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THE END OF THE WEEK.

Again the end of the week and a wonderfully beautiful week it has been. From the wintry desolation, the frozen earth and the leafless trees of only a few weeks ago, we have come into the smiling glory of summer, with its green carpeted, flower bordered fields and the full verdure of the forest. Truly, it is a beautiful world, and all the more beautiful because of its almost sudden awakening from the dreary cheerless sleep of winter. Do we realize, as we ought, the wonderful processes going on around us, under our feet, over our heads, in this, the morning of the year? "From dearth to plenty and from death to life is Nature's progress as she lectures man in heavenly truth." From the apparently dead ground with its dirt and grime, flowers of exquisite loveliness arise as if by magic; every spot of earth is covered with verdure, life passionately, eagerly, hurrying to express itself, somewhere, anywhere so long as it can find a place to live in and to be beautiful.

Who can take a flower, even one of the commonest wildflowers, and examine it closely without being compelled to look beyond the flower, beyond the delicate or gorgeous coloring, beyond the point at which the green ends and the coloring and the delicate tints and shadowy lines begin, to the Designer, to the wonderful mechanism which makes of one life stream and one soil all these shades, all these intricacies of bewildering beauty transcending the highest skill of human art?

At no season of the year are the marvels of that universal life which fills the universe as apparent as in these days of early summer, and we miss much if we pass them by unthinkingly. To one "the primrose by the rivers brim a yellow primrose is to him and it is nothing more." Another takes it reverently in his hand and with bowed head declares "little flower, if I could understand what you are, root and all and all in all, I could tell what God and man is."

There is a shade of sadness in the thought that within the next week we shall have passed the longest summer day, that within a week the glorious summer days will begin to shorten towards the end, the wintry end. This also is typical of life. But this is summer and let us make the best of it.

FROSTPROOF WAREHOUSE

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a resolution unanimously passed at a recent meeting of the Central King's Board of Trade. The resolution makes a reasonable demand, a demand suggested by the Potato Growers Association some time ago and a demand also which, it was promised, would be implemented.

Georgetown is the only port in the province which remains open practically the year round, the only port from which shipment can, with unfailing assurance, be made throughout the whole month of December and at least half of January. It remains open at least a month later than Charlottetown.

In the circumstances connected with the marketing of seed potatoes it is necessary to make shipments to the southern markets as late as possible, at least during the month of January. With proper facilities at Georgetown, a frost proof warehouse, such as is being asked for, such shipments could be made and better prices secured for the product, now one of the most important produced in the province.

While millions are now being expended in other provinces for public works much less needed than this, surely the few hundreds required will not be withheld from the people of this province for the frost proof warehouse asked for would be a benefit to the whole province. We trust the federal government will see its way to granting this reasonable and just request.

HOW THEY TOOK IT

It may be a coincidence, or it may have a deeper significance, that there is scarcely a prominent Liberal in the King Government who has not in one way or another had his fingers in the tar which has been oozing, or rather, flowing, from the mess recently revealed by the Customs probe at Ottawa. The former Minister of Customs, now a Senator, the present Minister of Customs, prominent members of parliament, if not actually taking part in the smuggling, have been, as shown by sworn evidence and correspondence, to have either turned their faces the other way when the smuggling was in progress, or used their influence to protect those found guilty of smuggling. No one will say that it is because they are Liberals that they played the part they did but everyone knows that they played this part to curry favor with voters and heelers in order to win their political support. By the negligence shown in this one department alone, and it is the only one probed, the country has been robbed of many millions since the present Government came into office. Can we reasonably believe that the other departments have been any better administered?

CATCH SOME, SCARE OTHERS.

The report of the Customs Investigation Committee has been presented to Parliament and will be given a day's discussion. It presents a number of recommendations among them that action be taken in the case of two or three of the most bare-faced offenders. The Ministers of the Crown, and Members of Parliament, who were more or less keeping a blind eye on the smuggling or using their influence to shield the law-breakers when found out, were not recommended for any special treatment. Reorganization, reformation and other actions are suggested. Like the little boy who didn't catch any fish boasted that he "scared them anyway," the probe, which has been in feverish progress the past month or two, has caused a general scare among the Customs officials, but there is a widespread feeling that there should have been a larger catch, and that many have escaped the hook that should not. However, an occasional scare may help some in the general clean-up that is now long overdue.

EDITORIAL NOTES

A little rain would be very acceptable at present. There is some dust to settle, some potatoes and other things to nourish.

There is considerable petty thieving going on in the city at present and evidently they are getting away with it. It is high time that some of these were rounded up.

If it should rain one of these days, it is hoped the split-log drag will be promptly brought into service, especially in those localities which neglected it when the dragging was good. Some of the roads are very creditable, but unfortunately this cannot be said of all the roads. Many communities are suffering from a bad reputation on account of the condition of their roads and the condition is not due alone to the Road Master. The community should compel him to take action.

Notes by the Way

The late Sir William Macdonald of Montreal, after acquiring a fortune in that city, was a most munificent donor of gifts and bequests to the institutions of the city of his adoption and also gratefully remembered his native Province of Prince Edward Island. Lord Beaverbrook, as a native of New Brunswick, in his elevation to fortune and fame, has not forgotten his home land. For years past he has made scholarship awards of $325 each to five students from that province for the full term of four years, and this year is taking forty school teachers across the Atlantic as his guests for a delightful holiday in England. This is praiseworthy.

The Government of Ontario has announced its intention of taking control of the inspecting, grading and marketing of the principal farm products that are exported abroad. The plan includes storage preparatory to shipment. Altogether it seems to be a gigantic undertaking. The necessity for such action is pointed out by the Minister of Agriculture, exists in the fact that such quantities of inferior farm products, notably of apples and butter, have been shipped to the British markets that they have discredited the Province as a source of food supply and so lowered the prices that the best Ontario butter has been selling at 15 cents per pound less than that from other countries.

It is argued that official inspection, grading and certification with standardization and the appointment of government sales agents, will provide a remedy. On the other hand the Government plan has aroused strong objection from produce dealers in Toronto and in other parts of Ontario as an unwarranted interference by the Government with private enterprise and one that will do more harm than good. As one produce dealer put the case, "the undertaking is too enormous and expensive to commend itself to any business man. I don't think the Government is in any position to buy the farmer's products and advance money for them," he said, "and the farmers want cash for their stuff."

Both the Federal and Provincial Governments have departments of Agriculture and the Federal Government has its own regulations for inspection, grading and stamping. Duplication is one of the strong objections to the Ontario plan, and it is claimed that mostly all the big packers and produce shippers have their own agents in the Old Country already. Other arguments are put forward on both sides. It is a big experiment and whether destined to succeed or fail the result will be awaited with interest in other provinces of the Dominion as well as in Ontario.

The Quebec Government is preparing to reckon with the lawless motor car drivers. A despatch tells that 150 policemen mounted on swift motor cycles will patrol the highways throughout the province and will promptly arrest violators of the speed regulations and intoxicated drivers. When they are brought into court and convicted, those who have broken the speed laws will be fined and deprived of their licenses and the boozy ones will be sent to jail without the option of a fine. Strong measures are called for. In Canada as well as in the United States the number of persons killed or maimed in so-called motor accidents—many of them crimes—is mounting upward rapidly from year to year.

It is claimed that the discovery of Marquis wheat has been worth $500,000,000 already to the Prairie Provinces. This wheat yields largely, matures in a short season and therefore can be grown over a large area further north than was before available. Its discovery was the result of research work, a much neglected line of investigation in Canada. Research work has placed the United States and Germany at the head of the industrial world. Great Britain is now expending £5,000,000, and the United States much more yearly on research work, while Canada expends but a mere pittance.

Research work is sadly needed in Canada if only to eliminate tuberculosis in cattle, or wheat rust in western grainfields, which cost the country untold millions yearly—the annual loss in Manitoba and Saskatchewan from the rust blight being set down at $25,000,000. And in a year how many millions of public money are wasted or thrown away that might be devoted to finding out the cause and cure for such destructive agencies!

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D

CHRONIC APPENDIX TROUBLE

One of the uses of the barium meal and the X-ray, now becoming more generally used, is in detecting an old chronic appendix case.

Cancer and ulcer of the stomach or intestine can usually be detected by this means. The outline of the black shadow of the meal is readily seen and points of irregularity in the stomach and intestine are noted.

It so often happens that an individual will have some pain in the abdomen, near, but not at the exact place where the appendix is usually found.

Now the appendix may be at some distance from this spot, and physicians have been able to show that at least twenty other conditions can so resemble appendicitis, that the utmost care must be taken in giving a diagnosis of appendicitis.

The appendix allows material to go into it, and is capable of pushing that material out. It is not just a little motionless sack, although its use in adults at least, is not definitely known. And so when there is pain occurring in the abdomen from time to time, and the physician thinks it may be due to a chronic inflammation of the appendix, he can diagnose it from other conditions by giving the barium meal and then watching the appendix by means of the X-ray. A normal appendix will fill and can be seen, sometime within three or four days.

If the barium remains in the appendix, and doesn't empty out into the intestine in three or four days, then something is usually wrong. If the appendix will not fill at all, or if the shadow is very long, or deformed, then also is there likely to be some trouble with the appendix.

Where the intestine itself is slow in moving its contents along in the region of the appendix, this also is taken to mean appendix trouble usually.

Where the appendix is thus found to be the cause of the pain the physician usually tries treatment for awhile, and often gets splendid results.

Where the pain continues or comes back again frequently, then the removal of the appendix is considered the wisest plan. An acute attack, miles away from a surgeon, might be dangerous, whereas the removal of the appendix between attacks is safe about ninety-nine times in a hundred.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

June 19, 1926

THE LORD'S BLESSING—"The Lord thy God hath blessed thee in all the works of thy hand." Deut. 2:7.

PRAYER—May we O Lord our God, do with our might whatever hand finds to do.

June 20, 1926

MAKING A STRONG LEADER—"The Lord said * * * Charge Joshua and encourage him, and strengthen him." Deut. 3:26, 28.

PRAYER—In obedience to Thy command Lord, May we encourage and strengthen our leaders in righteousness.

THE PRESENCE OF GOD

We hear Him in the rustling of the leaves
In the sighing of the breeze,
In the lowing of the herds,
In the singing of the birds,
And we worship Him our God.

We see Him in the ocean's rippling wave,
In the shining orbs of night,
In the varied tints of flowers,
In the earth's most verdant bowers
And we praise this God of ours.
We feel Him in the gentle breath of spring,
In the summer's warmth and beauty,
In the autumn's richest glow,
In the clasp of winter's snow,
And we reverence Him our God.

We meet Him in the darkness and the night,
In the sunshine and the shower,
In the hush of twilight stillness,
In the quiet midnight hour.
And we love this God of power.
—S. A. Tyndale.

Daily Lessons In English

By W. L. Gordon

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED.—Don't say "he was deeply effected by the news." Say "affected."

OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED:—pseudonym. Pronounce su-do-nim, the u as in "rule," o as in "no," i as in "him," accent on first syllable.

OFTEN MISSPELLED: eligible; ible.

SYNONYMS: difficulty, dilemma, predicament, plight, perplexity, puzzle, quandary.

WORD STUDY: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: RETINUE; the attendants of a person of rank; an escort. "She was followed by her retinue of servants."

Happenings of The Week

Do not look at clouds and shadows,
Watch for sunshine day by day,
Let your tones be full of courage,
Scatter gladness on the way.
Up and down the teeming present
Learn the dear and precious art,
How to meet both haps and mishaps
Ever with a cheery heart.

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Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Lady Byng of Vimy will leave Ottawa on June 28 for farewell visits to Toronto, Hamilton and London, returning on July 10. On the first of August Their Excellencies will leave for a farewell tour in the Maritime Provinces returning about August 19 to Ottawa, where they will remain until the beginning of September. They will visit Quebec prior to their departure from the Dominion, about the middle of that month.

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The grounds at Buckingham Palace are to receive the attention of the best landscape gardeners in England. Queen Mary is said to favor extensive alterations, including the removal of much of the shrubbery, and the substitution of numerous flower beds, which would provide more space in the gardens and render them more attractive. The grounds are four acres in extent, and it has been announced that they will be the scene of three royal garden parties during the coming summer.

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Several delightful functions were tendered Miss Helen Mathieson this week in honor of her marriage which takes place next week.

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Miss Alethia Laird was hostess at luncheon in her honor on Wednesday, the table being quaintly arranged with dainty old fashioned nosegay bouquets which the hostess gracefully presented later to her guests.

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On Wednesday afternoon, the Misses Stewart, daughters of Premier and Mrs. J. D. Stewart, entertained at a handkerchief shower and tea for Miss Mathieson. Two winsome flower girls, Jessica Jenkins and Marjory Reddin, in dainty frocks and pink hats, presented the bride-to-be with an exquisitely arranged flower basket in which the gifts were concealed. Upwards of sixty young people were present on this occasion. The pretty tea table was presided over by Mrs. W. Bruce Muir and Mrs. D. R. Maclennan, who were assisted in serving by Miss Nellie Gillespie, Miss Elaine Beales, Miss Doris Gill and Mrs. J. Hillion. Receiving with the hostesses and Miss Mathieson was Miss Florence Jenkins of Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell's entertainment for Miss Mathieson was a dance in the Navy League last evening, when the hours were all too quickly whiled away to merry strains with jolly partners. Supper was served at a late hour.

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Miss Berna Huestis gave a prettily arranged Bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Mathieson, cards being played at four tables. Refreshments were served in the dining room, the table being exquisitely arranged with pink and white flowers. Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell presided over the tea cups.

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The violin recital by the pupils of Miss Kathleen Hornby was a pleasing feature of the week. Miss Hornby afterwards entertained her pupils at her home at Brighton.

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Your Birthday

JUNE 19.—You are sensitive, retiring, sympathetic and loving. While you have strong convictions you will yield to others rather than take a positive stand in your own behalf. You are very affectionate, although you have not many very great friends. You will not be happy if you go through life alone. Cultivate hope, and live out of doors a lot.

Your birth-stone is a pearl, which means health and long life.

Your flower is the honeysuckle.

Your lucky colors are light blue and white.

JUNE 20.—You have great ability, originality and mechanical skill. You think deeply, are close-mouthed in regard to your own affairs, but always willing to lend a helping hand, and take a great deal of interest in affairs outside of your regular routine. You have many friends, and are a lover of home and kindred. Never listen to gossip, and don't get too absorbed in money-making. Love is zest.

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Mrs. Julian C. Jaynes and three young children, Helen, Julian and Robert, arrived this week from West Newton, Mass., to occupy their summer home at Keppoch.

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A cordial welcome is being given Mrs. W. F. Harper, and tiny daughter, who arrived Tuesday from Selma, Alabama, to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gordon. Dr. Harper is coming for the month of August.

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Mrs. George E. Full has returned from Boston, where she was visiting her daughter, Miss Margaret.

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The Premier of Prince Edward Island and Mrs. J. D. Stewart, who have been in Ottawa, have left for Montreal and will take a boat trip down the Saguenay on their way home. They are expected home early next week.

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The Chief Justice and Mrs. Mathieson have as their guest Miss Florence Jenkins, of Montreal, who came to attend their eldest daughter's wedding to Mr. Chauvin next week.

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Rev. H. R. Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Coleman, Winter street, St. John, has been visiting his parents before leaving for Port Hill, where he will assume the rectorship of the Anglican church. Rev. Mr. Coleman received his B.A. from the University of Toronto on June 4, and previously completed his theological studies at Wycliffe College, Toronto.

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The Golf Club hostesses today are Mrs. H. W. Longworth, Mrs. A. W. Weeks, Mrs. L. D. Murray, Miss R. Longworth, Miss L. Weeks.

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Mrs. Harold Cross, with her charming little son and daughter, has arrived from Montreal to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Johnson.

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There seems no trend in favor of long hair, and the most smartly dressed women are closely shingled. Occasionally part of the hair is allowed to be long enough to be worn in biscuits over the ears.

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That there is an abundance of musical talent in this city was demonstrated very plainly this week in the fine recital given by Professor Fletcher's pupils in vocal and piano, which was thoroughly enjoyed.

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Miss Maud Stewart left yesterday for Kingston, Ont., where she will visit friends and take part in the social gaieties in connection with the Royal Military College June Ball which takes place Monday. Miss Stewart will spend a few days next week in Montreal and then go on to New York for a more extended holiday.

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The tea hostesses at the Tennis Courts this afternoon will be the Misses Jamieson, Marjorie Stewart, Hazel Edgett.

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Miss B. Mackelvie, of Summerside, spent a pleasant week-end with her friend, Miss Ethel Stewart, Kent St.

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The delightful folk songs sung by Mr. William Hueghan on Monday and Tuesday evenings in the Prince Edward Theatre will linger long in the memories of those who attended, nothing like their rendition ever previously having been heard here.

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Mrs. Bonnell, wife of Rev. Sidney Bonnell, of Saint John, has arrived with her little son to spend the summer with friends in this city and New Glasgow.

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Hon. L. P. D. Tilley, Mr. P. F. Blanchet, Mr. Horace Miles and Col. B. R. Armstrong, of Saint John, accompanied by Mr. F. W. H. Drury, Secretary of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, came over from Moncton last Saturday and spent several days fishing here.

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The opal is no longer considered a gem of ill-omen. Women are buying them for their beauty and have realized the charm of their changing colors. Black opals from Ceylon are the most popular, but the most fashionable women are only wearing them in the afternoon. Diamonds, pearls and emeralds still hold pride of place for evening wear.

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To prevent the appearance of the V-shaped red patch on the neck and chest, the bane of the woman tennis player, an accessory to this season's tennis outfit, is the "sunburn scarf." Made of double crepe de chine, the scarfs are just long enough to twist around neck and throat except for the embroidered ends, one of which falls over the chest as a sun shield, while the other does the same service for the back of the neck.

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DR. and Mrs. J. Y. MacFadyen of Anguilla, B. W. I., were passengers coming to Charlottetown, Tuesday evening to sepnd the summer months with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Holbrook.

New England Enters Market With Climate

BOSTON, June 18.—Three northern New England states, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, have launched aggressive advertising campaigns to tell the world all about themselves and their natural and commercial advantages.

The legislative bodies of these states, noting the beneficial results following similar action on the part of other states, have appropriated approximately $120,000 for a two year program of favorable publicity. This amount has been augmented by other contributions to a total of about a quarter of a million dollars.

Prepare Sales Talks

The states have not lagged in adopting sales talks with which to "put over" their advertising plans in a business-like way. Paramount among their persuasive arguments is that advanced by California and Florida—a superlative climate. Perpetual warmth and insistent sunshine is the boast of the south and west; Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont officially brag of a consummate clime, the culmination of bleak, snow swept winters, refreshing summer months, delightful springs and lingering autumns.

Publication and free issuance of a series of booklets graphically picturing the splendors of the Green Mountain state in all four seasons, was an important part of the publicity work carried on by Vermont. The pamphlets said "all Vermot is inviting all" to vacation near Lake Champlain or perhaps Lake Bomoseen, see rugged Mt. Mansfield and visit the Connecticut Valley and Montpelier," the maple sugar capital of the world".

One State Spends $100,000

New Hampshire, with a fund of $100,000 has gone farther by establishing information bureaus and contracting for newspaper advertising space in daily and Sunday newspapers from Boston to St. Louis. Thousands of inquiries have resulted and each is answered with information about New Hampshire's commerce and industries, its White Mountains, lakes and summer and winter resorts.

In Maine, the propaganda project has been pushed intensively under the urge of Governor Brewster. Newspaper space, circulars, radio, moving pictures, lectures and articles and magazine stories by prominent writers, have been used for publicity purposes.

The advertising department said the campaign "has been conducted in the same manner as that by any other merchant. We sold the idea to Maine people and made every citizen a salesman for the state." More than fifty moving picture subjects have been made and released throughout the country.

Wheat Farmers Pooling Crop; to Delay Selling

WICHITA, Kas., June 18.—Thousands of farmers in Kansas, Oklahoma, Nebraska and Colorado will market their 1926 wheat crop co-operatively this fall and winter.

State selling units in these states have combined their membership and resources in the Southwest Cooperative Wheat Growers association, which will act as the selling agency. The organization has taken over the sales equipment of the Kansas pool, which includes a 400,000 bushel terminal elevator in Leavenworth and another of 1,000,000 bushels at Kansas City.

It is planned to obtain control of wheat, store it in the terminal elevators and slowly feed it into the market.

Royal Boxes Set Aside In All Italian Operas

ROME, June 18.—Members of the Italian Royal family, when travelling, will be certain of good seats for grand opera.

By a new decree the special Royal boxes have been renovated in the Scala Opera House of Milan, the San Carlo of Naples, the Fenice of Venice and the Carlo Felice of Genoa. They are paid for permanently by the Ministries of Finance and Public Instruction.

Catch Speckled Beauties

Healthful sport, beating up and down woodland brooks in search of trout. The exhilaration that comes with every bite or strike drives away care and sets one's nerves to tingling.

FLIES

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Old Home For Pioneer Swedes Waiting Prince

NEWTON, Mass., June 16—There will be three acres of Sweden in the heart of New England on Sunday, June 20. After a round of social functions and visits to seats of learning and culture, the Crown Prince and Princess of Sweden are going to spend the last of their four days in Boston with the old folks.

Over the green of the grounds of the Swedish Old People's Home in West Newton will swirl the full skirts of dancers bodiced and capped in the national costume of Sweden. Opposite them will step the men and boys in ancient folk dances. Then the Triangle Chorus, only one of the famous groups of Swedish singers whose festivals are looked for in the spring, are going to present a program which will include many of the classic songs of that land as well as the best that is American.

There is a primping and a fixing up of best dresses going on among the more than thirty residents of the home, each of whom is a native of Sweden, although many of them gave their best years to the building of America.

They are particularly glad to see the Prince because it was his younger brother William, who indirectly led to the establishment of the home.

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