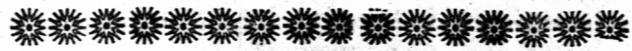


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EDITOR'S MAIL.

THE MAN'S BURDEN.

SIR.—I have read the GUARDIAN'S article under the above heading. Have you ever seen the stoke hole of an ocean liner going through the Red Sea, with the stokers stripped to the buff and the thermometer standing at 120 Far? Or have you ever seen a man on the weather yard-arm of a ship, reefing top sails in a howling gale of wind? I have seen both.

If you have, may I ask you do you think a woman could do her share of that work? Or, if not, will you define where a woman's sphere begins and where it ends? If you can do this satisfactorily you may convert me to believe a woman has a right to a seat at the council or school board. At present I do not believe she has any such right.—Come—"think over it."

Yours.

SAILOR.

Coming Men of America.

SIR. Allow me through the columns of your paper to make known something about an order, new of existence in this part of our Dominion.

The order above referred to, the C. M. A. (Coming Men of America), was organized in the year 1894; the Grand Lodge incorporated in the same year in the State of Illinois, the order having rolled up a membership of ten thousand from that time up to the end of the year 1898, with lodges in every part of the American continent. This order having for its purpose the fitting and ennobling of the coming men of America to take their places in the gaps in the ranks of the men of today that are sure to be made from time to time by the grim reaper death.

I wish to bring the C. M. A. to the notice of the public, for surely an order with so grand an object should be known and helped by the church, the press and the public in general. We have no organizers and therefore we have not gained so large an amount of publicity as have others. Nothing will be gained by one or a number of members by the spread of the C. M. A. except heartfelt assurance that good will come of it. In my opinion a lodge of the C. M. A. is the proper training school for a better citizenship; in it can be struck the death-blow to political corruption and all other evils; for by the filling of the different offices in the Lodge, by the carrying on of its business and the debates and programs carried out from time to time as well as the reading of the Star (the official organ of the C. M. A.) which holds up as example and encouragement to its readers the lives of the noble and true men of the past and present, will instil into its members the noble desire to be men, and thus is formed a foundation to build upon other reforms that before the youthful mind did not feel inclined to embrace.

"We live," says Emerson, "in a new and exceptional age. America is another name for opportunity. Our whole history appears like a last effort of the Divine Providence in behalf of the human race." This is our opportunity. The new is supplanting the old everywhere. The machinery of fifty years ago, in the shop, and on the farm is now useless. Therefore, should not the machinery—Youthful America—be run in the right moulds, and cast of the proper material for the boys are the coming men of America, and it is their turn next.

Yours for truth,

J. FRED. PIERSON.

North Carleton, P. E. I.

The Changes in Farming.

From Prof Robertson's Report. One of the causes of progress is the world-wide competition created by the general diffusion of knowledge, the enormous extension of railway and shipping facilities, the building of telegraphs and the circulation of newspapers. These have made the New Zealand farmer a next door neighbor, in market competition, to the Canadian; and have brought the coolie of India with his wheat into direct competition with the settler in the vast and fertile plains of Manitoba and the North-West Territories. The Canadian farmer is therefore compelled by the stress of competition to turn his attention to those classes of products which he can exchange to the best advantage. He can do that successfully by selling those which call for skill in their production and manufacture, as he is thereby lifted above competition with the low order of labor which prevails in such countries as India and Russia.

The stern necessity which continuously confronts the farmer of giving full value for all he gets, has compelled some improvement of the quality of his products. A business man or speculator may acquire a good deal—we carelessly and incorrectly say, may make a great deal—of wealth by a happy or unhappy stroke of luck. It is the law of the farmer's business to get wealth only for full value given. To them as a class it is committed in a peculiar manner and measure to preserve the moral integrity of humanity by respecting the rights of others, since willingly or unwillingly they have known no other experience.

Where shall the farmer look for guidance in fitting himself for the future changes which progress implies?

(1) To the Agricultural Societies, Exhibitions and Illustration Stations, which furnish object lessons and stimulations provoking him, into better works;

(2) To voluntary associations, farmers' conventions, meetings of clubs and Farmers' Institutes, which make the information of the leading farmers the common property of all;

(3) To the Departments of Agriculture of the Provincial Governments and the Department of Agriculture of the Dominion, through the various agencies which they provide.

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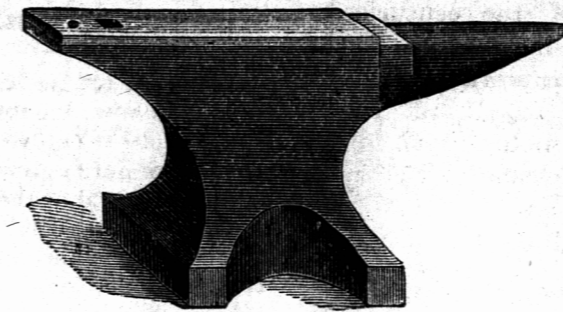
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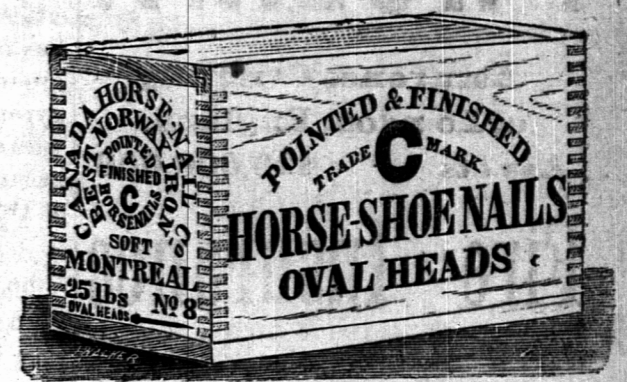


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