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CHRISTMAS CHARITY.

Among the many appeals for Christmas remembrances is one from the Bernardo Homes, London, England. These homes are known to many families in Prince Edward Island through the fact that in their homes boys and girls are now growing up to respectable manhood and womanhood, who were rescued from lives of uselessness, crime and shame through the agency of these homes.

There are many calls for charity at this season of the year and, very generally, the Christian spirit of benevolence is given a looser rein and a wider scope as the great Christian festival approaches. Very generally, also, the benevolence is directed inward and its benefits fall where least needed. In too many cases the Christmas remembrances amount simply to an exchange of gifts and a summing up afterwards to determine whether the receipts equalled the gifts, with appropriate gratification or disappointment at the difference.

One of the greatest institutions in the world, because it seeks to redeem from waste the world's greatest asset, human life, is the Bernardo Home. It has made a record for itself which at once stamps it as Christ-like. "The little ones" trampled and lost in the world's mire, dragged through the slime of their parents' sins, born amid poverty and crime—these are the material which this home is moulding back to human shape and usefulness. And it has succeeded amazingly. One thousand six hundred and thirty boys and girls were admitted to the permanent benefits of the Home last year. These were picked out of the slums of London, taken from abject poverty, from parents who were habitual criminals and from general conditions which led inevitably to criminality. In the Home they are being transformed into men and women with new ideals, with a new conception of life and life's duties and an opportunity to

add their quota to the world's work and the world's happiness. In all 77,000 children have passed through the Bernardo Homes and of these the great majority are today respectable men and women, filling places of responsibility and usefulness in the world. What would they have been had not the helping hand been held out to them? Surely if any institution deserves the recognition and support and sympathy of the Christian world it is such an institution as this.

It may not be within reach of many of our readers to materially assist this particular branch of the world's Christian work. But similar work, on a smaller scale perhaps, is within reach of each of our readers. The Christmas season is approaching, the season commemorative of the world's greatest Gift. In remembrance of this we give our gifts and in the giving we cultivate the true spirit of Christianity whose greatest asset is charity. Let not the gifts be wasted. There is need of them. There are in every city, in every town, some "little ones," old and young who need direction, need a helping hand, need encouragement. Many of them need so sorely that, without the helping hand, they must go down. On those who have it in their power to prevent the fall lies the responsibility for the fall.

The world is full of goodness and charity. When need becomes apparent there is no lack of human sympathy. It is among the cases that are not apparent, away down in the underworld, in the places that have no voice nor language which the busy world can hear, that the need exists and that the grasp of the helping hand would mean life and hope. Let the Christmas spirit include those, this year, and let the prosperity that is flooding our land as never before shine down into these dark corners.

CLEAN LANGUAGE.

A correspondent recommends the organization in Charlottetown of a "Clean Language League," the idea having been suggested by the quality of conversation generally overheard on the street corners and "not infrequently coming from well dressed and good looking females."

The use of profane language is vulgar as well as senseless and useless and few respectable men and no respectable "females" resort to it. It is generally supposed to add force and emphasis to conversation but in the mouths of those who habitually use it, it loses any force it might otherwise possess and becomes simply ridiculous. Its sinfulness is unquestioned.

CONSTIPATION

Can Be Cured.

You cannot expect to be well if you allow your bowels to become clogged. What is necessary is to have a free motion of them every day, and to keep them in this condition all the time if you wish to be strong and healthy. If you don't keep them open the system will become clogged up with poisonous matter and produce constipation, headache, dyspepsia, bad blood, etc.

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It is said of George Washington that he was never heard to swear except once, but on that one memorable occasion, the expletive he used added such intensity to his order that the fleeing regiment halted, faced the foe and drove them back. Under such circumstances there might be some excuse for a cussword, if a stronger could not be recalled.

Profanity has not been a characteristic of either the great or the good although it has been charged that Horace Greeley lost his position on the editorial staff of a certain New York journal on account of the picturesqueness of his vocabulary. He was a great journalist, and even a journalist has his limitations—and his temptations.

Clean language is an evidence of culture and refinement. The cultured and the refined require no league or other organization to assist them in keeping their mouths clean, and the foul-mouthed would not join such a league if organized. The only hope for deliverance from foul language is to treat it as other forms of vulgarity are treated and, when it displays itself offensively on the street, treat it as other offences against the law are treated, by handing the offender over to the police, for there is a stringent law against profanity.

With many profanity is a thoughtless habit, acquired through evil companionship. Those addicted to it are not aware of the unfavorable light in which they place themselves and a little reflection on the senselessness as well as the sinfulness of the habit would cure them. As to the organization of a clean language league, the best part of the city is now such a league. If these place the stamp of their disapproval upon unbecoming language it will go far towards driving the habit into the slums where it belongs.

THE SESSION.

The present parliamentary session has, so far, produced little more than the Speech from the Throne. The

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parties were still "sparring for position" up to Tuesday night when the vote was taken on the address. There have been several rhetorical passages but nothing of practical importance has been accomplished.

The tariff and the naval policy, although neither of them formally before the House, both formed elastic texts from which a number of sermons were preached on either side, while the McDonald and Richelieu elections gave excuse for denouncing political corruption on the one hand and giving an opportunity to the other of declaring "you're another."

There was much discussion on these and some minor points. The naval policy of the government had been anticipated by the opposition rather than divulged by the government, with the exception of the "feeler" issued immediately previous to the session regarding the thirty million dollar contribution. The discussion was more desultory than conclusive and pretty "hot in spots," the government being accused of frequent turn-overs on the subject and continuously twitted with their alliance with the Nationalists. The government members retaliated in kind and each side had its shortcomings and those of its friends pretty clearly defined.

The course is now clear for a discussion of the Naval Policy and the fight is being resumed on more definite lines.

NOTES.

There is a feeling of relief in Europe at the announcement that Germany and Austria are united in their attitude as regards the Russian policy in Southern Europe. It cannot be denied however that a general feeling of insecurity will continue until the whole war business is finally wound up. There are still many important details to settle. Greece has not signed the protocol for an armistice and this may mean a split among the allies arising from jealousness concerning the possession of Saloniki and the insistence of the Greeks on the capitulation of Adrianople.

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LETTER TO THE FARMER

The business of farming is in the most critical period of its development.

Both the working farmer and the investor in farm lands and securities are seriously studying how to turn farm products into net profits.

There are thousands of farmers in Prince Edward Island alone.

Is it not hard to believe that only one of every five read a farm paper at all?

Only one in five! The other four need the instructions given by farm papers.

The Guardian management has completed arrangements with the publishers of The Canadian Countryman so that this excellent weekly magazine will be mailed FREE for one year to any subscriber of the Guardian who remits a year's subscription in advance according to instructions on first page.

The Canadian Countryman is published weekly at Toronto, Canada, and

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