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Chilliwack Free Press

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NEW ADVTS.

J.P.McConnell—Ducks
Free Press—Girl Wanted
Alf. White—Gourlay pianos
T. Halpenny—Money found
H.H.Gervan—Horses for sale
H. J. Barber—Cough Remedy
Miss Davison—Music Teaching
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Opera House—The Allen Players.
W. B. Trenholm—Blankets & Comforters
T. J. Polley & Co.—Real Estate Specials
I.D.Smith Co.—Bargains at Henderson's
Denmark & Burton—Guns and Sporting Goods

LOCAL AND DISTRICT

L. F. Croft. at Mee Studio for photos.

Read the Free Press Want Ads.

Read W. B. Trenholm's advt. in to-day's issue.

T. P. Polley was a business visitor to Vancouver, Friday.

Have you got a cold?—read Barber's advt. on page eight.

Miss Hoyle, Milliner, was a visitor to Vancouver this week.

How is your cold? is a frequent salutation heard about the city this week.

W. B. Trenholm, the furniture dealer, was a visitor to Vancouver on Friday.

C. F. Smith, of Smith's bakery left Tuesday on a business trip to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Chamberlain have returned from a holiday trip to Ontario points.

H.H. Gervan attended Abbotsford Fair yesterday and was judge of horses in all classes.

W. Ogilvie, of the B. C. Electric Railway, Vancouver, spent the week end at his ranch here.

W.G. Lillie, of the Cash Grocery, was a passenger on the train to Vancouver this morning.

Mrs. Byron Barker, was the guest of Mrs. D. R. McLennan, at the Empress hotel, last week.

J. A. Hamilton, of the Merchantile Trust Co., Vancouver, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Mr. E. Duthie, manager of the Bank of Montreal, returned on Friday from a few days visit to Victoria.

W. F. Ferris has bought at spot cash prices the largest supply of Brass Beds ever received in this city.

Denmark & Burton are advertising, guns, ammunition, and sporting goods, in the Free Press to-day, See their advt.

Mrs. W B. Saunders, of Vancouver, has been a guest at the Harrison House this week, and also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hill.

Miss Daisy Leary arrived here last week from Manitoba and will reside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Leary, Fairfield Island.

House-cleaning time is here again and W. R. Stevenson the Valley Painter and his staff of workmen are kept busy papering, tinting etc.

W. R. Stevenson the Valley Painter will not keep you waiting to have your paper hanging done as he has a staff of first-class workmen.

Mr. E. B. Hall, of Princton, B. C., is in town this week. Mr. Hall has leased a home in Chilliwack and will with his family reside in Chilliwack.

Now is the time to have your house-cleaning done. W. R. Stevenson, the Valley painter, keeps none but first-class paper-hangers, decorators, etc

Chas. Parker, the clothier, was in Vancouver last Friday and while there purchased a fine stock of Men's Clothing in the newest styles and patterns for spring.

Construction work on the Bank of Montreal building is now progressing The stone facings, brick and other material is now on the ground and further delay is not anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Winnipeg, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leary, Fairfield Island, last week. They left on Monday and will make their home in Vancouver.

Burlaps, Burlaps, Burlaps— We carry Staunton's the best grade made, in red, green, and brown, on which we are giving a reduction of 15 per cent, at the Valley Paint and Wall Paper House.

Mr. Geo. Leary, of Fairfield Island, has returned from a business trip to Winnipeg. Mr. and Mrs. Leary leave this week for the east, and may go to Ireland, where Mr. Leary is likely to represent the Canadian Immigration Department. He will lease his ranch in the meantime.

A logging train left the track in the vicinity of Langley on the B.C. Electric Railway on Tuesday forenoon. The track was damaged to some extent and passenger service delayed a short time.

Mr. J. Manning. Red Deer, Inspector for Merchants Bank of Canada, and G. S. Harrison, manager for the Vancouver branch, were visitors to the local branch of the bank here on Wednesday.

Miss Clara Davison, recently of Alberta College, Edmonton, is ready to receive primary pupils in piano. The family residence is on Princess Ave. Miss Davison has a card in this issue of the Free Press.

Work on the grading and asphalting of Westminster street commenced this morning. Business men on this street wore a smile of approval, and on the strength of this some have visions of the new post office at an early date.

Chas. Kerr, of Stillwater, B. C. and family moved to the Valley on Friday. Mr. Kerr has purchased *seventy-five acres from John Maynard* on the Yale road and will take up ranching here. He also owns forty acres on the Prairie Central.

In recording the death of Mr. Kitchen in last issue we stated that the body was interred in the Potter's Field in the Odd Fellow's cemetery. We were misinformed and Mr. Peers, the Veteran three linker informs us that the Odd Fellow's have no such plot. A plot was purchased by local Orangemen and the body buried therein. We regret the error.

The Rally Day service of the Presbyterian Sunday Schools for this end of the Valley in Cook's Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning was a very successful event. There was a large representation of children and parents present. The service was bright and helpful and much appreciated. The address was given by the pastor, Rev. R. J. Douglas.

On Monday, October 9, the Epworth League of the Methodist Church are looking forward to a special treat when the Rev. G. E. Hartwell, of Chentu, West China, will lecture on the West China Mission Field. The lecture will be illustrated by a large large number of excellent lantern views, and as Mr. Hartwell has been seventeen years in China, he will speak with authority upon conditions in that land. The territory that has been the scene of the recent revolution will be described, as it was in that part of China that Mr. Hartwell spent his life as a missionary. The meeting will be held in the church and will be free to all. A collection will be taken for the missionary fund of the League.

The first of series of Provincial Laymen's Missionary Conventions, will be held in Vancouver on Oct. 18th, to 20th. It is hoped that a large number of delegates will attend from the churches of Chilliwack, and a committee has been formed to urge the claims of the convention upon members of the churches. The programe is a most attractive one and the list of speakers includes such well known names as Sir Andrew Fraser. John R. Mott, Rev. Canon Gould, H. K. Caskey, Jas. Ryrie, and the missionary secretaries of all denominations. Each parish and congregation is expected to be represented by the clergyman in charge and as many laymen as can possibly attend. We hope to publish the full program next week.

A THEATRICAL TREAT

A great treat is in store for the theatre going public of this community. On Monday night Oct 2nd the Allen Players will open at the Opera House for a three nights engagement, opening with "The Christian", Hall Cains well known drama.

Although the Allen Players have never before played in this section of the country they have for the last three years been considered as the best stock company on the road in Western Canada, and have played to capacity houses in all the large cities of the west.

Miss Verna Felton is the star of the company, and is conceded by all who have watched her for the last few years to be one of the best emotional actresses on the stage today.

The Allen Players carry their own special baggage car, and new scenery is used for every production. Among their extensive reptroire are such plays as "The Spoilers", "The Lion and The Mouse", "Christopher Junior", "Sappho", and "The Second in Command".

This company intend to make this one of their regular stopping places every season from now on, so it is to be hoped that they will be well patronized on their first appearance in our midst.

Seats are now on sale at Alf White's Music Store and those wishing to secure good seats should secure their tickets without delay.

KILLING GROUSE OUT OF SEASON

A fine of $20 and costs was imposed on Hugh Teskey, of Vedder River, by Magistrate Pelly, at the Court House, recently for unlawfully having grouse in his possesssion, on Sept. 18. These breaches of the Game Laws will be severely dealt with in the future by the Magistrate. The above instance should be a sufficient warning to all and sundry, to protect the grouse during the close season.

A SORE FINGER AND SOME POTATO.

A peculiar experience was the lot of Chas. Parker, the Clothier, the other day. He went into his garden to raise some potatoes, when a large one subbornly adhered to mother earth, and in an effort to raise it by hand, he raised the nail off the third finger of the left hand. This is a true potato story and a very sore finger is now a constant reminder to Mr. Parker that when he again desires to raise Chilliwack Valley potatoes, he had better use a small block and tackle, or at least a good *strong spade.*

CHILLIWACK HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

The amount realized by the ladies of the Auxiliary at the refreshment tent on the Fair ground was $300. of this $84.00 tag money was collected by energetic committee of young ladies under Miss L. Marsden, Miss Marguerite Thomas head the list with $14.40, followed closely by Ada Coote, Frances Whitworth, Grace Johnson, Miss Knight, Miss Bell, Lena Waddington, Dorothy Henderson and others. The ladies are indebted to the Agricultural Society for providing excellent accomodation and to all who assisted by donations or in any other way.

STORE IMPROVEMENTS

The hardware firm of Denmark & Burton, who are the successors of James Munro, are transforming the interior of their store. The office has been moved to the rear to make room for three fine new silent salesmen which are expected to be in place this week. The gasoline lighting system has been replaced with electricity, and the front portion of the store is now brilliantly illuminated by two 150, and two 60, candle power lights. The firm is carrying *a large stock of the best lines of* hardware goods, and by progressive business methods and courteous attention are receiving a large share of patronage.

THE CITY IN DARKNESS

For over an hour and a half electric power in the city of Vancouver, New Westminster, in Chilliwack and all over Southern British Columbia where it is supplied by the B. C. E. R. Co., was a minus quantity Tues. night. Shortly after 7 o'clock one of the company's immense 10,000 horse power dynamos at Lake Buntzen broke down, cutting off one-third of the electric supply for power, light and railway purposes. When the employees opened another dynamo of the same capacity to replace the broken one, the switch burnt out, leaving only four 3000 horse power machines in working order.

WON VICTOR GRAMOPHONE

There were six hundred guesses registered on the weight of the Gourlay Piano at Mr. Alf. White's booth at the fair last week. The correct weight was 629½ pounds and the nearest correct guess was given by Mrs. James Mercer, of *Rosedale, who guessed 626 pounds,* and is now the possessor of the Victor Gramophone, offered by Mr. White. The lowest weight given was 190 pounds and the highest 2530 pounds. There was considerable interest taken in the contest and the foregoing figures will prove that there were a great variety of guesses.

A 1912 CUP FOR CRICKETERS

The various cricket clubs, east of but not including New Westminster, will have the opportunity of playing for a trophy in the form of a silver cup, which will be put up for competition, through the generosity of S. A. Parsons, the Clothier, Chilliwack, for the season of 1912. Cricket as an athletic sport is fast gaining favor in the Valley, and it is possible that with the incentive furnished by playing for a Cup, a league of clubs in the Valley will be formed and a good season's sport result.

The Rev. A. E. Roberts, president of the B. C. Conference of the Methodist Church has been invited to attend the corner stone laying of the new Methodist Church at Kamloops on Thursday Oct. 5th. He will leave next Wednesday for that city and will take part in the stone laying ceremony on Thursday afternoon and in the evening deliver an address at the public gathering on the subject "The Church of To-Day."

Chilliwack Fair Best Yet

A Record Entry List. Splendid Exhibits. Big Program ot Races and Other Attractions.

The thirty-ninth annual fair of the Chilliwack Agricultural Society last week may easily be termed the best yet, by information we have been able to gather, from various sources. But for the inclemency of the weather on the opening day, the result from all standpoints would have been highly satisfactory, for even with the weather man against the management, the receipts are likely to balance the heavy expense of this year's fair. The interest taken, the enthusiasm, and the intrinsic merits of the exhibition augurs well for the future of the Chilliwack fair and speaks volumns for the high class and variety of products *produced in the valley. The Free* Press man, having lived on the prairies, where big yields and extensive farming is the order, and where the soil, under favorable conditions, produces, vegetables of no mean order, had visions of great things in fruits of the soil of this favored Valley. We were not disappointed. A visit to the fair was time well spent, even aside from the special attractions, and it is regrettable that the weather was unfavorable to the attendance of a larger number of visitors from outside points.

The entry list this year made a record for the fair, the number being in the neighborhood of 1700, which made no small task for the Secretary Mr. Goodland and staff. The sporting attractions, generally were of a good order, and furnished interesting entertainment for the visitors.

There was a larger entry of horses than formerly, the Clydesdates and Percherons, being especially worthy of note.

The lists of prize winners at Vancouver, and Victoria exhibition amply prove that the Chilliwack Valley is the home of some choice breeds, and prize getters, in the cattle classes. Red Polls of J. T. Maynard, The Guernsey's of Banford Bros, A. C. Well & Sou's Ayreshires, and Mr. A. Mercer's Holsteins, formed a combination of cattle herds, that would be very difficult to duplicate in any portion of the Dominion. The cattle shed was a very interesting feature of the fair, to any one who appreciates A 1. stock.

In the sheep classes there was a large entry of Dorsethorns. Shropshires, Lincolns, Teecesters, Suffolks, and Southdowns were well represented and the standard, good.

Swine in the Yorkshire, Berkshire and other classes were extra good, there some very fine specimens.

In the new hall was displayed the horticultural and industrial exhibits.

Apples were a strong feature in the fruit class. The entry list was large, the fruit excellent and the taste in display as well as the packing and grading, secured much favorable comment. This year has been an off season to some extent for the apple grower in the valley, and the showing, but illustrates the possibilities of the valley in the production of apples, which will find ready access in any market.

Pears were extra good also and some very fine varieties were shown. Plums and grapes while not so *numerous, were of a good quality.*

In roots and vegetables there was a splendid array in all classes. Potatoes were exceptionally good, and cabbage, celery and roots, second to none. Corn cucumbers, squash, pumpkins, cauliflower, onions, etc., were of first order. The vegetable display was a unmistakeable testimony to the productiveness of the valley soil for gardening. A prominent feature in the showing of vegetables was the peat land exhibit of Messrs. Copeland Bros. and others, of East Chilliwack. The exhibit was well arranged, the quality indisputable, and the industry of the exhibitors commendable.

There was a small showing of grains and seeds. The list of preserved fruits was also not large. The display of potted plants and cut flowers was very good, but we believe if more people would take increased interest in this particular branch of the exhibition, it could be improved upon. Fancy bread, buns and cakes, had a small representation but the bread display more than made up for any shortage in the are of cooking fancy food stuffs. Competition in bread baking was keen, and there was a very large collection, of a quality that assured the unlooker that there must be a large number *of first class breadbakers* in the valley, who provide a wholesome article for the family table. In most home, butter gets very close to bread, and so it was at the fair. The dairy exhibit was a feature that attracted the attention of all. The ladies also presented a good showing of fancy work in many classes, which drew much favorable comment. The list in this portion of the exhibit might be enlarged to some extent. School work as mentioned in last issue was a decided credit to teachers and pupils of Chilliwack Public School.

The deputy minister of agriculture, W. E. Scott, who opened the fair, said "The vegetables are magnificent and illustrate the capabilities of the valley and the nature of the soil you must have before you can produce such exhibits." The deputy minister congratulated the Society on the marked improvement in the grounds and buildings. Mr. Scott and P. E. French, awarded the prizes in the fruit section, and noted a marked advance in the grading and packing of the apples and pears.

Among the special exhibits noticed was a display of pillars, mouldings, fruit boxes, nicely arranged, and the product of the Chilliwack Planing Mills.

Toms Bros, and Austin Myres, had a showing of seeds, bulbs, bee hives etc.

L. F. Croft, photographer, had a case of samples of his artistic ability in photography.

Chas. Hutcheson & Co., real estate and insurance agents, had a neatly arranged booth, where information regarding the soil which produced the many evidences to be seen, was dispensed. Listings, maps, discriptive pamphlets, etc., of valley real estate were given away in large numbers, by this enterprising firm.

"Chapman for photographs" was prominently displayed on all sides. Mr. Chapman had a fine exhibit of his work, including, portraits, pastels, crayons, etc., which was a credit to his enterprise. Mr. Chapman had gone to considerable expense and trouble to have an attractive exhibit and the result must have been very satisfactory.

The Chilliwack Feed Co., had samples of the various grades and classes of flour and cut feed on display.

The business energy of Alf. White, the music man, as well as the qualities of the line of goods handled by him attracted much attention. His display of Gourlay pianos, musical instruments and music, tastefully arranged, and the manner in which he received and filed guesses on the Gourlay piano, was worth seeing, and he no doubt feels repaid for his effort.

The following were the judges who dealt with the various classes: Horticultural products, Messrs. W. E. Scott and P. E. French; cattle and swine, A. E. Hollman; horses and sheep, Mr. Elliott; poultry, H. Reid; flowers, Mr. Tidy, New Westminster; bread, Mrs. Smith, Chilliwack; dairy work, F. Wilanco; ladies' work and school exhibits, Mrs. Spencer, Chilliwack.

No accident marred the success of the Fair and everything passed off in good order. The directors responsible for the exhibition were, President, A. Leslie Coote; vice-president, Horatio Webb; secretary-treasurer, H. T. Goodland, and directors P.H. Wilson, G.T. Thornton, J. Bailey, J. W. Walker, J. T. Maynard, H. H. Gervan, J. H. Ashwell, J. A. Evans, T.E. Caskey, C. Hutcheson, W. Knight and J. H. Chapman.

The ladies of the Hospital Auxiliary had a busy time. Meals were served both days in a large tent on the grounds, while a tag campaign was also conducted, the proceeds of all netting the ladies a handsome amount for a worthy object.

THE HORSE RACES

FREE FOR ALL TROT

Half-Mile Heats, Two in Three

	Name	Driver
1	Johnny K.	Bud Guest
2	Fera Montana	W. J. Plummer
3	Dorris McAuley	W. B. Pattinson Jr.

FREE FOR ALL PACE

½ mile heats 2 in 3

1	Byron Lace	R. Stetson
2	Nelly Wilks	T. A. Norris
3	Dacie	C. Smith

NAMED RACE

1 mile heats 2 in 3

1	Bill Miner	D. S. Dundas
2	Williamette	A. C. Hummer
3	Sis	W. B. Pattinson Jr

½ MILE PONY RACE

Open 14.2 or under ½ mile heats 2 in 3

1	Spot	J. Hammar
2	Trixie	J. A. Evans
3	Dick	C. Newby

½ MILE RUNNING RACE, Open

Best 2 in 3 heats

1	Third Chance	T. O'Neil
2	Materina	J.A.Evans
3	Carlos	E. Ensworth

ONE MILE DASH, Open

1	Lady Mirthful	J. A. Evans
2	The Bum	B. Bartlet

STAKE RACE

1	Buck	Gordon Evans
2	Jingles	R. Nowell

2.15 TROT OR PACE

1 mile heats 3 in 5

1	Byron Lace	R. Stitson
2	Mable Hal	Bud Guest
3	Nelly Wilks	T. A. Morris

2.35 TROT or 2.40 PACE

1 mile heats 3 in 5

1	Rosida	R. Stetson
2	Dixter Glen	Bud Guest
3	Sweet Heart	C. Dolman

2.17 TROT or 2.25 PACE

½ mile heats 3 in 5

1	Fera Montana	J. Plummer
2	Johnny K.	Bud Guest
3	Dacie	T. A. Morris

MILE DASH, Open

1	Third Chance	T. O'Neil
2	Lady Mirthful	J.A Evans
3	Bye Bye	G.H.Nicolls

KLOOTCHMAN RACE

½ mile heat 2 in 3

1	Nigger Erma	Dave Sam
2	Josephine	Dave Sam

ATHLETIC EVENTS

Under fourteen years: 100 yards—G. Dickie first, D. Roach second, F. Malcolm third.

High Jump—D. Roach first, G. Dickie second.

Quarter mile—D. Roach first, G. Dickie Second.

Long Jump—B. Roah first G. Dickie second.

Over fourteen years: 100 yards—C. Newby first, A. Jackson second, W. Houston third.

High jump—A. Jackson first, O. Evans second.

Quarter mile—Houston first, C. Newby second.

Long jump—C. Newby first, O. Evans second.

Open: One mile—D. Roach first, H. Ballam second, G. Dickie third.

Sack race—G. Dickie first, C. Newby second.

Three legged race—B. Roach and J. Hutcheson first, Coote and Dickie second.

Throwing boseball—F. McLaughlin first, C. Newby second.

Scots' relay race—J. Parker, D. Roach J. Hutcheson, I. Coote.

PRIZE LIST.

Class I.—Horses.

DRAFT HORSES.

1. Stallion pedigreed—1, J. A. Evans; 2, J. A. Evans.

2. Mare with foal at foot—1, J. A. Evans; 2, J. A. Evans; 3, J. G. Blanchfield; 4, J. G. Blanchfield.

3. Yeld mare, 4 years or over—1, J. A. Evans; 2, J. A. Evans; 3, A. E. Willis.

5. Gelding or filly 2 years old—1, A. E. Willis; 2, J. A. Evans; 3, J. A. Evans.

6. Colt, 1 years old—1, A. E. Willis; 2, J. A. Evans.

7. Foal, 1911—1, J. G. Blanchfield; 2, A. E. Willis; 3, J. A. Evans; 4, J. G. Blanchfield.

8. Draft team—1, J. A. Evans; 2, A. E. Willis.

9. Stallion and five of his get—1, J. A. Evans; 2, D. Greyell.

10. Mare and two of her prog.—1, A. E. Willis; 2 J. A. Evans.

SPECIAL.

11. Championship Stallion, silver medal, donated by the Bank of Vancouver, Chilliwack—J. A. Evans.

12. Championship Mare, silver medal, donated by the Bank of Vancouver, Chilliwack—J. A. Evans.

GENERAL PURPOSE.

13. Team, geldings or mares in harness to vehicle—1, Jno Snider; 2, John English; 3, A. E. Willis.

14. Mare or gelding, any age—1, John English; 2, A. E. Willis.

AGRICULTURAL.

Brood mare with foal at foot—1 T. G. Kingscote; 2, J. T. Maynard.

Yeld mare, 4 years or over—1, Douglas; 2, Douglas; 3, John Hepburn.

Gelding or filly 3 years old—1, D. Barrow; 2, J. Hepburn; 3, Jas. Coulthart.

Geding or filly 2 years old—1, A. H. Mercer; 2, A. H. Mercer; 3, A. H. Siler.

Colt one year old—1, H. Brush.

Foal 1911—1, Jas. Coulthart; 2, T. G. Kingscote; 3, D. Larter.

Team geldings or mares to be shown in wagon or democrat—1, A. R. Douglas; 2, John Hepburn; 3, A. E. Willis.

ROADSTERS.

Stallion, pedigreed—1, J. Nation; 2, J. T. and J. H. Wilkinson.

Mare with foal at foot—1, Jas. Bowman; 2, Jas. Bowman; 3, A. L. Traverse.

Yeld mare, 4 years or over—1, J. T. and J. H. Wilkinson; 2, Chas. Dolman; 3, A. C. Hummer.

Gelding or filly 3 years old—1st, Jas Bowman; 2, J. C. Blanchfield.

Gelding or filly 2 years old—1, J. T. and J. H. Wilkinson; 2, J. T. and J. H. Wilkinson.

Colt, 1 year—1, Jas. Bowman; 2, A. C. Hummer; 3, J. T. and J. H. Wilkinson.

Foal 1911—1, A. L. Traverse; 2, Jas. Bowman; 3, Jas Bowman.

Combination Horse (special prize) donated by J. M. Miller, Chilliwack New Era—1, H. H. Gervan; 2, H. H. Gervan; 3, W. Stringer.

Saddle Horse—1, A. L. Coote; 2, J. A. Evans; 3, J. Hammar.

Single Driver—1, H. Brush.

Span Roadsters—1, C. Dodman; 2, H. Brush.

Championship Stallion Diploma—J. Nation.

Championship Mare, Diploma—J. T. and J. H. Wilkinson.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

Best farm team, harnessed to wagon, special prize donated by J. P. McConnell, Vancouver Saturday Sunset—1, A. R. Douglas; 2, J. A. Evans.

For the best general purpose team of geldings or mares, set of single harness value $30, presented by Messrs. Rockwell & Co., Chilliwack—1, J. A. Snider.

For the best local owned Clydesdale mare; challenge bowl, presented by the Merchants Bank of Canada, Chilliwack. To be held to be won two years in succession before becoming the property of the winner—1 J. A. Evans.

For the best local bred and owned farmer's driving mare or gelding; to be attached to a McLaughlin buggy. (No difference for iron or rubber tire.) Donated by Chilliwack Implement & Produce Co.—1, J. H. & J. T. Wilkinson; 2, H. Brush.

For best span of roadsters, presented by Gurney Foundry Co., through H. H. Gervan, dealer—1, Chas. Dolman.

For the best saddle horse, ridden by lady or gentleman, presented by Messrs. Storey & Campbell, Vancouver—1, H. H. Gervan.

Best lady rider: Horse to count 40 per cent., riding to count 40 per cent., saddle and bridle 20 per cent.; prizes donated by A. L. Coote Esq.—1, Miss Ester Hammer; 2, Miss Nellie Maynard.

Best lady driver: Horse to count 40 per cent., driving to count 40 per cent., harness and rig 20 per cent. Special prizes donated by John L. Denholm, saddler and harness maker, Chilliwack, —1, Chas. Dolman; 2, H. Brush.

Best boy driver under 14: Horse to count 40 per cent., driving to count 40 per cent., harness and rig 20 per cent. Special prizes donated by H. Webb, Esq., value: 1st $3.50; 2nd, $2.50; 3rd, $1.50; 4th, 50c.—1, C. Dolman.

Best boy rider under 16: Horse to count 40 per cent., riding to count 40 per cent., saddle and bridle 20 per cent. Special prizes donated by Wm. Knight, Esq., to —1, H. H. Gervan; 2, H. H. Gervan.

Best boy rider under 14: Horse to count 40 per cent., riding to count 40 per cent., saddle and bridle 20 per cent. Special prizes donated by T. Maynard, Esq.—1, H. H. Gervan; 2, E. Smedley.

Best Shetland pony ridden by boy or girl under 12. Special prizes donated by H. J. Barber, Chilliwack—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.

CLASS TWO

Class 2.

SHORTHORN (Pedigreed)

Bull, 3 years old and upwards—1, J. A. Coulthart.

Bull, 2 years old and upwards.

Bull, one year old and upward.

Bull Calf (senior calf.)

Bull Calf (junior calf.)

Bred Cow in calf or milk—1, J. A. Coulthart.

Heifer, 2 years old.

Heifer, 1 year old.

Heifer Calf (senior calf.)

Heifer Calf (junior calf.)—1, J. A. Coulthart.

Champion Bull, Diploma.

Champion Cow, Diploma.

Herd, consisting of 1 bull any age; 1, cow, any age; heifer, 2 years old; yearling.

JERSEYS.

Bull, 3 years old and upwards—E. H. Barton.

Bull, 2 years old and upwards.

Bull, 1 year old and upwards.

Bull calf (senior calf.)

Bull Calf (junior calf.)

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SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY DAY

On Sunday morning last a large and appreciative congregation assembled in the Methodist Church to listen to an address by the former pastor, Rev. E. Manuel, now stationed at Elburne. The School Orchestra was in attendance, Miss Knight presiding at the piano, and Mr. G. H. W. Ashwell at the organ. The superintendent had charge of the meeting, and with him on the platform were Rev. E. Manuel and the present pastor, Rev. A E. Roberts, who is president of the B. C. Conference this year. The singing by the children of the well-known hymns was hearty and rousing, and a spirit of happiness fittingly pervaded the whole atmosphere. The recitation by Marion Sleightholm was nicely given, and a tiny tot, (Winnie Parker) uplifted (with fatherly care) in the superintendent's arms, recited a verse or two in a very winsome manner. Miss Gladys Sampson, just recovering from a couple of weeks' sickness, sang her solo with good voice and in a pleasing way. The morning choir, in cap and gown, which by the way has a very effective appearance, rendered an anthem as is their usual Sunday morning custom. The speaker for the service, after a four years' ministry in the the city, recently ended, needed no introduction, and was eagerly listened to by both young and those not so young in his audience. The advice he gave was sound and practical, and was aptly illustrated with lessons and anecdotes. Drinking, swearing, smoking, and similar evils received their measure of condemnation, and the *command* that parents should ever be honored was strongly commented upon. The yastor briefly announced the organisation of a troop of Boy Scouts under the Local Association, called the Wesley Troop, under Scout Master Abbott, assisted by Clifford Woodworth. This is a pleasing feature of the school, and proves there is a moral and physical side as well as the religious side in the lives and characters of the boys. The Bible class was reported to be well attended, sometimes as many as forty being present. Mr. Nicholl is President and Mr. Willerton the teacher, and a hearty invitation to attend was printed on the responsive reading sheet and emphasized from the platform. The young ladies class is cared for by Mrs. Day, and Mr. Sisler has a big class of young men in the Junior Bible class. The other officers and teachers in the school are: Superintendent; John Robinson; Assistant Superintendent; J. G. Chapman; Pianist; Miss Knight; Superintendent of Home Dept. Mrs. Sisler; Secretary of School; Mrs. L. Thornton; Treasurer; Miss Gladys Sampson; Teachers (other than above) Mrs. Thornton, Mrs. Street, Mrs. White, Mrs. Calbick, Miss M. Cartmell, Miss M. Street, Miss L. Cartmell, Mrs. Chapman and Mr. A. Duncan, Miss Irene Knight is the superintendent of the Cradle Roll, and the library is in the charge of Mrs. Chas. Parker, assisted by Ernest Trethewey. The school meets every Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock for one hour, and an hour spent in the school is time well and profitably spent. The pastor announced that a new school was decided upon and a commencement would be made in the near future to provide accommodation for the large number attending the service.

WILL ERECT SUNDAY SCHOOL BUILDING

The Methodist Church Trustees are planning to erect a building on their church lot for the accommodation of the steadily increasing Sunday School. The present building has been found too small for the purposes of the school and it has been decided to erect an entirely new building. In this there will be a large auditorium for Sunday School purposes, a young men's parlor, which, it is hoped, to have open every evening of the week, a social hall for the special gatherings of the church, and an up-to-date kitchen, where the ladies may do the work necessary to socials, banquets, etc. Plans are now being prepared and if the fine weather continues, the building will be ready for occupancy this winter.

HIS GUARDIAN ANGEL

Her Interest In Him Was Manifested to the Last Moment

By Allen G. Lamond

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When I left Rose Seaton to go to South Africa to seek my fortune my heart seemed to be settling right down down like a doomed ship. We had promised to be true to each other and all that, but somehow my common sense told me that fate was against us. We would be separated by an ocean. I had only the prospect of spending a lifetime in the service of a diamond mining company, where an uncle of mine had secured me an inferior position. Neither Rose nor I had any means or we would not have parted and having parted, I saw no prospect of ever getting together again.

I was an accountant for three years during which I hoped that some day fortune would favor my returning to my sweetheart; then suddenly my dreams were realized. Mr Oldershaw, *the head of one of the departments*, sent for me one day and said to me:

"How would you like to make a trip to America?"

I brightened up at once as I replied in the affirmative.

"One of your American millionaires has visited our mines and has purchased one of our largest diamonds. He is on a trip around the world and desires the stone delivered to his wife in New York, where it will be paid for. the responsibility for its safe-y resting on us until it is turned over. There are reasons why it can't very well be sent by the ordinary method, one of which I will tell you. It has got out that a diamond worth a hundred thousand dollars is to go to New York. This fact has led to so high a charge for its transportation that I am determined to send it by a special messenger. A false stone will be sent by express to mislead those who may try to capture the real one on the way. We have spies right here among us who know everything of importance that goes on. It is our purpose to outwit them. Let it be known that you have determined to resign your position and go home, permitting a month to intervene before your departure. Your expenses will be paid, and if you succeed in making a delivery you will receive a thousand dollars and an agency to attend to our business in New York."

The day I sailed a middle aged woman, well dressed and of indylike appearance, drove up to the steamer She looked up as she alighted and saw me leaning over the rail on deck. An expression of satisfaction that I could not account for passed over her face It surprised me, for I did not remember ever to have seen her before. She came aboard, and I did not see her again till the next day, when we were out on the ocean. I was pacing the deck when I passed her sitting in a *steamer chair. She called me to her* and said to me:

"Bring a chair and be seated. I have something of importance to say to you."

Astonished, I did as I was bidden. The lady cast glances in every direction and, seeing no one within ear shot, said to me in a low tone:

"I am an American and a friend of Mr. Oldershaw. Learning that I was about to sail for home on this ship, he called on me and told me that a young man, whose photograph he showed me, would be aboard, going on an important mission to New York. Mr. Oldershaw asked me to keep a watch over you and if I saw any suspicious person attempting to gain your confidence or in any way conspiring against you to warn you. There; I have told you what I have to say. You don't need to place any faith in it; all you need do is if I warn you against any one during the voyage, to beware."

"One question I would ask you," I said. "Why did not Mr. Oldershaw advise me of his request to you?"

"Mr. Oldershaw's plan was for me to keep a watch over you without your knowing it. He did not think it would be necessary for me to make myself known to you. *But already I have observed* two men talking together, both looking directly at you, and I need to warn you at once. Later I will point them out to you."

"Did Mr. Oldershaw inform you as to the nature of my mission?"

"He did not. That was not necessary."

Her story appeared very plausible and I confess I felt disposed to trust her, but I did not care to show too much alacrity in doing so, and, rising bade her good morning, thanking her for her interest in me.

"You are under no obligation to me," she said. "What I do is in repayment of a kindness once done me by Mr. Oldershaw. He has perfect confidence in you, but has strengthened you by giving you an assistant."

That afternoon while taking my usual exercise, walking the deck back and forth, I met the lady.

"Come with me," she said, "and I will show you the men who were talking about you. They have a stateroom next mine, and I overheard one of them say, 'As soon as it is dark I'll try and inveigle him on some pretext to the stern.'"

I went with her to the forward deck, and she pointed to two men standing just above the cutwater looking out at the ocean. One was a burly fellow with a sandy mustache; the other was small, spare and clean shaven.

"That's all," said my companion. "You have seen them and are guarded against them."

The same evening just before dark I went on deck. The man with the sandy mustache was lounging about, and, presently coming up to me, asked if I could tell him the day's run for the ship. With this as an opening wedge he entered upon a conversation with me, turning it upon some curious phenomena of the sea. He mentioned the phosphorescent light in the wake of a ship, saying: "It's a very pronounced tonight. Just come back with me I'll show it to you."

I told him that I had often seen what he referred to and, bidding him good evening, went below.

It was very plain to me that the woman's story was true. From this time forward I had perfect confidence in her. She did not ask me the nature of my mission or show any curiosity about it. I argued that if she was desirous of possessing herself of the diamond she would sooner or later lead me to speak of it in the hope that I would tell her where it was. But while she sought my confidence in other ways she never referred to the object of my journey. I told her that I was going home to a sweetheart I had not seen in three years, and the sympathy she gave me was delightful. She seemed to appreciate perfectly the feelings of a young man deeply in love. So interested was she in this that I told her I would bring my fiancee to see her after reaching port, and she was good enough to assure me that she would be delighted to know her.

It was after this refreshing conversation, in order to show some appreciation of her interest in me, that I said to her:

"I feel perfectly safe in saying to you that I am carrying a very valuable stone belonging to the Diamond company to New York and wish to consult you as to a safe place to keep it."

"In that I can't advise you. We women have methods of concealing such things that do not pertain to men. I can't think of any safe place where a man can put such a treasure."

"The only safe place I know is on my person. *I have it suspended about* my waist day and night."

"My dear boy," she said, "what do you mean by revealing such a secret to me or to any one?"

"I have perfect confidence in you."

"Nevertheless you should not have told me such a secret."

"I shall surely tell no one else. If any one can take it away from me by force in the daytime he's welcome to do so. By night I am locked in my room."

"I beg of you to give your secret to no one else."

The evening before making port my friend while talking to me of some delicacies in the way of eatables she had aboard invited me to come to her stateroom and partake of them. She said there would be no impropriety in my doing so, *since she would hook the door* wide open. I accepted her invitation. Her stateroom faced on the same aisle as mine, so I had not far to go. She brought out some pate of chickens' livers and other nice things, including some real madeira wine, a rarity out side the island of Madeira. I ate of her dainties and drank freely of the wine.

In the morning I awoke in my own berth with a remembrance of my supper, but with no recollection as to how I got into my own stateroom. I put my hand to my waist, *and the pouch I* kept slung there was gone.

Everything being quiet and no motion to the ship, I arose and looked out through a porthole. We were docked. Dressing myself, I went ashore. A few of the passengers remained, but my *lady friend was not among them, no* were the two men against whom she had warned me.

When I met my Rose after the first transports of our meeting I said to her:

"And now you must bear the reason *of my coming and the story connect* ed with my journey. Beginning with my meeting with my lady friend, I told her every incident every word so far as I could remember the conversations that had passed between me and her. When I reached the part of my story *where I had told that I kept the stone* about my waist Rose could not repress the exclamation, 'Oh, how stupid!'"

And when I gave an account of the supper and my being drugged my sweetheart was so unkind as to say I had been rightly served. I concluded *my story with these words:*

"And now, my darling, the diamond having been safely delivered and a check in payment mailed to South Africa, we have $1,000 on which to begin housekeeping and an assured salary"—

"But the diamond is stolen!"

"I did not say so. In order to please my guardian angel, as I called her, I told her where I kept a lump of glass. The diamond was in my trunk, fitted with a lock that I alone knew how to open."

Rose jumped for me, throwing her arms around my neck.

"And you suspected her from the first?" she asked when the transports had subsided.

"No, I didn't suspect her at all or I wouldn't have been drugged by her."

"Explain."

"Well, you see, when she sympathized so sweetly with me about you she knocked the underpinning out from beneath me. I yearned to make a return and thought that I couldn't make a better one than by a show of confidence. So I told her about where I kept my treasure, only I omitted to say that it was a false one. I thought that would do as well."

The Baby General.

[The infant emperor of China has been given supreme command of the army.—News item.]

When a baby heads an army
Can he dodge the cannon balls?
Better put him in the navy,
He's an expert on the squalls.
Still the infantry might like him;
He can sound alarms at night.
But suppose he got the colic?
There would never be a fight.
—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

In Proportion.

Wife—I want a cap, please, for my husband.

Shopkeeper—Yes, madam. What size does he wear?

Wife—Well, I really forget. His collars are size 16, though I expect he'd want about size 18 or 20 for a cap. wouldn't he? Philadelphia Press.

The Hobble Shoe.

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Which the *advertisements* sing?—
The hobble shoe.
Brief vamp, tight toe
And heels so altitudinous?
They're wearing them right now.
Wish you'd tell me how.
They get about
Maids lean and stout,
These hobblers multitudinous.
—*Atlanta Constitution.*

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PERILOUS POSSESSIONS.

Things That Have Brought Misfortune In Their Wake.

Whether it is possible that a curse pronounced in the dim past can by any means work harm through the ages is a matter of opinion, comments a London weekly. But such stories and the strange facts connected with them are too numerous to be altogether neglected.

We may instance the case of the painted Egyptian coffin-lid, numbered 22,542, which stands in the British Museum, and the remarkable tale of misfortune and death which has been associated with this pictured face of the priestess of the College of Amen-Ra.

The story is fairly well known, for two years ago all the daily papers were full of it. It is sufficient to say that from the time of the discovery of the coffin in 1859 the priestess seemed to bring misfortune on everyone who had anything to do with her coffin.

All five of the original finders came to grief, and even the carrier who took the case to the museum, the photographer who photographed it, and the well-known writer who described the events connected with it, all died shortly afterwards.

Then there was the case of Mr. George Alefounder, who, having discovered a mummy, too large to conveniently carry away, deliberately beheaded it, and brought the head back to Europe in a bonnet box.

Then everything went wrong with him. Misfortune piled upon misfortune. One day he chanced to meet a medium. The latter at once told him that he could see a figure with high cliffs behind it, and clouds of dust about it. The figure, he said, was headless. This was enough. He sent the head back at once to its original resting-place.

In the summer of 1906, M. Andreef, a well-known business man of St. Petersburg, bought at auction for $10,000 a beautiful old necklace made about 120 years ago by a famous Parisian jeweler for the ill-fated Louis XVI.

Nearly all the members of the French royal family lost their lives in the Revolution, but the necklace was taken by a survivor to Brussels and there sold. Over and over again it changed hands and every one who owned it was unlucky. Finally a Russian prince bought it for $20,000 and gave it to the dancer Tzukki.

Tzukki's health failed, she was reduced to abject poverty and died. The necklace was sold to M. Linevitch, the collector. He died suddenly at Monte Carlo and it passed to a relative who lost all his money and was only saved from beggary by selling the piece of jewelry.

Andreef bought it, and almost the first time his wife wore it he fell into a fit of senseless jealousy and cut her down with a sword.

Such instances may be multiplied. Count Zborowski, when killed in a fearful motor accident at Nice in 1903, was wearing the fatal ring which had belonged to his family for four generations, every head of which had met a violent death.

Still more amazing is a story told by the late head of the Paris Morgue. Five times within his experience dead bodies brought to the morgue were found to be wearing a certain ring easily distinguishable by its strange design.

It bore in eastern characters this legend: 'May whosoever wears this ring die a miserable death.'" M. Mace, late chief of the Parisian police, vouches for the truth of this.

DOCTORS TELL HOW "CUTICURA" CURED SKIN DISEASES

One says, "I have Great Faith in Cuticura Remedies." Another, "They Always Bring Results."

"I wish to let you know of a couple of recent cures which I have made by the use of the Cuticura Remedies. Last August, Mr. ——— of this city came to my office, troubled with a severe skin eruption. At first I could not understand the nature of the case. I finally traced it to his occupation, as he was a painter and decorator. It was dermatitis in its worst form. It started with a slight eruption and would affect most parts of his body—thighs, elbows chest, back and abdomen—and would terminate in little pustules. The itching and burning was dreadful and he would almost tear his skin apart, trying to get relief. I recommended all the various treatments I could think of and he spent about fifteen dollars on prescriptions but nothing seemed to help him.

"In the meantime my wife who was continually suffering with a slight skin trouble and who had been trying different prescriptions and methods with my assistance, told me she was going to get some of the Cuticura Remedies. But as I did not know much about Cuticura at that time I was doubtful whether it would help her. Her skin would thicken, break and bleed, especially on the fingers, wrists and arms. I could do nothing to relieve her permanently. When she first applied the warm baths of Cuticura Soap and applications of Cuticura Ointment she saw a decided improvement and in a few days she was completely cured.

"I lost no time in recommending the Cuticura Remedies to Mr. ———, and this was two months ago. I told him to wash with warm baths of the Cuticura Soap and to apply the Cuticura Ointment generously. Believe me, from the very first day's use of the Cuticura Remedies he was greatly relieved and to-day he is completely cured through their use. I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies and shall always have a good word for them now that I am convinced of their wonderful merits." (Signed) B. L. Whitehead, M.D., 108 Dartmouth St., Boston, Mass., July 22, 1910.

As though in confirmation of this most convincing statement, G. M. Fisher, M.D., Big Pool, Md., writes: "My face was afflicted with eczema in the year 1897. I used the Cuticura Remedies and was entirely cured. I am a practicing physician and very often prescribe Cuticura Remedies in cases of eczema, and they have cured where other formulas have failed. I am not in the habit of endorsing patent medicines, but when I find remedies possessing true merit, such as the Cuticura Remedies are, I am broad-minded enough to proclaim their virtues to the world. I have been practicing medicine for twenty years, and must say I find your Remedies A No. 1. I still find the Cuticura Remedies as good as ever. They always bring results."

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THE LAST OF THE PATRES.

Sir Charles Tupper Showed His Old Form at Coronation.

Sir Charles Tupper was in the thick of the coronation pageantry in London. The veteran Canadian was among the most vigorous and enthusiastic of those who cheered King George to the crowning. The Empire en fete—in what a host of memories and speculations the doughty Tory baronet must have indulged the last few days. Sir Charles shook hands with dozens of faithful henchmen from overseas who helped him fight his battles in the Dominion in other days; he read in The London Times of the seventeen Premiers gathered in Imperial discussion in Downing street; he viewed the crowning of another King—who is as much King of Canada as he is of England. Indeed, in one month in London, Sir Charles saw the modern machinery of the great British Empire exposed; no doubt as he watched the smooth-running of the parts, this great Canadian statesman felt the pride of a workman, conscious of the efficacy of his contribution to the whole.

One incident occurred during coronation week in which Sir Charles was the central figure. That was the unveiling of the memorial in memory of Canadian Confederation at the Westminster Hotel, in the very heart of London. It was in a sense one of the most dramatic episodes of coronation week. Here in this very room, almost half a century ago, gathered a group of men who smoothed away the final obstacles, which threatened the federation of the Canadian provinces into the Dominion, which is the wonder of the twentieth century.

The Fathers of Confederation today are but a cherished memory. The old picture of them gathered about a table, the mural pride of many a Canadian farm house—well the modern Canadian school-boy needs a key to pick them out. Sir Charles Tupper is there. He and Senator A. A. Macdonald alone of the Fathers remain to us. No doubt he has changed since the picture was taken—but in appearance only. Sir Charles Tupper is now an old man. In years he is ninety. But in spirit he is the same old Dr. Tupper of Nova Scotia. Those who were so fortunate to hear him at the Westminster Palace the other day will never forget the scene. Around him were seated the leading men of the Empire. Sir Charles arose to speak. The flash of the warrior was there in his eye, the same challenge of the "Bluenose" was in his voice, as in vehement, declamatory sentences he declared his faith in the future of the Canada he had helped so much to build.

Sir Charles Tupper is the aristocrat of Canadians. He is one of the last of the Patres. To his work as a constitution builder, so fittingly commemorated at the Westminster Palace, let Sir Wilfrid Laurier's words bear tribute:

"During the forty-four years since Canadian Confederation, there has been only one amendment of an important character, and that came without friction and to the satisfaction of everybody. I say to Sir Charles Tupper, in your name and mine, 'Well done, good and faithful servant'."

Of course eminent Canadians of both political parties were in the audience which witnessed the unveiling of the tablet. But these men forgot for the moment that they were Liberals or Conservatives; they remembered only that they were Canadians; that they had assembled to honor the Canadian Constitution and its founders. Sir Wilfrid eulogized his old political foe.

The Hustling, Bustling West.

Easterners visiting the West have before now commented on the fact that despite the "hustle" which is talked so much about, it takes about twice as long to buy a cigar or a necktie out there as it does in an eastern city, and that the gentlemanly clerk is always willing to detain the stranger with talk about his town's prospects, no matter how many other customers may be waiting. A Toronto financier who is now in the West must have had the cup of his bitterness filled to overflowing, for this is the postcard he sent to a friend from one of the flourishing smaller cities of the new provinces:

"Arrived here 6 a.m. Now 10 a.m. Barber expected down shortly. Bar opens 9 a.m. Bar-tender begins the morning papers; intends to serve drinks when he finishes sporting page. Evening paper offices not yet open for business. Leading merchants away fishing. Bustling West! Hell!!!—Saturday Night.

Sleeping In.

A couple of men, who don't get down to work till nine o'clock, were talking the other day about the trouble of getting up in the morning, and one of them told that he considers the funniest remark he had heard concerning that trouble.

It appears that one cold morning last winter in a barber shop in a western Ontario town, a man who looked pretty tired said, "Say, I tell you I felt like sleeping in this morning."

"What time do you usually get up?" he was asked.

"I'm a milkman," he said, "and I usually get up at 4.30."

The idea of a man who gets up at that time on a winter morning talking of "sleeping in" struck the man who rises late as being mighty funny.

"That man would have to lie half a day longer before talking about 'sleeping in,'" he said.—Courier.

Plenty of Coal.

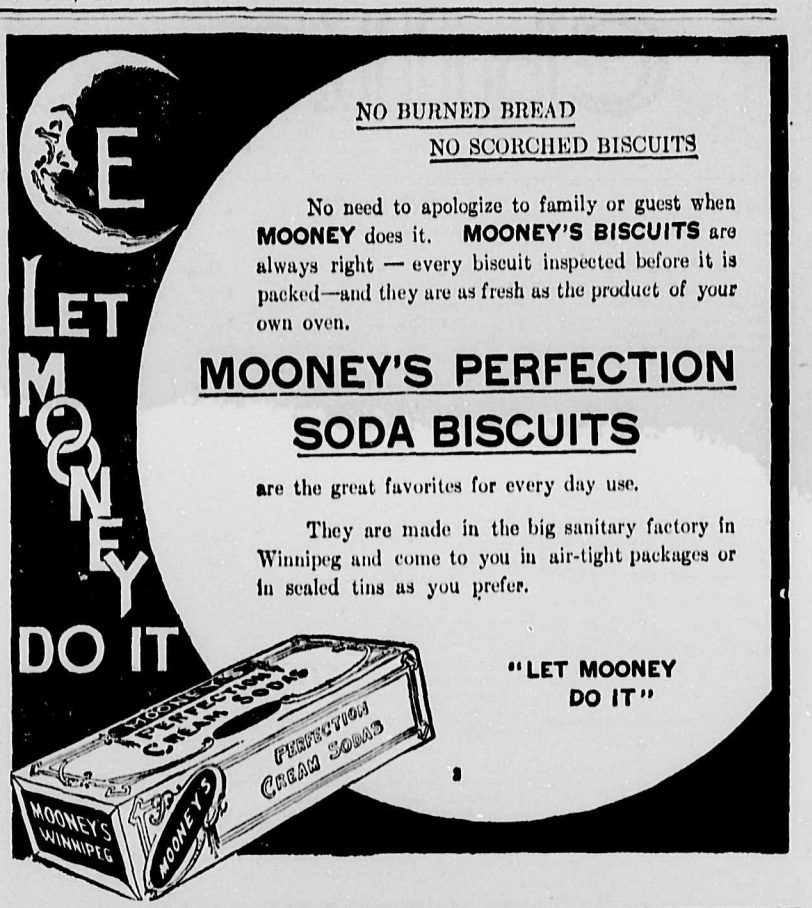
That alarmists who predict Canada's fuel supply is on the verge of exhaustion, will be prophets without honor in their own country for some little time yet, is indicated by a geological survey report just issued. It is on the Big Horn coal basin in Alberta, wherein it is estimated there are 6,600,000,000 long tons of coal in an area of about 187 square miles that are workable. The Big Horn basin is about 85 miles northwest of Banff, 140 miles southwest of Edmonton and 70 miles south of the Grand Trunk Pacific and Canadian Northern Railways' surveyed routes.

Harry and Carrie

There was a young man named Harry;
Also a young lady named Carrie.
"I'd like to marry you," said he.
"The like is mutual, sir," said she.
"But am earning four dollars a day
And hate to give up my job and pay."
"Don't," said she. "The pay is fine.
"I earn but two. I'll give up mine."
—Chicago News.

Mrs. Naggs—"I understand Mr. Chinem is *not on speaking terms* with his wife."

Naggs—"Well, perhaps he isn't to blame. His wife may do all the talking."



Force of Habit

"Your meringues," says the mistress, "are so delightfully frothy and light. How in the world do you get them that way?"

"It's the new butler, mum," explains the cook. "He used to be a *barber, mum.*"

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Heavy-goer (at dance, at a late hour)—"Haven't the least idea what time it is—have you?"

Long-suffering partner (seizing her *opportunity*)—"Oh, just *ordinary* valse-time."—Punch.

Costiveness and Its Cure.—When the excretory organs refuse to perform their functions properly the intestines become clogged. This is known as costiveness and if neglected gives rise to dangerous complications. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will effect a speedy cure. At the first intimation of this ailment the sufferer should procure a packet of the pills and put himself under a course of treatment. The good effects of the pills will be almost immediately evident.

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The answer given was: "Nicotine is so deadly a poison that a drop on the end of a dog's tail will kill a *man.*"

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN AND THE TARIFF

How it Effects the Manufacturer and the Farmer

It was Abraham Lincoln, who gave popularity to the Protectionist side of the tariff question, when he said: "I do not know a great deal about the tariff, but what I do know is, that when we buy goods abroad the foreigner gets the money, but when we buy goods at home, we get both the goods and the money." This sound philosophy characterizes another of the late president's famous homilies. "The farmer and the manufacturer," the president once said, with his characteristic shrewdness, "are both in the same boat and I reckon they've got to learn to navigate the craft together or they'll upset." "He compared the case of a Pennsylvania farmer," continues the historian in question, "and a Pennsylvania iron merchant and implement maker whose properties adjoined. Under a protective policy the farmer supplied the ironmaker with bread, meat, vegetables, fruit, fodder for horses, etc., and the ironmaker supplied the farmer with all the iron, iron implements, etc., which he needed. Assuming that a change is made and the Protective policy abandoned, the farmer then discovers that he can buy his iron implements cheaper from Europe than from his neighbor, assuming that he sells a sufficient quantity of flour in Europe to enable him to effect the purchase of the iron. He ultimately discovers that the cost of carriage to the coast, transportation by sea to England, insurance and cartage on arrival, does not enable him to receive such a good reward for his labor as he formerly did when selling his flour to his neighbor, the ironmaker. He, therefore, determines to sell his flour as before to his neighbor. But meantime the farmer discovers that while he has been purchasing his iron implements from Europe his neighbor, the ironmaker, has been compelled to stop his works and dismiss his employees, not having sufficient work for them. The farmer, therefore, now finds that he has more wheat than he knows what to do with, also that he is no longer able to sell his fruit, vegetables, fodder, meat, horses, etc., to his neighbor, the ironmaker, as he has gone out of business. In fact, he finds that through buying abroad in the cheapest market he has destroyed the home market for his own products and thrown a number of his fellow-countrymen out of employment."

W. N. U., No. 858.

Not Qualified to Help

Blobbs—Guzzler says he doesn't believe in bearing other people's burdens.

Slobbs—No wonder. Guzzler is generally carrying a pretty good load of his own.—Philadelphia Record.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

"The man on the curb has just *made investments in inflated stock.*" "How do you know that?" "Don't you see he is selling toy balloons?"—Baltimore American.

Unless worms be expelled from the system no child can be healthy. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is the best medicine extant to destroy worms.

Edward Ellis, superintendent of the Buffalo park at Wainwright, states that there are 809 buffalo, 7 elk, 35 deer and 3 antelope, a total of 865, in the enclosure. During the year 110 buffalo were added by natural increase, and 7 died. There were eighteen hundred visitors to the park last year. At Elk Park there are 48 head, and at Banff 24, making a total number of bison in captivity in Alberta of 881.

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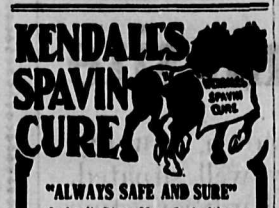

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Dear Sirs—Will you please mail to my address a copy of your "Treatise on the Horse"? I have been using Kendall's Spavin Cure and always found it safe and sure. Marino Briem.

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TERRIBLY TORRID.

When Heat Waves Have Produced Curious Effects.

The recent fervid weather throughout the Dominion is by no means confined to Canada. An English paper after a hot spell is moved to some interesting reminiscences concerning hot spells.

It was a startling effect which the heat had on a couple of young ladies at Douglas, in the Isle of Man, last summer. Well-dressed, they were strolling along the Marine Promenade, when the sun's rays made the water so inviting that they simply walked into it just as they were.

Such indifference to their spick-and-span array almost took the spectators' breath away. This, however, did not trouble the two damsels, who splashed about and cooled themselves, while a laughing crowd of holiday-makers enjoyed the unique scene.

Then the twain made for terra firma, boarded a tramcar, and proceeded to their lodgings to change their damp garments for dry ones.

A somewhat different construction was placed on the action of a well-dressed son of Erin whom the heat goaded into plunging into the Thames.

When he took his plunge with his clothing on, the river watermen pulled off to the rescue. This was more than the bather bargained for; and, when he saw his would-be rescuers preparing to use a boathook, he felt it would be better to "take his hook" than be taken by theirs.

This, however, proved impossible, and, to convince them that he was not on self-destruction bent, he roared out at the top of his voice: "Can't ye let a fellow have a quiet swim a day like this?" But his roar was nothing to the roar of laughter which went up from the spectators at this unexpected sally.

What was described as a "Startling scene on the Terrace" was reported in the newspapers one hot summer not long since. Passengers on boats on the Thames, passing the Houses of Parliament, were treated to the unique spectacle of numbers of our usually grave and dignified legislators sitting in their shirt sleeves.

A few, indeed, were even minus their waistcoats, a breach of the proprieties which some of those who witnessed it would not have deemed possible if they had not seen the scandalous fact with their own naked eyes.

They seemed to consider it a heinous crime for a member of Parliament to dispense with his waistcoat. However that may be, there are precedents for dispensing with superfluous apparel under the same conditions in the law courts of the United States, if not of England. An amusing incident of this kind happened in the town of Cincinnati.

While an important action was proceeding in the Court of Common Pleas, the presiding judge, Mr. Justice Jelke, observed that several of the jurymen were suffering considerably from the sweltering atmosphere of the court.

He at once gave them permission to take off their coats, and by way of example proceeded to divest himself of his own. The learned counsel appearing in the case immediately followed suit—this is not a pun— and shirt-sleeve freedom became general in the room.

Patching the Colors.

Although privately-woven colors are no longer presented to British regiments, there was a time when a lady's silk wedding dress formed a considerable part of one.

When the colors of the old 33rd Foot were brought from Glasgow to London for the funeral of the Duke of Wellington, after whom the regiment is named, their tattered condition, due more to climatic vagaries than campaigning, excited the feminine pity of Mrs. Blake, wife of the colonel, in whose house they were lodged. The regimental color being white, with a red cross, the good lady promptly utilized her white silk wedding dress to patch the same, greatly to the consternation of the officers when they discovered the obliteration of a great source of regimental pride. But with fine chivalry they allowed the patches to remain; and the colors, passing into the possession of the colonel on their retirement in 1854, were subsequently presented by his widow to the Royal United Service Institution.

Back to a Foreign Clime.

Authority has it that Sir Eldon Gorst has no intention whatever of retiring from his post in Egypt. There was a period in last winter when Sir Eldon's health was so precarious that it looked as if he would be compelled to relinquish his work, and at that date the Foreign Office was obliged to cast about in search of a successor. But it is definitely understood now at the Foreign Office that Sir Eldon will return to Egypt. He is at present resting, and going very little into society.

Son of Sir John Gorst, M.P., Sir Eldon was born in 1861, and was educated at Eton and Trinity College, Cambridge, where he was 20th Wrangler of his year.

Toads Worth 25 Cents.

English gardeners are always in the market for live toads, and not unfrequently as much as $25 per hundred is paid for this insect destroyer. It is estimated that every time a boy kills a toad he is destroying $100 worth of stock on a farm.

Must Suffer Anyway.

"The attempt to commit suicide is not a punishable offence under the German criminal code. But, of course," says a London paper, "if you succeed you must be prepared to take the consequences."

Too Sweeping

"Absalom," said Mrs. Rambo, "you have got to quit your drinking, your smoking, your chewing, your swearing, your——"

"For heaven's sake, Nancy," protested Mr. Rambo, "don't commit me to such a wholesale reform. Let me revise my habits schedule by schedules."—Chicago Tribune.

Sole Survivor

Master—"Why were you late for early school, Wright?"

Wright—"Please, sir, I must have overwashed myself."

WESTERN HARVEST PROBLEM

How to Supply the Pressing Needs of the Growing Western Country

Winnipeg.—As the summer progresses and the wheat growth of the West advances towards maturity there comes this year, as there comes most years, an appeal for help in the harvest fields; and the probability is that even though Eastern Canada may send out thousands of men and boys to aid in the garnering of the grain, the West will, Oliver Twist-like, ask for more.

This problem of how to supply the pressing needs of a new and rapidly growing country for a few weeks (because that is all that the invitation really means to Easterners) is one of these which can only be solved by co-operation and looking ahead. It is true that the Government, through its immigration department is advertising in thousands of newspapers throughout Great Britain and the United States that "the harvest is plenteous, but the laborers are few," and that some relief can be gained in that way; but the result would undoubtedly be much better if more dependence was to be had upon individual effort.

Take the case of a man who goes to the Canadian West from old Canada or from any of the Western or Central States or from Great Britain. He is a very unusual man, indeed, if he does not "take up his pen in hand," at some period of his pioneering and write home to complain either of his loneliness or of the weather or of the gophers or of the snow or of the heat, or of any dozen other difficulties which pioneers have to overcome. He does so, as a matter of course, not with any desire to 'knock' the new country, but animated by that human sentiment which seeks comfort in trouble and, failing to find it in a new locality, looks for it in the old home.

But when that same man has made good, how often does he write home to tell of his fortune? The habit of writing home is much like the habit of taking the local newspaper from home; it lasts a year or two or three, and then it is dropped, because of the new environment crowding out interest in the old. How much better both for himself and the country would it be for such a man to write home, tell the old folks at home of his good fortune and ask them to send a brother, a cousin or even only an old schoolmate to help him gather the crops?

That would be a practical individual way of solving the harvest problem, partially at least; it would be good advertising for the West, because we all know that there is no advertisement so good as a satisfied settler; and it would create a new bond of interest between the man in the West and those left behind at home.

And the most attractive feature of the suggestion (which comes from W. D. Scott, the head of the immigration branch) is that it is just the sort of thing which will appeal to the sentiment of the westerner and is at the time reasonable in cost.

Here's to a man. He is like a kerosene lamp—he is not especially brilliant; he is often turned down; he generally smokes and he frequently goes out at night.

Soft corns are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Cure will draw them out painlessly.

"Which would you rather be, a poet or a musician?"

"A poet. People aren't so liable to be disturbed while you are practising."—Washington Star.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

She (with newspaper) — "Another cyclone out west. It has swept dozens of farms clear of everything."

He—"I'll bet the mortgages didn't budge an inch."—Boston Transcript.

Every packet of Wilson's Fly Pads will kill more flies than can possibly be caught on three hundred sheets of sticky fly paper.

Safe and sane men have large feet, safe and sane women small, according to two French scientists who have made an extensive research into the question of pedal extremities.

Most celebrated of ancient libraries was that at Alexandra. It contained 700,000 volumes.

TIRED IN BODY AND IN MIND

Worn Out by the Monotonous Indoor Life of Winter

Spring Finds the Blood Weak and the System Run Down—Vigor is Restored by

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

Just at the time when the buds are bursting and the birds are chirping merrily in the tree tops, many people feel most keenly the debilitating and enervating effects of indoor winter life.

The blood is so thin and watery that it fails to supply nutrition to the nervous system and to the vital organs. You feel tired, weak and discouraged, energy and ambition are lacking, and strange depressing feelings come over you.

But nature has provided certain restoratives to be used at this time of year to form new, rich blood and create new nerve force. These elements are found in condensed and easily assimilated form in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Thousands of men and women have learned to escape this spring depression and weakness and discouragement by using this great restorative.

Vitality is increased, strength and confidence return, buoyancy is felt in every movement of the body, pallor and weakness and disease give place to the glow of health and vigor of mind and body.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, the great spring tonic and restorative, 50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Omar Revised

A flitch of bacon underneath the bough
With bacon at the present price and thou
To share my fortune in the wilderness—
Oh, wilderness were paradise enow!

The moving finger writes and, having writ,
Moves on, nor all your piety nor wit
Shall lure it back to cancel half a line.
The price of bacon's been advanced a bit.

Alike for those who for today prepare
And those that after some tomorrow stare,
The bacon that in childhood's years they scorned
Costs more per pound than they can hope to spare.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have made so many remarkable cures in serious cases that people are liable to overlook their value as a tonic for the blood and nerves in debility and general run-down conditions. That such conditions are the cause of much misery and unhappiness is fully known to those who suffer from them and the need of curing them is as vital as is relief from diseases with higher sounding names. We commend the following statement to any one suffering from weak, thin blood, or shattered nerves. Mrs. Mae Macabe, Gleichen, Alta., says: "A few years ago I became run down, not seriously ill, but just tired and weak all the time. I consulted our family doctor, who gave me tonic after tonic with no effect. I gradually got weaker and weaker until I could not do my work. Then I went to another doctor, who pronounced by case one of decline, and recommended a warmer climate with complete rest. This I could not afford and I became a complete nervous wreck. One day while visiting a neighbor an old gentleman who was taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for partial paralysis recommended them to me. I sent out and got three boxes, but without much faith that they would help me, but before they were gone I noticed an improvement and I continued taking the Pills, constantly growing stronger, until I had taken seven or eight boxes, when I was completely cured. I could do my work as easily as ever I had done in my life, and the doctor told men that he could scarcely believe the change in me, as he had not had the least hope that I would be strong again. Now I always keep the Pills on hand and if I feel fatigued or weary take them for three or four days so as not to get run down."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Farmer—"Do you want a job digging potatoes?"

Tired Tim—"Yes, I do, providing it's digging them out of gravy."

KEEP YOUR ANIMALS THRIFTY

A good pasture will keep your animals thrifty but dry feeds lack the aromatic qualities necessary to the thorough assimilation of food. Herbageum will economically replace these aromatic qualities and ensure results almost equal to those of a first-class pasture. This preparation is manufactured at Galt, Ont., by the Beaver Manufacturing Co., Limited, and is endorsed by the foremost breeders and feeders of Canada. It has stood the test of trial for nearly twenty-five years and is thoroughly reliable.

A man who will brag about how much money he has rarely ever has it.

The change of dietary that comes with spring and summer has the effect in weak stomachs of setting up inflammation resulting in dysentery and cholera morbus. The abnormal condition will continue if not attended to and will cause an exhaustive drain on the system. The best available medicine is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It clears the stomach and bowels of irritants, counteracts the inflammation and restores the organs to healthy action.

The mosquito is saddest when he stings—unless he makes a quick getaway.

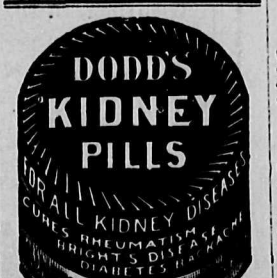
Minard's Liniment Co., Ltd.

Gentlemen,—In June, '98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I began using. The effect was magical; in five hours the pain had ceased, and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

Yours truly,
A. E. ROY,
Carriage Maker.
St. Antoine, P. Q.

Doctor—"Well, I hope you profited by my advice."

Patient—"Yes, doctor, but not so much as you did."—Boston Transcript.



A CITY IN ANGUISH.

What the Motor Has Done for London —Pandemonium Re-born.

The London of to-day, complains a Britisher of the samewhat old-fashioned, conservative type, is replete with horrible sounds, bewildering and destructive of legitimate peace; the city grows wilder and more chaotic every year. Just imagine the London night of twelve years ago, with the easy rhythm of the horse 'bus, the swinging, half-silent dash of the brougham, and the eternal tinkling melody of the hansom—like a solo piping through the whole opera; then think of the shriek and tootle of the London of to-day. It is like a city in anguish, a city racked and torn by devouring pains which can find relief only in groans and shrieks, in coughings and belchings. The motor has altered the tune of the music of London, melody-embroidered harmony no longer exists; the music of London is now a modern tone-poem in which cacophony plays the part of melody. Perchance one of these days we shall get used to the new tune of the metropolis, but in the meantime it is very disconcerting.

Not so many years ago the chief way of getting lost in London was a mere matter of geography; it was difficult to find your bearings in the wilderness of streets; and you had to learn very thoroughly whether the omnibuses marked "Bank" were on their way backward or forward journeys; once that was accomplished, half the battle, that at least pertaining to the main thoroughfares, was won. Now there is a new terror for the stranger in the traffic noises.

In the old days the traffic puzzled you by its immensity; it sound was, on the whole, a rather pleasing rhythm, inviting your confidence. That sonorous old song of the streets is gone for ever. The traffic of London to-day roars and shrieks like a wild beast show; the stranger in London stands aghast no longer at its immensity, he stands aghast at its war-whoops and its mutterings; at the infinite and appalling variety of its motor horns. The invention of the rubber type promised us comparative quietness in our streets, and for a while its use on horse-drawn vehicles did actually reduce the clamor of the traffic; but then came the motor, with musketry rattle of machinery and its pneumatic horns, and pandemonium was re-born.

A New Zealand Bull.

Here is a good story told by Sir Joseph Ward:

A few years ago, the Chinese in New Zealand were found to be doing a very great deal of the laundry work available, and had so thrown out of employment the women-workers in some of the laundries.

In New Zealand a laundry is a factory within the meaning of the Factories Act, and numerous restrictions for the purposes of health and for other reasons are placed upon the hours during which young girls under eighteen years of age may be employed. These provisions are extensive, and are found in the New Zealand Factories Act.

It occurred to a law-maker that he could settle the difficulty of this Chinese competition by a neat amendment in the interpretation clause of the Act above mentioned. An amendment was therefore drafted and printed, and sent with the utmost seriousness and good faith to the Crown Law Office for consideration. It contained a provision in these words:

"For the purposes of this Act (the Factories Act) a Chinaman shall be deemed to be a girl under eighteen years of age."—M.A.P.

Privileges of Hendon.

Hendon, the haven of flying men, was noted for the facilities awarded its inhabitants for traveling in the past. Mr. Walter Jerrold, in "Highways and Byways in Middlesex," recalls the good times enjoyed by the ancient Hendonian. "Edward the Confessor granted an extraordinary exemption, renewed by many succeeding monarchs. In giving certain lands at Hendon to Westminster Abbey the King freed the inhabitants from all tolls both by land and water. The last renewal of this great privilege was in the fifth year of William and Mary and it 'freed the inhabitants from all tolls in all fairs and markets, and from all street tolls and every other toll whatever in every fair and every market, and every bridge, and every way by water and also by sea, for themselves and their wares for ever'."

Making Themselves Known.

"Persons who expect to receive money orders in a strange town take infinite precautions to identify themselves," said a postal clerk. "One way that particularly commends itself is for the stranger to call on the paying teller in the money order department before his own order arrives and present a bunch of correspondence showing pretty clearly who he is. He then explains that he is expecting a money order from a certain person. Can the clerk remember him when he presents it for payment? After that impressive introduction the clerk usually can remember, and when the order is presented he cashes it."

Right In the Swim.

Mrs. Newgold—My daughter has a chaperon now.

Mrs. Shoddie—Dear me, that's too bad! Why, it's only last week that she had a boil on the back of her neck. She seems to have everything there is agoing.—London Telegraph.

A Famous Actor.

"What makes you think you can act?" asked the manager to the stage struck applicant.

"Burglars came into my room last night," replied the young man. "I pretended to be asleep and deceived them utterly."—Pearson's Weekly.

A Centenarian Family.

Mrs. Magdalene Trousdale, widow of the late John Thousdale, died at Sydenham, aged 102 years, recently. The deceased's mother at the time of her death was also 102 years old.

Any Old Mark

"Of course," said the surgeon who had operated for appendicitis, "there will be a scar."

"That's all right," replied the patient. "Leave any kind of a mark you like that will prevent some strange doctor from coming along and operating again."—Winchester Herald.

"He told her that he would gladly die for her." The same old bluff, did it catch her?" "No. She told him she would gladly let him."—Houston Post.

Ate Unwisely?

Sometimes people do, and suffer, because the stomach balks.

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relieve the discomfort at once, and help digest the overload. The lover of good things may feel quite safe with a box of NA-DRU-CO Dyspepsia Tablets at hand. 50c. a box. If your druggist has not stocked them yet send 50c. and we will mail them 34

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A BUSH HOLIDAY.

A Day Off In B.C. as Described by a Hospital Worker.

An hospital in the bush sounds very lonely; but only those who have lived along the coast of Vancouver Island can realize how wonderfully grand it is. The hospital of which I have charge is situated many miles north of Vancouver. I had had heavy work for many months, and was just getting a bit slack when I awoke one morning in August to find the sun streaming into my room. It was one of those sparkling clear mornings when everything stands out with that remarkable clearness peculiar to Western Canada.

Think how much I should like to take a "day off," and repair to one of the lakes to fish, I made known my wish at breakfast time, and we arranged that the doctor's wife and myself should go off, taking with us a male patient convalescing, after amputation of leg, and a mad scramble followed.

After helping with the morning ward work, and packing up a hasty lunch, I was just fixing up my fishing tackle when the whistle of the first train of logs came down to us from not very far up in the woods.

This meant hurry, for the men cannot lose time waiting for holiday-makers. So off we trotted just in time to scramble into the engine cabin, and away eight miles through the bush till we reached the beautiful lake which was to be our destination.

Having got down again from the engine, we made our way to the lake edge, there to find an old boat; into this we scrambled, and pulled out a little way, then threw out our lines. We had plenty of bites, and landed some half-dozen fine trout; but the sun shone too brightly for the fish, and they soon became lazy.

While they were enjoying a "siesta," we rowed about two miles across the lake, and lauded on the very smallest of islands, which we christened "The Isle of Delight." Here we made a fire and prepared a lunch, giving our patient his in the boat, as he, poor fellow, could not land.

After our repast we again settled down to fish, and a very exciting two hours followed, landing trout as fast as we could for two hours. In fact we were so engrossed that we had forgotten the train foreman's instructions to be at the water tank at 4.30 p.m. Now it was after 5 p.m. The last train of logs had gone down, and our position was indeed a serious one.

After much consultation between ourselves we finally agreed that there was at any rate no use remaining in the boat, that we had better get to shore, and that I should walk the two miles to the nearest camp and ask the manager to kindly send us home on a "loose engine."

Suddenly through the stillness came a strange sound. Oh, joy; it was the whistle of a train! We could scarcely believe our ears, but it surely came nearer and nearer, and at last hove into sight. We waved frantically, and pulled with all our might to shore but the men saw us and called out to us to hurry. And we obeyed their instructions to the letter, but the task of getting our patient out of the boat and up through the bush to the train in a hurry was an extremely difficult one, and, looking back on it, I hardly know how we accomplished it.

However, we eventually reached the line, and managed to squeeze ourselves into the small space available, for it was no train and carriage we had stopped, but an engine only, and we were soon speeding on our way home. We learned that the engine was going down to bring back a water tank, otherwise we should have fared badly—how badly I do not like to think. As it was, we got back safely with our fine load of fish.

And a very nice homecoming it was! Patients waving to us, as we rounded the corner, evidently on the look-out, and even military honors for the gramophone was playing on the veranda.

Ontario's Prison Figures.

According to the annual return for 1910 for the prisons and reformatories of Ontario, issued by the Provincial Secretary, a decrease of 65 in the number of prisoners sent to Kingston is shown, while there was an increase of 61 in the number sentenced to the previous year. The commitments for murder last year were 41, as compared with 21 in 1909; manslaughter 10, as compared with 11 the previous year.

The total number of persons committed to jails or lock-ups of the province last year was 13,687, an increase of 152 over 1909. Of this total number 3,881 were temperate, but less than 13 per cent. could read and write.

Dr. Bruce Smith lauds the parole system which has been recently introduced.

Maple Tree Seed.

Seeds of maple trees have been known to germinate in ice.

Potatoes and Electricity.

A freshly cut potato makes a good polarity indicator. If two current carrying wires inserted into it the positive wire will cause a green stain, while if stains surround each wire it shows that the current is alternating.

The "Wellington" Hat

for men. Canadian-made. Guaranteed best hat value in Canada. All sizes and shapes in soft and stiff felts. Ask your Dealer, or write at once to
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The Bookman republishes a paper by Professor Brander Matthews entitled "Unwritten Books" that was first printed many years ago. Professor Matthews speaks of the projected books and plays that never saw the light and have been read, like bills in congress, by title only.

Moliere planned a comedy under the title "L'Homme de Cour," which was to be his masterpiece. Nothing is known of it today. Richard Brinsley Sheridan intended to write a follower to "The School For Scandal" and "The Rivals." The subject was "Affectation." It never went beyond a few random notes.

For years the paper covers of every new book that Victor Hugo issued continued to announce as soon to be published a romance entitled "La Quanquengrogne." Many posthumous volumes of the French poet's writing in prose and verse have been sent forth by his literary executors, but of this oddly entitled fiction nothing has been heard. In 1862 Alphonse Daudet announced as in press a volume of short stories to be called "La Pentameron." The book remained unpublished and apparently unwritten. The younger Dumas has left on record more than one reference to a comedy to be called "La Route de Thebes," planned before "Francillon," but never given to the public.

Roasting an Egg.

Every boy and girl down on the farm in times gone by used to roast eggs, pieces of meat and potatoes in embers in the old wood cook stove or in the big open fireplace. Barns were searched for hens' nests, and the fine, fresh eggs were wrapped in heavy paper. The paper was dampened, and several thicknesses of it protected the eggs from scorching. You know wet paper in a ball is hard to burn. Well, the wrapped up eggs were put on the live coals and partially covered by them. In from five to fifteen minutes the egg was roasting hot and ready to eat with salt, pepper and butter. A pin hole was made in the big end of the egg so as to let the steam escape to keep it from bursting the shell and the meats from running out. If you have never as a small boy roasted such eggs you have missed one of childhood's greatest joys.—New York Press.

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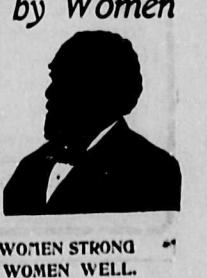

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That the people of the Fraser Valley and the Chilliwack portion of it, generally speaking, favor the home market, and also favor the protection and fostering of home institutions, as a principle, was made decidedly plain in the vote cast last Thursday. Taking that as a fact—and placing it along of another—Chilliwack, we naturally look to the people of the Valley and City to remain true and loyal to the town which we call our own. Patriotism in the larger field should also produce loyalty in the smaller sphere—on the same basis of reasoning. In advocating reciprocity we believed it would be beneficial generally, and at the same time increase the growth and development of Chilliwack. The great majority have said in effect that Canada must trade at home for that is the way the subject of reciprocity was presented by the Victors. That our markets would have suffered in competition with those of the American, is believed by many, *and therefore the subject* must be turned down. Now what the Free Press would like to see is that sentiment carried into effect locally. In other wards "Buy in Chilliwack, the home town, the home market." That this is not being done to the extent it should be is too evident. But if people believe as they voted last Thursday, Chilliwack and the Valley, and not Seattle, Vancouver, Winnipeg, will receive the benefit of their trade. We have heard a good deal about Canada for Canadians, and why not Chilliwack for Chilliwack people. We have also been told considerable about big monopolies getting our trade and profits, but why support out of town departmental store monopolies by sending the ready cash to them, and asking the local dealer, the home man, to carry an account for various periods of time, or perhaps turn him down, altogether. Hardly "Canada for Canadians" sentiment there. Let us be patriotic toward our own town, its industry, its capital, and its talent. This is good Conservative argument, which has been very popular in the Fraser Valley, and the Chilliwack portion of it particularly, and should meet with general approval and practice not more than one hundred miles from Chilliwack. See J. D. Taylor's majority.

The Dominion election and Chilliwack's big Fair are now over. In future, Governments should not set election date on the day of Chilliwack Fair. The clash was disastrous. The Government was knocked completedly out and had to take the count, while the vibration was so great as to cause an over flow of water works, which severely tested the dikes of the Fair. Of the two however the Chilliwack Fair emerged from the fray in the better condition, and will come back strong about a year hence. We cannot exactly state the date of the return of the Liberal Government, but it may not be many fair dates distant.

Revised returns of the poll in the New Westminster riding compiled from declarations of the deputy returning officers, except in a few cases where these have been incomplete as to the votes for Mr. Oliver give a total for Mr. J. D. Taylor of 3539, and for Mr. John Oliver of 1840, the majority for Mr. Taylor being now 1699 with two polls to hear from, Port Douglas and 25-Mile Creek, in Dewdney, where a small poll is anticipated. The Conservative majority in the House is now placed at forty-nine, which may be increased.

The City roadmaking equipment has been engaged on Young road between Princess avenue and the five corners this week. Westminster street should receive attention on the completion of the piece now being constructed.

PRIZE LIST—Continued

MISCELLANEOUS.

Red Quilt—1, Mrs. A. E. Ferroll; 2, Mrs. Robt. Eason.
Pierced Brass—1, Mrs. A. Mercer.
Pyrography 3 pieces—1, Mrs. A. Mercer; 2, Miss D. Henderson.
Novelty of any kind—1, Mrs. A. Mercer; 2, Miss Edna Knight.
Hand-painted China—1, Mrs. J. H. Alexander.
Work done by ladies over 70 years old—1, Mrs. J. R. Walker.
Women's Work, original article not specified; special prize, E—1, Mrs. Robt. Eason.

WORK DONE BY GIRLS OF 16 YEARS AND UNDER.

Sofa Pillow—1, Miss Marjorie Eason; 2, Miss Fanny Wheeler.
Fancy Apron—1, Miss Fanny Wheeler; 2 Miss Marjorit Eason.
Darned Socks or Stockings—1, Miss Marjorie Eason; 2, Miss Dorothea Henderson.
Pyrography—1, Miss Dorothea Henderson; 2, Miss Fanny Wheeler.
Best Dressed Doll, each garment hand made—1, Miss Marjorie Eason.
Button Holes on Linen, 6.—Miss A. Watson; 2, Miss Marjorie Eason.
Hemstitched Handkerchief—1, Miss Harding; 2, Miss Thornton.
Layer Cake—1 Miss Maynard; 2, Miss Fanny Wheeler.
Two Loaves of Bread—1, Miss Fanny Wheeler; 2, Miss Harding.
Baking Powder Biscuits—1, Miss Fanny Wheeler; 2, Miss Maynard.
Work done by girls 12 or under; pincushion—1, Miss Harding.
Plain Needlework—1, Miss A. Watson.
Layer Cake—1, Miss Bailey.
Baking Powder Biscuits—1, Miss Harding; 2, Miss Bailey.

CLASS 13.

(Work to be done by boys of 16 years or under.)
Photography, 12 specimens—1, Wm. Knight.
Best collection of leaves mounted—1, Mr. B. Bailey.

CLASS 15—SCHOOL WORK.

Open to any pupil of schools of Chilliwack city or district. Map drawing to be done by memory, certified by the teacher.

SENIOR GRADE.

Penmanship—1, Miss Fanny Wheeler; 2, Heather Burton.
Drawing, shading—1, Miss D. Henderson.
Essay, life of Sir Wilfrid Laurier—1, Miss Grace Gervan; 2, Miss Ester Hammar.

INTERMEDIATE GRADE.

Penmanship—1, Miss Ada Coates; 2, Miss May Rogers.
Map Drawing, Province of British Columbia—1 Miss C. Bradwin; 2, Rod McLellan.

JUNIOR GRADE.

Penmanship—1 Bow Gee Yuae (Chinese boy.), 2, Edwin Arnold.
Painting of Flowers—1, W. Evins; 2, Lyle Knight.
Painting of Natural Scenery—1, Miss J. Reeves; 2, Lyle Knight.
Carrots, white, 3 heaviest—1 C. P. Copeland.
Carrots, red 3 heaviest—1, C. D. Endall; 2, C. W. Copeland.
Sample of Hops—1, J. H. Copeland.
Cabbage, brace—1, W. Anderson; 2, C. Dandall.
Pumpkins, brace—1 G. I. Thornton; 2, D. Daris.
Best Kale, brace—1, W. E. A. Watson; 2, A. E. Webster.
Squash, brace—1, C. W. Copeland.

SPECIAL PRIZE.

For the largest field turnip exhibited; subscription to the Vancouver World for one year—1, Fred Wooster.

CLASS 9—HORTICULTURE

Gravenstein Apples, five—1, J. A. Coatham; 2, W. Knight.
Duchess of Oldenburg Apples five—1, G. I. Thornton; 2, W. Knight.
Keswick Codling Apples, five—1, J. A. Coatham; 2, J. Thompson.
Alexander Apples, five—1, D. C. McGilvary.
Wealthy Apples, five—1, W. H. Higginson; 2, D. C. McGilvary.
Bienheim Orange Apples—1, G. I. Thornton; 2, C. T. Higginson.
Salina Pippin Apples—1 D. C. McGilvary; 2, Wm. Knight.
Sutton's Beauty five—1, J. H. Paul; 2, J. A. Coatham.
Thistleweight, five—1, J. A. Coatham.
Plate of any other kind of fall Apples—1, J. A. Coatham; 2, C. T. Higginson.
Hallwin, five—1, G. I. Thornton; 2, Jas. Topley.
Northern Spy, five—1, C. T. Higginson; 2 W. H. Higginson.
King of Tompkins, five—1, C. T. Higginson; 2, A. B. McKenzie.
Salome, five—1, G. I. Thornton; 2, Jas. Bailey.
Greenings, five—1, J. A. Coatham; 2, A. E. Webster.
Grimes Golden, five—1 R. A. Smithgomery; 2, R. Kittson; 3, C. Dowdney.
Canada Reinett, five—1, J. A. Coatham; 2, C. T. Higginson.
Ribston Pippin, five—1, A. B. McKenzie; 2, H. L. Johnston.
Canada Red, five—1, Mrs. J. Thompson; 2 Jas. Bailey.
Jonathan, five—1, A. E. Webster; 2, G. W. Robbins.
Newton Pippin, five—1, J. A. Coatham; 2, C. T. Higginson.
Five heaviest apples—1, T. H. Jackson; 2, Geo. Preston.
Plates of any other Winter Apples—1, H. J. Barber; 2, C. J. Higginson.
Clapp's Favorite Pears, five—1, W. C. Lytle; 2, D. C. McGilvary.
Bartlett Pear, five—1, Geo. Bellrose; 2, J. A. Coatham.
Doyenne Boussock, five—1, J. C. Robertson; 2 Jas. Bailey.
Louise Bon de Jersey, five—1, G. I. Thornton; 2, J. A Coatham.
Keifer, five—1, G. I. Thornton; 2, Jas Bailey.
Souvenir de Congress Pear, five—1, C. T. Higginson.
Duchess de Angloueme, five—1, C. T. Higginson.

Division B.—Horses.

HORSES.

Class.
1. Span draft horses, mare and gelding shown in harness—1, D. Montgomery; 2, T. W. Paterson; 3, T. W. Paterson.
2. Span agricultural horses, mares or geldings, shown in harness—1, D. Montgomery; 2, D. Montgomery; 3, T. E. Ladner.
3. Span carriage horses over 15 hands, shown in harness—1, Dr. Wilson; 2, W. J. Fredericks.
4. Span roadsters, 15 hands and under, shown in harness—1, C. McKillop.
5. Span general purpose mares or geldings, shown in harness, weight 1150 to 1350—1, C. Davis.
6. Buggy horse—1, A. Davie; 2, T. W. Paterson; 3, Dr. Wilson.
7. Saddle horse—1, A. Davie; 2, W. Smillie; 3, C. H. Davis.

CLYDESDALES WITH PEDIGREE

8. Brood mare, foal at foot—1, Guichon Estate; 2 and 3 T. W. Paterson.
9. Sucking colt—1, T. W. Paterson; 2, Guichon Estate; 3, A. Davie.
10. Yeld mare—1 and 2, T. W. Paterson.
11. Three-year old gelding or filly—1, Guichon Estate; 2, T. W. Paterson; 3, W. Heaton.
12. Two-year old gelding or filly.
13. Yearling, gelding or filly—1, Guichon Estate.

HEAVY DRAUGHT.

(No registered horses allowed in this class.)
14. *Brood mare, foal at foot*—1, T. E. Ladner; 2, T. W. Paterson; 3 R. Kittson.
15. Sucking colt—1, Fisher Bros.; 2, T. E. Ladner; 3, A. Kittson.
16. Yeld mare—1, T. W. Paterson.
17. Three-year old gelding or filly—1, Tamboline; 2, Fisher Bros.; 3, A. Davie.
18. Two-year old, gelding or filly—1, Guichon Estate; 2, Fisher Bros.; 3, C. H. Davie.
19. Yearling gelding or filly—D. Mont-

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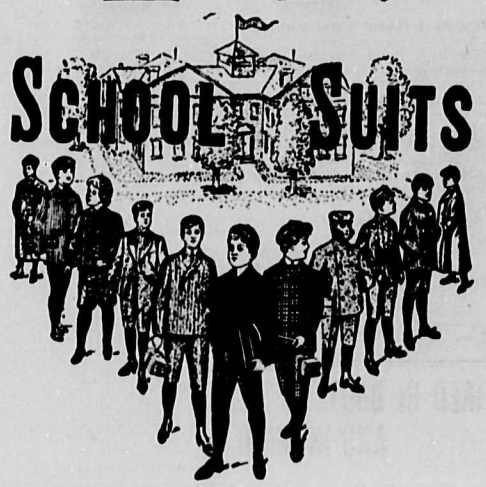

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AGRICULTURAL.

20. Brood mare, foal at foot—1, D. Montgomery; 2, S. M. Gilhanders; 3, W. Smillie.
21. Suckling colt—1, D. Montgomery; 2, Fisher Bros.; 3, I. McRae.
22. Yeld mare—1, D. Montgomery; 2 and 3, H. Montgomery.
23. Three-year old gelding or filly—1, T. S. Ladner; 2, A. Davie; 3, C. Kettle.
24. Two-year old gelding or filly—1, D. Montgomery; 2, C. H. Davis; 3, Dr. Wilson.
25. Yearling, gelding or filly—1 and 2, T. S. Ladner; 3, I. McRae.

HACKNEYS WITH PEDIGREE.

26. Brood mare, foal at foot—1, Dr. Wilson.
27. Suckling colt—1, Dr. Wilson.
28. Yeld mare—1, Dr. Wilson.
29. Three-year old gelding or filly.
30. Two-year old gelding or filly.
31. Yearling, gelding or filly.
32. Brood mare, foal at foot—1, A. Davie.
33. Suckling colt—1, A. Davie; 2, C. H. Davis; 3, Fisher Bros.

HACKNEYS WITHOUT PEDIGREE.

34. Yeld mare—1, T. W. Paterson; 2, A. Davie.
35. Three-year old gelding or filly—1 and 2, Dr. Wilson.
36. Two-year old gelding or filly—1, S. Huff.
37. Yearling, gelding or filly—1, R. McKee.

ROADSTERS.

38. Brood mare, foal at foot—1, C. Davis.
39. Sucking colt—1, Fisher Bros.; 2, Jas. Richardson; 3, C. Kettle.
40. Yeld mare—1, Dr. Wilson; 2, Jas. Richardson; 3, Dr. Wilson.
41. Three-year old, gelding or filly—1, C. Haddon; 2, R. Kittson.
42. Two-year old, gelding or filly.
43. Yearling, gelding or filly—1, Jas. Richardson.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

Donated by the Delta Farmers' Institute, to be competed for by members of the Institute who joined before June 30, 1911:

1. Band of pure bred horses, consisting of three the get or one sire! $10.00—Guichon Estate.
2. Band of grade horses, 5 any age over 1 year: $10.00—D. Montgomery.
3. Best walking team hitched to empty lumber wagon; $5.00—W. J. Fredericks.
4. Best colt on grounds (stallion, gelding or filly) under 3 years, any class; $3.00—Guichon Estate.
5. Best farmer's driving mare or gelding attached to four-wheeled vehicle; ½-mile heat; style and speed considered; horses having previously won public money racing debarred; $5.00—T. E. Ladner.

CATTLE.

6. Holstein herd (1 bull under 3 years, 2 heifers under 2 years, 1 heifer calf)—1, Sutherby Bros.
7. Bull, dairy breed—1, T. E. Ladner.
9. Pen pure bred sheep (1 shearling ram, 1 shearling ewe, 1 ram lamb, 1 ewe lamb): $5.00.
10. Pen fat sheep (1 shearling wether, 1 wether lamb): $5.00.
11. Best exhibit of swine; $6.00.
12. Best exhibit of poultry; $2.00.

HORSES.

(Donated by British Columbia Stockbreeders' Association.)

Best two heavy draught animals, mares or geldings (registered or unregistered), 3 years or under, bred in British Columbia and exhibited by owner: first, $20.00; second, $15.00—I. Guichon Estate.

Best two animals or light breed; mares or geldings (registered or unregistered), 3 years or under, and exhibited by the owner: First, $20.00; second, $15.00—1, C. McKillop; 2, C. Haddon.

SHEEP.

Best ram lamb and 2 ewe lambs (registered), medium or short wool breed, bred in British Columbia and exhibited by owner. First, $10.00; second, $7.50.

Best ram lamb and 2 ewe lambs (registered), long wool breed, bred in British Columbia and exhibited by owner: First, $10.00; second, $7.50.

Anyone wishing to compete for these prizes must first become a member of the Stockbreeders' Association.

Donated by A. Davie, president of the Delta Farmers' Institute:

Best halter-broken sucking colt, led by boy under 18 years of age, the mare to accompany colt and be tied up on the judging ring: $5.00—1, C. H. Davis.

ROOTS.

13. Best collection of potatoes, correctly named, 1 peck each: $4.00—1, S. Huff; 2, R. F. Handford.
14. Best collection field roots—1, C. H. Davis.
15. Best collection of fresh fruits: $2.00.

Entries must be the bona fide property of exhibitor.

Division A.—Best Jersey bull (pedigreed)—Daily Columbian, one year.

Division C.—Best pen fat sheep, ewes or wethers, Victoria Daily Times, one year.

Division E.—Best pen brown Leghorns, 1, M. B. McCallum! best pen Buff Orpingtons, $2.50. Presented by Columbian Co., Ltd. Separate entries.

Division H.—Best 100 pounds white milling oats, $5.00 cash—S. Morley. Presented by Brackman-Ker Milling Co., Ltd. Separate entry and exhibit to any other.

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Division K.—Semi-Weekly Colonist; most prizes in this division.

SHEEP.

(Oxford Downs (Pure Bred.)

1. Aged ram, two shears or over—1, J. Richardson; 2, A. Davie.
2. Shearling ram—1, A. Davie; 2, A. Davie.
3. Ram lamb—1 and 2, A. Devie.
4. Ewe, two shears or over—1 and 2, A. Davie.
5. Shearling ewe—1 and 2, A. Davie.
6. Ewe lamb—1, T. E. Ladner; 2, A. Davie.
7. Pen: 1 ram, any age; ewe, two shears or over; ewe, shearling; ewe lamb—1, A. Davie; 2, T. E. Ladner.

HAMPSHIRE DOWNS.

8. Aged ram, two shears or over—1, J. Richardson.
9. Shearling ram—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
10. Ram lamb—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
11. Ewe, two shears or over—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
12. Shearling ewe—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
13. Ewe lamb—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
14. Pen: One ram, any age; ewe, two shears or over; ewe shearling; ewe lamb—1 and 2, J. Richardson.

COTSWOLDS.

15. Aged ram, two shears or over—1, J. Richardson.
16. Shearling ram—1, J. Richardson.
17. Ram lamb—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
18. Ewe, two shears or over—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
19. Shearling ewe—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
20. Ewe lamb—1 and 2, J. Richardson.
21. Pen: One ram, any age; ewe, two shears or over; ewe shearling; ewe lamb—1 and 2, J. Richardson.

SHROPSHIRES.

22. Shearling ram, two shears or over—1, T. W. Paterson; 2, A. Davie.
23. Shearling ram—1, T. W. Paterson.
24. Ram lamb—1, A. Davie.
25. Ewe, two shears or over—1 and 2, T. W. Paterson.
26. Shearling ewe—1 and 2, T. W. Paterson.
27. Ewe lamb—1, A. Davie; 2, T. W. Paterson.
28. Pen: One ram, any age; ewe, two shears or over; ewe shearling; ewe lamb.

SOUTHDOWNS.

29. Aged ram, two shears or over.
30. Shearling ram.
31. Ram lamb.
32. Ewe, two shears or over.
33. Shearling ewe.
34. Ewe lamb.
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4. Sow, under six months—1, T. E. Ladner; 2, A. Davie.
5. Best litter pigs (not less than 5) under three months.

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6. Boar, aged.
7. Brood sow in farrow or that has been so within months—1, T. E. Ladner.
8. Boar, under three months—1, T. E. Ladner; 2, T. E. Ladner.
9. Sow, under six months.
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Germany leads all other countries in the manufacture of artificial eyes. The American consul general at Coburg relates that probably ever since the beginning of the world civilized people have endeavored to hide or remedy any flaw in their appearance, such as the loss of an eye would cause. How this was done by the various nations it is hard to say. Up to the present time no discoveries have been made that would offer enlightenment on this subject. There are, it is true, a few unauthenticated accounts as far back as the middle ages, but the first reliable report is given by the French surgeon Ambroise Pare in 1560.

Two kinds of artificial eyes were known to him, the ekblepharos and the hypoblepharos. The ekblepharos was made by painting the eye and all surrounding parts as far as the brows on a plate, which was placed in front of the eye socket and held in position by a string tied over the head. The hypoblepharos was used in a manner similar to that of today, being put behind the eyelid, in the eye socket itself, and was composed of a metal shell of copper, silver or gold, covered with enamel and glass fusions.

It was only at the close of the eighteenth century that these artificial eyes really became of practical use, it being then found possible to do away with the metal shell altogether and employ enamel and glass. The material used was a soft lead glass, easily shaped, but also easily destructible, and an eye had to be renewed every three or four months to prevent the socket from becoming affected.

It is known that in the middle of the nineteenth century eyes were made by enamelers in Dresden, Prague, London and Stockholm, and in Thuringia. The Thuringian makers were not enamelers, but glassblowers working in connection with the porcelain painting industry, whose endless and untiring experiment resulted in the discovery of an ideal material, cryolite glass, the use of which led to a new technique in eye manufacture. Moreover, there can now be produced all the characteristics of the human eye which had been possible in enamel work. The new prosthetic eye received the name "reform eye." To be of value, however, it must be made to exactly fit the eye socket.

Today it is possible to give to the reform eye any form and color desired, and in most cases it can be even worn at night, thereby preventing the lid from sinking into the socket and the lashes from sticking together. At times attempts have been made to replace the breakable glass by vulcanite or celluloid, but such efforts have long since been given up as useless.

In 1852 the method used in France for making eyes was as follows: On the broadly pressed end of a small, colorless, transparent rod of enamel the pupil was first made, and the iris was then formed on this by means of a small, thin pointed, colored enameled rod, the designing of the iris being made possible by melting the point of this rod.

In Paris the good eyes are now so made. A glass tube, closed at one end and of the color of the sclerotic, is next blown into the form of an oval, and in the middle of this a hole is melted, the edges of which are rounded off evenly and pressed a little outward. The iris is then placed in this opening and well melted in. A thick coating of glass remains behind. The eye is rounded off, the projecting rim of the white coat is smoothed with a metal rod, and this coat is thereby joined to the sclerotic. By means of a thin, pointed red rod the blood vessels to be seen on the hard coat of the human eye are then melted in. The superfluous back part of the eyeball is melted off, thereby giving to the eye the desired form. The eye is finally placed on hot sand, where it becomes gradually cooled off.

Glass eyes are made in quite a different manner in Lauscha, the center of this industry in Germany, where their manufacture is altogether a house industry. The eyes are usually made by one member of a family, and the art is handed down from one generation to another. A gas flame is used for melting the glass. A small drop of white glass is put on the white blown ball from which the sclerotic is to be made and is then blown so as to make a circle about eight millimeters (0.315 inch) in diameter. On this circle the structure of the iris is built by means of variously colored glass rods. A drop of black glass makes the pupil. Over the finished iris crystal glass is melted in order to imitate the cornea. The further manufacture is similar to that given in the first description.

Flannagan's Way.

Cassidy—Flannagan's thinking of goin' into the bauln' business. He bought a foine new cart today. Casey—But shure he has no horse. Flannagan—No, but he's goin' to buy wan. Casey—Well, that's loike Flannagan. He always did git the cart befoor the horse.—Philadelphia Ledger.

It is a very great thing for us to do the very best we can do just where and as we are.—Babcock.

The Cruel Maid.

The butter had refused to come,
And, with an angry gleam
In both her eyes, the dairymaid
Got mad and whipped the cream.
—Schenectady Star.

And when she found the punished cream
Would neither scream nor beg
Elsewhere she turned her cruelty
And beat a feeble egg
—Scranton Tribune-Republican.

And, fuming still, a tater's eye
She spared not in her wrath;
Then flung a helpless doughnut in
An oily, sizzling bath.
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SAVAGES AND CLOTHES.

Carefulness That Was Not Appreciated by the Missionaries.

Ardent missionaries were trying to convert the natives of a village in uncivilized Africa to modesty as well as to Christianity and for that purpose provided them all with more or less complete outfits of clothes. The natives were delighted and spent several days simply in parading in civilized garb through the one narrow village street.

But when Sunday arrived and the blacks thronged to the weekly church service, carrying the new clothes in bundles under their arms, the missionaries were dismayed and feared some kind of barbaric outbreak. But since there seemed to be the usual mingling of curiosity and reverence on the part of the natives they decided to ask no questions until after the service. There was a normal quiet until just as the sermon was begun.

Then suddenly a huge chief, who had been squatting with his face toward the open doorway, leaped to his feet with an exclamation.

Immediately the others of the tribe did likewise, crying, "The sun—the sun!" unwrapped their bundles and proceeded to put on their clothes.

"What does it all mean?" inquired one of the white teachers.

The old chief turned to him with equal amazement. "Of course," said he, "we could not wear our beautiful ornaments when the rain might come and spoil them."—New York Tribune.

KILL OFF THE RATS.

It's a Mighty Big Job, but Black Death Looks on and Waits.

"The pneumonic plague is due to the marmot. The marmot lives in the Lake Baikal region. Kill it off—and it can easily be killed off—and the pneumonic plague will disappear forever."

The speaker, a bacteriologist of the University of Pennsylvania, resumed:

"The bubonic plague is due to the rat. Kill the rat off and the bubonic plague will disappear. But to kill off the rat!"

He made a gesture of despair.

"A litter of rats," he said, "numbers thirteen. Of these six will be does. A doe rat will have her first litter at the age of three months and thereafter an other litter every six weeks all through the year, winter and summer alike. Thus if every member of these litters survive the progeny of one pair of rats in a year would number 25,000.

"They don't number that, of course, but they number something like it, and if our millionaire philanthropists don't help us to exterminate our parasites—our rats and mice, our cats and dogs—if they don't help us to exterminate all animals save those that are of direct value to us—why, some day another black death will nearly will perhaps completely, exterminate civilization."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Applied Science.

When James Russell Lowell was minister to England he was guest at a banquet at which one of the speakers was Sir Frederick Bramwell. Sir Frederick was to respond to the toast "Applied Science." It was long after midnight when the toast was proposed, and several speakers were still to be called. Rising in his place, the scientist said:

"At this hour of the night, or, rather, of the morning, my only interest in applied science is to apply the tip of the match to the side of the box upon which alone it ignites and to apply the flame so obtained to the wick of a bedroom candle."

A moment later Lowell tossed a paper across the table to him bearing these two lines:

Oh, brief Sir Frederick, would that all could catch
Your happy talent and supply your match!

Easy Enough.

Just before the capture of Savannah General Logan, with two or three of his staff, entered the depot at Chicago to take the cars east on his way to rejoin his command. The general, being a short distance in advance of the others, stepped on the steps of a car, but was stopped by an Irishman with:

"Ye can't go in there."

"Why not?" asked the general.

"Because them's a leddies' caer, and no gentleman 'll be goin' in there with out a leddy. There's wan sate in that caer over there if yees want it."

"Yes," replied the general, "I see there is one seat, but what shall I do with my staff?"

"Oh, yer staff!" was the reply. "Go take the sate and stick yer staff out of the windy."

Wasn't a Bit Impressed.

The chief of the clan of McIntosh once had a dispute with a London cabby over the fare.

"Do you know who I am?" the highlander asked angrily. "I am the McIntosh."

"I don't care if you are an umbrella," retorted the cabby, "I'll have my rights!"

In For It!

First Small Boy—We'd better be good. Second Small Boy—Why? First Small Boy—I heard doctor tell mother to take plenty of exercise.—Woman's Home Companion.

Electric Light Globes.

Electric light globes may be cheaply frosted or colored by dipping in a thin solution of white shellac and alcohol, to which may be added any desired dye.

The Whole Show.

"What constitutes a first class society drama?"

"Three acts, six gowns and nine epigrams."—Louisville Courier Journal.

Swelled.

Mr. Wogg—I'm through with Bump. I told him we are going to name our baby after some great personage and asked him for a suggestion.

Mrs. Wogg—What did he say?

Mr. Wogg—He said, "Name it after ours."—Puck.

An Early Explorer.

In prison poor Columbus had to fret,
He sighed: "I can't increase my scanty means!
The lecture platform's not developed yet,
And there's no chance to write for magazines."
—Washington Star.

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FOOTBALL IS DANGEROUS.

If You Don't Think So Try to Start a Game in Turkey.

It is, or was until recently, a difficult matter to be a sportsman in Turkey. One Rechad Bey tried it, with a result weird enough to serve as a basis for a detective story or a comic opera.

The young Turk had organized a football team among his friends, together with some Greeks and Armenians, and began practicing. Not very long after, in the middle of the night, police came to his house and carried him off to Scutari. There he was submitted to a long interrogation as to the club and the game of football.

The authorities were convinced that they had found a great plot and that the club must be a secret society. A special messenger was sent for the ball, and that was duly examined and found to be an infernal machine. The rules of the game were considered to be another piece of damning evidence, and still worse were the sweaters and colors of the club.

After long deliberation the culprit was sent to the higher police authorities in Stamboul, who went through a second long examination and came to the conclusion that the empire had been saved from disintegration by the early discovery of a great plot. They dispatched the whole matter to be inquired into at the sultan's palace at Yildiz, and a special commission took the matter in hand.

After much careful thought and examination of the evidence of the crime it was decided that there might not be nothing in it, but that it must not be committed again.—Harper's Weekly.

How It Got There.

A gamekeeper was going over his master's estate one morning, when he encountered a gentleman of the poaching class. The gamekeeper noticed that the other's hat was bulging in a curious manner. After subjecting the hat to an examination he found a fine young pheasant.

"How did this get here?" the gamekeeper asked, glaring at the culprit.

"Blowed if I know," growled the poacher, gazing at the pheasant with an apparent look of great perplexity. "The blooming thing must have crawled up my trousers leg."—London Tit-Bits.

Love Letter of a Kaffir.

Here is a Kaffir love letter:

Dear Miss E Nasbeni—I have great confidence in thundering the width of my opinion that I shall thank for kindness if you will give me the privilege of lettering with you concerning love as your most winning face has drawn my serious attention to you, and that I shall appreciate you in anticipation of an early reply and also terminating this with supreme of high enunciation. SAMBO.

The Worm Turned.

Her Dad—No, sir; I won't have my daughter tied for life to a stupid fool. Her Suitor—Then don't you think you had better let me take her off your hands?—Boston Transcript.

The Ruling Passion.

Reporter at front door—There is a rumor that Mr. Greatman has just died. Is this true? Butler—Yes, but he has nothing to say for publication.—Life.

DOCTORS TELL HOW "CUTICURA" CURED SKIN DISEASES

One says, "I have Great Faith in Cuticura Remedies." Another, "They Always Bring Results."

"I wish to let you know of a couple of recent cures which I have made by the use of the Cuticura Remedies. Last August, Mr. ——— of this city came to my office, troubled with a severe skin eruption. At first I could not understand the nature of the case. I finally traced it to his occupation, as he was a painter and decorator. It was dermatitis in its worst form. It started with a slight eruption and would affect most parts of his body—thighs, elbows chest, back and abdomen—and would terminate in little pustules. The itching and burning was dreadful and he would almost tear his skin apart, trying to get relief. I recommended all the various treatments I could think of and he spent about fifteen dollars on prescriptions but nothing seemed to help him.

"In the meantime my wife who was continually suffering with a slight skin trouble and who had been trying different prescriptions and methods with my assistance, told me she was going to get some of the Cuticura Remedies. But as I did not know much about Cuticura at that time I was doubtful whether it would help her. Her skin would thicken, break and bleed especially on the fingers, wrists and arms. I could do nothing to relieve her permanently. When she first applied the warm baths of Cuticura Soap and applications of Cuticura Ointment she saw a decided improvement and in a few days she was completely cured.

"I lost no time in recommending the Cuticura Remedies to Mr. ———, and this was two months ago. I told him to wash with warm baths of the Cuticura Soap and to apply the Cuticura Ointment generously. Believe me, from the very first day use of the Cuticura Remedies he was greatly relieved and to-day he is completely cured through their use. I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies and shall always have a good word for them now that I am convinced of their wonderful merits." (Signed) B. L. Whitehead, M.D., 108 Dartmouth St., Boston, Mass. July 22, 1910.

As though in confirmation of this most convincing statement, G. M. Fisher, M.D., Big Pool, Md., writes: "My face was afflicted with eczema in the year 1897. I used the Cuticura Remedies and was entirely cured. I am a practicing physician and very often prescribe Cuticura Remedies in cases of eczema, and they have cured where other formulas have failed. I am not in the habit of endorsing patent medicines, but when I find remedies possessing true merit, such as the Cuticura Remedies do, I am broad-minded enough to proclaim their virtues to the world. I have been practicing medicine for twenty years, and must say I find your Remedies A No. 1. I still find the Cuticura Remedies as good as ever. They always bring results."

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BLACK NECKLACE FOUND.

Mary Queen of Scots Lost It at the Scaffold.

After many centuries, and in a curious way, a historic necklace of black pearls, which Queen Mary of Scots wore on the morning of her execution at Fotheringay Castle, has been recovered in a romantic way. From that morning, when, at the foot of the scaffold, the ill-fated queen distributed her jewels and money among her friends, the black pearl necklace had been lost sight of, and was only recently unearthed in an old curiosity shop in a small village in Scotland. The keeper of the shop parted with the pearls to a lady customer for 12s. 6d., but there was then nothing to indicate their real value. Now experts have declared that they are incomparable, and, in fact, they have been resold for no less a sum than £16,000 (about $80,000). It seems that a short time ago a lady, riding her bicycle in Scotland, accidentally broke the chain by which her eyeglasses were suspended. Remembering that in a little shop she had seen a few strings of beads and other trifles dear to youthful village maidens, she rode there to see if she could find something to replace for a time her broken chain. She found nothing to serve her purpose, and was on the point of leaving, when the old lady behind the counter said, "I have got an old necklace that might do, but it is much more expensive. Shall I fetch it for you?" A necklace of rather large, dull-looking "beads" was produced. It did not seem to be quite what she wanted, but the curious workmanship of the clasp took the lady's fancy and for the sum of twelve shillings and sixpence she became its owner, and to it attaching her eye-glasses, she resumed her ride.

To her purchase she attached but little importance, but being one day in London, a friend admired the "beads" not a little, and expressed a wonder as to where such a pretty string had come from. It so chanced that shortly afterwards the owner of the "beads" had occasion to visit the shop of a dealer in antiques, her object being the purchase of a grandfather clock, and while there she showed her "beads" to the dealer, asking him what he thought of them. After a short inspection, the dealer became quite animated, fingering each "bead" in turn, and asking so many questions as to how and when the lady had become their owner, that her curiosity was completely aroused. Subsequently the "beads" were submitted to a jeweller and his interested inquiries served to confirm the owner's impression that her possession was positively of rare value, and the impression was strengthened when an offer was made of £6,000 for the string. This offer was declined, and instead the string was submitted to an acknowledged expert in matters connected with antiquities and ancient jewellery. Here a brief examination of the "beads," and a glance at a book of reference, were sufficient.

"This, madam, is the string of black pearls worn by Mary Queen of Scots on the day of her execution. The pearls have suffered by neglect, but I can buy them from you, should you wish to sell them, for sixteen thousand pounds. I shall re-sell them at a profit to a customer if you accept my offer which remains open for your consideration as long as you like."

The lady accepted the offer, and shortly afterwards the old shop woman in the little Scotch village was equally delighted and astonished to receive a cheque for one thousand pounds.

Queer Ideas of Arithmetic.

In a village churchyard in Worcestershire there is, or used to be, a tombstone stating the age of the tenant of the tomb below to be 304. The mason apparently had the crudest notions of the mysteries of arithmetical notation.

Oddly enough, to the present day we would find in Burma 1000 900 11 1 used for the year 1910, this being a case of an admixture of an old notation with modern symbols. The same kind of admixture of new and old is taught in the indigenous monastic schools of Thibet, and is prevalent all over India among the Hindu astrologers. In the purely native schools Indian children are said to learn their multiplication tables up to 100 times 100.

Teachers in our own elementary schools may bless their fortune that they are not called upon to listen to such a nerve-ending drone from "twice two are four," up to the numbers just mentioned. Even in the Government schools of the United Provinces the children had to learn up to 40 times 40 until a few years back.

Beautiful, But Dangerous.

The laburnum is a beautiful tree. Unfortunately, however, like many other beautiful things, laburnum blossom is dangerous. The long, yellow flowers and the seeds which presently take their place contain poison—cytisus—so powerful that a hundredth part of a grain injected under the skin of a cat or a dog is sufficient to cause its death. In ten seeds of laburnum there is sufficient poison to kill a child, and there are a number of cases on record of death from this cause. Also the laburnum exercises an evil effect upon the vegetable world. The gardener will tell you that flowers will not flourish in the ground about a laburnum tree.—London Globe.

The Victim.

"I hear poor Dobbs, the humorist, has gone to a sanitarium," Binks said.

"Yes," Higgins said. "He's worked himself into a state of nervous prostration that I fear is incurable."

"That's to bad," Binks said. "How did he come to do that?"

"Why, six weeks ago he got an answer to a riddle, one's a chau-fleur and the other's a fur show, and he says he'll never be able to sleep until he finds the question it will make a good answer to," Higgins said.

In quavering tones the dying man dictated to his lawyer his last will and testament. "To each and every clerk who has been in my employ ten years, £1,000." "But, my dear sir," gasped the lawyer, "think of your sons and daughters! And your fortune is not colossal!" "That's all right!" murmured the sick man. "People have always said that I was close and hard. I want them to think well of me when I am gone. It will look so well in the papers, and there isn't a clerk in my place, by the way, who has been with me ten months!"

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An Illustration

"Courage is often the result of ignorance."

"How do you make that out?"

"Why, do you suppose the mice the other night would have got your hair arrangements on the floor and torn them to pieces if the mice had known they were rats?"—Baltimore American.

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He—"Yes, all except that part astern; that's awake, you know."—Boston Transcript.

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Polly—"Quite like an old maid, you mean. Yes, it's a good likeness."—Toledo Blade.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN AND THE TARIFF

How it Effects the Manufacturer and the Farmer

It was Abraham Lincoln, who gave popularity to the Protectionist side of the tariff question, when he said: "I do not know a great deal about the tariff, but what I do know is, that when we buy goods abroad the foreigner gets the money, but when we buy goods at home, we get both the goods and the money." This sound philosophy characterizes another of the late president's famous homilies. "The farmer and the manufacturer," the president once said, with his characteristic shrewdness, "are both in the same boat and I reckon they've got to learn to navigate the craft together or they'll upset." "He compared the case of a Pennsylvania farmer," continues the historian in question, "and a Pennsylvania iron merchant and implement maker whose properties adjoined. Under a protective policy the farmer supplied the ironmaker with bread, meat, vegetables, fruit, fodder for horses, etc., and the ironmaker supplied the farmer with all the iron, iron implements, etc., which he needed. Assuming that a change is made and the Protective policy abandoned, the farmer then discovers that he can buy his iron implements cheaper from Europe than from his neighbor, assuming that he sells a sufficient quantity of flour in Europe to enable him to effect the purchase of the iron. He ultimately discovers that the cost of carriage to the coast, transportation by sea to England, insurance and cartage on arrival, does not enable him to receive such a good reward for his labor as he formerly did when selling his flour to his neighbor, the ironmaker. He, therefore, determines to sell his flour as before to his neighbor. But meantime the farmer discovers that while he has been purchasing his iron implements from Europe his neighbor, the ironmaker, has been compelled to stop his works and dismiss his employees, not having sufficient work for them. The farmer, therefore, now finds that he has more wheat than he knows what to do with, also that he is no longer able to sell his fruit, vegetables, fodder, meat, horses, etc., to his neighbor, the ironmaker, as he has gone out of business. In fact, he finds that through buying abroad in the cheapest market he has destroyed the home market for his own products and thrown a number of his fellow-countrymen out of employment."

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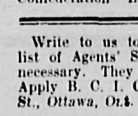

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Dear Sirs—Will you please mail to my address a copy of your "Treatise on the Horse"? I have been using Kendall's Spavin Cure and always found it safe and sure. Marino Brem.

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ANIMAL FANCIES.

Friendly Relations Lead to Strange Adoptions.

The cases in which cats and dogs have formed close friendly relations are, of course, too numerous to mention. It really seems as if there were no animal friendships so strong and lasting as that between cats and dogs when once it is formed. It is well known that mother-cats when deprived of their newborn progeny will adopt puppies, rabbits, monkeys, or almost any other tender young creatures that may be handy. But there has recently come to light a case for which there is no such apparent explanation.

A cat and a female fox-terrier, which had brought into the world their progeny at about the same time, deliberately swapped their young, the cat taking the puppies to bring up, and the dog the kittens. The exchange was satisfactory, and both litters were brought in good health to the weanable stage. Nobody knows what led to such abnormal conduct.

A somewhat similar case is reported from Montreal. A householder there, having a female cat and a female dog with families of young, felt that his house was in danger of becoming a sort of Noak's ark, and took away and drowned all the kittens. The puppies found favor in his eyes.

Deprived of her little ones, the cat began to "spell" the female dog in taking care of the puppies. As soon as the mother-dog left her nest the bereaved mother-cat crawled into it and nursed the puppies. Nothing loth, the puppies took all that came to them, and throve prodigiously. The cat licked them and took care of them as she would have taken care of her own.

A certain cat, the story of whose career is vouched for by a cat club, adopted a litter of young rabbits and nourished them well. The cat was, for that matter, very sociable and inclusive in her likings. One year her constant companion was a chicken. The two ate habitually out of the same dish, and slept every night in the same enclosure.

There is an authentic story of a male and a female cat in Halifax that lived on terms of perfect amity with all the animals on the place—dogs, chickens, and what not. It so happened that a hen which had a brood of seven chickens was killed accidentally. The cat, which some two weeks before had been deprived of her kittens, appeared to observe the predicament of the seven little chickens. She crawled into their nest, and the chickens, looking for warmth, nestled into her warm fur, peeping gratefully. The chickens, fed by their owner, throve perfectly, and every day the strange sight was presented of their following the mother-cat about the premises, as if expecting her to find them food after the manner of a hen.

A Bright Boy.

In most regular lines of work the old hands usually try to play some joke on each new boy that starts in at the business. That bank clerks are no exception to this rule was indicated by a joke played on the new "junior" in a bank in Collingwood.

The youngster was sent out to a merchant to collect two dollars on a draft, and he got back to the bank with two American silver dollars.

"Where did you get those cartwheels?" asked the collection clerk. "Don't you know that they're worth only forty-eight cents each?"

The boy looked badly scared.

"Better take them to the accountant," said the collection clerk, with a wink at that official. "But I guess he can't do anything for you."

"No, only worth forty-eight cents each," said the accountant.

The boy was still more frightened, so he took the big silver pieces home, intending to turn in two bills if he could persuade his father to let him have the bills.

Next morning the youngster turned in two Canadian bills. He had a big parcel under his arm, and he proudly exhibited to the clerks a great collection of ties, stockings and other things to wear.

"Say," he said with a smile, "I put a good one over on that store-keeper down the line. I got him to give me two dollars worth of stuff for those old cart-wheels."

Blaming the Reporter.

There is a certain kind of humor which wins its way more surely than any other policy. Sir John Macdonald was a master in its use, and seldom resorted to it in vain. On one occasion Sir John delivered an address, which, for some mysterious reason, was slightly incoherent. The following day, a newspaper man called on him and diffidently showed him certain notes which he had taken of the speech.

Sir John surveyed the notes for a moment and then turned to the reporter in a kind and fatherly manner.

"Young man, will you let me give you a word of advice?"

"Certainly, Sir John," said the flattered scribe.

"Well, don't ever try to report one of my speeches unless you are sure that you are perfectly sober. Now, I'll tell you what I really did say."

And the young reporter was wise enough to say "thank you."

Oyster Rat Traps.

Catching rats with oyster shells is the unique method employed by some pearlers roundabout Broome, West Australia. They leave a large oyster on the floor of the cabin at night. It opens for a breath of fresh air, and the smell of fresh meat attracts the rats. When the rodent thinks he'll try a little supper, the oyster suddenly decides that he doesn't like fresh air. Next morning the smell is pried open and the dead rat thrown overboard.

The Dad—"My son, I want to tell you that the secret of my success, as it must be of any man's, is hard work. I——"

The Son—"Sh! Dad, I don't care to hear other people's secrets, and I am too much of a gentleman to take advantage of information gained in that way. Say no more."—Toledo Blade.

Mrs. Baye—"She is simply mad on the subject of germs and sterilizes everything in the house?"

"How does she get along with her family?"

"Oh, even her relations are strained."

WESTERN HARVEST PROBLEM

How to Supply the Pressing Needs of the Growing Western Country

Winnipeg—As the summer progresses and the wheat growth of the West advances towards maturity there comes this year, as there comes most years, an appeal for help in the harvest fields; and the probability is that even though Eastern Canada may send out thousands of men and boys to aid in the garnering of the grain, the West will, Oliver Twist-like, ask for more.

This problem of how to supply the pressing needs of a new and rapidly growing country for a few weeks (because that is all that the invitation really means to Easterners) is one of these which can only be solved by co-operation and looking ahead. It is true that the Government, through its immigration department is advertising in thousands of newspapers throughout Great Britain and the United States that "the harvest is plenteous, but the laborers are few," and that some relief can be gained in that way; but the result would undoubtedly be much better if more dependence was to be had upon individual effort.

Take the case of a man who goes to the Canadian West from old Canada or from any of the Western or Central States or from Great Britain. He is a very unusual man, indeed, if he does not "take up his pen in hand," at some period of his pioneering and write home to complain either of his loneliness or of the weather or of the gophers or of the snow or of the heat, or of any dozen other difficulties which pioneers have to overcome. He does so, as a matter of course, not with any desire to 'knock' the new country, but animated by that human sentiment which seeks comfort in trouble and, failing to find it in a new locality, looks for it in the old home.

But when that same man has made good, how often does he write home to tell of his fortune? The habit of writing home is much like the habit of taking the local newspaper from home; it lasts a year or two or three, and then it is dropped, because of the new environment crowding out interest in the old. How much better both for himself and the country would it be for such a man to write home, tell the old folks at home of his good fortune and ask them to send a brother, a cousin or even only an old schoolmate to help him gather the crops?

That would be a practical individual way of solving the harvest problem, partially at least; it would be good advertising for the West, because we all know that there is no advertisement so good as a satisfied settler; and it would create a new bond of interest between the man in the West and those left behind at home.

And the most attractive feature of the suggestion (which comes from W. D. Scott, the head of the immigration branch) is that it is just the sort of thing which will appeal to the sentiment of the westerner and is at the time reasonable in cost.

Soft corns are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Cure will draw them out painlessly.

A good name being better than riches, it behoves us to take better care of our reputations.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

News for Mother

A series of revival services was being held in a western city, and placards giving notice of the services were posted in conspicuous places. One day the following notice was posted: "Hell—It's Location and Absolute Certainty. Thomas Jones, Baritone Soloist, Will Sing, 'Tell Mother I'll Be There.' "—Lippincott's.

Every packet of Wilson's Fly Pads will kill more flies than can possibly be caught on three hundred sheets of sticky fly paper.

"Your Albert is going bald, ain't he, Mrs. Smithers?"

"Yes, Mrs. Peters, 'e certainly is getting 'igh 'eaded, and it makes it very awkward for the poor dear. When 'e washes, 'e 'as to keep 's 'at on 'is 'ead to tell where 'is face finishes!"

"The greatest good to the greatest number," is a mighty unsatisfactory philosophy in minorities.

TIRED IN BODY AND IN MIND

Worn Out by the Monotonous Indoor Life of Winter

Spring Finds the Blood Weak and the System Run Down—Vigor is Restored by

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

Just at the time when the buds are bursting and the birds are chirping merrily in the tree tops, many people feel most keenly the debilitating and enervating effects of indoor winter life.

The blood is so thin and watery that it fails to supply nutrition to the nervous system and to the vital organs. You feel tired, weak and discouraged, energy and ambition are lacking, and strange depressing feelings come over you.

But nature has provided certain restoratives to be used at this time of year to form new, rich blood and create new nerve force. These elements are found in condensed and easily assimilated form in Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Thousands of men and women have learned to escape this spring depression and weakness and discouragement by using this great restorative.

Vitality is increased, strength and confidence return, buoyancy is felt in every movement of the body, pallor and weakness and disease give place to the glow of health and vigor of mind and body.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, the great spring tonic and restorative, 50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Explanation

I met a lady going by,
"What is a harem skirt?" said I.
"What does it look like?" questioned she.
I tried to tell her carefully,
And then my speech began to wabble,
"It's something—more so—than the hobble."

The lady tossed her ringlets high,
"What is a harem skirt?" said I.
She answered: "I don't mind explaining.
The former style was so restraining
That to deliver us from trouble
Dame Fashion made the hobble double."
—Puck.

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THEN DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS WROUGHT A LASTING CURE

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have made so many remarkable cures in serious cases that people are liable to overlook their value as a tonic for the blood and nerves in debility and general run-down conditions. That such conditions are the cause of much misery and unhappiness is fully known to those who suffer from them and the need of curing them is as vital as is relief from diseases with higher sounding names. We commend the following statement to any one suffering from weak, thin blood, or shattered nerves. Mrs. Mac Macabe, Gleichen, Alta., says: "A few years ago I became run down, not seriously ill, but just tired and weak all the time. I consulted our family doctor, who gave me tonic after tonic with no effect. I gradually got weaker and weaker until I could not do my work. Then I went to another doctor, who pronounced by case one of decline, and recommended a warmer climate with complete rest. This I could not afford and I became a complete nervous wreck. One day while visiting a neighbor an old gentleman who was taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for partial paralysis recommended them to me. I sent out and got three boxes, but without much faith that they would help me, but before they were gone I noticed an improvement and I continued taking the Pills, constantly growing stronger, until I had taken seven or eight boxes, when I was completely cured. I could do my work as easily as ever I had done in my life, and the doctor told men that he could scarcely believe the change in me, as he had not had the least hope that I would be strong again. Now I always keep the Pills on hand and if I feel fatigued or weary take them for three or four days so as not to get run down."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Gallant Retort

"Owch!" she cried, putting her hand to her cheek.

"What's the matter?" he asked.

"I've bitten my cheek!" she moaned.

"How I envy you!" he said hungrily.—Harper's Weekly.

KEEP YOUR ANIMALS THRIFTY

A good pasture will keep your animals thrifty but dry feeds lack the aromatic qualities necessary to the thorough assimilation of food. Herbageum will economically replace these aromatic qualities and ensure results almost equal to those of a first-class pasture. This preparation is manufactured at Galt, Ont., by the Beaver Manufacturing Co., Limited, and is endorsed by the foremost breeders and feeders of Canada. It has stood the test of trial for nearly twenty-five years and is thoroughly reliable.

"Dad, there's a girl at our school whom we call 'Postscript.'"

"Postscript? Why do you call her that?"

"Cos her name is 'Adeline More.'"

The change of dietary that comes with spring and summer has the effect in weak stomachs of setting up inflammation resulting in dysentery and cholera morbus. The abnormal condition will continue if not attended to and will cause an exhaustive drain on the system. The best available medicine is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It clears the stomach and bowels of irritants, counteracts the inflammation and restores the organs to healthy action.

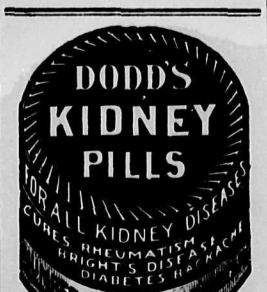
There are 1850 electrical works and central stations in Germany in addition to more than 45,000 private plants.

Minard's Liniment Co., Ltd.

Gentlemen,—In June, '98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I began using. The effect was magical; in five hours the pain had ceased, and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

Yours truly,
A. E. ROY,
Carriage Maker.
St. Antoine, P. Q.

Carbon deposits which blacken a gas mantle can be removed by burning a little common salt on the burner.



THE LAUREATE.

Alfred Austin Has Published His Memoirs of Men and Events.

Mr. Alfred Austin, the Poet-Laureate, who has written his reminiscences, is not only a poet, but also a barrister and journalist. He practiced only a few years at the Bar, and his reminiscences are mainly occupied with his career as a journalist and man of letters. He was educated at Stonyhurst, and the son of worthy parents in comfortable circumstances living near Leeds.

Mr. Austin once heard Lord Wolseley giving a useful piece of advice to a young officer who asked what was the best way to "get on" in the army. The answer was very simple: 'Try to get killed."

There is a good deal of intimate political matter in Mr. Austin's second volume. Lord Wolseley, we learn, was highly indignant at being ordered back by the Government after the failure of his expedition to relieve Gordon. Writing to Mr. Austin, he expressed his feelings in the words: "He (a great party leader) deserves to be torn to pieces in the market place by an indignant people."

The author was once asked by the then Sir Francis Jeune what he thought of Mr. Chamberlain, to whom he had been talking at luncheon.

"How did he strike you?" "As being a hard-headed visionary," I replied, "who brings the most business-like and practical mind to bear on the impracticable, not to say the unattainable."

Years after Mr. Austin told Mr. Chamberlain of this estimate; and the great statesman was pleased, saying: "It is not unflattering, is it?"

It is well known how on a historic occasion Lord Randolph Churchill "forgot Goschen." Mr. Austin has retold the story of that strange event, from a new point of view and from behind the scenes. Mr. Austin warned Lord Salisbury: "Randolph is aspiring to jerk you out of the saddle," to which the Prime Minister replied characteristically enough: "I should not be sorry if he succeeded." When the crash came it was Mr. Austin who treated with Mr. Goschen as Lord Salisbury's plenipotentiary, and he, with Lord Rowton, felt Lord Randolph's anger.

Lord Rowton said to me, in a voice anybody might overhear, in the dining room of the Carlton, "It is a new thing for members of this club to cut their old friends. . ." I said, also aloud, "You do not mean anyone here has been cutting you?" "Yes," he said, "Randolph," who was sitting at luncheon not far off. "Really," I said, on purpose that I might be overheard, "I never give him the chance."

And some years later Mr. Austin and Lord Randolph were reconciled by Sir Henry Irving.

Deserved to Fish.

Sir John Kennaway, who sat in Parliament for forty years, has completed his seventy-fourth year. His grandfather, the first baronet, was a servant of the East India Company, and was sent by the Marquis of Cornwallis as envoy to the Court of Hyderabad to demand the cession of the province of Guntoor. His mission was so successful that he was created a baronet as a reward. The present holder of the title is president of the Church Missionary Society, and his country seat is Escot, Ottery St. Mary, Devon. It was while staying on this estate that Thackeray wrote "Pendennis." In this book Escot Park became Clavering, and the Ottery was renamed Brawl.

Sir John is fond of a good story, and one particularly relished runs thus: One day a boy went fishing in a stream, and had just commenced when the owner arrived on the scene. "Now, boy," he said, "do you know you are not allowed to fish here? These are my waters." The lad never spoke, but pulled his line out and waited, and the owner then went on his way. Returning, however, later he was surprised to find the boy still fishing. "Now," said the owner in a rage, "didn't I tell you before you were not allowed to fish here; that these were my waters?" "Oh," replied the boy, "all the water you said belonged to you has gone past long since." After this the lad was allowed to fish.

The Power of the Shilling.

London is usually regarded as one of the most expensive cities in which to live. But it is doubtful whether in any other town in the country a shilling could be made to go further than in certain parts of the East End.

For a grocery ticket, value one shilling, the following articles can be obtained:

	s.	d.
8 pounds of coal	1	½
Loose firewood		½
3-4 of brawn or 1 1-4 pounds mutton (raw)	3	
Loaf of bread	2	
2 pounds of potatoes	1	
1-2 pint of pure milk	1	
1-2 pounds of sugar	1	
1 ounce tea	1	
1 candle, which would burn about two hours	½	
Pepper and salt	½	
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These figures have been verified and were given recently before a meeting of the Metropolitan Prisoners' Aid Society, who grant discharged prisoners tickets enabling them to obtain the necessaries of life.

The Queen's Kindliness.

A pretty story, illustrative of the Queen's kindliness towards those in her service, is just now going the round of the Court. When Her Majesty was out shopping recently the footman in opening the door of the carriage in which his royal mistress was sitting, happened by some means or another to tilt the Queen's hat slightly, causing it to take a distinct slant in the way it should not have gone. Far from expressing any annoyance at the mishap, which doubtless many a mistress would have done under similar circumstances, the Queen merely smiled, saying to the confused footman, 'That's the worst of these large hats." As all know, the Queen is far from being a wearer of large hats, which fact emphasises her kindness on this occasion.

Love Song

(Poem found in a padded cell.)

When the sun is in the north, my dear,
And the cow is on his nest;
When the ring is in the pawnshop, dear,
And the wheels in my head need rest,
Oh, then I think of you, my dear!
Oh, then I think of you!
Yes, then I think of you, my dear!
Ah, then I think of you!

If a young man hasn't the cheek to kiss a pretty widow she may be willing to furnish it.

Ate Unwisely? Sometimes people do, and suffer, because the stomach balks.

NA-DRU-CO DYSPEPSIA TABLETS

relieve the discomfort at once, and help digest the overload. The lover of good things may feel quite safe with a box of NA-DRU-CO Dyspepsia Tablets at hand. 50c. a box. If your druggist has not stocked them yet send 50c. and we will mail them 34

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NOVEL MARRIAGES.

English Couples Take Special Care to Be Unique.

Americans have not shown much desire for uniqueness as regard to equipages in which they ride to get married. Most everybody who has a thought of getting married never thinks of departing from the usual cab or taxi and as a result all weddings in this country are noted for a certain sameness. The people of "Merry England" have different tastes in the matter and when it comes to getting married they spend a great deal of time devising some novel way in which to be carried to the church. Speaking on the subject an English writer says:

A fire engine makes a very smart turnout at a wedding. There is nothing dull or commonplace about a fire engine. It is always bright and up to the mark, and ready for action. Evidently this line of thought occurred to a happy couple in Devonshire some time ago, for the five bridesmaids who were to support the bride at her nuptials rode to the church on the local fire engine, and it was one of the best attended weddings in the annals of the parish.

A circus equestrienne had a very unique wedding in a continental town some time ago. The man who drives the team of 40 horses was the bridegroom, and he drove his own bride to church behind his 40 steeds, the bride herself being seated, dressed in all her splendid robes, on the top of the triumphal car. Whether their married life has been as triumphal as their wedding procession history does not relate, but we may hope so.

Six artillery horses, driven by non-commissioned officers in uniform, formed a bridal team at a Brighton wedding and a very smart turnout it was. It was not so commodious, however, as the gayly decorated tram car, with white-gloved driver and conductor, which was the chosen vehicle at another lady's wedding in a Midland town. The bride, the bridegroom, their respective fathers and mothers, and all relatives and guests rode in their best attire both inside and upon the outside of the car, and the whole made a very brave show indeed.

A Betting Transaction.

Addressing a conference of the National Association of Head Teachers, at Manchester, recently on "The School and the Home," Bishop Welldon, Dean of Manchester, said it sometimes happened that the home militated against school because of the ill-example set by the parents.

"I remember," said Dean Welldon, "writing to the father of a pupil of mine—a peer of the realm—to tell him that his son had opened an account of transactions with a betting agent. He wrote back thanking me for the information, but adding, 'I think I ought to tell you that I am much worse myself.' I believe that statement was strictly true.

"Every child deserved study and care, as though there were no other child in the world. If you go to Stratford-on-Avon and see the records of Shakespeare's baptism, and the cottage in which he sat with Ann Hathaway, you will realize that genius is something which God has kept in his own hands, and you and I must always be on the look out for genius."

"Knights of the Road."

Sir James P. Gibson, M.P., who has been unanimously elected president of the United Kingdom Commercial Travelers' Association, adds one more to the long roll of legislators who, prior to entering Parliament, were "knights of the road," in a trading sense.

Sir George White, M.P., confesses that he gained experience as a commercial traveler which has been of inestimable value to him, while Sir Robert Ropner, when M.P. for Stockton, owed much of the great success of his business career to the training he went through as "an ambassador of commerce."

The first great step in life that Richard Cobden obtained was when he was promoted from clerk to commercial traveler, and Mr. Joseph Nolan, M.P., has been a commercial traveler.

Dress and the Man.

The late Lord Beaconsfield was not the only individual who endeavored to make his first "splarge" in the world of men by means of a fancy waistcoat. Theopile Gautier was likewise a lover of eccentric costume. His crimson waistcoat of the first performance of Victor Hugo's "Hernoni," when as a young man he was one of the leaders of the band of students who had turned up in force to ensure by the tumultuous applause the success of the play. "You became celebrated when very young," said Maxime du Camp to him in later years. "Yes, when very young," he answered, "because of my waistcoat."

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STORY OF KING GEORGE.

The Child Admired His Father More Than His King.

His Majesty's versatility and the thoroughness with which he carries through whatever he attempts are the theme of an article entitled "King George the Thorough," from the pen of one who knows him, that appears in the June number of Pearson's Magazine. The author relates a number of anecdotes illustrating the many-sidedness of His Majesty's activities, and others that show his kindliness. A typical incident showing the King's special liking for children is the following, which occurred quite recently:

"An officer in the army, serving in India, died before he had received a medal to which he was entitled. Shortly afterwards his widow received a command to repair to Buckingham Palace, bringing with her a son, if she had one, or else a daughter. The lady obeyed the command, accompanied by her little five-year-old son. They were conducted into the Presence, and presently found themselves all alone with the King, who, drawing the boy to him, and giving him his father's medal, said: 'What I am doing you do not understand now, but you will understand some day. Tell me, what are you going to be when you grow to be a man?'

"'I am going to be a soldier, like my father,' answered the child.

"'Well,' observed His Majesty, 'it is a good thing to be a soldier like your father; but still, I should advise you to be a sailor, like your King.'

"'No,' the child persisted, 'I must be a soldier, like my father.'

"Soon afterwards the audience was at an end, and then the child, reaching the door, turned and made a low bow, saying, 'Good-bye, your Magistrate'—his father had been a magistrate in India.

"The King smiled kindly, and replied—'Ah, I see you have learned your lesson well; only you have not got it quite right'."

Finger-Print Lore.

The study of finger prints is becoming quite a fashionable one, and is being taken up with enthusiasm by young ladies. The following are stated to be established "axioms" of the cult. A man with white spots on his nails is unquestionably very fond of ladies' society; but, alas, is very fickle in his attachments. A proud man is invariably told by well-rounded finger nails, while transparent nails, suffused with light red, denote a cheerful, gentle, and loving disposition. But ladies must particularly beware of the man who bites his nails till a large portion of the skin is uncovered, for such a one would prove a perfect Othello for a husband. A man with long and pointed nails betokens that the owner is either a player on the guitar, a budding Chancellor of the Exchequer, a fashionable tailor, or an ambitious attorney, while anyone having the nail of his left thumb all streaked—as though it had been stained with snuff—is sure to turn out to be a schoolmaster. Thick nails indicate obstinacy and cruelty, while yellow ones are the clearest proof that the possessor is a "villain of the deepest dye."

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Herd, consisting of 1 bull, any age; 1 cow any age; heifer, 2 years old; yearling.

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Bull Calf (senior calf.)
Bull Calf (junior calf.)—1, A. H. Mercer; 2, J. Ballamy.
Bred Cow in calf or milk—1, A. H. Mercer.
Heifer, 2 years old—1, A. H. Mercer.
Heifer, 1 year old—1, E. C. Keeling; 2, A. H. Mercer.
Heifer Calf (junior calf.)
Heifer Calf (senior calf.)
Champion Bull, Diploma.
Champion Cow Diploma—A. H. Mercer.
Herd, consisting of 1 bull, any age; 1 cow, any age; Heifer, 2 years old; yearling—1, A. H. Mercer; 2, A. H. Mercer.

AYRESHIRES.

Bull, 3 years old and upwards.
Bull, 2 years old and upwards—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Bull, 1 year old and upwards.
Bull Calf (senior calf.)
Bull calf (junior calf.—1, D. Fetterly.
Bred Cow in calf or milk—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Heifer 2 years old—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Heifer, 1 year old—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Heifer Calf (senior calf)—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Heifer Calf (junior calf)
Champion Bull, Diploma—A. C. Wells & Son.
Champion Cow, Diploma—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Herd, consisting of 1 bull, any age; 1 cow, any age; heifer, 2 years old; yearling—1, A. C. Wells & Son.

RED POLLED.

Bull, 3 years and upwards—1, J. T. Bull, 2 years old and upwards.
Bull, 1 year old and upwards—1, J. T. Maynard.
Maynard.
Bull calf (senior calf)—1, J. T. Maynard.
Bull Calf (junior calf.)
Bred Cow in calf or milk—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Heifer, 2 years old—1, J. T. Maynard.
2, J. T. Maynard.
Heifer, 1 year old—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Heifer Calf (senior calf)—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Heifer Calf (junior calf.)
Champion Bull, Diploma—1 J. T. Maynard.
Champion Cow, Diploma—1, J. T. Maynard.
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Bull, 3 years old and upwards—1, Banford Bros.
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Bull, 1 year and upwards.
Bull Calf (senior calf)—1, Banford Bros.
Bull Calf (junior calf.)
Bred Cow in calf or milk—1 Banford Bros.; 2, Banford Bros.
Heifer, 2 years old—1, Banford Bros.
Heifer, 1 year old—1, Banford Bros.; 2, Banford Bros.
Heifer Calf (senior calf—1, Banford Bros.
Heifer Calf (junior calf)—1, Banford Bros.
Champion Bull, Diploma—1, Banford Bros.
Champion Cow, Diploma—1 Banford Bros.
Herd consisting of 1 bull, any age; 1 cow, any age; heifer, 2 years old; yearling—1, Banford Bros.

GRADED CATTLE.

Best Milch Cow.
Best Heifer, 1 year and under 2.
Best Heifer, under 1 year—1, W. H. Hawkshaw.
Best Heifer Calf, under 6 months—1, W. Hornby; 2, W. H. Hawkshaw.

GRADED CATTLE (Beef.)

Best Beef Animal.
Best Animal, 2 years old.
Best Animal 1 year old.
Best Beef Calf.

SILVER PRIZES.

Best Bull, dairy animal; bronze medal, presented by Canadian Bank of Commerce, Chilliwack—1, R. C. Wells & Son.
Best Cow, dairy animal. Case of carvers (2 sets), presented by Messrs. Wood, Vallance & Legatt, Vancouver; value $10. —1, A. C. Wells & Son.

Class 3.—Pure Bred Sheep.

LEICESTERS.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upward, pedigreed—1, Banford Bros.; 2 Banford Bros.
Two Ewes, shearlings or over—1, Banford Bros.; 2, Banford Bros.
Ram Lamb—1, Banford Bros.; 2, Banford Bros.
Two Ewe Lambs—1 and 2, Banford Bros.
One pen, ram, ewe, shearling, ewe, lamb ewe—1, Banford Bros; 2 Banford Bros.

SOUTH DOWNS.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upward (pedigreed)—1 and 2, C. T. Higginson.
Two Ewes, shearlings or over—1, C. T. Higginson & Son; 2, C. T. Higginson & Son.
Ram Lamb—1, C. T. Higginson & Son; 2, C. T. Higginson & Son.
Two Ewe Lambs—1, C. T. Higginson & Son; 2, C. T. Higginson & Son.
One pen: Ram, ewe shearling ewe, lamb ewe—1, C. T. Higginson & Son; 2, C. T. Higginson & Son.

SUFFOLK.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upwards, pedigreed—1, Jos. Thompson.
Two Ewes, shearlings or over—1 and 2, Jos. Thompson.
Ram Lamb—1, Jos. Thompson.
Two Ewe Lambs—1, Jos. Thompson.
Two Ewes, shearlings or over.
One Pen: Ram, ewe, shearling ewe, lamb ewe—1, Jos. Thompson; 2, Jos. Thompson.

HAMPSHIRE DOWNS.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upwards, pedigreed.
Two Ewes, shearlings or over.
Ram Lamb.
One Pen: Ram, ewe shearling, ewe, lamb ewe.

OXFORD DOWNS.

Best Ram, 1 year old.
Two Ewes, shearlings or over.
Ram Lamb.
Two Ewe Lambs.
One Pen: Ram, ewe shearling, ewe, lamb ewe.

DORSET HORN SHEEP.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upwards, pedigreed—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Two Ewes, shearling or over—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Ram Lamb—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Two Ewe Lambs—1, J. T. Maynard.
One Pen: Ram ewe, shearling ewe, lamb ewe—1, J. T. Maynard.

LINCOLNS.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upward, pedigreed—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Two Ewes, shearlings and over—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
Ram Lamb.
Two Ewe Lambs—1, A. C. Wells & Son.
One Pen: Ram ewe, shearling ewe, lamb ewe.

SHROPSHIRE.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upward, pedigreed—1, P. H. Wilson; 2, W. H. Hawkshaw.
Two Ewes, shearlings and over—1, P. H. Wilson; 2, P. H. Wilson.
Ram Lamb—1 P. H. Wilson; 2, P. H. Wilson.
Two Ewe Lambs—1, P. H. Wilson; 2, P. H. Wilson.
One Pen: Ram, ewe shearling ewe, lamb ewe—1, P. H. Wilson; 2, P. H. Wilson.

CASHMERE ANGORA GOATS.

Best Ram, 1 year old and upward, pedigreed.
Two Ewes, shearlings or over.
Ram Lamb.
Two Ewe Lambs.

GRADE SHEEP.

Note—pure bred stock cannot enter in the Class Grade.
Two Ewes, shearlings and over—1, W. H. Hawkshaw; 2, Higginson & Son.
Two Ewe Lambs—1, W. H. Hawkshaw; 2, Higginson & Son.
Two Fat Sheep—1, P. H. Wilson; 2, Higginson & Son.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

For the best Ram, any breed, bronze medal, presented by Henry Birks & Son —P. H. Wilson.
For the best Ewe, any breed, bronze medal, presented by Henry Birks & Son —P. H. Wilson.

Class 4.—Pure Bred Hogs.

BERKSHIRE.

Boar, 1 year old and upward—1, A. C. Wells & Son; 2, D. Fetterley.
Boar under 1 year old.
Sow, 1 year old and upward—1, A. C. Wells & Son; 2, D. Fetterley.
Sow, under 1 year old and upward—1, D. Fetterley; 2, D. Fetterley.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs.

POLAND CHINA.

Boar, 1 year old and upward.
Boar, under 1 year old—1, Jas. Bailey; 2, Banford Bros.
Sow, over 1 year old.
Sow, under 1 year old—1 Jas. Bailey; 2, Jas. Bailey.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs.

CHESTER WHITE

Boar, 1 year old and upward.
Boar, under 1 year old.
Sow, 1 year old and upward.
Sow under 1 year old.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs.)

DUROC JERSEYS.

Board, 1 year old and upward.
Boar, under 1 year.
Sow, 1 year old and upward.
Sow, under 1 year old.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs.)

YORKSHIRE PIGS.

Boar, 1 year old and upward—1, Jos. Thompson.
Boar, under 1 year—1, Jos. Thompson; 2 Jos. Thompson.
Boar, 1 year old and upward.
Sow, 1 year old and upward—1, Jos. Thompson; 2, Jos. Thompson.
Sow, under one year old—1, Jos Thompson; 2, Jos. Thompson.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs.)

TAMWORTH PIGS.

Boar, 1 year old and upward—1, Banford Bros.
Boar under 1 year—1, Banford Bros.; 2, Banford Bros.
Sow, 1 year old and upward—1 Banford Bros.; 2, Banford Bros.
Sow, under 1 year old—1, Banford Bros.; 2, Banford Bros.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs.)

SUFFOLK AND ESSEX PIGS.

Boar, 1 year old and upward.
Boar, under 1 year old—1, J. T. Maynard; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Sow, 1 year old and upward.
Sow, under 1 year—1, J. T. Maynard; 2 J. T. Maynard.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs.)

GRADE PIGS.

Note—Pure bred stock cannot enter in the Grade Classes.
Sow 1 year old and upward.
Sow, under 1 year old.
Sow and litter (pigs not over 10 weeks old) not less than 8 pigs 1, D. Bailey.
Best fat hogs between 150 and 200 lbs. 2 animals, any breed or grade.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

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STOCK JUDGING COMPETITION.

For those over 21 years, making largest number of points in any two sections—1, Joseph Thompson; 2, James Higginson; 3, P. H. Wilson.
For those over 21 years, making largest number of points in any two sections—1, Clarence Newby; 2, H. Zink; 3, R. Harman.

CLASS 5—POULTRY.

(Breeding pen consists of a cock and two hens.)
Turkeys, bronze breeding pen—1, W. A. Nevard.
Turkeys, white, breeding pen.
Turkeys, black, breeding pen.
Embden Geese, pair—1, E. Smedley.
Toulouse Geese, pair—1, Jas. Coulthart; 2, Jno. Paul.
Rouen Ducks, pair.
Indian Runner pair.
Cayuga Ducks, pair.
Ancona, breeding pen.
Leghorns, white—1, E. A. Orr; 2, E. A Orr.
Leghorns, brown—1, J. B. Marshall; 2, J. B. Marshall.
Wyandottes, white, breeding pen—1, J. A. Coulthart; 2, J. Arnould.
Buff Cochins, breeding pen—1, J. Ballamy.
White Plymouth Rocks breeding pen—Barred Plymouth Rocks, breeding pen —1, C. W. Robbins.
Buff Orphingtons, breeding pen—1, C W. Robbins.
Best pen of any breed not mentioned Black Aylesbury Ducks, breeding pen

CLASS 6.—DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, 6 lbs. in rolls or prints—1, G I. Thornton; 2, D. Fetterley.
Butter, packed, not less than 20 lbs.—1, J. Topley; 2, M. Hilton.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

For the best display of home-made dairy butter, exhibits to be shown in crock bricks and prints. Exhibits taking prizes to become the property of the donor; presented by E. Duthie, Esq. manager of the Bank of Montreal, Chilliwack—1, J. L. Denholm; 2, Jas. Topley; 3, M. Hilton.
For the best five one-pound prints of home-made dairy butter, made from cream separated by a De Laval Cream Separator; prize in cash given by Messrs. Hart & Hall, De Laval agents, Chilliwack—1, C. W. Copeland.

CLASS 7.—VEGETABLES.

Brace Cabbage—1, Jno. Barrett; 2, E Smedley.
Brace Red Cabbage—1 E. Smedley; 2, C. W. Copeland.
Turnips, three—1, D. Larter; 2, J. L. Denholm.
Carrots, five—1, J. H. Copeland; 2, T. Winthrope.
Parsnips, three—1, C. W. Copeland; 2 J. H. Copeland.
Onions, yellow, five—1, Mrs. W Stringer; 2 Wm. Anderson.
Onions, red, five—1, C. W. Copeland; 2, W. C. Morris.
Onions, white—1, C. W. Copeland. 2, Jas. Topley.
Beets, long, three—1 W. H. Higginson; 2, Jas. Topley.
Beets, long, three—1, R. J. Smithwick; 2, A. E. Webster.
Beets, turnip, three—1, J. H. Copeland; 2, L. R. Weber.
Celery, two—1, Mrs. W. Stringer; 2 C. W. Copeland.
Lettuce, two—1, C. W. Copeland; 2 Geoff Hornby.
Squash, Hubbard, brace—1, G. I Thornton; 2, W. B. Pattinson.
Squash, brace of yellow—1, C. W. Copeland; 2, W. C. Morris.
Pumpkins brace of table—1, G. I Thornton; 2, J. T. Maynard.
Vegetable Marrow, two—1, Mrs. W. Stringer; 2, C. W. Copeland.
Tomatoes, five—1, Mrs. A. E. Farrow; 2, W. E. A. Watson.
Cucumbers, green, five—1, Mrs. A. E Farrow; 2, Mrs. W. Stringer.
Cucumbers, pickling—1 J. L. Denholm; 2, Mrs. Geo. Nowell.
Cauliflower, brace—1, J. H. Copeland
Rhubarb, five—1, Mrs. Geo. Nowell; 2 J. H. Copeland.
Onions, Multipliers, quart.
Brussel Sprouts, two—1, Wm. Knight; 2, W. A. Nevard.
Green Beans in pod, ½ gallon—1, J. H Copeland; 2, E. A. Watson.
Wax Beans in pod, ½ gallon—1, Geo. Bellrose; 2, Jas. Bailey.
Green String Beans, ½ gallon—1, T. G Kingscote; 2, W. A. Nevard.

CLASS 8—FIELD PRODUCE

One Bushel Fall Wheat—1, J. A. Coulthart.
One Bushel Spring Wheat—1, Jno. Hepburn.
One Bushel Chevalier Barley—1, D. Larter.
One Bushel Oats, white—1 H. L. Johnson; 2, John Hepburn.
One-half Bushel Early Rose Potatoes —1, J. L. Barrett; 2, Jas. Barley.
One-half Bushel Early Six Weeks—1, J. W. Barrett.
One-half Bushel new variety Potatoes not before exhibited—1, Jas. Bailey; 2, C. W. Copeland.
One-half Bushel Early White Surprise Potatoes—1, Wm. Anderson; 2, Jas Grieve.
One-half Bushel Scotch Champion—1 Winthrope; 2, A. E. Webster.
One-half Bushel Late Rose Potatoes—1, A. E. Webster; 2 Jas. Bailey.
One-half Bushel Dakota Red Potatoes —1, Fred Wooster; 2, D. Greeve.
One-half Bushel of any other kind—1, W. H Henderson; 2, Mrs. W. Stringer
Turnips, Swede, 3 heaviest—1, C. D Andell; 2, R. F. Smithwick.
Mangolds long red, 3 heaviest—1, D. Larter; 2, W. E. A. Watson.
Mangolds, yellow, 3 heaviest—1, Er. Mangolds, yellow, 3 heaviest—1st Ernest Large; 2, W. H. Higginson.
Sugar Beets, 3 heaviest—1, A E. Watson; 2, W. H. Higginson.
Howell, five—1, C. T. Higginson; 2, W. Knight.
Plates of any other Fall Pear—1, Geo. Belrose.
Anjou, five—1, J. C. Robertson; 2 J. A. Coatham.
Clairgeau, five—1, J. H. Paul; 2, H. J. Barber.
Plates of any other variety of Winter Pears—1, G. I. Thornton; 2, J. A. Coatham.
Reeves Seedling, six—1, J. A. Coatham.
Coe's Golden Drop, six—1, A. E. Webster.
Collection of Plums, five each—1 Henry Davey; 2, A. E. Webster.
Prunes, Italian, six—1, G. Belrose; 2, H. Davey.
Prunes, German, six—1, Geo. Belrose; 2, A. E. Webster.
Reeves Prune, six—1 Wm. Knight.
Quebec, Orange, six—1, Mrs. Jno. Hepburn; 2, H. Davey.
Quince, Rea's Mammoth, six.
Grapes, light, 2 bunches—1, D. Darts.
Grapes, dark, three bunches.
Peaches Elberta, six.
Peaches, Early Crawford, six.
Peaches, any other kind, six—1, H. Davey.
Water Melons, brace—1, J. D. Maynard.
Musk Melons, brace—1, Mrs. J. D. Maynard; 2, C. D. Higginson & Son.
Citrons, brace—1, P. H. Wilson; 2, G. I Thornton.
Hyslop Crab Apple, six—1, Mrs. D. H. Day; 2, J. A. Coulhart.
Martha's Crab, six—1, D. Bailey; 2, A. Webster.
Florence Crab, six—1, A. B. McKenzie; 2 Geo. Thornton.
Collection of fresh fruit, 5 of each.
Best packed 2 boxes of Apples—1, J. A. Coatham; 2, W. H. Higginson.
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Collection Cactus—1, J. H. Chapman; 2, D. C. McGilvary.
Collection of Foliage Plants—1 J. H. hapman; 2, J. C. Robinson.
Two Fuschias, double—1, J. C. Robinson.
Two Fuschias, single—1, J. H. Chapman.
Two Geraniums, double—1, M. Hilton.
Two Geraniums, single—1, M. Hilton.
Two Pelargoniums—1, Thomas Bros. and Austin Myers.
Two Begonias, flowering—1, M. Hilton; 2, J. H. Chapman.
Two Begonias, tuberous—1, M. Hilton; 2, J. H. Chapman.
Two Begonias, Rex—1, M. Hilton; 2, J. H. Chapman.
Two Ferns, stove or greenhouse—1, J. H. Chapman; 2, J. C. Robertson.
Two Palmas—1, J. H. Chapman.

SPECIMENS.

One Coelus—1, J. H. Chapman.
One Fuschia—1, M. Hilton; 2 J. H Copeland.
One Geranium—1, Jas. Robertson; 2, M. Hilton.
One Hanging Basket—1, Mrs. A. E. Farroll.
One Cactus—1 J. H. Chapman.
One Palm—J. H Chapman.
One Begonia, flowering—1, D. Fetterley, 2, J. H. Chapman.
One Begonia, Rex—1, M. Hilton; 2, J. H. Chapman.
One Crysanthemum—1, M. Hilton.
One Lily—1 Henry Stade; 2, J. H Chapman.
One Petunia—1, Jas. C. Robertson.
One Ivy Leaf Geranium—1, J. H. Chapman.
One specimen of any other variety, not mentioned—1, J. H. Chapman; 2, Mrs. J. Cook.

CUT FLOWERS.

Floral Design for Table—1, Mrs. A. E. Farroll; 2, L. R. Weber.
Table Bouquet—1, W. A. Nevard; 2, L. R. Weber.
Hand Bouquet—1, W. A. Nevard; 2, M. Hilton.
Six Roses, different varieties—1, Tomas Bros. and Austin Myers.
Six Gladiolas—1, L. H. Johnston; 2, L. R. Weber.
Six Dahlias—1, Tomas Bros. and Austin Myers; 2, M. Hilton.
Six Stocks—1, Mrs. A. E. Farroll; 2, F. Wooster.
Six Asters—1, Mrs. W. Stringer; 2, Mrs. A. E. Farroll.
Six Zinnias—1, M. Hilton; 2, Mrs. J. Cook.
Six Verbenas—1, M. Hilton; 2, Tomas Bros. and Austin Myers.
Six Marigolds, French—1, W. H. Higginson; 2, Mrs. J. Cook.
Six Marigolds, African—1, M. Hilton; 2, Mrs. J. Cook.
Collection Annuals—1, M. Hilton; 2, Mrs. A. E. Ferroll.
Collection Perennials—1, M. Hilton.
Collection Pansies—1, Tomas Bros. and Austin Myers; 2, M. Hilton.
Collection Sweet Peas—1 Mrs. H. T. Woodland; 2, Jas. Topley.
Collection Dahlias—1, Tomas Bros. and A. Myers; 2, F. Wooster.

CLASS 11—MISCELLANEOUS.

Exhibit of Honey in Comb—1, H. L. Jonson.
Collection of Bottled Fruit, home-made not less than 24 bottles—1, Mrs. J. L. Wilman; 2, J. R. Thornton.
Collection of Jellies, pure, home-made not less than 24 bottles—1, J. R. Thornton.
Best Collection of Marmalade—1, Jas. Bailey.
White Bread, 2 loaves in pan—1, J. H. Copeland; 2 Jas. Topley.
Brown Bread—1, D. Lardes; 1, J. L. Denholme.
Dinner of Plain Rolls—1, Mrs. J. A. McKenzie; 2, Jas. Bailey.
Baking Powder Biscuits, 1 dozen—1, Jas. Bailey; 2, M. Hilton.
Best assortment of Pickles, 6 kinds—1, Mrs. A. D. Wheeler; 2, Jas. C. Robinson.
Best Loaf of bread baked by girl under 15—1, Mrs. F. J. Harding; 2, C. Dandell.
Best Layer Cake baked by girl under 15—1 Jas. Bailey; 2, Miss Grace Gervan.
Best Fruit Cake baked by girl under 15—1, Mrs. Robert Eason.

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Royal Household Flour—For the best loaf of home-made bread made from this flour, presented by the Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., 1st, 1 barrel of Royal Household Flour; second, ½ barrel of Royal Household Flour—1, Mrs. A. D. Wheeler; 2, Mrs. Geo. Watson.
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Five Roses Flour—For the best loaf of home-made bread made from this flour, presented by the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., 1st, 1 barrel of Five Roses Flour; 2nd, ½ barrel of Five Roses Flour—1, David Larder; 2, Mrs. Jno. Hepburn.
Robin Hood Flour—For the best loaf of home-made bread made from this flour presented by the Saskatchewan Flour Mills Co., 1st, 1 barrel of Robin Hood Flour; 2nd, ½ barrel of Robin Hood Flour—1 Mrs. Geo. Watson; 2, Mrs. A. E. Willis.

CLASS 12—DOMESTIC WORK.

Crochet Lace, 6 specimens—1, Mrs. T. H. Jackson; 2, Mrs. A. B. McKenzie.
Wool Shawl—1, Mrs. Jno Hepburn; 2, Miss Winnie Wheeler.
Infant's Jacket, wool—1, Mrs. T. H. Jackson; 2, Mrs. Robert Eason.
Infant's Bib, cotton or linen—1, Mrs. T. H. Jackson; Mrs. M. Hilton.

KNITTING.

Wool Stockings—1, Mrs. J. W. English; 2 Mrs. Jno. Hepburn.
Wool Socks—1, Mrs. Jno English; 2, Mrs. Jno. Hepburn.
Lace, 6 specimens—1st, Mrs. Jno. English.
Infant's Jacket—1, Mrs. A. Mercer.

FANCY WORK.

Tatting, 3 specimens—1, Mrs. Robert Eason; 2, Mrs. M. Hilton.
Point Lace—1, Miss G. C. Chambers; 2, Mrs. M. Hilton.
Drawn Work—1, Mrs. Dominey; 2 Mrs. A. Mercer.
Wallachian Embroidery—1, Miss Winnie Wheeler; 2, Mrs. Robert Eason.
Eyelet Embroidery—1, Mrs. C. Royds; 2, Mrs. Jas. Robertson.
Shadow Embroidery—1, Mrs. M. Hilton; 2, Miss Winnie Wheeler.
Linen Hat made up hand embroidery —1, Mrs J. N. Denholme; 2, Mrs. T. H. Jackson.
Initials or Monogram, hand embroidery —1, Miss D. Royds; 2 Mrs. A. E. Ferroll.
Ladies' Blouse Front, hand embroidery —Mrs. J. L. Denholme; 2, Mrs. Robt. Eason.
Cuff and Collar Set, hand embroidery —1 Miss Winnie Wheeler.
Table Cover, linen, hand embroidery—Mrs. Robert Eason; 2, Mrs. George Nowell.
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Sideboard or Bureau Scarf hand embroidery—1, Mrs. D. Royds; 2, Mrs. J. Robertson.
Child's Dress, hand embroidery—1, Miss G. Royds.
Corset Cover, hand embroidery—1, Miss Edna Knight; 2, Mrs. Robert Eason.
Pillow Slips, hand embroidery—1, Mrs. C. Royds; 2, Miss Eva Jackman.
Towels, hand embroidery—1 Mrs. Robt. Eason; 2, Mrs. A. E. Ferroll.
Tea Cosy, hand embroidery—1, Miss W. Wheeler; 2, Mrs. A. E. Roberts.
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