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COWED THE CHINESE.

The "Foreign Devil" Used a College Yell as a Battle Cry.

On board a launch on which I was sailing up the Yangtze river were about thirty Chinese soldiers of such a ragamuffin appearance as to excite my suspicions, but fortunately without their rifles. As evening of the first day came on they crowded around the small deck house and demanded of the native agent to know what the "foreign devil" was doing here. Now, I had been cleaning and oiling the various parts of my sample machine gun during the day.

Before nightfall I drew the blinds of the deckhouse and, quickly assembling the gun, slipped in a loaded belt. I now told the agent, who was white with fear, to tell these fellows that this "foreign devil" "belong crazy" and also "bun lehi" (very fierce) and as a sort of warning to "keep off the grass" I opened the door and let off a string of about fifty shots into the air, at the same time giving the Yale college yell, which was the handiest warcry I could think of at the moment.

Whether it was the information imparted by the agent, Chen, the shots or the Yale cheer I cannot say, but all hands crowded to the other end of the launch and remained at a respectful distance until Nanchang was reached, to the great amusement of the Chinese captain and engineer, who, however, had deemed it good policy to allow the passengers to settle their own disputes without interference. This incident is pleasant to remember, but at the time I was badly scared.—From "Drumming Revolutionary China," by Bartlett G. Yung, in World's Work.

ORIGIN OF BANK CHECKS.

Dense London Fogs, It Is Said, Forced Their Introduction.

It is claimed that the business world owes the idea of the bank check to nothing else than London's fogs.

These fogs are sometimes of such a density that the pedestrian can see but a few feet ahead of him. Something over a hundred years ago, it is said, the attacks of thieves and highwaymen in the British capital upon bank messengers and tradesmen going through the streets to settle their bills became so frequent in times of heavy fog as seriously to interfere with the conduct of London's business.

It was easy for the thief to ambush his victim, club him into insensibility, rob him and then disappear into the murky atmosphere, with little likelihood of apprehension or identification or that passersby would witness the commission of the crime or be of any assistance in the chase.

In these circumstances bankers, tradesmen and others set their wits to working, with the result that the bank check was devised for the payment of debts. Soon the highwaymen found that a few pieces of paper were all the booty they were likely to get from a "holdup" of even a wealthy tradesman. Accordingly the activities of the daylight robbers soon came to an end, but the convenience of the bank check proved so great that it survived not only in London, but was adopted throughout the civilized world.—Washington Star.

Raw Sponges.

To persons who know sponges only as they appear ready for sale and use the animal as it comes from the sea would be unrecognizable. It is a solid looking, rather slimy, fleshy body, varying in color from light grayish yellow through a range of browns to black and in form it is cup shaped, spheroidal or cake shaped, according to the species, its age or the environment in which it grew. In general, in appearance and consistency and the manner in which it cuts with a knife, a living sheep's wool sponge is not unlike a piece of beef liver perforated with holes and canals. The sponge of the markets is merely the skeleton, the supporting framework which gives strength and form to the soft, gelatinous tissue of the living animal.

Imaginary Whys of Celibacy.

Curious how when a man remains a bachelor people will speculate concerning his celibate state:

"Well, he has had an unfortunate affair some time or other. No man as attractive as he has gone this long without a tender memory to accompany him."

Of a woman:

"Funny she never married. Now, you'd think she'd be attractive to the men, wouldn't you?"—New York Sun.

Good News For Papa.

"Paw!"

"Well?"

"When I promise to marry him do you want him to come and ask your consent?"

"No, not my consent, but I would like to have him trot in and tell me the good news. I sort of feel like I needed cheering up."—Houston Post.

Suddenly Tired.

"Good gracious, what a sight you are! What have you been doing?"

"The barber had just lathered me when some one came in and told him that he had won the big prize in a lottery and he retired at once."—Fliegende Blatter.

Hard Luck.

Hard luck is when a man who does not like oysters eats one for politeness, discovers a $100 pearl and then keeps on eating them indefinitely to find another.—Chicago News.

Men had not a hammer to begin, not a syllabled articulation. They had it all to make—and they made it.—Carlyle.

KEEPING UP STANDARDS.

How the Canadian Government Protects the Consumer of Foods.

As the Canadian Government needs the co-operation of the house-keepers in building up the nation, so it offers to them a variety of aids in the performance of their duties. Of course, the consumer must be the ultimate judge of the value of the food; but the state takes measures to see that the consumer shall get what she pays for, and what the dealer agrees to give her.

Take, for example, the common commodity of butter. There is butter and butter; and in some degree there will probably always be butter and butter. But the variety of the article that is sold under that name is not so wide now as it once was, and it may conceivably be more strictly limited in future. At one time in this country, and still in a number of other lands, oleomargarine might be sold as butter. To-day its sale is absolutely prohibited. Again the amount of water which is allowed to be left in butter has been carefully limited. The present limit is sixteen per cent.; and it is probable that this limit may be reduced. Thirdly, a law was passed only last session to prohibit the sale of "process" butter. This was old butter which had been re-worked and freshened up by pumping water into it. In some instances it had been found to contain forty per cent. of water; but by a flaw in the Act the guilty parties escaped. Of course, nobody wants to pay thirty cents a pound for water.

Before butter could be defined and its variety limited it was necessary that there should be a large number of chemical tests of samples made. Then these tests were carefully compared, and from them a standard was picked out. In a similar way, standards have been set for a number of other foods. These include flour, meats, meat extracts, lard, milk, and cream, and ice cream, maple products, fresh and fermented fruit juices, and olive and other salad oils. It is now an offence against the law to sell these articles unless they come up to the standard; and the Government has inspectors on the watch for violations of the law. It is also possible for private parties to start prosecutions, but for this purpose it is better to consult with the inspectors.

By its laws and by its inspectors the Government seeks to ensure that the public shall get what it buys, not only in regard to weight, but in regard to quality and nourishing power. Fundamental to the protection of the public against false balances is the inspection of weights and measures by the Inland Revenue Department. Every scale sold must bear the stamp of the Government inspector, and all scales used in shops are also subject to re-inspection. The protection as to quality and nourishment comes through the food standards. Both these points are taken into consideration in arriving at the standards.

A Religious Farm.

The Rev. Philip Blakeway, chaplain of the Eighth Hussars of England, who arrived in New York by the White Star liner Oceanic, is bound for his 640 acres farm near Edmonton, central Alberta, says a United States journal.

He is accompanied by Major H. C. Brodie, formerly of the Eighth Hussars. The chaplain says he acquired the military spirit by heredity, so he calls himself a "soldier born." Before he became chaplain he was a lieutenant in a Middlesex regiment and had seen service in India.

"I intend," the chaplain said, "to put on my farm fifteen or twenty God-fearing Englishmen, who while operating the land and sharing the proceeds of their toil will establish a lay church community there. After they have acquired a competence they will settle in other places in Alberta, each preaching to his neighbors the gospel of Christ and of work. I hope that at the end of five years on the farm they will be ready to become lay missionaries."

The chaplain hopes that a sort of endless chain of missionaries may be started in Alberta by his plan.

Was Dr. Johnson Bashful?

On the eve of leaving London for Canada Mrs. Brooke, who wrote "The History of Emily Montague," the first novel written in Canada, gave a farewell party, Hannah More, Johnson and Boswell being of the company. Dr. Johnson was obliged to leave early and apparently departed after wishing his hostess health and happiness. Shortly after a servant whispered to Mrs. Brooke that a gentleman was waiting below to speak to her. Running downstairs, the fair novelist found the venerable lexicographer. "Madam," said he ponderously, "I sent for you downstairs that I might kiss you, which I did not choose to do before so much company."

Deer Migrated Across Border.

Because two deer swam from the Canadian to the American side near Kingston a tangle has resulted, which will devolve upon the game protectors of Jefferson County and Protector C. M. Stearns of Sacketts Harbor to decide. Graves, the keeper of the Galloup Island lighthouse, noticed the animals swimming in Lake Ontario. They swam nine miles and came from Duck Island which is in Canadian territory. Duck Island is owned by Cole, and he has private reserve there with deer.

Canadian Patents.

Applications for patents in Canada should be addressed to the Commissioner of Patents, Ottawa. The application should contain an affidavit certifying that the applicant is the inventor of the article, and setting forth his Canadian domicile, as well as a detailed specification of his invention. He may be required to furnish a model or sample of the article. The fees are:—Full for 18 years, $60; partial for 12 years, $40; partial for six years, $20.

The Maple Leaf.

In days of yore from Britain's shore,
Wolfe the dauntless hero came,
And planted firm Britannia's flag,
On Canada's fair domain.
Here may it wave, our boast, our pride,
And joined in love together,
The Thistle, Shamrock, Rose entwine
The Maple Leaf for ever!

Chorus

The Maple Leaf, our emblem dear,
The Maple Leaf for ever!
God save our King, and Heaven bless
The Maple Leaf forever.

At Queenston Heights and Lundy's Lane,
Our brave fathers, side by side,
For freedom, homes, and loved ones dear,
Firmly stood and nobly died;
And those dear rights which they maintained,
We swear to yield them never!
Our watchword ever more shall be,
The Maple Leaf for ever.

Chorus

The Maple Leaf, our emblem dear,
The Maple Leaf for ever!
God save our King, and Heaven bless
The Maple Leaf for ever!

Our fair Dominion now extends
From Cape Race to Nootka Sound;
May peace for ever be our lot,
And plenteous store abound;
And may those ties of love be ours
Which discord cannot sever,
And flourish green o'er Freedom's home,
The Maple Leaf for ever!

Chorus

The Maple Leaf, our emblem dear,
The Maple Leaf for ever!
And flourish green o'er Freedom's home,
The Maple Leaf for ever.

On merry England's far-famed land
May kind Heaven sweetly smile;
God bless Old Scotland ever more,
And Ireland's Emerald Isle!
Then swell the song, both loud and long,
Till rocks and forest quiver,
God save our King, and Heaven bless
The Maple Leaf for ever!

Chorus

The Maple Leaf, our emblem dear,
The Maple Leaf for ever!
God save our King, and Heaven bless
The Maple Leaf for ever.

Police Magistrate Rutherford of Shelburne sent two weak-minded women, Misses Elizabeth Louise Cauley and Jane Cauley, to Orangeville on Friday last for safe keeping. They are about 50 and 48 years, respectively, and one of them can talk a little, but the other is a mute and an idiot. They have lived for years in Melancthon township and as their mother died recently there was no one to look after them and they were not capable of caring for themselves. They will be sent to the Idiotic Asylum at Orillia.—Free Press.

Two little six year old Durham lads, Blain McFarlane and Jaffray Abraham received quite a scare last week in the latter's father's garage. They contemplated taking the car out for a spin and set to work to start it. The former cranked it up and had it ready to spring out, with gasoline turned full on, engine running rapidly, etc., except that they did not know how to pull back the starting lever. Thus instead of dashing through the wall, it commenced to turn up the gasoline till the cylinder was quite hot, and smoke seen coming out of the garage from the house. Not knowing how to shut it off one lad ran to the store and Shell Abraham came up and set the auto at rest. It was sometime before the car cooled down but it was none the worse after.—Review.

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As considerable misunderstanding has arisen as to the new naturalization act, the State Department at Ottawa is issuing a special circular on the subject directing attention to the fact that the new law is not now in effect but will be only on January 1st next, while with respect to people living here at present and up to the first of the year, the old law will apply for three years yet. Heretofore naturalization was granted in court by judges. Under the new law the judges will certify as to the evidence of qualification, while the certificate of naturalization will be issued by the Secretary of State.

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For the next two weeks we will offer big reductions in men's and women's underwear, also in hosiery.

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