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COMMUNITY ENTERTAINMENT

Those who were present at the Community Dance and Singing on Friday night, either as active participants or spectators, are enthusiastic over the success of the first experiment along this line. The cheers and applause which greeted the announcement that a similar function would take place in the near future indicated quite clearly that the affair had touched a popular chord and that future undertakings of a similar kind would be well patronized.

It was purely a community gathering; while open to all, the eternal natural law of selection was in no way interfered with; all the levels of society were represented and the "Joneses" who did not wish to associate with the "Smiths" could dance exclusively with the "Joneses" without offence to the "Smith's," and vice versa. It was a great out of doors gathering in which all invited to make a night of it" and they did it in orderly and enjoyable fashion.

It is good for communities to dwell together in unity and the more community enjoyment there is the more harmonious and happy the community will become. The out doors is open to all, and in such glorious summer weather as we have in this province all, whether natives or visitors want to spend all the time they can in the open, but the monotony of the out of doors needs the relief of some common enjoyment and no form of out door enjoyment so far tried seems to have met with a more popular response than that of Friday night. "The Band concert on the Square" has always been enjoyed by citizens and visitors but the Community Dance and Singing seems to have gone one better. Possibly some inventor may devise a means by which the two can be amalgamated.

Let us in every way encourage the community spirit; it will make for a happier and better city. The next performance, we feel assured, will be eagerly awaited.

OUR INCOME TAX

The income tax has been so reduced this year in the United States that the average person over there now pays about one-third less than he would pay in Canada. Our people know this, and they complain bitterly. The effect is to encourage emigration of income paying citizens and still worse to discourage enterprise and deaden business. But how can the income tax be reduced appreciably when the tariff is lowered so that a deficit, rather than a surplus, confronts the country?

The United States Government realizing that there would be a strong demand for the reduction of the income tax, and for the abolition of vexatious war taxes generally, three years ago prepared the way for such reductions by providing a compensating source of revenue. What did it do? Why it fell back on the tariff. During the fiscal year ending June 30th it collected $545,000,000 through the tariff, or 70 per cent more than it did three years ago. It had a surplus of $505,000,000 which was applied to the reduction of the debt.

Revenue has been falling behind quite rapidly during the first three months of the present fiscal year, but the worst is yet to come. Business is depressed and consequently revenue will suffer. If expenditure were being reduced it would not be so bad, but it is not. The only thing that is being cut is the revenue, and in proportion as the tariff is cut away, away goes also the necessary protection that industry in this country has enjoyed.

on the tariff. The result is that the country is heading for serious trouble. The Liberals of the Laurier regime, when the country had only to raise a little over $12,000,000 a year for interest charges, thought it necessary to raise 60 percent of their revenue through the tariff. What would they think of their present-day successors who, though they have to raise twice as much for interest think they can whittle away the tariff without damage?

CROW'S NEST MIX-UP

The lapse of the period for which Crow's Nest agreement railway rates were suspended has raised a lot of questions which threaten trouble for the Government and also for the Canadian National and other railways says the Montreal Gazette. The agreement by which for a specified consideration and over a specified territory shippers into and out of the region were allowed special low rates on an extensive list of commodities was political in its purposes, as well as commercial. The company which constructed the line received a considerable subsidy. No one at the time foresaw that the Government would become owner of rival railways, nor that there would be development of the Canadian Pacific in a way to give occasion for claims for other reductions. When the war suspended the agreement all rates passed under the control of the Board of Railway Commissioners and no complaints were heard. When this month the suspension lapsed and the Crow's Nest rates were re-established, immediately there began complaints. At Lethbridge the point was raised for the Railway Commission to settle as to whether it was permissible to charge more for hauling wheat from a point not included in the Crow's Nest agreement than was charged from one within the region, the distance to market being relatively the same. The Board of Railway Commissioners has rendered decisions which, it is contended, establish the principle that for a similar service like charges only are legal. If this rule is applied to this Lethbridge case there will be a wide extension of the area over which Crow's Nest rates will apply. There is complaint also that certain Ontario manufacturers find that the re-established rates affect their interests adversely. The matter may require Government consideration, though this may not be followed by Government action. If the result of lowering of rates on the Canadian Pacific is that the Canadian National Railway has to meet them to retain business, the annual deficit between revenue and operation and maintenance charges on the Government road will be increased, which is not a pleasant thing for the national taxpayer or the Minister of Finance to contemplate. It is noteworthy that there is no enthusiasm in British Columbia over the reduction, while in Manitoba little is said in favor of it. This does not alter the situation to any extent, however. The clamor has been started and will be kept up. Those behind it have in view their own present advantage, financial or political, and care nothing for the general interest or for justice. In taking the easy way out of the complications arising out of an agreement of doubtful public wisdom, the Government may find that it took the costly way.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The reason so many people think there is going to be an election this fall is that the Liberals are so persistently trying to make it appear that there is not going to be one.

Notes By The Way

It was given out some time ago that Premier King would visit the Western Provinces in September. More recently some Ottawa despatches intimated that important business at Ottawa and in England might so occupy his time and attention as to require cutting out his intended western trip. On Thursday last Hon. E. M. Macdonald, Minister of Militia passed through Moncton and is quoted as saying there that the question of the proposed tour of Premier King and other Cabinet Ministers through the Maritime Provinces would be taken up at a meeting of the Cabinet at Ottawa tomorrow.

It is quite natural that plans for such tours should be reconsidered and revised at the first important meeting of the Cabinet following the session of Parliament. Most of the ministers have in the interim visited their constituencies and have no doubt taken note of the condition of their political fences and where they are most in need of repair or rebuilding. As the reports come in it may be difficult to decide where the needs are most urgent although there is little doubt that Quebec, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island are well up toward the head of the list.

We infer from Hon. E. M. Macdonald's statement in Moncton that he thinks the alarming conditions in Quebec and the Maritimes demand early attention. Three of these four Provinces were solid in their support in 1921. The bye-elections of last year told a different story and just now two more contests are impending in Quebec and another in New Brunswick. What may happen in these contests is on the lap of the gods. As there are no seats vacant in the Prairie Provinces the Premier may prudently turn his attention for the time from the west to the east and render first aid to the provinces by the sea.

The complete surrender to the Progressives does not suit the leading public men of Quebec any more than does the announced intention to kill the protective policy. Quebec has been long accustomed to dominate in Liberal councils. In the days of Laurier the ascendency of the French-speaking province was absolute. That ascendancy and control has now been shifted to the provinces west of the Lakes and in protest Sir Lomer Gouin retired from the Cabinet and Mr. Mitchell of Montreal resigned his seat in the House of Commons.

In Nova Scotia Mr. Fielding's position, long an indisputed leader is anomalous. He has been long ill. An acting Minister of Finance has been filling his place. It would, no doubt suit the ministerial plans if he would resign his portfolio, but he does not choose to do so and no one in the shattered remains of the Cabinet dares to hint at his resignation. While he holds on to office no complete reconstruction of the Cabinet is possible. If he cannot himself do things as he wants them done he can at least prevent some other things being done. No doubt "the little Grey Man" is conscious of his power in that regard!

That the Government is in a state of paralysis is apparent to all and what it may do or neglect to do is as uncertain as in the case of an individual who suffers from a like malady. The momentary decision appears to be to patch up its broken fences in the east as best it can and hold on to power as long as possible. If that decision holds we shall have a visit from the Premier and some of his colleagues to the Provinces by the Sea before long. What they will learn when they come will not encourage them to bring on a general election at the present time.

The Premier and his colleagues once here will easily see and learn that they are regarded as the weakest aggregation that has yet attempted to guide the destinies of the Dominion since it was founded, and there is no known remedy for imbecility. That is the undoubted verdict already agreed upon by the majority of the people in the Far East of Canada, and that is the verdict that will be delivered when the decisive hour arrives, be it soon or late. And in no section of the Maritimes will it be announced with stronger emphasis than in Prince Edward Island.

TRUTH, NOT POETRY

Hardware Clerk: If the boss liked to get off on Saturday afternoons as well as I do, I'll bet he

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

HAVE YOU GOT A GROUCH?

The famous Mike Murphy, athletic trainer University of Pensylvania, had almost an uncanny ability in putting an athlete into shape and in keeping him that way.

What was the keynote of his success?

"Never let your athlete get grouchy."

If he is grouchy there is a reason for it. Perhaps he is stale and needs a rest. Perhaps he is not getting enough sleep. Perhaps he is smoking too much. Perhaps he is longing or some particular thing and if he could get that he'd be all right.

Accordingly Mr. Murphy studied his man to get rid of his grouch.

He watched him very closely, both on the athletic field and off. He became almost a brother to him for the time being.

Sometimes he would send the chap to his home for a few days as it was a real honest to goodness case of homesickness that was at the bottom ofthe trouble.

At other times he found that some financial or other worry was keeping the boy from sleeping, and was the cause of his staleness and grouch.

He told of a case where a piece of pie was at the bottom of the trouble.

Now although pie is not allowed in the strict athletic training Mr. Murphy saw to it that this particular chap got an occasional piece of blueberry pie.

Sometimes to an inveterate cigarette smoker he would allow an occasional cigarette, as the harm of the occasional cigarette was as nothing to the harm of the grouch.

Now what is my point?

If you have a grouch the reason may be entirely in yourself inherited from a parent, or developed by yourself. Half the battle toward its removal is won. If you recognize the fact that you really have or are a grouch.

If it be a temporary grouch there is some local reason, mental or physical, so you should get busy.

Being a grouch is not your real self, and will hurt you in your own estimation, and in the estimation of others. So take a look at yourself mentally and physically. If you have been overworking and under exercising, overeating and under-sleeping, or have allowed certain things to "get on your nerves" give yourself a shake literally and figuratively and you'll get rid of your grouch.

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No matter how hard, it is easy for him.
He alters the lives of you and of me.

No one has seen him, the wizardy owl;
He fashions our lives to suit his own needs,
And often methinks he must be an old ghoul,
But the fashion he sets is the fashion that leads.

But, look what he gives us—
The glory of morn and the kindness born;
We feel when the New Year is
The Spring, with the song birds;
The Summer aglow,
The Autumn of sunshine,
And Winter's white snow.

So, look his work over again and again,
And weigh each one item, goodness and crime;
Think of the winner and loser, the loss and the gain
And think of the cares of old father Time.
Old father, whose surname is

—Margaret Clements.

Your Birthday

AUGUST 3.—You are self-contained, independent, and persistent. In a quiet way you go ahead and do things in your own way; but beware of jealousy. You are affectionate. Your happiness requires the steadfast devotion of your mate. Never allow bad temper to enter your home.

Your birth-stone is the sardonyx, which means a happy married life.

Your flower is the poppy.

Your lucky colors are orange and red.

AUGUST 4.—You are very clever, with a great taste for art and music. You are somewhat opinion-

Youngest Hostess at 10 Downing St.

"Ishbel the Conqueror" is the name the eldest daughter of Ramsay MacDonald has won for herself, we learn on the authority of Kathleen Woodward, who contributes an article on the girl to the New York Times. Miss MacDonald called upon at the unprecedently early age of twentyone to be the official hostess at 10 Downing Street for an unprecedented Prime Minister, has passed through the ordeal and is hailed as a success. Ramsay MacDonald is a widower and Ishbel has been the head of his modest household for several years. Before he moved to Downing Street he had a house at Hampstead which Ishbel generally supervised though at the same time she continued her studies in domestic science at King's College, London, and did odds and ends of journalism in Fleet Street. Alas! all that she learned of domestic science would be of small help to solve the problems of housekeeping at Downing Strett. No doubt the young lady was taught how to prepare a nutritious meal for a small family, but there is grave doubt that the duties of hostess to some of the most distinguished visitors to London were inculcated.

A Friend of Queen Mary's

But Miss MacDonald is plentifully dowered with common sense, wit and courage. She tackled her job confidently and immediately won the hearts of those with whom she came into contact. It is said that particularly she enlisted the support of Queen Mary, who, by the way is a neighbor, and who is as competent to run any sort of household as any woman in the Kingdom. There is a rumor that the Queen could even darn socks or make an appetizing Irish stew if the occasion arose. At any rate, Ishbel and her father were soon invited to be the guests of the King and Queen at Windsor and the chats between the girl and the Queen were quite as important as those between the King and the first Labor Prime Minister. It is said that the Queen found Miss MacDonald quite as much to her taste as the daughter of any aristocrat who might have occupied her position, and was delighted to find her so eager to receive hints that would prove helpful. But Miss MacDonald does not always take kindly to hints. Her Scottish blood resents any suggestion of patronage and she had quietly to put back in her place a noble dame who undertook to condescend to her.

Mrs. Clynes a Comfort.

This lady, a highly placed hostess, ruling over one of the smartest Liberal sets in London, wrote to Miss MacDonald a few days after her father had become Prime Minister to place herself at her disposal; or rather to place Miss MacDonald at her disposal. She offered to help her choose the frocks for the oncoming courts and suggested that as no doubt Miss MacDonald's deportment left much to be desired she would drill her faithfully so that she might not disgrace civilization when she was brought into contact with high society. To all of this Miss MacDonald replied: "I have chosen my gowns and I think I shall know how to behave at court." Besides Queen Mary she has another highly placed neighbor, to wit, Mrs. Clynes, wife of the Lord Privy Seal, who lives next door, Mrs. Clynes began at a lower level than Miss MacDonald. Her husband was once a cotton spinner in one of the ugliest and most poverty-stricken towns in England. She has reared a large family on a minimum income, and remains a motherly woman, unspoiled by the success of her husband, and anxious to help Ishbel MacDonald to triumph as signally in her sphere as Ramsay MacDonald has triumphed in his. Between the Queen and Mrs. Clynes, Miss MacDonald has a sufficiency of advisers.

Difficult Problems.

Yet she has more difficult problems to solve, or at least the prospect of more difficult problems, than either of the others or than any other hostess at 10 Downing Street ever had. She has the most curious and diversified of guests. Until the war, the people breakfasting or dining at Downing Street were all, generally speaking, of the same class. They were all people born or long resident of the world of leisure and large affairs. If it was necessary that there should be a few representatives of some other section of society invited, they were invited in a group. Now all sorts and conditions are mixed together and foreigners from all over the world are continually dropping in. Something like genius must be required of a hostess in these circumstances. Miss MacDonald must entertain simultaneously a haughty great lady, a female Bolshevist and an important woman politically who a few years ago was a mill hand. No doubt her youth and the magnitude of the task before her have helped. She began with everybody's sympathy and she has not allienated it, and every week that goes by without some frightful social blunder decreases the probability that there will be one.

Other Downing Street Hostesses.

Lloyd George at 10 Downing Street had two competent women to help him. One was his wife, who did the household part in her solid Welsh way, and the other was Miss Megan, who stepped into the spotlight when it was necessary. She was her father's constant companion, a charming and brilliant girl, who was of great advantage to him socially. Before the Lloyd Georges 10 Downing Street had in Margot Asquith quite the most brilliant woman who ever reigned in that famous place. Mrs. Asquith was equal to any emergency, but she was in a favored position. It was not part of her task to propitiate those who were her guests; it was strictly up to the guests to propitiate her, unless they desired to figure as the current the next week. Miss MacDonald has some of the advantages of Miss Lloyd George, in that she has been her father's companion and a partaker since early childhood in the intellectual life of the household. Her mother was a brilliant woman, and their home was an intellectual centre. On the whole then, it may be said that Miss Ishbel MacDonald is quite as well qualified to be hostess at 10 Downing Street as her father is to be Prime Minister of Great Britain.

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Suicide By Cannon

(By Dominion News Service)

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—A thirty-six-year-old inventor named Johan Baussky has commited suicide in Budapest by blowing off his head with a cannon.

He filled the barrel of the cannon, which had a bore of about four inches, with nails and bits of iron, placed his head against the muzzle end and then, by means of a spring fired the gun. The charge blew his head to pieces.

The motives of his act is said to have been disappointment at the refusal of the Hungarian War Ministry to accept his new quick-firing gun, which, he was told, an officer of the testing committee, had submitted as his own invention. Without waiting to have this report confirmed Baussky took his life.

Proud Father (to bank manager): "Ah, Mr. Clark, I want to see you about opening an account for the new arrival at our house. How shall we describe it, to distinguish