

**A HANDY  
POCKET TREAT**

**SWEEENS THE BREATH!**

**FIVE CROOKED CHAIRS**

By FAREMAN WELLS

**SYNOPSIS**

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**ADAM PLANS AN ATTACK**

After Adam had made his statement, he found there was just time to get to the Technical College before Professor Starling would have left. If everything had been all right he would have been at work on his valve tonight. He was working out in his mind a scheme for an attack on Mr. Corville Perkin, and in that scheme he was proposing to make use of the mysterious powers of the valve.

The Professor received him kindly. He was aware of the trouble in which he had been involved by the loss of a young girl from a picnic party at Penny Moor, and from what he had observed of Adam lately he had been able to make a good guess as to the significance that loss was likely to have for his inventive pupil. "Afraid you're too late to do any good tonight, Meriston," he greeted him half-humorously. "You look as if you'd been having a worrying time, my boy."

"I came to get the circuit. I want to make an important experiment with it tomorrow."

The Professor pursed his lips. It was evident he did not like the idea of the circuit going out of his control, or else it was that he considered himself to be in charge of the

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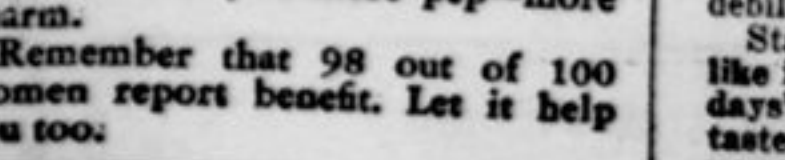
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**A Word Of Praise**

I wonder why we are so prone to censure and to blame? Can't we forget the faults, and seek for virtue and acclaim? I wonder why we always see the flaws and faults alone? Are there no virtues there? And are the faults worse than our own? O, let us give a word of praise to those who daily plod; That word may be the ray of hope that lights a soul to God.

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**Canada's Well Fed**

Canada certainly does not starve its people if we may judge by its recorded consumption. In 1933 we ate, per capita, 126.90 pounds of meat, 10.68 pounds of poultry, 30.4 pounds of butter, 8.30 pounds of cheese and 257 eggs. The meat bill was as follows: pork, 74.58 lbs.; beef, 56.09 pounds; and mutton and lamb, 6.32 pounds.

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**TEA-DRINKERS OF THE EMPIRE CELEBRATE**

Writing in the Manchester Guardian Commercial's special issue in celebration of the Empire Tea Centenary, Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, says:

"A hundred years ago the Indian tea industry was founded; today it is the largest organized industry in the country, providing employment for nearly a million workers, and among the producing countries of the world ranks highest. We here in Great Britain consumed more than the rest of the world put together and tea-drinking—at once a solace and an inspiration—has become part of our national life to an extent not always realized."

It is well known what the national drink of Scotland is, or at all events what it was before there was imposed on it a tax of 72 shillings sixpence (\$17.50) per gallon. The national drink of England is well recognized, too, despite the "savagery"—according to general complaint—tax upon it. But the great drink of the United Kingdom is, without question, tea. It is the daily household beverage.

Before the year 1934 China supplied the world with tea, and it was in China that tea had its origin. Now there are tea and tea. We have Ceylon tea, Indian tea, Java tea and China tea. The more scientific methods adopted in Ceylon and India in preparing tea for marketing gradually reduced the China tea trade. Today, however, more pains are being taken in China and the response is a better demand for her tea. Certainly, if China had given the world nothing else, we should owe her gratitude for her tea.

There is a ritual of tea-drinking in China, as there has been for thousands of years about every detail in the taking of nourishment, though the foreigner never learns more of it than to touch the cup till the business of the interview is ended.

Drinking tea is a fine art in China. The late Lord Li Ching-fong, when minister in London 25 years ago, objected to the custom of putting the saucer under the cup, whereas the Chinese put it on top. In China tea leaves and beverage are served together in a little bowl, into the top of which the saucer fits. Gripping the bowl with thumb and outer fingers, with the middle and first finger you adjust the saucer to hold back the leaves as the liquid flows out.

Brick-tea is made mostly for Russian and Mongolian consumption. The leaves are damped and compressed into blocks about ten inches square to one inch thick. Hard as a stone and almost indestructible, they travel all over Asia on a camel; when you want a glass of tea, you chip off a bit with a knife, as the old-time traveller in China, cuts bits from his silver "shoe" to weigh against purchases.

Tea was known 3,000 years B.C., and though by the thirteenth century it was a universal drink in China it was not until nearly 400 years later that Europe began to hear of tea through the Portuguese and the Dutch. The first Englishman to mention tea was a Mr. Wickham in 1615. He wrote from Japan to a friend asking for three silver porringers in which to drink tea.

Tea was first sold publicly in England in 1657. It fetched from fifteen to fifty shillings a pound in the leaf. It was also sold in liquid form, made, so the vendor said, according to the directions of the most knowing merchants and travellers in the East.

In 1711 the "Spectator" recommended all well-regulated families who set apart every morning an hour for tea, to order the newspaper to be punctually served up and to be looked upon as part of the tea equipage.

There were, however, organized efforts against the growing custom of tea drinking. The most political adroit of all the objections of that period was that raised by Duncan Forbes, Lord President of the Scottish Court of Sessions. He argued that tea drinking reduced beer drinking and so diminished the yield from malt duty. The deterrent measure he demanded were finally defeated after a lengthy debate.

One item from the Forbes scheme reads as follows: "The excessive use of tea is now becoming so common that the meanest families, even the laboring people, particularly in burghs, make their morning meal of it. The same drug supplies the laboring women with their afternoon's entertainment, to the exclusion of the twopenny."

But 1839 was a date never to be forgotten in the history of the British Empire for it was the year in which Empire-grown tea was first sold in England. Now the British Empire not only produces tea which at its best is the finest in the world, but in less than 100 years has become the tea garden of the world.—J. H. in Ottawa Journal.



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