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Aug. 24, 1881.

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METHODIST HYMNS

THE NEW HYMN BOOK, in great variety of styles and binding, just received at

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Aug. 17—1st

Beautiful.

Beautiful faces are they that wear
The light of a pleasant spirit there;
It matters little if dark or fair.

Beautiful hands are they that do
Deeds that are noble, good, and true;
Busy with them the long day through.

Beautiful feet are they that go
Swiftly to lighten another's woe,
Through summer's heat or winter's snow.

Beautiful children, if rich or poor,
They walk the pathways sweet and pure
That lead to the mansion strong and sure.

One adequate support
For the calamities of mortal life
Exists one vale; an assured belief
That the procession of our fate, how'er
Sad or disturbed, is ordered by a Being!
Whose everlasting purposes embrace
All accidents, converting them to good.

—Wordsworth.

THE WAR-TRAIL!

CHAPTER XII.—CONTINUED.

When a full half hour had passed away, and my lynx-like surveillance was still unrewarded, this hope died within me; and what may appear strange, I began to wish she was not there. "If present," thought I, "she must have seen me ere this, and to have taken no notice"—A little pang of chagrin accompanied this reflection.

I flung myself upon a seat, and endeavored to assume an air of indifference, though I was far from feeling indifferent, and my eyes as before kept eagerly scanning the fair maskers. Now and then, the tournure of an ankle—I had seen Isolina's—or the elliptical step of a fine figure, inspired me with fresh hope; but as the masquerites who owned them were near enough to have seen, and yet took no notice of me, I conjectured—in fact, hoped—that none of them was she. Indeed, a well-turned ankle is no distinctive mark among the fair doncellas of Mexico.

At length, a pair of unusually neat ones, supporting a figure of such superb outlines, that even the ungraceful domino could not conceal them, came under my eyes, and riveted my attention. My heart beat wildly as I gazed. I could not help the belief that that the lady in the yellow domino was Isolina de Vargas. She was waltzing with a young dragon officer; and as they passed me, I rose from my seat, and approached the orbit of the dance, in order to keep them under my eyes. As they passed me a second time, I fancied the lady regarded me through her mask: I fancied I saw her start. I was almost sure it was Isolina!

My feeling was now that of jealousy. The young officer was one of the elegant gentlemen of the service—a professed lady-killer—a fellow, who, notwithstanding his well-known deficiency of brains, was ever welcome among women. She seemed to press closely to him as they whirled around, while her head rested languishingly upon his shoulder. She appeared to be contented with her partner. I could scarcely endure the agony of my fancies.

It was a relief to me when the music ceased, and the waltz ended. The circle broke up, and the waltzers scattered in different directions, but my eyes followed only the dragon officer and his partner. He conducted her to a seat, and then placing himself by her side, the two appeared to engage in an earnest and interesting conversation.

With me politeness was out of the question. I had grown as jealous as a tiger; and I drew near enough to become a listener. The lowness of the tone in which they conversed precluded the possibility of hearing much of what was said, but I could make out that the spark was "coaxing" his partner to remove her mask. The voice that replied was surely Isolina's! I could myself have torn the silken screen from her face, through very vexation; but I was saved that indiscretion, for the request of her cavalier seemed to prevail, and the next instant the mask was removed by the lady's own hand. Shade of Erebus! what did I see. She was black—a negress! Not black as ebony, but nearly so; with thick lips, high cheek-bones, and a row of short "kinky" curls dangling over the arch of her glistening forehead!

My astonishment, though perhaps of a more agreeable kind, was not greater than that of the dragon lieutenant, who by the way, was also a full-blooded "Southerner." At sight of his partner's face he started, as if a six-pound shot had winded him; and after a few half-muttered excuses, he rose with an air of extreme *gaucherie*, and hurrying off, hid himself behind the crowd!

The "colored lady," mortified—as I presume she must be—hastily readjusted her mask, and rising from her seat, glided away from the scene of her humiliation. I gazed after her with a mingled feeling of curiosity and pity; I saw her pass out of the door alone, evidently with the intention of leaving the ball. I fancied she had departed, as her

domino, conspicuous by its bright yellow color, was no more seen among the maskers.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Beef Trade.—New Departure.

Sir Hugh Allan offered a prize of \$100 for best car load of fat cattle for shipment, a second of \$50, and a third of \$25. Another firm of shippers has offered for best five head \$75, second, \$25, third, \$15. Another firm of cattle shippers has offered a prize of \$50 for the best pair. These prizes have created quite a flutter and resulted in starting cattle speculators throughout Canada on a search for the best. This week, Messrs. Benalack and Bayard appeared in Sackville and secured fourteen head to compete at Montreal next week. The cattle were shipped yesterday. They obtained them as follows:

- 2 head from J. L. Black.
- 2 " " J. Wood.
- 1 " " H. Humphrey.
- 4 " " Jas. Lowerison.
- " " " Turner & Dobson.

Mr. Black's were a pair of two year old last spring. They weighed when shipped 3,600. One of them was pronounced by the purchaser as the finest steer in Canada. Mr. Humphrey was paid \$225 for this steer—a four year old one. The prices paid in the other cases were also good. These sales, as well as prizes offered, are a hint to the cattle raisers that there is money in well formed and good conditioned cattle.—Sackville Post.

The Vienna Disaster.

The late theatre fire at Vienna ranks among the most disastrous of which there is any record. As a matter of fact it stands preeminent; as the most fatal of the present century, and is only rivaled by the Saragossa and Pismo fires in 1772 and 1794 respectively. The destruction of one thousand lives in a single fire of a few minutes duration is something almost too horrible to contemplate. The following record of the most disastrous theatre fires of modern times is suggestive of the dangers to which theatre goers are exposed:

	Number perished.
1772—Amsterdam.....	800
1772—Saragossa.....	1,000
1781—Paris, Palais Royal.....	500
1794—Pismo, Istria.....	1,000
1807—London, Sadler's Wells (false alarm).....	18
1811—Richmond, Va.....	61
1846—Quebec, Royal Theatre.....	46
1853—London, Coburg Theatre (false alarm).....	16
1865—Edinburgh, Theatre Royal.....	28
1867—Philadelphia, American Varieties.....	15
1876—Brooklyn, Theatre.....	284
1876—Koenen, Theatre des Arts.....	10
1875—San Francisco, Chinese Theatre (false alarm).....	17
1878—Calais, France.....	10
1878—Aum-dun-ger, India.....	40
1881—Cronstadt, Russia.....	8
1881—Nice, France.....	61

English Immigration.

A London despatch to the Toronto Globe says: "Every day the inquiries about Canada and the prospects of emigrants to the older Provinces or to the North-West become more numerous. The Dominion is better known and its name is more frequently mentioned than ever before. A large and very intelligent class of people, therefore, are greatly interested by the announcement which has been made that a public meeting will be held at Exter Hall to-morrow evening, at which the subject of emigration to Canada will be discussed. His Excellency the Governor General has accepted an invitation to preside. Among the spectators will be Sir Alexander Galt, Canada's High Commissioner, whose recent visit to the North-West will no doubt form the subject for a most interesting address.

The Toronto World, an Opposition paper in Toronto, in an article on the progress of protectionist principles, in which reference is made to the results of one-sided free trade in England, thus refers to the position in Canada:—"The above being true of England, the cradle and abiding place of free trade, the treasure-house of the savings of ages, it is equivalent to suicide for any political party to attempt to force one-sided free trade upon a new country situated as Canada is. Each succeeding year that the United States persist in their refusal to negotiate with us a reciprocity treaty will enhance the difficulties of those who make that attempt. Intelligent men of all parties admit this, and wonder at the obstinacy and stupidity which inspire the Globe to deliver the leader of its party, unarm'd, into the hands of its enemies. It looks like a conspiracy to make him fight at the same disadvantage that his predecessor in the leadership experienced."

An interesting letter from Mr. Domville appeared in the St. John Sun, treating of the Winter Port question. It is written in a fine spirit, and is fitted to do good. It contends that the winter terminus of Canada's great National Transcontinental Railway ought to be on Canadian territory. It argues that gross injustice to Canada generally and the Maritime Provinces in particular will be done if the immense traffic created by that great highway, constructed at the cost of the country, should be diverted in the winter to foreign parts. It refers to the grand results which would be realized in St. John, through the adoption of that harbor as a Pacific Railway Winter Port; and it calls for united action in behalf of the just claims of St. John and Halifax from Maritime Province people to checkmate apparent tendencies on the part of the Pacific Railway Syndicate to divert Northwestern trade from St. John and Halifax to Portland and Boston.—News.

MR. BALFOUR, brother in law of the Governor-General will accompany His Excellency to Canada. He is a nephew of Lord Salisbury.