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Persons claiming to be entitled to share in the Estate of George White, formerly of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, late of the City of Toronto, Canada, deceased, who died on August 6th, 1925, are requested to notify the undersigned PUBLIC TRUSTEE, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Canada.

7445-27-1ws.

Candidate For Water Commissioner

At the request of a large number of prominent citizens I have consented to become a candidate for Water Commissioner at the forthcoming Civic Election. If you do me the honor, Ladies and Gentlemen, of electing me to this position I will do my utmost to protect your interests.

Respectfully yours, G. D. WRIGHT.

7264-16-1-sw61.

Dispersal Sale

Registered Shorthorns Wednesday, Feb. 3rd

I have been instructed to sell on Wednesday, February 3rd at 1:30 p. m., at Upton Park Farm, West Royalty, the entire herd of prize winning registered and fully accredited Shorthorns, consisting of seven bulls, ages 4 months to 2 years and eleven young cows and heifers.

J. A. MacDONALD, Auctioneer.

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Forget Winter on the CANADIAN PACIFIC CRUISES to the West Indies Panama Canal South America on the S.S. "MONTROYAL" sailing from New York, March 1st. Details from your local steamship agent or write to J. BRUCE BURPEE, Dist. Passenger Agent, Saint John, N. B. World's Greatest Travel System

The Three Lemons

COLOR CUT-OUTS



THE SLAVE'S DECEPTION

This is one day's chapter of "The Three Lemons" in which the prince has lost his beautiful bride. By cutting out and saving the paper dolls, boys and girls will soon have a whole set to act out the story.

Although the prince was shocked to think his beautiful bride had turned into this ugly old slave, he believed the slave's story and took her back to the Palace of Rubles.

The king stormed and said he would have no slaves inherit his throne, but when she told him that she was the fairy who had been bewitched into this terrible disguise, he also believed her, and the court began to make plans for the wedding.

The most beautiful jewels in the kingdom were brought to ornament the black slave's wrinkled fingers and the finest silks were sought for her gowns. All the court bustled about in preparation for the day, and at last it came!

(The slave's dress is brown and she wears a red girdle and band in her hair.)

EATING WITH BRITISH ROYALTIES BY "A LADY OF THE COURT" (Edited by Elizabeth Craig)

ROYAL STILLROOM RECIPES

TO CURE TOOTHACHE

(as told me by my grand-aunt.) Take of alum, reduced to powder 3 drachms, nitrous spirits of ether 5 drachms, mix and apply to the painful member.—Victoria, May 2nd, 1835.

HOW MY WARTS WERE CURED

(The Princess Charlotte's own Recipe.)

Take of bruised leaves of the calendula officinalis and blend with weak vinegar.

VIOLET DRINK

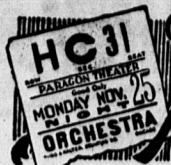
(As taken by Her Royal Highness, the Duchess of Kent, Mother of Queen Victoria.)

One teaspoonful of dried violets and 1/2 pint of boiling water; infuse

Grip GOLDEN TABLETS Take Laxative Bromo Quinine tablets

Serious illness and complications often follow an ordinary Cold. Check it; use the old Reliable, "Safe and Proven Remedy," Laxative BROMO QUININE. The First and Original Cold and Grip Tablet. Proven Safe for more than a Quarter of a Century.

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BEGINS IN MONDAY'S GUARDIAN

WHY WE PREFER STORIES OF MYSTERY

Noted Marie Belloc-Lowndes Explains Popularity of "Yellow Stub"

BY MILTON BRONNER

LONDON, Jan. 30.—"Mystery stories will always hold a foremost place in the affections of the reading public, because they touch the most acute of what one might call the mental nerves—the nerve of fear. They give you what the French call 'frisson'—a shudder—a thrill, that no other form of fiction gives."

The writer who made this statement to me is herself world-famous as author of two of the greatest mystery stories in the English language. She is Mrs. Marie Belloc-Lowndes, who wrote those record-breaking successes, "The Lodger" and "The Lonely House."

As she has also written both long novels and short stories about love, about married life and other topics, she is probably one of the best persons in the world to interview on the subject of mystery and detective stories.

Her book, "The Lodger," is now being made into a film by a great American concern, and she will come over to the United States in the fall to see the finished product and pass upon it before it is submitted to the public. The world-famous Sir James M. Barrie once said of Mrs. Belloc-Lowndes, who is one of his closest friends: "Everything she has written will some day be made into a play or motion picture."

Two Things Essential

"In fiction, outside of the development of plot and character," continued Mrs. Belloc-Lowndes, "there are two important things, two very big things:

"First—suspense.

"Second—the creation in the reader of the feeling that everything in the story is so natural that it might well have happened to him.

"In these elements the mystery story is almost pre-eminent. In the ordinary love story there is not much suspense. The seasoned reader of fiction, after reading about six pages, knows who is the pretty or homely or long-suffering heroine and who

SAYS MYSTERY STORIES ARE CLOSEST TO READERS' HEARTS



Mrs. Marie Belloc-Lowndes

EDITOR'S NOTE: This interview with Marie Belloc-Lowndes is particularly timely when everyone is looking forward to "The Yellow Stub," by Ernest Lynn, in The Guardian. In fiction there are two important things, she says—"suspense and the creation in the reader of the feeling that everything in the story is so natural that it might well have happened to him." "The Yellow Stub" fulfills these requirements and that probably accounts for its great success.

is the handsome or ugly or unfortunate here. And he knows that in the last chapter the hero and the heroine will be in each other's arms.

"The reader may be interested in the incidents that lead up to this. He may like the comic or romantic conversations that take place, but he knows all along what the ending is to be.

"Not so in the mystery story. The feeling of wonderment grows as the story grows. The reader is held in breathless suspense to the end. He cannot figure how the story is to develop and how it is to finish.

Why They Like 'Em

"And this is especially true of crime stories. Crime exercises a peculiar but quite natural fascination for most people. Hence the great crowds that attend famous criminal trials. Hence the great amount of space that live newspapers devote to accounts of court proceedings in famous criminal trials.

"The criminal is the abnormal creature. The normal man, the average, homekeeping, hard-working man or woman finds in reading of the ceaseless contest between the law and the law-breaker some compensation for lack of adventure in his own life.

"The average reader sits safely and decently and honestly by his own fireside in the evening, opens the pages of a mystery story and sets forth into the unknown.

"But for the grace of God, he might be the personage about whom this web is being woven. He might be the man upon whose traces the hounds of the law are galloping. He might be pitting his wits against those of Scotland Yard or the sleuths of New York or Chicago or whatever town you choose.

"Mystery stories take us back to the wonderment of childhood. They take us out of ourselves and our work-a-day world. They make us forget our surroundings and enthrall us by happenings in a universe that we don't know. In this way they are a supreme entertainment."

The Mayoralty Election CARD

Ladies and Gentlemen: As you are aware I am a candidate for the Mayoralty. For six successive years I have served as councillor for Ward Five and my record is an open book. My business record in the city for the past twenty-eight years is before you also.

After the 10th day of February I hope to be able to introduce into the affairs of the city some practical business methods such as are essential to any well-governed business establishment.

During the past 7 years the debt on our city has been increased from \$712,500 to \$1,148,900 or nearly one million dollars. Taxes have been increased, rents have been doubled.

Charlottetown is an attractive city of which we are proud but we must not make it a rich man's paradise.

The laboring class and workers who are the backbone of any successful community must be considered and living conditions made to enable them to live within their means.

It is my intention to co-operate with the Boards of Trade and other organizations with a view to provide more employment for labor.

My efforts will be used to acquire increased docking facilities and other improvements on our water front.

With our limited facilities in the months of November and December on the Railway wharf alone the sum of \$16,325 was paid out to the longshoremen of our city. There is a great danger that unless better facilities are provided this trade may be lost to the city. With this increased accommodation we will be able to direct more shipping here, employ a larger number of people and consequently have a larger pay sheet.

I purpose to devote a portion of my time and efforts to improvements of this kind, believing that living conditions with our working class should be greatly improved.

I had the pleasure of helping to frame the present Ballot Election Act during my last year in the Council.

operation in our city, knowing as I do that increased improvement can be made along these lines. (1) The number of parcels sent shall not be able to see the electors personally but take this opportunity of soliciting your votes and support.

S. A. McDONALD.

Directions For Shipping Fox Skins to C. M. Lampson & Co. Per Parcel Post

Fox skins intended for C. M. Lampson & Co's, London Sales should be packed in parcels weighing not over 11 lbs. the outer covering of which should be of unbleached muslin or similar material; and the following address should be plainly marked on the outside of the package—

C. M. LAMPSON & CO., 64 Queen Street, London, E. C. 4, England.

In addition, the shipper's name and address should be placed on the outside of the package to enable Lampson & Co, to identify it on arrival, and packages should be numbered consecutively from No. 1 upwards.

At the time the shipment is dispatched, an invoice must in every case be sent to Lampson & Co, and

a duplicate to Alfred Fraser. This invoice should state:— (1) The number of parcels sent forward. (2) The serial number marked on each parcel. (3) The quantity of skins in each parcel. (4) The value of each skin. (5) The amount of insurance required.

Unless advised to the contrary, Lampson & Co. will insure, under their open policies, all shipments while in transit for invoice value plus 10 per cent. These policies give protection from the time the goods leave the shipper's possession until delivered to Lampson & Co. in London, and the rate of premium is most reasonable.

If it is not desired that Lampson & Co. should arrange insurance, it must in every case be clearly stated on the invoice referred to above.

Skins may also be forwarded to London through one of the express companies. Shipments by express should be made in exactly the same way as by parcel post, except that the packages need not weigh less than 11 lbs. It is not necessary to declare any value to the express companies.

Minard's Liniment for Backache. case be sent to Lampson & Co, and

To the Electors of Ward Five Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have decided to offer myself as a candidate as Councillor in Ward Five at the forthcoming Civic Election.

If you do me the honor to elect me I will do all in my power to serve you, giving my support to all measures which I consider to be for the betterment of our City. I am in favor of permanent civic improvements consistent with our revenue and will support any and all movements that tend to the building up and beautifying of our City without incurring additional burden on our taxpayers.

As I will be unable to call on all personally I take this opportunity of soliciting your support on election day.

Respectfully yours, Samuel Kennedy

Women Use Then dispose of this new hygienic help easily as tissue—no laundry

WOMEN by the millions are discarding the old-time "sanitary pad" for a new and scientific way.

A way that offers protection unknown before. A way, too, that solves the old embarrassment of disposal.

It is called "KOTEX." Eight in 10 better-class women now employ it. Discards as easily as a piece of tissue. No laundry. No embarrassment.

It's five times as absorbent as ordinary cotton pads!

You dine, dance, motor for hours in sheerest frocks without a second's doubt or fear.

It deodorizes, too. And thus ends ALL danger of offending. You ask for it at any drug or department store, without hesitancy, simply by saying "KOTEX."

Do as millions are doing. End old, insecure ways. Enjoy life every day. Package of twelve costs only a few cents.

KOTEX No laundry—discard like tissue

for 6 minutes and sweeten with honey. To cure pain and soothe the system under attacks of bronchitis, and catarrhs.

ROSE LEAF DRINK

(The original recipe of Queen Henrietta Maria.)

Infuse one part of red rose leaves and a cup of boiling water. The rose leaves should half fill the cup. Leave upon the fire for 10 minutes, then take off and strain, and sweeten with honey and drink cold and fasting. Females only should drink this concoction.

CAMOMILE TEA

(Queen Adelaide's Recipe.)

2 dozen of flowers infused in 1 pint of boiling water for half an hour. Strain, sweeten with honey and drink half a gill fasting. A cure for indigestion.

FOR ILL NERVES

HYSSOP

Steep 1/4 oz. dried hyssop flowers in a pint of boiling water for 10 minutes. Sweeten with honey. Take a wineglassful three times a day for lung trouble.

FOR A COLD OR RHUNE

Add 30 drops of sal volatile to a small wine glassful of warm water.

GREEN BAY SCHOOL EXAMINATION

The semi-annual examination of Green Bay School took place in the school house on Wednesday, December 23rd at 1 o'clock p. m.

Although the day was somewhat stormy there was a large attendance of parents and visitors.

The pupils were examined in the various subjects by their teacher, Mr. John P. Flood assisted by Mr. S. M. Malone and showed by their ready answers that they had been carefully taught.

After the examination a programme of songs, recitations and dialogues was successfully carried out by the pupils. The school room was tastefully decorated and in one corner stood a large Christmas Tree loaded with gifts for both teacher and pupils.

A very enjoyable part of the programme was a violin selection by Pauline Bagnall. Waterman's Fountain Pen and the gramophone was read by Miss Matthias Flood and step dancing by

some of the young men present. Hazel Grove School wish to make some recognition of your continued services to us. Your lively interest in all our school work, and kind fellowship in every trial. We realize it is not easy to have the patience you show, even on the most trying days. We hope this gift will show our appreciation of your efforts, and the knowledge of our appreciation will stimulate you to continue successfully in your arduous work. Wishing you the compliments of the season,

Your Pupils.

The teacher, although taken by surprise, in a few well chosen words thanked them for their thoughtful and kindly act. The visitors and pupils were then treated with home made candy by the teacher, and also oranges, nuts and candy from the Women's Institutes thus bringing to a close a very pleasant afternoon.

Complimentary remarks were then made by Messrs. Ambrose Barrett and E. M. Malone. Mr. Malone who has considerable experience in the teaching profession having taught in different parts of the Province and the past six years in the Canadian West found that the pupils measured well up to the standard in the different subjects.

The teacher then treated the pupils and visitors to a liberal supply of candy and fruit. The singing of the National Anthem brought a very pleasant afternoon to a close.

Following was the address: Mr. J. P. Flood—

Dear Teacher:—At this happy time of Christmas, we your pupils feel we cannot let it pass, without showing in a tangible way the feelings of love and affection which is between you dear teacher and we your pupils. Only a short time past our loving playmate, now our kind and diligent teacher. Please accept this small gift as a token of the esteem in which we hold you. Wishing you many happy Christmases amongst us, we remain,

Your Pupils of Green Bay School.

HAZEL GROVE SCHOOL EXAMINATION

The semi-annual examination of Hazel Grove School was held on Tuesday afternoon December 22nd. A goodly number of rate payers and visitors were present. The pupils were examined in the various subjects by their teacher, Miss Margaret Link and by their prompt and ready answers showed the careful training they had received from their painstaking teacher. A good Christmas programme was then given, after which Miss Edith Bagnall on behalf of the pupils presented the teacher with a beautiful

Waterman's Fountain Pen and the gramophone was read by Miss Matthias Flood and step dancing by

Dear Teacher:—We the pupils of