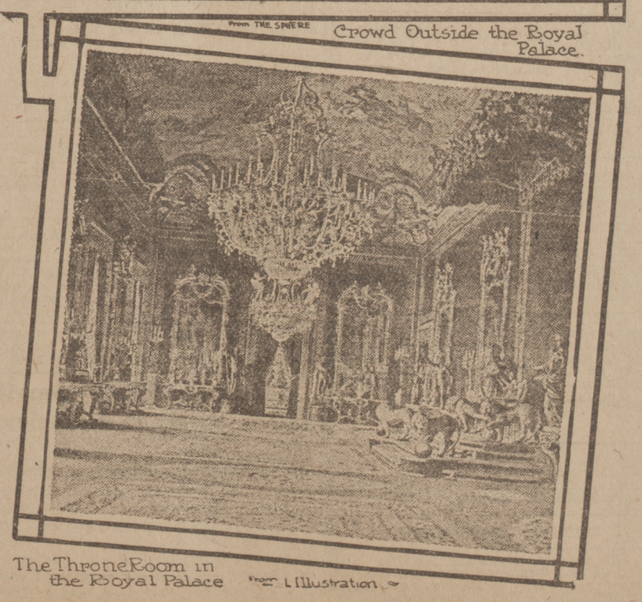
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From THE SPHERE

Crowd Outside the Royal Palace.



The Throne Room in the Royal Palace From L'Illustration

THE MORNING NEWS

Hon. A. H. Comeau and A. M. Gidney were nominated yesterday by Digby County liberals to contest the county in the coming election for the local house.

The second arrest in the burglary at the Sussex Mercantile store was made yesterday afternoon when William McLeod Jr. captured a suspicious character on the 133 train between Hampton and Nauwigewauk. The man who gives his name as McDonald was taken back to Sussex where both will be tried on Saturday morning.

ALBANI IN CHARLOTTETOWN

The Albani concert in Charlottetown on Monday evening was a magnificent success. Upwards of 1200 people were present, a special train carrying a large crowd from Summerside. Madame Albani was given a great reception and the whole concert enthusiastically received. A band met Albani at the train on Saturday evening on her arrival, and her stay on the Island was a continuous ovation. Mr. Spencer has proved a most successful manager and the Charlottetown concert was one of the triumphs of the tour.