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Continued from page 3. "Don't ask me. Read it yourself." He handed it back to her. "Gimme an interestin' story and I'll read it."

"Peter," Daisy gravely admonished him, "have you no ambition to improve your mind?" "I know enough to get along. What's the use of botherin' your mind with more'n that?"

Daisy sighed with undisguised sympathy. "I can understand, Peter," said Georgiana thoughtfully, "your preference for fiction rather than for a statistical, scientific work like that. No doubt you feel without fully comprehending it the more inward significance of fancies that embody spiritual truths than of isolated hard facts about the Back Boned family which lead nowhere."

"Now," mused Kirooss, "that wouldn't be so bad if she weren't talking to a farmhand. If only she didn't give herself over so entirely to her little pose of being superior," he thought ruefully, "she might be very attractive—she's so tremendously good looking. I wonder what she would be like if she dropped it."

"Pete," said Daisy, "one of these days I want you to hire Abe's horse and buggy from him and take me for a drive and show me the country, will you? Of course I'll pay the price. Abe's so tight across the chest he'd never give it to us for nothing."

"Oh, Daisy," gently protested Georgiana, "what an expression! Instead of trying to give these people higher standards you would debase their taste with your low—yes, low—slang." "Economical," Daisy corrected herself. "Abe's so economical, I mean. Will you take me driving, Pete?" she asked ingratiatingly.

Instead of looking gratified, as she expected him to do, Peter appeared rather daunted at the prospect. "Oh, Peter," Daisy reassured him, "you needn't mind me. Now, if it were Miss Ellery that asked you you might be scared white!"

"You see," Pete explained apologetically, "us we're so common out here towards what you are—no wonder if a body felt funny takin' one of your buggy ridin'." "Us we don't know nothin' but to sleep and feed our faces."

"If you will make yourself worthy of better things, Peter, they will come to you," said Georgiana earnestly. "All the good things of the universe come to him who is ready for them."

"Good things? What, now, would you call good things?" he asked curiously. "Love, for instance," said Georgiana, with uplifted countenance. "Umph!" he grunted. "I never thought so much of this here love like some thinks. I always held that Adam would of been better off if he'd kep' his rib."

"Why, Peter," cried Daisy, "I never would have suspected you of having such views!" They had reached the farm, and at this moment they encountered the girl Eunice carrying two heavy pails of milk from the barn toward the springhouse. Abe, the farmer's son, walked at her side, apparently pursuing her with some request which she refused him, for her face was troubled and she hurried a step ahead of him.

Almost before he knew what he was doing Kirooss was at the girl's side, relieving her of both her pails. She colored with confusion before a gallantry to which she was unaccustomed, while Abe scowled resentfully and skulked off in another direction.

"Did you see that?" asked Georgiana as she and Daisy went into the kitchen. "It would never occur to Abe to carry those heavy pails for that slender looking girl. I believe there is a latent fineness in this Peter!"

"It's awfully latent, dear," said Daisy, with unaccustomed disagreement. "Don't you think so?" "I believe that he has fine, though undeveloped perceptions or intuitions," affirmed Georgiana, "which, with a little encouragement, may reveal him to himself."

To be continued.

Honor Rolls.

DURHAM SCHOOL.

H. S. DEPT. Form III Jr. Teachers—Nellie Hepburn, Jessie Smith, Janet Fletcher, James Farquharson, Fred Smith. Jr. Matriculation—Nellie Hepburn, Jessie Smith, James Farquharson, Vaddie Caldwell, Catherine McDougall.

Form II—Annie Clark, Leona Russell, Mary Backus, Willie Petty, Wilfred Hunt.

Form I—Nellie Burns, Alex Bell, Sarah Fulton, Mary Lougheed, Hazel Barber.

P. S. DEPT.

Sr. IV—Helen Ireland, Annie McDonald and Ray Farquharson eq., Frank McLeith, Irene Lawson, Mary McQueen.

Promotion Jr. IV to Sr. IV—Marguerite Hutton, Sadie McDonald, Verne Fluker, Jennie Kelly, Edna Patterson, Eddie Hutton, Charlie Harbottle Ian Campbell, Janet Marshall.

Sr. III—Ber. Benton, Zell Crawford, Theresa Vollet, Mary McKechnie, Violet Fallaise, Myrtle Daniel.

Promotion Jr. III to Sr. III—Pearl Wright, Norman Lenahan, Mary McIlraith, Jack Bryon, Nellie Fluker, Minnie Lumin, Alice McCrie, Myrtle Sparling, James Matthews, Isabel Lawson, Marion Marshall, Cecil Towner, Reta Torry, John Duncan.

Sr. II—Robin Farquharson, Willie Watt, Vera Allan and Isaac Mitchell eq., Hilda Brooks, Tilly Levine.

Jr. II—Willie Lawson, Edie McKenzie, Russell Gun, Ethel Whitmore, Georgina Lawson.

Sr. Pt. II—Valerie Moran, Harold Ramage, Marie Heslit, Hazel Hutton, Jennima Lawrence and Eric Elvidge eq.

Jr. Pt. II—Louis Ector, Willet Snell, Joe Whitchurch, Frankie Burnett and Flossie Lawrence eq., Belle Lauder and Eddie Hilderbrand eq.

Sr. I—Sarah Donnelly, Annie Brooks, Reaney Snell, Willie Clark, Ruby Carson.

Jr. I—Myrtle Koch, Grace Vollet, Nina Johnston, Nora Sprout, David Donnelly.

A—Lillian Moore, Katie McAuliffe, Wilmer Snell, Andrew McAuliffe, Eddie McQueen.

S. S. NO. 5. GLENELG.

GRADE VIII—I. Edwards. GRADE VII—M. Peart. GRADE VI—M. Edwards, M. McClocklin, C. Nelson, E. Peters, J. Gray, B. Smith.

GRADE V—E. Peart. GRADE III—H. Hunt, O. Peart, J. Edwards.

GRADE II—K. Cook, E. Wright, R. Peart, H. Timmons.

B. CLASS—E. Cook, E. Edwards, K. Edwards, M. Wright, M. Haley.

A. CLASS—F. Vaughan, W. Haley, C. Cook.

Average attendance 18.

M. B. TAYLOR, Teacher.

U. S. S. NO. 2. B. & G.

Sr. IV—Harold McKechnie. Jr. IV—Willie Edge.

Sr. III—Stewart McArthur. Jr. III—Mae McKechnie, Armetta McKechnie, Earle Vessie, Thos. Grasby.

Sr. Pt. I—Mabel Grasby, Esther McLean.

Sr. Primer—Merron McArthur, Winnie Mitchell, Teddy Middleton, Campbell Mitchell, Reba Vessie.

Jr. Primer—May Mitchell Robbie Grasby.

Average attendance 14.

S. S. McLEAN Teacher.

S. S. NO. 2. EGREMONT.

Grade VIII—E. Meade, M. Allan, M. Woods eq., M. Matthews, W. Barbour, G. Pollock S. Morrison.

Grade VI—G. McLaughlin, B. Woods, J. Matthews, W. Woods, M. Ker, M. Allan.

Grade V—R. Marshall, H. Meade, E. McMeeken, M. Meade.

Grade IV—J. Finnigan, Wm. Finnigan.

Grade III—B. Woods, E. McLaughlin, P. McKechnie.

Grade II Sr.—E. McMeeken. Grade II Jr.—T. Finnigan, L. Chapman.

Grade I—E. Woods, B. Allan, J. Ker, R. McMeeken.

FRED F. IRISH, Teacher.

S. S. NO. 10. GLENELG & EGREMONT

Sr. IV—Maggie Hartford, Katie McCuaig, Ida McCuaig.

Jr. IV—Flossie Hooper, Bernie Hartford, Roy McDermid.

To Jr. IV—Gladys Tucker. To Sr. III—Islay McCuaig.

To Jr. III—Almar Hooper, Mabel Tucker, Henry Tucker.

Jr. II—Neil Shortreed, Eva Hooper. Pt. II—Malcolm McKinnon, Edward Hartford.

Sr. I—Charles Tucker, Effie McEachern.

To Sr. I—John Shortreed, Archie McCuaig, Jennie May McDougall, Rodney Haines, Milburne Hartford.

Those present every day in December—Ida McCuaig, Gertie McCuaig, Roy McDermid, Islay McCuaig, Whila McCuaig, Neil Shortreed, Malcolm McKinnon, John Shortreed, Archie McCuaig.

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We take this occasion to extend to you personally, our best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

The successful business of the past year and the bright outlook for 1910 make us glowing optimists.

We know we have satisfied our customers and hence we feel somewhat satisfied ourselves.

With the same right prices and absolute worthiness in our goods, we enter the new year with greater activity, wider and more improved facilities, and greater energy than ever before.

We hope you also see bigger and better business ahead, whatever your calling may be, and we wish you heartily a new fund of enthusiasm and energy and all the good luck and prosperity you can stand.

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