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### PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the premier of Canada, whose ministry has been upheld by an overwhelming majority, is undoubtedly the most prominent figure in the Canadian world of politics. The recent election was most bitterly contested, and the Conservatives were defeated largely owing to their efforts to stir up racial and religious differences in the Dominion. Premier Laurier,



SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

Who is a French Canadian, won 57 out of 65 seats in Quebec, the land of the French Canadians. In Cape Breton the leader of the Conservatives, Sir Charles Tupper, was defeated, and the opposition is thus without a head. Laurier is yet a young man and bids fair to have as long a tenure of office as had the famous Sir John Macdonald.

#### Julian Ralph's Views.

Julian Ralph's powers of description are quite extraordinary. Though they lead him at times into seeming extravagance, yet they greatly enliven his narrative. He advises the traveler in South Africa to take along a fig leaf for daytime costume and a Laplander's suit of furs for night. All kinds of weather, he says, are served out during each 24 hours. As for healthfulness, not even Colorado can compare with it. "To go to Colorado you must be a millionaire, with only one lung, and you must keep your lung and part with your million. But here the rule is to come penniless, with no lungs. Thus established you develop your lungs and become a millionaire." No wonder the British thought South Africa worth fighting for.—Chicago Times-Herald.

#### News From Peary.

The latest news from that intrepid arctic explorer, Lieutenant R. E. Peary, comes by way of Scotland. On Nov. 8 Dr. Leopold Kann landed at Dundee



LIEUTENANT R. E. PEARY.

from a whaler returning from Davis strait and reported that while at Bedford, Pym island, he saw the Peary expedition pass on its way north. Peary had several toes frost bitten and walked with difficulty. Peary sent a message back that he was confident of reaching the pole. Lieutenant Peary is not a novice in north pole hunts. He has made several attempts before, and his achievements on those occasions have won for him high rank among searchers for the pole.

#### Wales' Large Scotch Patrimony.

The Prince of Wales draws considerable revenue in the shape of "feudal duties" from lands in Scotland, consisting partly of what was at one time the patrimony of the celebrated Bruce family and partly of the forfeited estates of Lords Boyd and the Lords of the Isles. These lands were in 1469 created into a permanent principality for the benefit of the eldest son of the Scottish monarch, and this tenure gives the prince his Scottish titles of Prince of Scotland, Duke of Rothesay, Earl of Carrick, Baron of Renfrew and Lord of the Isles, and entitles him to vote at elections of representative peers.—Scottish American.

#### A Young Warrior's Record.

Captain Smedley D. Butler, U. S. M. C., who was wounded at the battle of Tientsin, was 19 years old on June 30, but he has taken part in three wars. He was second lieutenant of marines in the war against Spain, was made first lieutenant in the service April 18, 1890, and commanded the marines on board the Newark. He distinguished himself fighting the guerrillas in the Philippines. He was sent with other marines against the Chinese at Tientsin and fell there with a wound in his thigh. He was promoted to a captain a few days after he was wounded.

#### The Gullbert.

Mme. Yvette Gullbert, the well known singer at Parisian cafes chantants, has virtually retired from her profession by medical order. The severe operation which she underwent some months ago was thoroughly successful, but it has left behind it a state of languor and prostration which will need permanent care. The favorite songstress hopes eventually to appear now and then, but her past active career cannot be resumed. Mme. Yvette is at her pretty villa, near Vaux, with her husband, M. Schiller.

### YOUTHS' DEPARTMENT.

Grandpa and the Crows—How the Turtles Escaped—The Game of Straddle Club.

The crows bothered dear old grandpa more than ever that year. They were digging up all the corn.

"I believe they laugh at my scare-crow," grandpa said.

"Yes, they do," I heard 'em!" Perley cried. "They got together in a regular confederation." Perley meant a congregation—"and laughed out loud—oh, very loud—Caw, caw, caw!" If that isn't their way of saying "Haw, haw, haw!" then I'm mistaken."

Grandpa smiled.

But it got to be no smiling matter at all. Things began to look serious indeed out in the corn patch. At last grandpa hit upon a device. He came in to breakfast one morning looking quite satisfied and happy.

"I've got 'em now," he said. "Got who, David?" dear old grandma asked.

"The crows—every mother's son of 'em! Let 'em dig up my corn rows now if they want to! I've spread that enormous blue umbrella that the whole family used to go to meeting under when I was a boy. I've got it out there in the middle of my corn patch, looking like a giant mushroom."

"Or a circus tent," put in Perley gleefully. He had been walking all around the corn patch in a triumphant procession of his own.

"I guess they'll laugh on the inside of their mouths now," he exulted.

But that noon, at dinner time, Perley came in out of the blazing sunlight with his little red, moist face drawn down lengthily. He waited till after grandpa asked the blessing and filled all the plates. It was hard work to "break it" to grandpa, but when you had a thing to do you had better do it before you began on your mashed potatoes and chicken. It was good reasoning, and Perley straightened in his chair.

"Grandpa," he said solemnly, "there's a crow sitting under that umbrella down in the corn patch. I saw him. He looked real cool and comfortable out of the sun."—A. H. D. in Primary Education.

#### How the Turtles Escaped.

L. T. Eckert of Dunstable township was given an exhibition of the manner in which land turtles will flee from approaching danger, says the Lock Haven Democrat. Mr. Eckert has three turtles on his farm, one bearing the inscription "W. C. D. 1875," which letters and figures were cut on by a neighbor, W. C. Danley; another having the initials "W. S.," one which came from Mr. Eckert does not know where, and a third with his own initials, "L. T. E.," and a cross mark.

One day flames broke out in Mr. Eckert's clearing and swept over the entire field. After the flames burned awhile Mr. Eckert thought of his pets and went out to see what had become of them. He was worried, fearing that they had been burned to death.

After a long search he went a short distance from the track covered by the flames and found a freshly dug hole. In it he found one of the turtles down a considerable depth, digging deeper with more vigor than is usually seen in those slow going tortoises.

Mr. Eckert, after walking around, finally found the other two down along a small stream, both in the water, with only their heads sticking out. When Mr. Eckert appeared on the scene, they pushed their heads a little farther out, as much as to say: "We're all right. Go about your business." The turtles evidently know when to get out of danger's way.

#### Straddle Club.

Players stand in two or more lines, one behind another, with the feet apart in straddle fashion. At a signal the leaders of the lines each slide an Indian club between the feet from the front toward the rear of the lines. The last one in each line, when he recovers the club, runs with it to the front, takes position at the head of the line and starts it in his turn. The line wins whose leader returns first to the front. If the club stops on its way to the rear, the player next whom it stops starts it again. If the club is allowed to skip a player, it is counted a foul and must be returned to the player skipped, who then starts it. This game can also be played with a ball.

"How awfully greedy you are!" said one little girl to another. "You took the biggest apple from the basket just as I was going to take it myself!"

#### An Episode.

The kitty cat sat on a post of the fence, and she sighed: "Oh, for wings, so that I might fly hence.  
To the trees up above  
Where are dainties I love,  
The dear little birdies all tender and sweet!  
I like not their singing, but, oh, I could eat  
A dozen or so.  
If I just could go  
And pounce on them up in their leafy retreat!"  
The mother bird sang by her nest on the tree, and she thought: "There's a cat, and she's listening to me.  
She knows she can't sing;  
I am sorry, poor thing!  
I'd so like to teach her, but then, if I try,  
The next thing she'll want to be learning to fly,  
And really I need  
My birdies to feed.  
About every minute, the time so goes by."

Just then little Fido starts out for a run. He saw mistletoe pussy, and then there was fun!  
She scud up the tree  
As swift as could be,  
For "fear lends her wings" or what does just as well.  
But appetite leaves her, I'm happy to tell.  
Of birds in the tree  
Forgetful is she,  
While Fido sits thinking 'twere nice if she fell.  
I know you're all wishing the birdies may keep  
All safe and all sound "at the top of the heap."  
Fido can't climb a tree,  
So 'tis likely, you see,  
When he scurries off pussy'll drop to the ground,  
With heart no more bent  
Toward evil intent.  
Cats just out of trouble are quite good, I've found.

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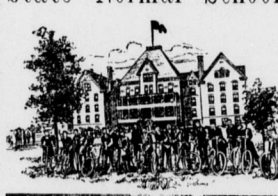
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