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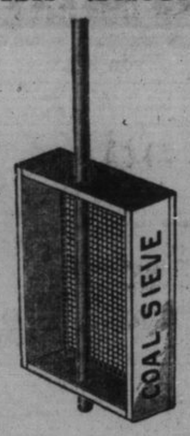

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EXCHANGE OF COURTESIES.

Have you read the poem, "The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue." It is mightily expressive, and was meant, according to the nephew of Mr. Watson, the poet, to expose the injury a certain woman has been doing in England by the injudicious use of her tongue. The poem was no sooner published than it made a sensation. It was at once felt to apply to some one and to be a severe rebuke of her slanders. The information now comes that she interfered in the pensioning by the government of a poet who was in need of assistance, and that as a result of her interference he died in great wretchedness. He was in a sense the victim of her poisonous gossip. She had no use for the poets and did not understand why the government should show them any favour. The question arises, why should the discharge of a public duty be influenced by a personality good or bad? If there is a fund out of which poetic talent is recognized and aided why should it not be administered upon its merits, as it is supposed to be? One may be innocent in so enquiring, in view of the fact that in England the women invade political life, that they possess a dominating power in society, and that the government which is supposed to be freer than any in the world of the pull of outsiders is susceptible to the operations of the women. They exercise their power in their own way, and they do it most effectually. The poet Watson has undertaken to check and unbraid one great offender, and he has done it so well that perhaps the last has been heard of the scandals of her particular kind. She has expressed her disregard of the poets, and they have returned the compliment.

WHAT IS HIS PROGRAMME?

Sir James Whitney presided at a temperance meeting, on Monday, in Toronto, and made an address. He wanted it to be distinctly understood that he was not afraid to express himself on the drink question. He thus put an end to the heresy that public men were not inclined to voice their sentiments upon the subject. He continued:

"I strongly believe it is the duty of every man, no matter what his position, to combat the drink evil, and I am prepared to join in any reasonable movement which has that end in view. I want to make one suggestion. I have watched for years the efforts in this country to reach that end, and have watched the effects, and I say in all earnestness, judging from what I have seen, that when the day shall come when the most extreme advocate of doing away with everything in the shape of liquor will be ready to join hands with one not so extreme, when that coalition can be brought about cheerfully and earnestly, you will make more progress than you ever dreamed of."

Sir James Whitney having gone so far might be coaxed to tell the people just what he means. A compromise is proposed between certain wings of the temperance party, the moderates and the immoderates are to be got together, there is to be a reconciliation of their conflicting opinion, but how is this to be effected?

Sir James says he has been observing for years; he has been meditating, and he has reached some conclusions. What are they? He esteems it a duty to lead in the elucidation of a great problem, and a timorous people await a further word of light or advice.

CONTRACT TO BE LIMITED.

The Light, Heat and Power committee had a session last evening, lasting until midnight, and as a result it was decided that the city council could not wisely or safely enter into a contract to supply power to the street railway for a longer period than three years at a rate of 1.20 per kilo-watt hour.

The reason was made apparent at a previous meeting, namely, that the present strain upon the plant is heavy, that some of the machinery is fast wearing out, and that in the course of a short time there will have to be renewals at considerable cost. New conditions will necessitate new arrangements.

The street railway company may be disappointed, but it will see the wisdom of accepting the situation as cheerfully as possible. Indeed, it is clear that the inevitable should be fairly faced—that the city is undertaking all it can be reasonably expected to do, that it is straining a point, as well as straining its machinery, to serve the railway, and that some of the machinery is fast burden which may be more than the city can carry.

Besides, the city should not seek any one-sided contract. It desires to be free to cancel its agreement in a year if it so desires, and the city should not be asked to enter into an iron-clad unbreakable contract for a period of five years.

A spirit of moderation should govern both sides, and if there is to be any agreement it should be reached as speedily as possible.

THE TIGER IS TRIUMPHANT.

Tammany Hall has again triumphed in the New York election, as it was expected to do, and Judge Gaynor is the mayor-elect. He is an able man, he has been independent, he has sacrified the political organization that nominated him, and he has accepted its favours, which is an inclination that he is willing to accept conditions that may be compromising.

Tammany Hall is a great institution. It is the most perfect thing of its kind. It recognizes each member as a part of a great machine which moves along certain lines, and with a power and force which seem to be resistless. Every member of the party must do as he is told. Blind obedience is essential to his comfort. He may have ideas of his own, but he does not act upon them. As soon as he shows any independence he is cast aside. His justification for submission may be summed up in the words of a well-known apologist, "Whatever I think my vote belongs to my party."

What can be expected from the ponderous, unyielding, unfeeling machine but that it will run the city for the good of the party and at a great waste of public money. Some of the people's contributions go into elections undoubtedly, else whence came the funds that were openly distributed on election day, or the day before it, each precinct leader calling at the wigwam for a last word of advice and his wad of bank bills. The plan is to win, some way, some how, at any cost, and in a city where evil is triumphant it is not hard for desperate or determined men to have their fling.

Tammany Hall did not win in the last election. There was a shameful manipulation of the ballot boxes—one the courts exposed later—and it is hoped there has not been a repetition of the crime.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mr. Mann, of Toronto, says the British Columbia railway policy is good. He means that it is good for him.

Now Judge Mabee is looked upon as a desirable person for the head of Toronto's law department. But wasn't he formerly a grit? Surely that would disqualify him!

When the minister of labour addresses the Canadian Club here it will be apparent why he has been given cabinet rank. It is no longer a crime to be young.

Sir James Whitney may be willing to abolish the bar. That is the inference which some people have been drawing from his late remarks on the drink habit.

Hon. Mr. King says he is willing to extend the Lemieux act, but that requests for it should come from the trades. That seems to be a reasonable proposition.

An Ottawa lady demands that James Robinson, the Sudbury brute who caused the wreck of his family and the sentence of his poor wife for murder, be lynched. The punishment would fit the crime.

The leader of the opposition can tolerate a good deal of nagging. But it is evident that he has had about enough of Bob Rogers' trouble. He should, metaphorically, box Bob's ears and send him home.

Money is getting dear again. What is the cause? The times are not hard—another depression is not setting in—and the situation is, therefore, remarkable. The Bank of England did not advance its rate for discount without a reason.

The McBride government is having the time of its life in the pending election. The people may be excused for balking on the railway deal when two ministers resign rather than endorse it. Dick McBride may have been too bumptious for once.

Mayor Hugo, of Watertown, has been re-elected, and will be congratulated by his many friends here. He is a former citizen, a graduate of Queen's, and a politician of character, and he is, apparently, on his way to the state assembly or congress. Success to him.

Mr. Lavergne, M.P.P., evidently wants to be arrested and put in jail so that he can have Asselin's experience and howl about something. He charges Mr. Turgeon, formerly attorney-general of Quebec, with malversation. He can prefer his indictment in the assembly, and, if he likes, he can imitate Asselin there—assault some one, and get locked up.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

Calling In The Doctor.

London Advertiser.

The Ontario Reform Association has called a convention for June, 1910. There will be a dominion conservative convention about the same time. Both calling in the doctor.

Cook Is The Hero.

Toronto Star.

Cook has accepted an invitation to address the Canadian Club of New York. Peary has declined the invitation. It looks as though Cook has cinched Canadian sympathy.

College Rowdies.

Toronto News.

Toronto University is suffering from impure blood. Epsom salts is an old fashioned remedy, but the disease is too deep for such mild treatment. Leeches or phlebotomy may be necessary.

A Great Drop.

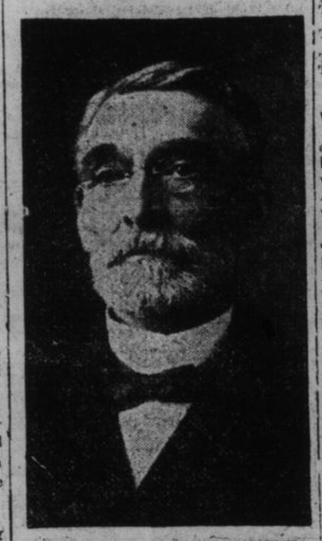
Belleville Intelligencer.

How have the mighty fallen! Thomas Longboat, the former king of Marathon runners, is now offered a reasonable handicap at fifteen, twenty or twenty-six miles by Hans Holmer, who won the race here on Dominion day.

A Disastrous Strike.

Winnipeg Free Press.

The great strike in Sweden is turning out to be as disastrous to those engaging in it as we predicted it would. Over 60,000 of the striking workmen find that when they would return to work there is no work for them. The strike has become a lock-out, and there is much dire suffering throughout the country.



SHERIFF MIDDLETON, HAMILTON, ONT.
Elected vice-president of the Canadian Association of Charities.

ROMPING BOY IS SHOT.

Hallowe'en Celebrant at Collingwood Severely Wounded.

Collingwood, Ont., Nov. 3.—Thomas, the fourteen-year-old son of Reeve Clark, was accidentally shot, Monday night, by James Viner, an elderly neighbor, as the result of Hallowe'en celebrating.

The boy, with a number of chums, had been romping about in a way that incurred Viner's displeasure, and he let fly with a shotgun, loaded with small shot. He says he fired at random and in the dark, to scare away the youngsters, but young Clark fell screaming, with his back literally spotted with shot wounds. His chums carried him home and he is now resting easily under a doctor's care.

Viner is an elderly man and a gunsmith by trade.

Borden On The Way.

The Mail, Nov. 2nd.

"It is my own belief that a Canadian unit of the imperial navy may be made powerful and effective. I also believe that in any such undertaking our own natural resources and raw material, and, above all, our laboring population, ought to be considered and employed so far as may be reasonably possible. That course is incident to the policy of protection. The advice of the best naval experts of the empire should be secured, and nothing undertaken without the full approval of the Admiralty. Our action should be inspired and characterized by neither hysteria nor indifference, but by a solemn and abiding sense of national responsibility."—R. L. Borden to Toronto Conservatives last night.

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The Woman With The Serpent's Tongue.

By William Watson.

She is not old, she is not young,
The woman with the serpent's tongue,
The haggard cheek, the hungering eye,
The poisoned words that wildly fly;

The famished face, the fevered hand,
Who slights the worthiest in the land,
Sneers at the just, contemns the brave,
And blackens goodness in its grave.

In truthful numbers be she sung,
The woman with the serpent's tongue,
Concerning whom fame hints at things
Told but in shrugs and whisperings.

Ambitious from her natal hour,
And scheming all her life for power,
With little left of seemly pride,
With venomed fangs she cannot hide;

Who makes love to you to-day,
To-morrow gives her guest away,
Burnt up within by that strange soul
She cannot slake, or yet control.

Malignant-lipp'd, unkind, unsweet,
Past all example, indiscreet,
Hectic and always overstrung—
The woman with the serpent's tongue.

To think that such as she can mar
Names that among the noblest are;
That banana-like her's can touch the springs;
That move who knows what men and things;
That on her will their fates have hung,
The woman with the serpent's tongue.

Peace After Battle.

Winnipeg Free Press.

Mr. Roblin and Mr. Foster exchanged compliments at the recent banquet with a gracious condescension which put the renowned Gaston and Alphonse completely in eclipse, but, if what the Winnipeg conservatives say to one another, is true, this was a case of peace after battle. The report is that before the dinner they had a royal row over the naval question, Mr. Roblin attacking and Mr. Foster defending the position assumed by the parliamentary conservative party at the last session of parliament. Mr. Foster's intention to speak his own views on the issue was abandoned upon Mr. Roblin declaring that in that case he would not attend the banquet. To keep the peace it was decided that the question of naval defence should be tabooed, with the curious and significant result that no mention was made at the banquet of the one political issue of moment in Canada. Instead there were floods of tiresome talk about questions of yesterday, last year and last century.

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