

Told in Twilight

There came this week from Miss Agnes Deans Cameron, the vice-president of the Canadian Women's Press Club, an autographed circular containing the appreciative press notices given her after her lecture in various Canadian and American cities. Miss Cameron took a journey of 10,000 miles from Chicago, beyond the becloning border right to the Arctic ocean. Six weeks in an open boat on the Peace river, up the Athabasca, across Great Slave Lake, and along the mighty Mackenzie, life among many tribes of Indians and Eskimo, are a few of the incidents of Miss Cameron's journey. People who know her speak of her soft voice, her ready wit, her mental poise, and her photograph shows a woman also, of great kindness, so all in all, Canada has reason to be very proud of this newspaper woman, who is to speak at the Women's Canadian Club meeting, in Toronto, on April 21st. Miss Cameron has brought back with her many trophies and photographs, among the latter rare pictures of roses and golden rod, growing within the Arctic circle.

There was a very pleasant, withal a regretful gathering, in the ladies' parlor, of St. Andrew's church, on Friday night, Col. Frank Strange, whose sweet tenor voice, has for so long been one of the greatest attractions of the choir, was the cause of the meeting, which was made up of the members of the choir and the musical committee of the church. Rev. Dr. Mackie was present, and made a graceful speech, and Mr. John McIntyre, whose remarks are always happy, spoke eulogistically of Colonel Strange, and of all that had been in the church. Dr. James Third then came forward to do his part, and this was to make an address of presentation. With the address went an exceedingly handsome cut glass water jug, in the shape of a large star and half a dozen tumblers, also of beautiful pattern. These were the joint gift of the choir and the musical committee. Afterwards there was a delicious little supper, when Col. Strange spoke appreciatively of the gift, and voiced his regret at leaving the society of his birth and the church of his youth.

Last evening Principal Gordon gave a dinner to the members of the hockey team of Queen's university, who so recently have won the championship, to the local team and to the successful winners in the debating contest. Several professors invited, and the evening was a most delightful one. Short pleasant speeches were given by Principal Gordon, professors and men, interspersed with college songs, which led to a most delightful evening was over. The tables looked most artistic in arrangement with the college colors, red carnations and red candle shades. The trophies, on their ebony mountings, also adding beauty, were in bright and shining evidence in spite of the soft light of the room.

Miss Milly Ferris, "Willow Cottage," gave a tin shower for Miss Mildred Cooke on Thursday, when many simple but highly useful gifts were made to the coming bride. Mrs. Edward Fortt made the tea. Mrs. Herbert Horsey, cutting ices. Some of the girls present were: Miss Constance Cooke, Miss Daisy and Miss Edith Ferguson, Miss Lillian Kent, Miss Frances Hoan, Miss Madelon Carter, Miss Kathleen O'Hara, and Miss Anna Leslie.

The luncheon and shower at the Country Club, on Thursday, for Miss Mildred Cooke, was very jolly indeed. Just at the end of lunch Willie, the factotum of the club, brought in a large bag, and when this was opened the bride-to-be forth some lovely things. Then the girls assembled raised their voices in "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow," and there were short speeches, and it was as merry as possible.

The luncheon for twelve of the competitors in the bridge tournament came off at the Country Club, yesterday. Among the players were Mrs. T. D. R. Hemming, Mrs. J. B. Carruthers, Mrs. D. D. Young, Mrs. Jas. Gildersleeve, Mrs. James Cannon, Mrs. Walter Maoney, Mrs. Percy Stevenson, Miss Lois Saunders, Miss Hora, and Miss Bessie Gordon.

Mrs. A. Meyer, University avenue, will entertain at tea next Monday, and this will probably be the last hospitable for some time on any rate. Mrs. Meyer will give up her house, shortly, will board for a time, and then, thinks of going to South Africa.

Mrs. and Mrs. Francis Maoney are now the fortunate possessors of "St. Lawrence Cottage," with its outlook over Lake Ontario, its old-fashioned rooms, and its chief glory, the big fire place in the dining-room, which can hold a Yule log of ancient proportions and genial, welcoming warmth.

Mrs. Hugh Fraser, King street, who

has been marking Fridays lately, by asking a few of her own and Mrs. Cameron's friends, to come for a cup of tea, gathered a congenial little coterie, yesterday, and the hour or so was very much enjoyed.

Mrs. Henry Wilkinson will be in town for the birthday of her father, Mr. R. J. McKelvey, which will be celebrated next week, and will pay her niece, Miss Bessie Smythe, West street, a visit before going back to Montreal.

Miss Maud Betts, Beverley street, will be home from Brockville, on Monday, and after being in town two or three weeks, will return again to her sister, Mrs. Ogilvie Dobbs, Brockville.

Mrs. A. P. Knight, Alice street, will entertain at a girls' tea, on Monday, in honor of Miss Mildred Cooke. The guests will be a few of the greatest friends of the bride-elect.

There is a rumor of another Radmond tournament at the Armouries, before the season closes, but nothing has been definitely settled yet.

A few of the girls have been invited by Mrs. Hugh Fraser to have tea with her granddaughter, Miss Madge Taylor, this afternoon.

There have been two or three quiet little bridges, lately, but their smallness and informality exempts from a more extended account.

Colonel and Mrs. Taylor gave a dinner party, last night, in honor of the board of visitors to the Royal Military College.

The junior bridge club will meet at Mrs. W. B. Gordon's, King street, on Monday night.

Mrs. James Cappon, Barrie street, will give a bridge party on Tuesday.

Miss Katie Marsh, of Quebec, left on Tuesday for Toronto, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Hiram Calvin, King street.

Mrs. William Hart, Sydenham street, has gone up to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson, with Miss Letta and Miss Vera, will leave Kingston, next Wednesday, March 31st, sailing on Saturday, April 3rd. They will be fortunate enough to be in England for the pageant of pagents, that of York, which is to picture the history of England's church from the first century to today.

Mrs. Henry Cunningham, Earl street, is in Toronto.

Miss Edith Macpherson will stay in town till after the assault-at-arms at the R.M.C.

Mrs. E. A. Marvin will return to Syracuse, N.Y., on Tuesday, probably. Much real regret was felt, yesterday, when it was heard that Mrs. Norton-Taylor, Wellington street, had fallen, and bruised herself very severely. Her many friends will be glad to hear that the accident was happily not really serious.

Miss Gertrude Strange, King street, came home from Toronto today.

Mrs. R. T. Walker, who is on her way from the east to Vancouver, is now staying with Mrs. Claxton, Lower Union street.

Colonel Frank Strange will go down to Ottawa, next month, but Mrs. Strange hopes to be able to remain in Kingston till October.

Mrs. Alexander Laird, Johnson street, is going up to Toronto next week to attend the meeting of the W.H.M.S. and so will not be able to receive next Tuesday.

Miss Marie Carruthers, "Annandale," came home, on Thursday, from the eastern provinces.

Hon. J. E. Wilbur, American consul-general of Halifax, N.S., will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis, Sydenham street, next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Elliott, Stuart street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Gertrude, to Mr. Ernest B. Wylie, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. The marriage will take place quietly on April 22nd.

HARDWARE MEN OBJECT

To Certain Amendment to Criminal Code.

Ottawa, March 27.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and H. B. McGivern, M.P., have been written to by Ottawa hardwaremen, protesting against the new bill respecting an amendment to the criminal code which will shortly be introduced into the House of Commons. The Ottawa Hardware Association may also take action similar to that of their Montreal brethren and petition against it.

Ottawa Collector Suspended.

Ottawa, March 27.—The collector of the district of Ottawa East in Quebec has been suspended. T. A. Poston, inspector for Quebec provincial revenue department, has been appointed to look after the district temporarily.

E. H. Armstrong has presented to the Nova Scotia legislature a petition containing 2,508 names, asking that fish and game be preserved for the benefit of the people; that all have a right to the streams and lakes and to be permitted to hunt over all uncultivated land.

STUDHOLME IS ANGRY SAID DOWNEY WAS "TOO GOL DARNED COCKY."

But He Said He Didn't Swear—The Hamilton Man Opposed to Increasing Railway Grant.

Hamilton, March 27.—Allan Studholme, M.P.P., is not under the collar today. He says most emphatically that he did not tell J. P. Downey, M.P.P., at the railway-committee meeting, yesterday, as reported, that he was "too cocky" so far as the generally accepted meaning of the significant dash is concerned. What Mr. Studholme says he said was that Mr. Downey was "too gol darned cocky." "I never swear," said Mr. Studholme today. "Those people want to increase the South-Western railway by \$8,000 a mile. I opposed it because they spend every dollar cent." "But you said you never swore!" "Oh, d—d is not swearing," said the labor member easily.

SHARPLY DIVIDED

In New South Wales Over British Navy Increase.

Sydney, N.S.W., March 27.—Public opinion here is sharply divided over the question of the British navy increase. Wildly enthusiastic demonstrations were held simultaneously last night at Sydney, Melbourne, Hobart and Perth. Resolutions were adopted urging that the payment be increased for a subsidy for the imperial navy and asking for subscriptions to defray the cost of presenting a battleship.

Mr. O'Sullivan, formerly cabinet minister at Sydney, declared Great Britain should terminate Germany's rivalry by once seizing the Kaiser's fleet. He said that the Germans were the most callous, sordid and selfish people in the world and declared that England should repeat Nelson's performance at Copenhagen.

The mayors of Brisbane and Adelaide refused to participate in the demonstrations by calling meetings and in their respective cities counter-meetings of labor parties were held to denounce what was termed patriotic hysteria.

Claiming that the commonwealth can best assist the motherland by relieving her of the responsibility of defending Australia in her present position, the federal government here looks with disfavor upon both the subsidy and the additional Dreadnought.

The premiers of five states support the subsidy plan without the Dreadnought, the Victorian premier alone favoring both, and declaring it to be his determination that his government shall present the battleship in behalf of the state of Victoria.

UNITED STATES AND CANADA.

Col. Sam Hughes Replies to Suggestion As to Annexation.

Boston, March 27.—"For some Hobson may be visionary; for me, he is prophetic," said Governor Aram J. Pothier, of Rhode Island, at the Canadian Club last night, in referring to the Alabama congressman's prediction of trouble with Japan.

"Canada and the United States," he said, "must unite in protecting their western shores from a common danger, real or problematical. They must ally themselves with the republics to the southward in the undertaking if they would be secure."

Col. Samuel Hughes, member of parliament for South Victoria, Ont., who followed Governor Pothier, said that the annexation of the United States and Canada would never come to pass. "Suppose," he asked, "Col. Hughes, that a Japanese or Chinese war with the United States, now a hypothesis, should become a reality, would the United States be stronger or weaker with Canada annexed or separate?"

With Canada in full partnership union with England and her colonies, the British empire would permit her western coast to become Oriental, nor would Australian and New Zealand shores be permitted to be so conquered. Thus the United States would be in independent alliance with Great Britain, be infinitely more powerful than were Canada annexed."

SETTLEMENT PENDING

Between Dominion Coal and Steel Companies.

Montreal, March 27.—Discussing the latest negotiations for the settlement of the Dominion Steel company dispute, an interest close to the steel company, today, stated that it was due to the demand of James Ross, proof claims made by the Steel people which it might not be easy for the company to submit at the moment, and which holds should be left to the referee who considers the dispute claims later. All the main points of the dispute had been settled and there was every appearance of a final settlement until noon, yesterday, when Mr. Ross sprang this new surprise on the Steel people. Unless the matter is fixed up today, a settlement may be delayed indefinitely, as Mr. Ross, who has been in poor health lately, is leaving for the south, and likely will be gone before Monday.

Reduction In Steel Wages.

Youngstown, Ohio, March 27.—Notices are posted in all the works here of the Republic Iron and Steel company, of a reduction in wages, effective April 1st. The reduction is believed to apply to all works of the company, including nine rolling mills, nine blast furnaces and one steel plant in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Alabama, and affecting about 12,000 men. The reduction is approximately ten per cent.

Wrote His Own Obituary.

New York, March 17.—After carefully preparing a long obituary notice, and handing it in at the office of the Herald for submission to the city editor, Amasa Chase, a son of the late Gen. Daniel Chase, and a cousin of Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the treasury under President Lincoln, stepped out into Broadway at Herald Square, yesterday, and shot himself in the heart. He died within a few minutes.

DEATH CAME TO BRIDE.

Sad Ending to Young Italian's Romance.

New York, March 27.—Bernard Travasero, of New York, had fallen in love with the photograph of Andrea Mentone's youngest daughter and the father had promised to bring her over from Italy when he had saved enough. The arrangements once made, Travasero was not the one to leave all the savings to the man he wished as father-in-law. He had a good position in a candy factory and each week the few dollars beyond his bare living expenses went to swell the little fund that Mentone had in charge.

Two months ago, Mentone went away to Italy and on the next steamer brought the girl. Travasero met them as they landed, and when he saw Marie his faith in the truthfulness of the photograph vanished, so much fairer was she than he had dreamed. He courted her and received every encouragement from her father. Finally he won her own consent and the arrangements for the wedding were made. To the young couple the most delightful part of the preparation was the selection and furnishing of a tiny three-room flat at No. 67 Carmine street.

They were married and friends and merry in the days that followed early last Thursday. When the guests went home Mentone and an older daughter remained to sleep in the kitchen and clear the house of rice and holiday debris.

The older daughter awoke about five o'clock, conscious of a strange dizziness. She smelled gas, and staggered to her feet, threw open the door of the bedroom. Her screams failed to arouse the two silent figures. When the police arrived it was found that the bride was dead. The bridegroom was revived with difficulty, and on learning the situation became temporarily insane. The body of Marie Travasero was dressed in the bridal gown.

JOB FOR IDEAL WOMAN.

Would Teach Girl How to Go About Everything.

Chicago, March 27.—Where is there a woman in the teaching profession who has executive ability and who knows in a practical way the art of house-keeping? How to take care of a kitchen? How to prepare to a nicey such foods as cereals, vegetables, soups, meats, breads, beverages, salads and desserts?

How to write expertly a bill of fare that shall be attractive as well as to furnish the right proportions of different food principles?

How to rid a house of insect and rodent pests and how to do expert house-cleaning?

How to make lace and launder clothes?

How to sew French seams, back stitch, half-back stitch, felt seams and checked and striped patches?

Wherever such a talented person may be, the board of education is looking for her. Several months ago the board created the office of supervisor of domestic science at a salary of \$3,000 a year. The position has been offered to at least three persons, it is said, two in Chicago and one outside, and all have refused to accept it, although the salary offered is larger than they already receive.

The board of district superintendents, which has been instructed with the apparently arduous task of filling the vacancy, is growing desperate, and as a last resort is planning to send District Superintendent Ella C. Sullivan and Principal Gertrude E. English, of the Farrer school, on a sabbatical leave to New York and other eastern cities.

GAZETTE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Commission to Enquire Into Western Fisheries.

Ottawa, March 27.—The Canada Gazette announces Edward Ernest Prince, of Ottawa, commissioner of fisheries and international commission of fisheries as Lawley Metcalf, of Winnipeg, barrister at law; and Daniel Fraser, of Selkirk, to be commissioners to enquire into and report upon the existing requirements and conditions of the fisheries in the province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Edward Ernest Prince is to be chairman of the said commission.

Arrivals of Steamships.

Montreal, March 27.—The Allan line Royal Mail Turbine steamer Victorian from Liverpool for Halifax, and St. John, arrived at 9:30 a.m. on the 26th of March, and sails this evening on the 29th March. The Allan line steamer Ionian, from Portland, Glasgow, via Halifax, arrived at Halifax at 12:15 p.m. on the 26th of March and anchored in mid-stream till gale moderates. The Allan line steamer Corinthian, from Glasgow, via Montreal and Halifax, arrived at Boston at 12:15 p.m., on the 26th of March.

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A RATE WAR LIKELY IN REGARD TO THE CARRYING OF GRAIN

Between Fort William and the Seaboard-Canadian Vessel Owners Will Have to Meet the United States Cut.

Winnipeg, March 27.—Local grain dealers are concerned over the prospects of a rate war in the carrying of grain between Port Arthur, Fort William and the Atlantic seaboard. It appears likely there will be a drop of fifteen to twenty per cent. in grain rates from Port Arthur to Montreal, at the opening of navigation occasioned by the cutting of rates by the United States carriers in an effort to keep the trade in United States channels, from which it has lately been slipping. This cut is to divert trade from Montreal back to the United States routes. To effect this Canadian vessel owners likely will cut their rates from Port Arthur and Fort William to Montreal. The carrying rates of last year averaged about six cents a bushel between the head of the lakes and Montreal. It is expected that in the early part of the summer rates will drop to five cents and possibly four and one-half cents.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Cobalt and Leading Canadian Stocks Listed.

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Cobalt Stocks.

March 27th.		
Sellers.	Buyers.	
Amalgamated.....	14	11
Beaver.....	11	11
Chambers-Ferland.....	83	83
Crown Resources.....	3.00	2.95
Cobalt Central.....	40	37
Cobalt Lake.....	17 1/2	16 1/2
Foster.....	35	31
Gifford.....	19	18
Green Moshan.....	15	13
La Rose.....	6.75	6.65
Little Nipissing.....	29 1/2	28
McKin. Dar. Savage.....	91	89
Nipissing.....	11.00	10.75
Ottis.....	51	49 1/2
Peterson Lake.....	25	24
Rochester.....	16 1/2	15 1/2
Silver Leaf.....	52	50
Nova Scotia.....	131	122
Silver Queen.....	48	43
Temiskaming.....	1.34	1.33
Trethewey.....	1.46	1.45 1/2
Watts.....	30	25

CANADIAN STOCKS.

Dom. Steel, Com.....

TEXAS PHYSICIAN MURDERED.

Brother Accused of Shooting and Stabbing Him to Death.

Dallas, Texas, March 27.—Offering no objection other than that he acted in self-defence, Roy H. Terry, of this city, surrendered at the county prison, in connection with the killing of his brother, Dr. Hugh F. Terry, a well-known physician, who was stabbed and shot to death in his apartment yesterday. The body showed a total of sixty-seven knife wounds besides six bullet wounds. Other than assertions by members of the family that the physician was subject to the use of drugs and the statement of the man under arrest, no details of the killing are ascertainable, but later warrants were sworn out for Paul, Robert and Cleveland Terry, other brothers of the dead physician. Friends of the dead man deny that he was a drug fiend.

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