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GENEROUS GIVING.

The Chicago Tribune in five long, closely printed columns records with name of donor, day and date the many donations and bequests to religious, educational and charitable purposes in the United States during the past year. No sum less than one thousand dollars is recorded, and the reader is left to imagine how many such donations and bequests there have been, and how great their total sum. The Tribune's record of generous gifts and the objects to which they were devoted is a most interesting one. The sums range from \$1,000 up to \$5,000,000 each. Their aggregate during the year was \$82,461,304. The year 1899 has been even more fruitful in generous giving and made a total of \$79,749,956. In fact if we take the records of seven years past the wealthy and generous citizens of the United States have made a yearly average total of over 40 millions a year in these special gifts to educational institutions, libraries, charities and religious enterprises. It is truly a noble record, and we believe is without a parallel in any other country.

During the year 1900 these special bequests and donations were divided as follows:

Educational Institutions	\$34,032,614
Charities	13,621,722
Churches	8,900,605
Museums & Art Galleries	2,145,333
Libraries	2,961,000

Among the greatest of these offerings were the following: Samuel Cupples and R. A. Brookings of St. Louis, \$5,000,000 to Washington University; Andrew Carnegie gifts to Pittsburg for institute and library, \$3,600,000; Robert H. Brigham, Boston, will to charities, \$2,980,000; Jonas G. Clark, Worcester Mass, will to Clark University, \$2,350,000; John D. Rockefeller, gifts to University of Chicago, \$2,150,000; Daniel S. Ford, Boston, churches, \$1,150,000. As many more range between the half million and the million mark. The above are donations to single objects. In several cases the same donors have given liberally in other ways. For instance, Mr. Carnegie, in addition to his more than princely gift to the Pittsburg Institute gave to 19 libraries from \$5,000 to \$50,000 each, making \$845,000 for libraries alone. In 1899 he gave over three and a half millions for 34 libraries.

A hundred years ago the number of millionaires in the whole world was comparatively few. The millionaires of America were fewer than the like class in Canada today. There has been during the century an enormous increase of wealth in the hands of individuals, and it is most gratifying to note that with the growth of wealth has come an approximately equal growth of the sense of responsibility which attaches to opulence, and a great enlargement in the way of generous giving for public uses. Canada contains but about one fifteenth part of as many people as the Republic, and proportionately less wealth, but there are still a number of men in the Dominion who have been rich enough and generous enough each to give in the aggregate, a million and upwards in donations for the good of their fellow men. Lord Strathcona, Lord Mount Stephen, Sir William C. Macdonald are

names that will readily occur to our readers. We regret that precise information as to names and amounts is not immediately available. But undoubtedly there were more of these generous donations in Canada within the last decade of the century than in any twenty years before. This is a hopeful feature, and, (not forgetting the lesson of the widow's mite), we trust that the men of great wealth in Canada may continue to emulate the noble examples set by the opulent citizens of the Great Republic beside us.

Gain by Kruger's Absence.

[From the Philadelphia] Public Ledger.
When Kruger left South Africa for Europe it was assumed that he had given up the struggle and was seeking to escape, with his family and fortune to a haven of safety. It is quite evident now, however that he visited Europe in the belief that he could do no more for the Boer cause there than by remaining in the Transvaal and furnishing an objective for the movements of the British armies. It is also evident that before he left he had made arrangements for a continuance of the war under able deputies. The Boer commands move with greater freedom in the absence of Kruger than they would if they had to guard his person, and the British, with their greatly superior force, are put at a disadvantage, for they have no objective, and move only from garrisoned towns only in response to the reported movements of the Boer forces.

"If any one present knows of any just cause or impediment, why these two persons should not be joined, together in holy matrimony, let him now speak."



That is the challenge of the old marriage service. It is the challenge of church and state, and rarely is answered. But if that challenge were offered to Science how often would she forbid the bans, in the interest of woman's health and happiness. Thousands of happy maidens who have looked to marriage as the consummation of their earthly happiness, have found it a blight to the body, a martyrdom to the mind. The irregular and painful periods of maidenhood were looked upon as a part of the common lot of woman, and so, neglected. Wifehood brought with it debilitating drains, and the trial of motherhood left an inflamed and ulcerated condition of the womanly organs. Then followed the slow decay of body and mind; the one tormented with pain; the other irritable, or despondent. Science which cannot forbid the bans of marriage, can undo these sad consequences. It is the hand of science which offers afflicted women that marvelous medicine, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It positively cures irregularities, female weakness and disagreeable drains on the system. It allays inflammation and heals ulceration. It makes the trial of motherhood easy and brief. It brings back lost health and beauty. "Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol, whisky or other stimulant. Nothing is "just as good" for women as the "Prescription." Accept no substitute. Women single or married will find invaluable advice in Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. Sent free on receipt of stamps to defray cost of customs and mailing only. Send 31 one-cent stamps for paper edition. For cloth edition 50 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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W. W. CLARK, Secretary.
Charlottetown, Jan 5, 1901.

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Parties having accounts against me will please present the same within one month from the date hereof. I support and confidence and bespeak for my worthy successors a continuance of the same good will accorded me.

S. E. WHISTON

Halifax, Dec. 31, 1900.

DANCING SCHOOL

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AND— Provincial Exhibition Association

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Transfer books are closed till after the general meeting.

By order of Directors,

C. R. SMALLWOOD, Secretary-Treasurer.

Jan 3, 1901 d&wtd

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1st Jan, 1901

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AND THE

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