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TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until December 27th, 1926 from parties willing to contract as Manager for Springfield Egg Circle No. 26 tenders to be per dozen and to be marked Tenders for "Manager" Egg Circle.

Signed
J. ERNEST HASLAM
3351-12-16-22.

PARADISE

By **COSMO HAMILTON**
Author of "Scandal" and the "Blindness of Virtue."

PART I
BEFORE THE WAR

"My dear Lumley," said Lady George Cornish, addressing her husband as though he were a Peer, though her early training as a barmaid had formed in her the habit of calling every man by his Christian name. "If you want to go, gather yourself together, fish three and sixpence out of my bag, finish the bottle of champagne, and melt away like butter in the sun. When I come to a Covent Garden Ball, I sleep all day and my vitality ain't worked out until the hand dies in its shoes." She turned away her all-to-golden head, gave him a vast expanse of powdered back and flashed upon the kaleidoscopic scene beneath the box her once quite beautiful eyes. The band of black that the poor girl surrounded them with was as broad as the one used by French on their writing paper as a mark of respect and sometimes at a funeral for a just deceased relative. It gave a touch of grotesque pathos to an unacknowledged wreck.

Algernon Lumley did not find it easy to talk about that miraculous by persistent hand and the everlasting wish of dancing feet. A quiet man, who revelled in silence, his voice was quiet, as were his clothes, his tread, and a history whose rather queer echoes had almost died away. And in any case

REGAL FLOUR

BEST FOR ALL KINDS OF BAKING

what was the use of talking? As well attempt to move the King with a volley of blank cartridges as dissuade Kitty Cornish from a fixed idea with mere gentlemanly words. Then, too, she was more than his wife. She was his banker. The fifteen hundred a year into which she had come when George had died like a fish in a bottle had saved him from competing with the collar stud and bootlace merchants in the streets of London. With a sprig of the shoulders, therefore, he put away the watch that he had inherited from George, rose, and stood in one of his unconsciously graceful attitudes in a corner of the box. To this, as to every place, he lent an air of great distinction with liquid height, his Stuart profile, his snow-white hair and dyed moustache upon which he lavished as much care and attention as most men devote to golf.

NOTICE

A special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Rogers-Paton Silver Black Fox Co., Ltd., will be held in the office of the W. K. Rogers Co., Ltd., Charlottetown, Wednesday, December 29th at 11 a. m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the liquidator.

W. H. V. DUNBAR
Liquidator
12-16-61.

Special Train Service Xmas Holidays

For the convenience of Christmas shoppers, special train services have been arranged for Wednesday, December 22, Thursday, December 23, Friday, December 24, as follows:

Train No. 210, leaving Murray Harbor at 7:45 A. M. for Charlottetown will leave Murray Harbor one hour earlier or at 6:45 A. M. Returning train 209 leaving Charlottetown at 3:30 P. M., will leave there one hour later or at 4:30 P. M.

Train No. 5 leaving Charlottetown at 3:20 P. M. for Souris will leave Charlottetown at 4:05 P. M. 3429-12-20-51

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

Change In Train Schedules Effective Jan. 2nd 1927

For further particulars Apply to Ticket Agent

CANADIAN PACIFIC SAILINGS

FROM SAINT JOHN TO LIVERPOOL

Dec. 23 Montreal
Dec. 31 Montclair
Jan. 7 Montclair
Jan. 14 Montclair
Jan. 21 Montclair
To Cherbourg - Southampton - Antwerp.

Jan. 27 Mar. 2... Melita

FROM NEW YORK TO CHERBOURG - SOUTHAMPTON - ANTWERP

Mar. 31 Montreal
To Cherbourg - Southampton

Apr. 15... Greenock of Scotland
Via Forenck

WINTER CRUISES MEDITERRANEAN FEBRUARY 1927 WEST INDIES JAN. 26-FEB. 23

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Saint John, N.B.

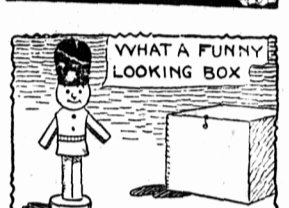
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J. A. McDONALD H. F. MCPHEE
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SMILES



"I can't make out what kind of game that girl's up to."
"Get her to play cards with you."
"What for?"
"So she'll show her hand."



MISTLETOE FRUIT
"Does the mistletoe plant produce fruit?"
"Delicious fruit, dear—kisses, you know."



THE OLD STORY
To fathers it is bill time, A big financial hill-climb. Those happy Christmas days that are drawing ever near, But to Willie, Tom and Jerry, 'Tis just a time for making merry. While papa's nose is on the grindstone, no one is ever shedding a tear.

used to go under the name, without having the slightest right to do so, of the feeble-minded man to whom she had served so many brandies and sodas.

Uncommonly beautiful in her youth, Kitty Libby, as she was then, had flourished at the time when it was the fashion among the more idle of the sons of the ancient aristocracy to spend their days in going from one to another of the refreshment rooms on the various railway stations where they drank between trains and became socially familiar with all the most attractive barmaids.

George Lomax Alexander Gerald St. John Cornish, third son of the thirteenth Marquis of Milchester, had joined the railway brigade on coming down from Oxford. A big, lumbering, blond, curly-headed, good-natured creature of the Bernard type, he had dedicated enough of the best years of his life to the Great Western brandy crawl to achieve the enviable position of its chief exponent. A pity, because with a different energy and the necessary clean eyes he would have made a magnificent county cricketer. Before he came a confirmed alcoholic, as he did at twenty-eight, it was his proud boast that he knew every bar and every barmaid on the entire system. A moment's notice, although never at any time after. Before he became a confirmed also-rider, he could give the pet name and a very vivid description of every one of the girls who stood with regulation tolerance and decoration behind a thousand counters. But it was to be the refreshment room of the station at Reading, that he gravitated most frequently, because it was here that Kitty Libby, daughter of a local barber, reigned as queen, dressed always in the light of fashion and the cheapest jewelry.

He was, of course, George's father, and she was naturally kitten to him. Under the influence of her sympathetic eye and four star-randy he fell into the habit of confiding his inmost thoughts and especially, just before closing time, he heard her account of his being misunderstood by the family. He even went so far eventually as to take rooms in her town, of all places, so that he might be within a few hundred yards of the "one woman on God's green earth" who appreciated his good points and invited him to the door of his lodgings.

And then, suddenly, the brandy habit which had led to so many marriages that had shocked society, was supplanted by the one that developed strongly in 1900 or haunting the musical comedy theatres and making peevishness of chorus girls. Whereupon George found himself in a sole possession not only of the Reading but very other refreshment room on the Great Western Railway—and got upon his nerves. He was a man of two great grievances: scarce to the family misunderstanding he added the wholesale scorn of the gang in London, emerging from a thoroughly enjoyable attack of delirium tremens, he stained the strong arm of a kindly and often-tipped porter, escorted from his rooms to the station, entered the familiar and shown room in which the lovely kitten dispensed his ritual court to her customers, leaned feebly on the counter and said, "Kitten, how about trotting round somewhere with me in the mornin' and gettin' married?"

In all truthfulness it must be said that this extremely worldly-wise woman, who had clubbed with the most rigid and sometimes piling pride to her virtue, received a great shock from an unexpected proposal which would lift her out of the vast mediocrity of her position as a barmaid into the dazzling heights of aristocracy that, at the first time in her career she had cooled a small glass of Benedictine and burst into tears during blissless hours. Like every member of her useful profession she had allowed nothing hitherto to disturb her flashy imperturbability.

They were joined together as soon as the necessary regulations of the Registrar of Births, deaths and marriages could be overcome and lived an almost ideal life until another Registrar was called in to fill in the form of George's exit on all moral worries. It need not be said that it is a little difficult to fulfil duties. Lady George had informed those of a nurse, a waiter, a prohibition agent, a goaler, and a guide, and all these she had carried out with a garrulous devotion that was inspiring to behold.

A broken woman in the early forties she then made the fatal mistake of retiring from the elasticity of semi-society and a flat in Sluaghshury Avenue, in which she had entertained actors and horse traders, bankrupts and members of parliament, a Duke or two, several Honouables, a Scotch company's porter who played an excellent game with newspapers, and many of those great optimists who followed the races and played cards for a living, to bury herself in a remote corner of Buckinghamshire, where the county continued the old-fashioned practice of allowing the line. There, in a charming cottage with a lovely garden, her distance was completely ignored by very one of any social standing or miles around.

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Home-made Remedy Stops Cough Quickly

Finest cough medicine you ever used. Family supply easily made. Saves about 82.

You might be surprised to know that the best thing you can use for a severe cough, is a remedy which is easily prepared at home in just a few moments. It's cheap, but for prompt results it beats anything else you ever tried. Usually stops the ordinary cough or chest cold in 24 hours. Tastes pleasant—children like it, and it is pure and good.

Four 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex in a 16-oz. bottle; then fill it up with plain granulated sugar syrup. Or use clarified honey, instead of sugar syrup. Thus you make 16 ounces—a family supply—but costing no more than a small bottle of ready-made cough syrup.

And as a cough medicine there is really nothing better to be had at any price. It goes right to the spot and gives quick, lasting relief. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid, too, for bronchitis, hoarseness and bronchial asthma.

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constituencies returned Conservative government control supporters without opposition.

By parties the popular vote was recorded as follows:

Conservative	142,377
Liberal	129,759
Progressive	82,102
Prohibitionist	81,830
Lib-Prog.	35,858
Ind-Conservative	10,723
Ind-Liberal	20,897
Labor	16,934
Independent	5,467
Total	1,103,886

Editors Enriched by Oil Stick to Papers

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 21.—The aroma of printer's ink has more attraction than the odor of oil to the nostrils of two weekly newspaper editors of Oklahoma.

Made independent by the discovery of oil on land owned by them, J. W. Kayser of Chickasha and W. J. Livingston of Seminole have announced that they will continue to publish their papers.

A well produced more than 1,000 barrels a day was brought in on Kayser's land in Grady county.

"I am going to get out a better paper," Kayser said. "I like the game."

Kayser was a reporter in Kansas City twenty years ago, before he started the Chickasha Star.

Livingston publishes the Seminole County News. The drill is going deeper in search of greater pro-

duction on his land, but the editor is assured of a prodigious well. Although the oil boom has increased the population of Seminole from less than 1,000 to more than 5,000, Livingston says he does not yet contemplate enlarging the publication to a daily.

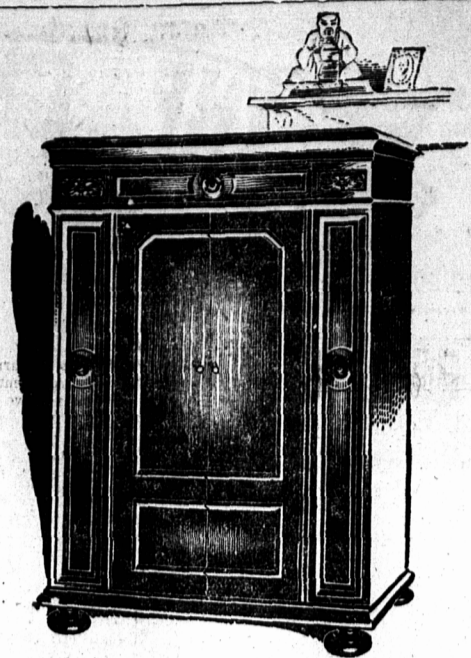
Hobo Pigeons Face Official Outlaw

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The hobo pigeons of London may be outlawed by a special act of parliament.

The ownerless birds have increased their flocks at St. Paul's Cathedral and other public buildings in such numbers that the London County Council will submit a bill empowering the officials to put an end to the vagrant pigeon population. The pigeons have been pecking at the mortar and the soft stones, such as that of the Houses of Parliament, so extensively that the authorities have been spurred to action.

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