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# IN A FOUR-WHEELER CANADIAN GIRL WRITES OF OLD LONDON.

Especially Realistic is Her Description of Ride Through Streets of Metropolis.  
A Canadian girl traveling in England writes of Old London in a style that is very readable. Especially realistic is her description of a ride through streets of the metropolis in a four-wheeler.  
"The wonderful process," as she terms it, "of threading in and out among the streams of traffic gives one plenty of opportunities to become accustomed to the fact of being actually in the Metropolis. A four-wheeler is a comparatively slow vehicle, and we are often passed by other conveyances; the motor cars roar by, leaving a puff of dust and reminiscence of gasoline and oil; a coster boy with his barrow cuts out—it seems—from under our very wheels, and disappears again (apparently), under other wheels. A graceful touring-car glides past in time to pass the cross-Ingouphure before the traffic is suspended for the moment. A hansom attempts to dash across in the wake of the motor, and at the warning gesture of the guardian of the peace, the horse is checked, and on its haunches, while, under the protecting authority of that autocrat of the street-corner, the party of waiting pedestrians sallies boldly forth to cross the street."  
"How does a Canadian act, as a rule, when he is in London?"  
"Does he walk as though the streets belonged to him, and feeling that he is a part of the order of things, or does he walk with the air of one absolutely overawed and feeling himself a stranger?"  
"I should like to know if there is any prescribed line of action and feeling laid down for the Canadian in London. This is my fourth visit, and I fancy that the general atmosphere is more favorable towards Canada; it may be only an impression, but still it is there. English people know the difference between the United States and Canada. That I assure you, that when I was in England two years ago, I found nothing so annoying as the wear on carpets, etc., and 'tis a dialogue as follows:  
"This is your first visit to England, Miss X—?"  
"Yes."  
"Everything here must seem very odd and conventional to an American, don't you think so?"  
"But I am not an American—I am a Canadian."  
"Oh, but that's quite the same, isn't it?"  
"But that is not all; a boy in the fifth form at Rugby asked me if Niagara Falls were on the Hudson River. Some one else asked me if Yellowstone National Park was near where I lived in Canada, and if the weather was ever warm enough for us to leave off wearing fur coats."  
"I had no end of fun with these questioners of mine, and told them that we passed over the border in the morning without seeing an Indian—a red Indian in full war paint—looking as us from behind a birch tree; moreover, that the wolves generally howled around the house all night, and so on until I had them quite excited."  
"If I had the extreme pleasure of meeting the British press party which toured Canada this summer under the auspices of the Canadian Railway Co., and feel that their visit to the Dominion has been the veritable forging of another and yet stronger link between Canada and the Mother Country."  
"The greatness of Canada has been appreciated by these writers to such an extent that the articles which have been appearing since their arrival—both in Canada and England—resulting from the point of view expressed by a thoroughly intelligent and representative Englishman, refined and matured by the traditions of his own land, yet possessing that knowledge and enthusiasm which renders them appreciative of the attainable possibilities of a powerful country. Four articles of Mr. A. J. Dawson, of The Standard, appeared in The Standard early in October, are about the most comprehensive descriptions of the power and possibilities of the Dominion which you could ever wish to read. They would convince the most skeptical."  
**WED IN MID-STREAM.**  
Cowboy Elope by Moonlight With His Indian Bride.  
An elopement and marriage on horseback in the middle of the Red River, directly followed by a gunshot from an ambush which wounded the bridegroom, was the experience of Joseph Anse, a Texas ranger and Miss Annie Buntz, a Choctaw Indian girl. The bullet shattered Anse's left arm on his six months' Indian maidenhood followed the objection of her father to the marriage. Anse did not want her to marry outside of her own race. Anse and the girl fled on horseback in the moonlight. A minister and Kimita river, performed the ceremony in mid-stream. The party wheeled their horses to continue on their way when a rifle shot rang out, and a bullet passed past Anse's arm, the rifle was fired from the woods on the river bank.  
Quick as a flash the ranger whipped his revolver from its holster and fired into the woods near the spot where the flash was seen. Fearful lest the would-be assassin might be one of her tribesmen, the bride took one of her husband's horse until he got at her husband's horse until he consented to see from the spot on the gallop.  
The bridal party galloped to the nearest village, where Anse received surgical attention.

# WILL REPRESENT THE KING.

Prince Arthur of Connaught Will Attend Champlain Celebrations.  
Prince Arthur, only son of the Duke of Connaught, accompanied by an imposing suite, will represent His uncle, King Edward, at the celebration next year of the centennial anniversary of the founding of Quebec in 1608 by Samuel de Champlain, who bestowed upon it its present name. All the members of the effect that they King and Queen or the Prince and Princess of Wales would visit the Dominion next year are therefore set at rest. It was originally intended that the Duke of Connaught should represent the King, but his appointment as Lord High Commissioner of the British possessions in the Mediterranean and the East Indies, and the possibility of a crisis on the banks of the Nile within the next year, render it impossible for him, to cross the Atlantic. It is therefore the intention of the King that the ceremonies at Quebec, Prince Arthur should spend several weeks in an extended tour through the western Canada, which is yet terra incognita to the members of the reigning house.  
Prince Arthur, though relatively young in years, is blessed with an abundance of such, coupled with a pleasant, modest, unaffected manner, and thus far has succeeded in making friends for himself and for the royal family, whether he has been either at home or abroad. In England he is particularly popular, by reason of the knowledge that he is a member of the German throne of Saxony-Gotha in order to remain an Englishman, preferring the position and life of a British prince of the blood to that of a German prince. Moreover, his name has been invested with a certain amount of romance in consequence of the widespread belief that there are dynamic elements in the character of the very pretty girl, the daughter of a peer, with whom his name has been connected.  
It is doubtful whether King Edward will again ever be seen on this side of the Atlantic. Any visit to Canada would necessitate similar expeditions to Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, India and other dependencies, in order to avoid colonial jealousy and ill-feeling, added to which, Edward VII. has arrived at a time of his life, important not only for himself personally, but likewise to the state that he should husband his strength and avoid unnecessary fatigue.

# INDIANS WERE EMERALGERS.

Cave in Brierie Island, B.C., Contains Remains of Ancient Chiefs.  
The Dominion Government has just had its attention officially called to the fact that the Indians of bygone years on the northern coast of British Columbia were possessed of some kind of art of embalming human remains. The results of an investigation just made form a very curious story.  
The Federal Department of Marine, recently established a lighthouse at the harbor of Port Simpson, 400 miles north of Vancouver. The Government ordered a reserve of a thousand acres, the site of the lighthouse and farm. Then came a loud and angry complaint from the Indians. The Government's reserve had been included a cave in which had been buried since time immemorial their chiefs and sub-chiefs. They were given back to the lands of the tribe. And they wanted immediate action.  
Their letter was written in such a decided manner that Capt. Walbran, of the Government marine service at Victoria, was immediately despatched to make a re-survey and give the land back to the Indians. He returned to Vancouver by the steamer Camosun, having carried out the wish of the natives. He visited the entrance found that it was filled to the ground with others were in postures of sitting or standing or lying on the ground or stacked in tiers along the sides of the cave. The place was so well-filled that the official was unable to enter. He had been told that the Indians told him that no burials had been made in the cave for hundreds of years. All around the mouth of the cave were large deposits of a fine white powder, which reminded Capt. Walbran of a guano field on an island in the south seas. The powder, which is the remains of the birds which have kept the bodies from decaying, and has assisted their turning into stones.

# BARMAIDS ARE TO STAY.

Home Secretary Says to Abolish Them Would Result in Disaster.  
The British barmaid is safe. At least she will not be legislated out of existence by the present Liberal Government. Home Secretary Gladstone was contemplating the inclusion of a clause in his forthcoming bill, that to the reform of the employment of girls and women in bars illegal.  
A deputaion accordingly waited upon the Home Secretary to urge the purpose of abolishing them, that such legislation would inflict great harm upon a large and generally deserving class of women, and that barmaids, and better looked after than women of any other class followed by Englishwomen.  
Mr. Gladstone in reply, said the Government would check, diminish, or put an end to the employment of women behind the bar might have an immediate result far more disastrous than any mischief accruing from the present system.  
"I have lived in this world half a century," he added, "and I have not seen a teetotaler and I certainly had my fair share of experience of the conditions of employment in licensed premises at one time of my life—I am an expert on the subject. Speaking of these earlier days, I may say there were few queer holes or dark corners in London that I did not explore."  
"Indeed, I may go so far as to say that in the search for truth—as I hope it was—and of legitimate knowledge, I was brought to a knowledge of conditions which are perhaps hidden from those whom I have the honor to address. I do not wish to exaggerate anything, but I do think there are conditions in certain places which are morally, physically, and economically bad."  
The Times says that the reformers have not provided other employment for the hundreds of thousands of women behind bars. It asks: "Are they to compete for places in the tea shops? The teatroom girl is exposed to more temptation of a certain kind than the barmaid."

# Buy Coal in Britain.

A German syndicate has acquired 2,000 acres in the Kentish coal fields, and is arranging to start work at once between Dover and Canterbury. About twelve months ago some coal mining experts from Westphalia paid a visit to the Dover colliery works, and were very much struck with the similarity of the strata to those in some of the best German coal fields. A second visit was paid to Dover about six months ago, and since that time negotiations have been going on for the acquisition of part of the proved land between Dover and Canterbury.  
Experts were sent from Westphalia to make full enquiries on behalf of a syndicate of Berlin bankers and financiers. They returned to Berlin after completing enquiries, which were so satisfactory that a contract for the purchase of 2,000 acres was entered into.  
The site selected by the Germans will be the nearest pit to the coast. Dover the area being only about two miles inland.  
Among the coal seams proved at Dover is one of very valuable steam coal, to which, it is stated, the Germans attach great importance.

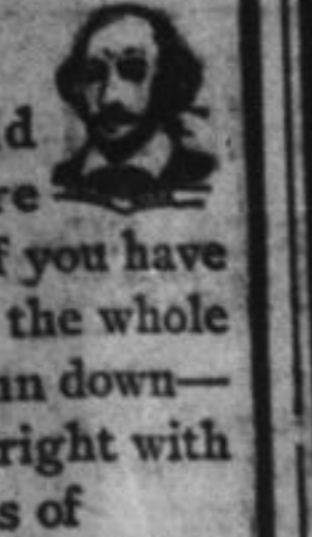
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Sacred Edifice Which Abounds With Historical Memories.  
The falling from the tower of Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, of the half-ton weight which supplies the motor power for the bells, owing to the snapping of the steel rope connecting it with the carillon, will recall an ancient mishap to this fabric.  
In 1589, during the vice-royalty of Sir Earl of Sussex, a near relative of Sir Philip Sydney, the celebrated soldier and scholar of the Elizabethan Court, the roof and part of the body of Christ Church fell, by which Strongbow's monument was injured. The stone monument was the building owing to the injuries thus sustained was procured from the quarry at Donnybrook, which is now filled with water, and the account furnished to the authorities for this stone and the receipt for its price are still preserved among the Cathedral archives. It is not, perhaps, generally known that Dublin is the only city with the exception of Salamanca, in which two cathedrals—Christ Church and St. Patrick's—which both belong to the Protestant Church are in the possession of one and the same religious communion. Christ Church abounds with historic memories. In O'Toole, the great Archbishop of Dublin, which is preserved in a casket. It was in olden times a favorite place for the meeting of the Irish Parliament, and in a Parliament held in this cathedral the exclusion of Catholics from the Irish Parliament was effected. In 1487 Lambert Simnel, the impostor who personated the Earl of Warwick, who was then a close prisoner in the Tower of London, was crowned in Christ Church by the Thomas, Earl of Kildare, the Lord De-Valence, and the Lord De-Valence, subsequently captured by Henry VIII, made a scullion in the King's kitchen, and eventually rose to the rank of a Catholic. It was in Christ Church that the services of the English Church Establishment. During the stay of James II. in Dublin, in 1689, Catholic services were held in Christ Church, and the altar, the candles, and the tabernacle then used are still preserved in the Cathedral. At a later period it was the pulpit of Christ Church Cathedral that the violation of the Treaty of Limerick was first recommended. Dr. Dopping the Protestant Bishop of Meath, preaching in Christ Church, openly advocated the violation of that treaty, on the ground that it was not obligatory to keep faith with Papists.

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