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THE SPORT REVIEW

NEW WORLD FOR WOMEN

Value of Self-reliance is Ably Set Forth.

Pictorial Review, February, 1914. Dr. Marden, whose books have been published in a score of languages and whose inspirational writings have inspired mankind and womanhood for many years, is writing a new series especially for Pictorial Review which is designed to encourage freedom of thought and bigness of motive among his women readers. This is a woman's era and at no other time in the history of the world have greater opportunities been offered to them, and in thorough sympathy with this condition, Dr. Marden advises and points out the right road to the coming generation of young girls. We quote from the article appearing in the February Pictorial Review.

Each sex has natural endowments and qualities in which the opposite sex cannot hope to compete. Girls have many qualities which are peculiar to their sex, qualities which dominate in their natures, and the new woman should be trained in a manner to develop these qualities in which she is peculiarly strong.

The ideal solidarity of humanity means that every member of society shall be so trained and so educated as to give the best of himself, not his second best, to society. As yet woman has only had a partial opportunity to develop herself. Her position has been something like that of an eagle tied by a string and bidden to soar into the ether, to utilize his wings which God has given him. Woman has been a man-chained eagle. She has been beating her wings against the bars of these centuries, longing for her liberty, striving to get free, so that she could use her God-given powers.

For centuries, woman's development, education and training have been pointed toward man; they have been man-directed, because she has been the stronger force in civilization, but the growing power of woman is rapidly emancipating her. She is going to have an equal influence, and an equal voice in the structure of society. The old-time training, the old schooling, will not meet the demands of the new civilization for the woman of the future.

The new girl is going to develop herself along the line of her own individuality, without any effort to imitate man, and she is going to be far more contented, and far more happier, because of her more complete self-expression; her faculties are going to be developed along a much wider range. She is going to be a much sadder human being; the development of her self-reliance, independence, self-help, are going to have her many new powers, and vast resources which were never aroused in the old-time girl. She will no longer be a helpless, clinging sort of a girl, a parlor ornament. She will consider it a disgrace not to have a life purpose and a worthy aim. The very foundation of self-respect is in independence and self-reliance. The only way to build up a strong, sturdy character is by way of that sort of self-help and self-reliance which will make you absolutely independent so far as your living is concerned. This is the only position in which a normal adult can thoroughly respect himself.

If a girl who has finished her education does not train herself for self-support, if she becomes a parasite, neither the wealth nor the standing of her family can keep her from being a weakling, a society drone. The consciousness of not being able to earn her own living strikes at the very root of her self-respect and weakens her life foundation, placing her at a tremendous disadvantage.

The Obliging Man
Jack Procter was the most obliging man that ever lived. His services were given gratis to all applicants. He could mend a clock, repair a wall, and in fact, perform any operation known to mortal man. In consequence, Jack's services were in constant demand.

A week or two ago after cobbling a neighbor's boots, lancing his cousin's gumball, and writing a testimonial for his charwoman's nephew, he retired to his bed, and was awakened by a terrific bang at his front door, and immediately rushed to this window.

"What's the matter?" he bawled, irritably.

"Don't excuse me for troubling you at this time of night," came his reply; "but the fact is, our boy is so very cross, and we would like you to come and pacify him. He always laughs when he sees your funny nose."—Exchange.

He Wasn't Afraid.
A farmer spilled some whiskey on his barn floor, so that a little stream of it ran out. A certain mouse sallied forth from his hole and being thirsty took a sip. It tasted strange and he went back in his hole and thought. Then he came out and took another sip and went back again and thought. Then he came out and took a big drink. Then he jumped up on the edge of the soap box and stood up on his hind legs, bristled up his whiskers, and exclaimed:

"Now bring out that old cat!"

The Demand For Tea.
The world's demand for cheap and good tea is steadily advancing, and at the present rate of expansion would require the sowing of 200,000 acres in new gardens every year. Owing to labor difficulties this way out is impracticable. The planters of India and Ceylon have thus far satisfactorily solved the difficulty by increasing the yield by better methods of cultivation and manuring. By such means the yield per acre has in some cases been doubled.

Ask Armistice in Mexico
Brussels, Belgium, Jan. 22.—The International Peace Union, whose headquarters are here is arranging for all the peace societies of the world to send telegrams on the same day to Venustiano Carranza, the constitutional leader in Mexico, requesting them to agree to an armistice, pending which their rival claims and the real interests of Mexico shall be submitted to arbitrators.

Stratford has laid plans for improvements to the sewerage system.

Toronto Opinion of Frontenacs

Toronto Globe: Frontenacs have a well-balanced team and will be hard to beat with a little more work to polish up some of the rough spots. Stanton and Ferguson on the defence are both fast and the right build for defence players. The latter is exceptionally fast but ineffective close in on the net. They are very crude at body-checking, but with "Jim" Sutherland to coach them along should develop rapidly. Brouse and Crawford were the best of the forwards. Crawford played his position to a nicety and scored a number of goals by taking the pass in centre ice.

Toronto World: Crawford was the best man in the ice, and more than made up for his mistakes on his former appearance here. He was not seen loafing at all, and more often than not was the instigator of the rushes that ended in tallies for his team. In the last half it was more than the localities' defence could do to hold him, and he zig-zagged his way through no less than five times for tallies. Ferguson displayed a lot of speed, while Brouse and Reid were very effective in their work, and fed their centre men well.

FIRE AT MOUNTAIN GROVE

The C. P. R. Station Was Destroyed By Fire

Mountain Grove, Jan. 21.—The C. P. R. station at Mountain Grove was destroyed by fire yesterday, at noon. The fire originated in the freight shed; cause unknown. As every one was at dinner, it was not observed until it was too late to save anything. Hay, wood and Macdonald; also a ton of pressed hay for Alexander Macdonald, which just came in, and was to be taken out after dinner. The books, etc., from the office and most of the household effects were saved.

As the wind was blowing from the north-east, it carried the fire from the village. The house owned by Mrs. William Loynt, now of Winnipeg, and occupied by Neil Kellar, and the house over the town scales were on fire several times, but by the energy of the bucket brigade they were saved. The agent, S. Hoover, and family were made comfortable at the Loynt house.

CROWN TO EXERCISE

The Control of Oil in Time of War To Be Arranged.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—There are some important aspects to an order-in-council passed yesterday outlining the conditions under which Canadian oil deposits are to be worked in future.

One of the provisions specifies that oil leases shall go only to companies registered and having their chief place of business in his majesty's dominion, which means majority of directors shall always be British. This company shall not at any time be controlled by a foreign corporation, directly or indirectly. This will enable the crown, in time of war, to exercise control of oil as fuel for the admiralty.

The right is also reserved to the crown to itself take over and operate oil leases in any time of emergency. It was proposed to prohibit the export of oil in time of war, but this can be done only by legislation, which may be brought in this session.

The Speculators.
Miss Helen Huntington, the fiancée of Vincent Astor, is little seen in public. Tall, blonde, and very pretty, Miss Huntington is an unfamiliar figure in the park, on Fifth avenue, or in the fashionable restaurants of New York.

Talking about the seclusion of her life, she said at a tea the other day:

"In New York one is apt to get in rather mixed crowds. A friend of mine, after the theatre last New Year eve, supped with her father in a well-known restaurant.

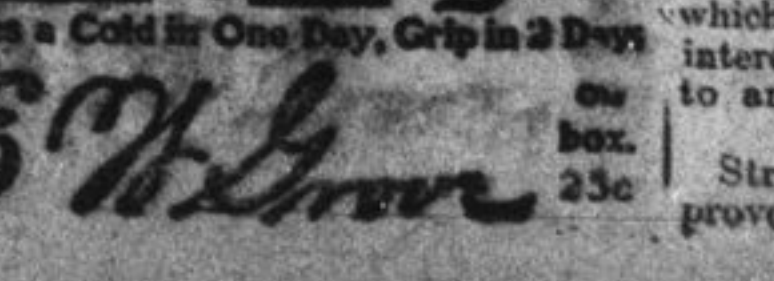
"New Year eve in a well-known restaurant! My friend expected to see wonderful elegance and gaiety. But she saw at every table the most uncouth, queer, grim, impossible persons.

"Waiter," said her father, "who are all these queer guys, anyway?"

"They're all speculators," the waiter answered. "Speculators who couldn't sell their tables, and had to come themselves."

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WORKMAN TAKES ISSUE

WITH VIEWS EXPRESSED ABOUT THE UNEMPLOYED

Kingston Has Few Loafers — This Kind of Person Steers Clear of the Street Where He Might Run Into Work Proposition.

Kingston, Jan. 21.—(To the Editor) As the unemployed of this city will you grant me a little space to reply to the letters of "Common Sense Christianity" and "Workless."

I read the account of the meeting in your Monday's issue, dealing with the question of the unemployed; at that meeting it was plainly pointed out that before any aid was granted careful enquiries would be made as to the genuineness of each case.

I think if the clergy and others interested themselves in the manner they have done, their efforts should be to do so, instead of labelling them as causing men to be idle loafers.

One of your correspondents speaks of the street corner loafers, I think if an investigation were made, it would be found that there were a very large number of men at the street corners, but by the majority are there because they could not expect to find employment by staying at home. The "Weary Willies" and "Tired Tims" would be too careful to help themselves to the biting winds at present. No, Sir, they generally look out for some warm spot where they can be sure of not being insulted by work.

The genuine workman would never be made a loafer by charity, but while searching for employment and (as is often the case) for many weeks cannot find it, his wife and children are cared for by kind friends he should not be looked upon as a loafer.

I see by the present issue of the Whig that 112 men sought employment at Rev. Mr. Smart's office today. The majority of these were married men. I should like to know how many applied for charity? I was not amongst the number as I was making application for a position advertised in your issue of Tuesday, the 20th. If I am not successful in securing this then I too shall be making application at the office of this committee as I have been now out of work for nine weeks. This is the first time I have been in this predicament in my life, but if I was standing at a street corner with the hope of seeing or hearing of some work I would be called a loafer, I suppose.

I should like to add that previous to nine weeks ago I worked for eight months continuously for the Shipyard and can say that the heads of this firm treat their men well and would not have laid off men if they could have possibly avoided it.

In fact for some time many of us have been done by a few numbers. I have tried at every likely place, but up to the present have failed to secure work.—SALUS POPULI SUPREMA EST LEX.

SOLDIERS WEEK IN OTTAWA

Programme and Dates of Various Associations' Events

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The programme for the military week which opens in Ottawa on February 23rd has been announced. The Cavalry association meets in Winnipeg this year, but all the other associations will meet here. The dates are:

Dominion of Canada Rifle association—Annual meeting, Wednesday, February 25th, at 10.30 a.m.

Canadian Artillery association—Wednesday and Thursday, February 25th and 26th.

Canadian Engineers—Thursday and Friday, February 26th and 27th.

Military and Medical Officers—Wednesday, February 25th; dinner on Tuesday night.

Army Service Corps—Thursday and Friday, February 26th and 27th; dinner on Thursday night.

Corps of Guides—Friday and Saturday, February 27th and 28th; banquet on Friday night.

All these are dominion-wide organizations, and it is expected representatives will be here from all parts of Canada.

By special order of the provincial secretary, liquor licenses at Meaford, Ont., are discontinued, though local option is not in force until April 30th. White Rose flour for all purposes. Three Canadians are included in the list for Carnegie medals for heroic rescues.

Boys' suits, straight trousers, 28 to 34, half price. Livingston's.

Every time a man turns a corner on the road to success he bumps into a tall gate.

However, the 1914 water wagon will not be an alcohol auto truck.

The Skin Troubles of Childhood

School Records Show Much Time Lost From Eczema.

Chafing and skin irritation, whether from changing temperature, rough winds, strong soap or the action of the clothing, naturally develop into eczema, spread over the body and defy ordinary treatments.

Most doctors do not give much attention to skin diseases, and, consequently, it is necessary for parents to select some treatment which has proven a cure for such ailments. It records of cures count for anything, then you can turn to Dr. Chase's Ointment with fullest assurance that in this you will have the means of controlling itching skin diseases.

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Plucky Bank Manager

An exciting attempt at bank robbery is reported from Rox Hill, near Melbourne, Australia, where an armed bandit broke into the Australian Bank, the manager of which, who lives on the premises, is Mr. Robert Sutton. After midnight he was awakened from his sleep and confronted by a masked robber holding a revolver close to his face. Mr. Sutton promptly disconcerted the robber by firing an electric bell, and Mr. Sutton procuring his revolver from under the pillow of the bed, fired at the thief, who fled. In retreating the murderer fired through the door, but no damage was done. Trails of blood showed that Mr. Sutton's shot had taken effect.

"Pin Money."
In days long ago pins were so expensive that husbands gave their wives certain allowances just for the purpose of the costly luxury; hence we call the money given to a woman for her own special use "pin money." Five centuries after pins were invented the peddlers sang the following rhyme as they went through the streets in London:

Ten rows a penny, O!
Jan't that a many, O!
Silver heads, golden points,
Ten rows a penny, O!

A young man can sow his own wild oats, but his father usually has to pay for the harvesting. Shareholders of the defunct Sovereign bank are to be called upon for double liability.

Why Are Your Neighbors So Happy?

Because the Wife Bought An EDDY'S WASHBOARD

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All kinds of Washboards for all kinds of people.

"CATCH MY PAL" UNION

A Temperance Movement That is Sweeping Great Britain.

Great Britain and Ireland are now being swept by a strong temperance movement which is being directed by the Irish Protestant Total Abstinence Union, or, as it is better known, the Catch My Pal Society. Its origin was singular.

July 19, 1899, Rev. R. J. Patterson, LL.B., a Presbyterian clergyman in the city of Ayr, happened to pass a lamp post around which stood six men, some of whom were recovering from the effects of a drinking bout the day before. One of the men suggested that he should try to induce his companions to take the pledge. A conversation followed, and the six men promised to go the man's house three days later as the curfew rang and take the pledge. The men carried out their undertaking, signed the pledge, and the union became an accomplished fact and grew rapidly.

From Ulster the organization spread to other parts of Ireland, and now branches are to be found south, east and west. Then the channel was crossed, and several of the large industrial centres in Scotland came under the influence of the movement, branches being formed in Glasgow, Edinburgh, Aberdeen, Paisley and other towns.

The churches have taken a very laudable part in this organization and have worked tirelessly in promoting the cause.

The wonderful effect of the movement has surprised even those who hoped most from it. In many cases hardened drunkards have become the best pledge keepers and the anxiety of the quondam has stirred the emotion of the most phlegmatic on-looker. The result is that in every town there are at least a score of members who, in the past deemed to be hopeless slaves of drink, are now living as respectable citizens. Moreover, trade has revived. Men are now paying their debts. Children are being better fed and clothed and a higher standard of living prevails among the people.

John Was Stung!

Some time ago John Burns, M.P., who is nothing if not precise in his methods, had an amusing experience with a policeman whom he suspected of breaking the law. While out walking one day "Honest John" observed a constable in deep conversation with a man in civilian dress. Just as Mr. Burns was reviving, Man, are now paying their debts. Children are being better fed and clothed and a higher standard of living prevails among the people.

John Burns was quickly at the policeman's side. "Open your hand!" he demanded in a stern accent. For a moment the constable hesitated and looked very confused. "Open your hand," repeated the now furious Mr. Burns. Slowly the policeman obeyed and extended his open palm, revealing to Mr. Burns' puzzled gaze neither a piece of silver nor even a penny, but a large cough drop! The next moment "Honest John" had disappeared.—London Ideas.

Origin of Kilts.

It will doubtless surprise many Scotchmen to learn that the kilt as it is worn is only a modern fancy costume and is not of Scottish origin at all. The honor of its invention is due to two Englishmen—an army tailor who accompanied Gen. Wade's forces to Scotland in 1719 and Thomas Rawlinson, overseer of some iron works in Gengary's country. For more than a century previously, indeed, the tartan plaid had been the common garb of the highlanders, but it was all in one piece, wound in folds around the body, leaving the knees bare. Prior to the adoption of the tartan, which probably took place about the close of the fifteenth century, the long, loose saffron colored skirt, the real "garb of old Gaul," was the highland dress.—London Mail.

Meaneat Traders in the World.

There is a colony of merchants in Kingston, the capital of Jamaica, who can give cards and spades even to the black Chinaman for warts that are dark and tricks that are vain.

They take one match out of every box they sell until they have enough matches to fill another box and so make an extra cent. They have tiny flakes of cake and boil them down to make other cakes. They put a thin layer of molasses on the bottom of the soap with which they serve rice so that a few grains will sink to the bottom. These are only a few of their thousand tricks to turn a dishonest penny. Without doubt they are the meaneat traders in the world.

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Piccadilly Reports
Piccadilly, Jan. 19.—School reopened on last Monday, with a good attendance and Miss Genge as teacher. The bus to get timber for the new Presbyterian church shed was attended. A number from here attended the quarterly services held in Verona on Sunday. The young people were entertained last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howes. Games and dancing were the amusements of the evening. Good music was rendered by Mr. Kelley. At midnight a dainty lunch was served. The Foresters will hold an oyster supper at E. Percy's on Tuesday next week. The many friends of George Botting are glad to hear of his good fortune in securing Rose flour.