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George Bernard Shaw is one of the most thoroughly exploited men of the day, and it is a reflection on one's capacity for keeping up with the times not to know something of him. One of the most interesting things about him is the method by which he has achieved so great notoriety in so short a time.

Of course there are various well-authenticated ways of doing it. Homicide and the long and elaborate intermezzo between the act itself and administration of retributive justice afford a certain and rather popular means of securing publicity. Suicide is equally potent, but it has one capital drawback—he who is successful in this is deluged from the full enjoyment of the sensation. Happily for the born egotist, there are abundant other less extreme resources. If he is clever enough, he can pretty likely find a vehicle suitable to his purpose.



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Shaw has found that medium. By means of it he has attracted the attention of the English speaking world. There are those who believe him to be the nearest approach to genius of the time. There are others, plenty of them, who regard him as an arrant charlatan. Fortunately for Mr. Shaw both views are valuable, and almost equally so, in obtaining for him that which he seeks so palpably. Egotism has an unpleasant sound, but it really isn't so always. It is only intolerable in the ignorant and vulgar. In the hands of the capable and clever it may be made thoroughly enjoyable and even profitable. The egotism of George Bernard Shaw is transcendent and all pervading, but it is never commonplace. It is the inspiration of a man possessed of a surfeit of cleverness and an unquenchable desire to exploit it.

A few years ago, when Mr. Shaw was just beginning to attract attention, it occurred to him that it would be a novel thing to define himself precisely as if the word "Shaw" were a common noun in its correct alphabetical position in the dictionary. This was the outcome. "A bachelor, an Irishman, a vegetarian, an atheist, a teetotaler, a fanatic, a humorist, a fluent talker, a social democrat, a lecturer and debater, a lover of music, a fierce opponent of the present status of women and an insister on the serious in art."

It might have been a good definition for Shaw as he understood himself at the time, but it would be wide of the mark at present. It would have to be expanded in some directions and curtailed in others. Since then he has become a Benedict, a successful playwright and a man of affairs, the victim of a bank account, as he asserts humorously.

Shaw was born in Dublin 50 years ago. He does not seem inclined to speak of his early life except to deny almost everything that has been said of it by others. He admits that he made up his mind at a very early age to earn his living by the pen and that nine years' effort brought him about \$30, most of it a prize for a talent medicine advertisement. At the age of 20 he concluded that stagnation in London was no more to be dreaded than the same fate at home and was likely to be less monotonous, so he migrated to English soil, his combined resources consisting of a "fitch" for scribbling, without street address, and a capacity for delirium that would have been a delight to Francis d'Assisi.

He was at the time the author of no less than five novels, none of which had ever seen the light. He took a humble lodging, his Irish plausibility enabling him to secure a week's credit, and proceeded to let loose the "torrent of ideas" that was seething within. Armed with a pocketful of sketches, he made a tour of the newspaper offices, without lodging a sheet. At one of them, however, he was given to understand that his work would receive consideration if the conditions were fulfilled.

The young Irishman took the hint and after making a study of the "policy" of the paper submitted another batch of sketches. One of them was accepted, and the overjoyed author was the richer by a crown. It was the entering wedge, and it gave him a foothold. In the course of time he found favor in other literary quarters and established a "connection" which, precarious as it was, was made living a possibility to one of his abstemious habits.

Even at this early period of his career he was an ardent vegetarian and had begun to indulge in little affectations that served to mark him as an "original" in matters of dress. That any man should have been so "original" in matters of dress is a reflection on the taste of the day.

Venice is built on 115 small islands, connected by 378 bridges. Amsterdam on nearly 100 islands, connected by 280 bridges. Copenhagen on 26 islands joined by 270 bridges. And one good turn is usually followed by two bad ones—in a variety of shows.

garment was fashioned in the prevailing style was sufficient to obtain his condemnation for it. Shagreen lined and polished boots were as obnoxious to him as is the chimney pot hat in Whitechapel. He went about in the garb of a workman out of employment, wearing coarse, stained shirt with wide, rolling collars and a slouch hat that overtopped a bushy head of hair and a lean face decorated with red whiskers.

Such was George Bernard Shaw in those early days. There was, perhaps, not another man in London who could flourish on so small a capital. His physical requirements were so few that they occasioned him no worry, and all of his effort could be directed toward the business of making himself known. He was modestly well out any of the trivial vices of men of his kind—tobacco, he maintained, was Satan's most potent ally, and the use of flesh was distinctly cannibalistic.

He was an extreme Socialist. That enabled him to mount a box in Hyde Park on Sundays and holidays and would be considered a certain amount of popularity, no doubt, but it was not because of his unassuming appearance and his extravagant language attracted considerable attention, and the more the better—for George Bernard Shaw. He thus became an easy speaker and later on began to deliver lectures on a variety of subjects whenever and wherever he could secure a hearing. This was his life for 22 years. At the end of that period he really had little to show for all his effort. He had achieved a certain amount of popularity, no doubt, but it was of the kind that is least of all satisfying to its owner. He had created a market for his literary wares, and had become the mouthpiece of those who make it their crowning virtue to decry modern ways of doing. His apostolate was not of his own choosing, but was imposed on him by all classes who see no merit in things as they exist. Himself a man of wit and creative talent, he must have despised the puny logic of those who professed to be his disciples.

At the age of 42, and for the first time on record, Shaw lapsed into conventional and was legally seconded to a woman who knew him and his ways and was prepared to cope with them. He had spent 20 years of his life in inveighing against matrimony as it is practiced by civilized mankind, and the news of his Darby and Joan marriage came like a shock to those who had enrolled themselves as his followers. Direct consequences were predicted, but they have not come. On the contrary, there is every indication that marriage has done great things for the eccentric. His literary output has not become markedly less erratic, but its market value has expanded immensely.

The Shaws live at the top of a big old-fashioned house which stands only a few hundred yards from the bustling Strand. The building dates back to the French revolution, and there is nothing modern looking about its exterior.

Mrs. Shaw is a pleasant-faced matron, with a constant and highly specialized knack of hearing the burden of the conversation when her husband is present. Shaw himself is a tall, thin man, straight in body and quick of movement. He wears a red beard, straggling and flecked with white and has big and very white teeth, which are quite prominent. He is no longer conspicuously unconventional in his attire, but still retains certain peculiarities of dress.

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versity of Toronto and Osgoode Hall. He began the practice of law in Toronto in 1880, having first studied in Stratford with the present Mr. Justice Jindling. In 1886 he joined in the rush to Rossland, and cast his lot with other professional men who made the Golden City their business headquarters. Since then Rossland has experienced many vicissitudes, but Mr. Macdonald has remained with loyalty and success. In 1903 he was elected to the British Columbia Legislature for Rossland, and at the caucus which followed he was chosen Liberal leader for the Province. Such an early recognition indicates talent of a high order. Mr. Macdonald is a man of quiet disposition, who generally prefers to listen rather than to entertain. He is, however, possessed of eminent legal skill, and his speeches in the Legislature have been marked by strength.

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