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STRAY SHOTS FROM SOLOMON

(From The Shoe and Leather Journal)

LOWLY WISDOM.

It is written, "Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh," and some would apply this same philosophy to the mind. If such were the case we might well pray to be delivered from the "abundance" that is proclaimed by some mouths. But the contrary is the truth, for out of emptiness of the mind the jaw waggeth. A full head means a closed mouth. Put that down. It is a shallow brook that babbles most; it is the empty wagon that makes the greatest clatter. The people who are most anxious to hear their own voices are those who know least what they are talking about. It is usually the most difficult thing to get men with a comprehensive knowledge of a subject to express their views. Those who have spent a lifetime studying and thinking are very chary of talking. On the other hand, the less some people know the more they are to twitter. It is easy in a meeting to tell the babbling dabbler from the readiness to "chip in." The "wise man keepeth it till afterward." A good story is told of the great Scotch preacher, John McNeil. He recently delivered a sermon on the taking of Jericho. In his usual graphic style he described the historic tactics of Joshua and the host of Israel as they marched round the walled city day by day in solemn silence. The preacher painted a most thrilling picture of the great army and its daily round and as he closed the account of the first day's peregrinations and led the weary people back to the camp, an enthusiastic member of the congregation expressed his satisfaction by a lusty "Praise the Lord!" Mr. McNeil paused, and in his comical way looked down at the interrupter. He proceeded once more with the description, and at the end of the second day the outburst came again in a "Hallelujah!" that could be heard all over the house. The preacher turned square around upon the noisy fellow and stood looking at him for about ten seconds. At the end of the third day came another ejaculation, and McNeil, leaning far over the pulpit, thundered in broadest Scotch: "Mon dae ye no ken there was to be nae shootin till the laist roond!" People who "go off" on the slightest provocation are generally three-quarters gas and one-quarter conceit. "With the lowly is wisdom."

ONLY TADPOLES.

The man who must be a big toad in the puddle or he won't play in it is invariably a little pollywog, whose room is better than his company. Much harm is done many a good cause by the little tadpoles, whose exaggerated ideas of their own importance lead them to stir up strife. The world is impartial in its judgment, and the man who fills his sphere will find it expand as he occupies it. There is no need for swelling yourself up, and seeking to impress people with your size. They know how much gas is beneath your bloated mental corporation. "Do you see that consequential looking fellow fussing about the platform," said a gentleman the other day in a meeting. "If you stuck a pin into him he would collapse." There are plenty like him, not even bull pad dies, but swelled tadpoles. Fill your place, however humble, and you will have the respect of the world, and best of all your own. When the "books" are made up in the "great day" there will be a revelation that will transcend all the history or fiction ever written. We shall then know the names of the men or perchance the women who held the ropes that night in Damascus—"when Paul of Tarsus was let down in a basket by the wall" and given to a needy world. The unsung heroes of earth's mighty conflicts will shine forth with a glory the lustre of which will not be enhanced by human partiality or dimmed by earthly prejudice. Act well your part. Be content to "hold the ropes" if you cannot fill the basket. Push behind if you cannot find a place to pull in front. Work if you cannot plan. Follow if you cannot lead. Take your place with the crowd if you cannot get on the platform.

HOW DO THEY POINT.

How do your feet point? In this city some time ago a very effective advertisement was exploited by a local concern. The citizens awoke one morning to find upon the sidewalk the stencilled outlines of a pair of feet of unusual proportions that gave the impression that the city had been visited during the night by a legion of giants. The steps all led toward the centre of the city and converged at a certain store. Unconsciously one was led to follow or at least speculate upon the direction of the foot prints, and so the words of Solomon, "Remove thy foot from evil," suggests the question at the commencement of this paragraph. When you find a man's foot turned in the direction of evil it needs not the foresight of a seer to say that he will wind up on the street or in penitentiary. There is no such thing as chance. Everything depends upon the direction in which a man's boot's point as to the goal he attains. If he sits down and twists his legs about the rungs of an arm chair day after day his goal will be a corner in the almshouse. If his toes point in the direction of a saloon and gambling hell his fortune will be that of the seedy individual looking for odd jobs, the bear-eyed, red-nosed soak or the close-cropped totter who labors under the disability of a bell and chain.

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Vickers.

Mrs. J. Lawrence, of Hutton Hill, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lawrence one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McCulloch, also Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hunt spent Sunday before last with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lindsay, of Glenelg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Roseborough, of Owen Sound, spent the past week with the latter's mother, Mrs. Falkingham.

Mr. H. W. Hunt was at Harrison Tuesday of last week.

Miss D. Hopkins, of Hutton Hill, spent a day or so with her sister, Mrs. C. Mighton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills, of Durham, spent Sunday at the old homestead.

Miss Martha Torry, Durham, is spending her holidays in this vicinity.

Mrs. Mighton, Sr. spent a few days with her son, Mr. Thomas Mighton, Hutton Hill.

Mr. E. Armstrong and children visited the Coult's family on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kennedy, of Allan Park, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Donnelly.

A Garden Party will be held at Vickers on Friday evening, August 16th, on the grounds of Mr. T. H. Lawrence. A good program, consisting of address, instrumental selections, etc., is being provided. A chief feature of the evening is a football match between the Hampden and Allan Park teams. Admission 10c. Lunch and other refreshments extra. Everybody welcome.

Assignee's Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of The Farmers' Manufacturing & Supply Company, Limited, of the Town of Durham, in the County of Grey, Insolvents.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said Farmers' Manufacturing and Supply Company, Limited, carrying on business as Manufacturers of Cream Separators, and dealers in Farmers' supplies at the said Town of Durham, in the County of Grey, have made an assignment under R. S. O. 1897, chapter 147, of all their estate credits and effects, to Arthur H. Jackson, of the Town of Durham in the County of Grey, for the general benefit of their Creditors.

A meeting of Creditors will be held at the Company's Office, in the Town of Durham in the County of Grey, on Friday the 16th day of August, 1907, at the hour of 1:50 o'clock in the Afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, appoint inspectors, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally. Creditors are requested to file their claims with the Assignee, with proofs and particulars as required by the said Act, on or before the day of such meeting.

And notice is further given that after the 16th day of August, 1907, the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have had notice.

ARTHUR H. JACKSON, Durham, Ont., Assignee, LUCAS, WRIGHT & MCARDLE, Solicitors for the Assignee.
 Dated at Durham this 14th day of August, 1907.

Top Cliff.

We saw in last week's Chronicle a request by the editor for correspondents to send in their reports on crops of all kinds in their different localities. So to oblige the good editor and his many readers we will do our little share as well as possible without exaggerating in the least.

Top Cliff probably has the largest land owners in Glenelg with such successful farmers as A. McCuaig, A. Hooper, H. McKinnon & Sons, and a number of others farther west such as John Eckhardt, Scaleys, etc. A large percentage of crops have but inferior appearance but are making some improvements during the past week. Oats are now all out in head generally, and the reddish color shown on them is beginning to hide itself with the growth of straw and may yet be better than was expected a few weeks ago. Peas by all appearance are a first class crop, so is barley, spring wheat fairly good, fall wheat not much around here. Abram Hooper has a fairly good crop, which is all we know in this vicinity. Smellie and Dan McInnis have also good patches. Hay in some places never was better and in other places quite the reverse. Just depends on the cultivation and richness of the soil. Cannot expect a good crop off a field cropped for 50 years without the least nourishment during that time. Taking it on an average there is a fair crop of hay, and would venture to say that some have far more than last year. Potatoes have a good appearance, and if proper care is taken in time to give the bugs a dose that will despatch them in quick order, a good crop may be the result (frost and rot excepted). Turnips look well, and if the hoe is kept going once more there was never a better promise of a good crop. Corn good, but we don't see much of it around here. Flax good. Thistles too good in some places. Mustard and daisies are a sure crop, also, on some farms. We were shown some stalks of grass, grown on the farm of Mr. Wm. Mather, south of Priceville, by John McArthur, Esq., Merchant, of the town of Priceville, who measured it correctly, being 5 ft. 6 inches. Who says there is no hay this year. We had a little rain on Friday of last week but did not amount to much. Barley will be ready to cut in some instances in a few days.

Old Mr. Hannam, from Swinton Park, passed our residence Sunday before we had breakfast after coming 7 miles and 7 more to go before he got to Pomona church. Mr. Hannam is one of the faithful members who is always in attendance sunshine or rain.

We congratulate Mr. Henry Hooper for being the recipient of a life partner lately in the person of Miss Liness, of Artemesia. Mr. Hooper wisely fulfilled the command that it was not good for man to be alone. So we wish the newly wedded couple much happiness in their comfortable home west of this place. It's a pity that a number of others similarly affected wouldn't go and do likewise, bachelors especially, who toil from daylight till dark plodding along trying to be housekeepers and farmers at the same time, and both badly neglected. When God created man he provided him with a helpmate, also, but man often deviates from the rules and command set down for him to follow in this and other important matters.

Railroading is progressing well. The bridge in Priceville will be completed in a few days and the big hill on Colin McLean's is coming to a grade fast. The steam shovel is at work on Tom Nichol's and will soon be done there, and we understand it is then to be moved down to Martin Stonehouse's. It was a hard matter to get teams during the past couple of weeks on account of people being busy at the hay. The Company bought some 8 or 10 teams of their own and have them at work east of Priceville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McKechnie, of North Dakota, is visiting his brother Mr. John McKechnie, D. Road, Glenelg, and other friends. Mr. McKechnie was an old Durham Road boy.

Mr. John Storer visited at his uncle's, Mr. John Nichol's, west of Priceville, lately.
 Rev. and Mrs. Matheson and family

The sidewalks in Priceville are made in a safer condition lately by placing new planks in place of broken ones. Thanks to Police Trustees for the job.

Piper Hector McDonnell bought a new suit of kilts lately. He is a fine specimen of the High and race in kilts.

Willie Smellie is improving, but slowly. He has now been bedfast for five months.

Professor Konold is always away teaching music, although he is not so young as he was forty years ago. He is yet strong and vigorous and can work in the hay field if necessary. We were going to say as well as ever, but hardly.

of Priceville, are holidaying in Muskoka for a few weeks.

We are sorry to notice that Miss Jennie James, of Priceville, is not improving any. She has now been confined to her bed for two years. Although suffering she bears her illness with christian cheerfulness.

Some people are afraid to go on the roads with horse and buggy for fear of meeting an automobile. We saw a bachelor, whose conveyance is not a top buggy, taking back roads for fear of meeting one of these big rigs, while on his way to town for a supply of the next week's necessities. Wouldn't it be better to get a woman and a good supply of flour than to be risking to meet danger every Saturday afternoon going for bread, etc.

A Rev. Mr. Sinclair preached in the Presbyterian church, Priceville, last Sunday. He preached there one Sunday 30 years ago. He is now an old man of some 74 years.

Edge Hill.

Mrs. C. Williams is home after spending a couple of weeks with friends in Toronto and Hamilton.

Misses Belle Dixon and Belle Weir, of Dromore, visited friends in this neighborhood last week.

Master Petrie Moffat, of Greenoch, is spending part of his holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. Robt. Ector.

Miss Lydia Gadd, of Varney, was the guest of her friend, Mrs. W. J. Ritchie, several days last week.

Mr. Harry Williams has the masons at work venering his house this week.

Miss Annie Staples returned to her dressmaking duties in Markdale last week after two weeks' holiday at home.

Quite a number from this part attended the I. O. F. picnic on Thursday.

The fall wheat harvest is pretty well over now. It is an excellent crop this year.

Miss Hall, of Owen Sound, was visiting at Mr. Dan Greenwood's recently.

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