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Mt. Pleasant L. O. L., will meet on Thursday evening next Nov. 1st. All Orangemen are cordially invited to attend.

MOUNT PLEASANT METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. A. W. McLeod will preach morning and evening on Sunday.

The Rummage Sale to have been held by the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Michael's Church on Nov. 3d, has been postponed until further notice.

There will be a lady Demonstrating the excellence of Cowan's Cocoa at Lee's Grocery on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Cordial invitation extended to everyone to try a cup of this cocoa

The contract for the B. C. Electric Railway Company's new barns on Westminster avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth avenues, has been let to Smith Brothers of North Vancouver, for $15.000.

The Strider Shoes for Men are pronounced in style, rare in quality and superior in workmanship. Thoroughly reliable and contains all that anybody can give for $5.00.—R. MILLS, 119 Hastings street, west.

H. O. Lee, this week, sold through Mrs. R Whitney, Real Estate Agent, his property corner of Westminster and Fourteenth avenues, the sale price being $4.250. Another sale made by the same Agent was the two storey house 456 Tenth avenue, east.

Mr. Mills, Manager for W. M. Harrison Company's Mt. Pleasant Drug Store, corner Seventh and Westminster avenues, has found it necessary to move to Mt. Pleasant on account of the rapid increase of business; Mr. and Mrs. Mills are residing at 442 Sixth avenue, east.

Changes for advertisements should be in before Thursday noon to insure their publication.

The Girls' Entertainment Society of St. Michael's Church gave a most enjoyable Social tendered the Members of the Congregation on Thursday evening. Music and recitations were given by the members of the Society. A dialogue by five girls being specially good. Refreshments were served during the evening.

The New York Dentists have dissolved partnership, Dr. W. H. Moody retiring from the firm. Dr. T. Glendon Moody who has always been Manager of the New York Dentist has bought, the entire practice and will continue the practice of his profession at the well-known New York Dental Parlors, 147 Hastings street, east.

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Mrs. R. Whitney, 2444 Westminster avenue.

After the regular meeting of Alexandra Hive No. 7, L. O. T. M., on Monday an hour was devoted to progressive whist. Mrs. Dalzell and Mr. Isaac Mills were awarded 1st prizes and to Mrs. F. Winters and Mr. Williams consolation prizes. The card tables were cleared and dancing kept up a few hours. These monthly Socials are becoming very popular with the members and their friends.

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Olive's Courtship

BY LAURA JEAN LIBBEY

Author of "A Cruel Revenge," "A Forbidden Marriage," "A Beautiful Coquette," "The Heiress of Cameron Hall."

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CHAPTER VI.

But to return to Oscar Glendenning. From the moment the train started he began to feel more composed; yet, at every station where the cars stopped he expected to see some one enter and search around a moment for some one; then, seeing him, lay his hand heavily on his shoulder, saying, "You are Oscar Glendenning. You are wanted in New York, You must come with me."

On sped the train by day and by night, until the northland lay far behind him and he had reached the land of flowers. But not even yet had he escaped the dire fear of being pursued. As he neared New Orleans the cars were packed to their full capacity, and it occurred to him what he had almost forgotten before, and that was that the Mardi Gras festival was at its height.

A handsome, courteous gentleman whom he met in the smoking-car, and whom Glendenning afterward learned was a Mr. Rafferby, of New York, who was on a pleasure trip to Mexico with his pretty little wife, tried to draw Glendenning into conversation by giving him wonderful descriptions of the festival, and asking him to join their party to "do" the sights, if he intended stopping over in New Orleans to see the great Mardi Gras.

"Perhaps it will be better for me to go with them," he concluded to himself, "for obvious reasons."

The pretty little wife joined her genial husband in the invitation. She quite idolized him, as all wives should, and was only too pleased that he had found a pleasant companion to add to their merry little party, especially as their number was just one gentleman short, one having been recalled by telegram when half-way on their trip.

They had made arrangements beforehand for accommodations at one of the best hotels, and had paid quite a little fortune for the exclusive use of the entire balcony for their party to view the grand pageant by night.

Those who have seen the beautiful city in its gala dress on just such an occasion—gay-hued banners, rivaling the rainbow's hues in their coloring of rose, orange, purple and flaming gold, flaunting on the breeze and coquetting with the sunlight from casement to house-top, the whole city alive with mirth and bustle—will not wonder that for a time Oscar Glendenning almost forgot the terrible cloud that hung over him—the sword that was suspended above his head by a single hair, and ready to fall upon him at any moment.

The grand feature of the festival is the wonderful moonlight street parade. The whole city turns out en masse to view the brilliant pageant, so glittering, unique and gorgeous, that throngs the thoroughfare in the grand, bewildering parade.

Mrs. Rafferby, pretty as a picture and plump as a partridge, sat in the centre of the balcony, with four pretty girls grouped about her and her husband leaning over the back of her chair; and more than once the girls glanced askance at the handsome stranger sitting to the right of them, wondering why he did not try to make himself more agreeable to them.

"I have been the whole world over, and I have never seen anything in any country that goes ahead of this," remarked Mr. Rafferby, adding, "Dear me, I wish so many of these beauty-worshippers would not continue to gaze up here at my wife until a bend in the route hides her from their view. I think I shall soon be tempted to hang a large placard around her neck, with this inscription on it:

" 'Spare Your Adoring Glances.
SHE'S MARRIED.'

Wouldn't that be a capital idea?" he asked, quizzically, turning to Laura Agnes Paige, a pretty, slender young girl who was sitting by his side, one white, rounded arm resting on the balcony railing, and her dark, curly head leaning on it, her big blue eyes feasting on the scene below.

"Why don't you tell him you are too busily engaged in sight-seeing just now to pay attention to his questions?" whispered a slender, fair-haired young man who leaned over her, and so near her that his fair moustache grazed for an instant the warm, red cheek.

Pretty Miss Paige laughed, and that laugh interested Glendenning. He turned and looked at her. She was certainly clever and piquant, and Glendenning felt irresistibly drawn toward her and envious of her companion, Mr. Raymond.

"If I were anything but what I am, I might win such a young girl's love," he thought, "But, pshaw! why ruminate over impossibilities? A man can not change his whole nature even for a fair girl's sake;" and he turned away his head again and paid strict attention to the parade.

Was there any one in that vast throng who was searching for him? he wondered. Ah! surely not. Yet he was never free from the terrible fear of it. He felt hunted, by night and by day.

Kings in their golden chariots nodded their crowned heads; plumed knights bowed gracefully right and left in their saddles as their charges pranced by beneath the gilded banners and gay flags.

First came the pageant of the Mystick Krewe of Comus, of the legendary history of Japan, the marvelous country of beautiful and poetic idealities. First came Comus, the divinity, daring, handsome, gallant, fair and brave, drawn through the lambient air by milk-white storks with wide-spread wings, glancing back toward Nippon, the land of the rising sun, gorgeous in the gleam of the electric lights, and, over all, the crimson, gold and purple glow of the rockets, bursting stars and colored fires that cast their bright glare to the very heavens.

Next came the monarch and first Mikado, Otersase, seated on a gorgeous throne surrounded by gigantic fans; in front of him the jugglers waiting to do his bidding.

Then followed, in a beautiful chariot, Izanigi and Izanani, representing Adam and Eve, standing upon a rainbow called the Bridge of Heaven—every one knew the legend. While standing there one day, so the story runs, looking at the beauty of the universe, Izanigi dipped his jeweled spear into the clouds below, and the drops of the rainbow that fell down, down into space formed an island which is now the earth.

Then came the Sun Queen, quickly followed in the vast moving panorama by Yanoonna, the Spirits of Night.

There were wild shouts of delight as this wonderful chariot, in which twinkled the moon, the stars, and comets, with the graceful young queen, her pet owl on her shoulder, whirled into view and passed the balcony and the golden rods. The Ruler of the Sea, Hiruka, was hailed, too, with the wildest enthusiasm.

And the people held their breath when Iononre the Avenger bursts upon their gaze, heralded by great colored fires rolled slowly into view. The wrathful god of war and all terrors looked neither to the right nor left. Forked lightning sprung from his hands toward the four winds and from the rock upon which he sat, striking downward to the earth, while around him, awaiting his commands, were six of the forty-seven great Romans known throughout the world as the highest type of loyalty and devotion in avenging the death of their ruler.

The home of Benton the gentle, and Usame, the charming Sun Goddess, and Inari Sami, the Goddess of Food, followed in rapid succession.

And the great crowd cheered, and "bravo!" sprung from every lip as Tachibane-Hime, the idol of flowers, swept gracefully next in line. Glendenning instantly recalled the legend of it, but it was Miss Paige who refreshed the memories of the others about it.

"Why, how strange that any one could forget so sweet a legend!" she cried. "Don't you remember, it was said that among all the women of the world none was more beautiful than Tachibane-Hime? Although innocent and lovely, she was the victim of jealousy and rumor, and was finally brought before the tribunal. When asked to defend against the charges of her enemies, so great was her timidity that she could not speak, nor could she understand of what she was accused. She had passed all her life with flowers and birds, and suddenly the powers of nature that had learned to love her came to her defense. The red roses on the boughs turned white, the lilies surrounded her, upholding their lances, which changed to blades of snow. A white dove lighted on her hand, and the sun goddess, as a proof of her favor, caused a cloud of snow to fall from heaven."

It struck Glendenning as he looked down into the sweet, fair, innocent, upturned face of Tachibane-Hine, as she rode slowly past the balcony, how much she resembled fair Nannie, the young girl living across the way from Olive Kneeland's home, and who was Olive's best-loved friend. Yes, she looked exceedingly like fair, dainty Nannie.

Glendenning bowed his head on his hand and looked no more. He wished that memory of the carnival to be the one to linger in his mind forever, and he told himself then and there, if he were ever to love a young girl, she would have to have just such a face as the lovely, innocent Tachibane-Hime.

At that moment there was a stir among the crowd directly under the balcony.

"What is the matter?" asked Glendenning, indifferently.

"It is an officer. Evidently he has just found some one for whom he has been searching. Why, it looks much as if this balcony was the objective point," was the reply. "Why, by Jove, it is!"

The blood seemed to rush from Glendenning's face to his heart with one great throb. By a great effort he rose to his feet, clutching hard at the back of the chair he had but just occupied to steady himself.

"I propose to go down to the smoking-room and have a cigar," he said, with a great attempt at carelessness. "Will not some of you join me? I can not stand it any longer without a smoke."

"What! leave so excellent a vantage-ground while this affair is at its height? Well, hardly. We must ask you to pardon us for being so uncompanionable in this instance, my dear boy," laughed Mr. Rafferby; and the gentlemen present indorsed this sentiment, much to Glendenning's intense relief.

He never remembered afterward how he made his adieus and stepped from the balcony, bowing and smiling, into the room beyond, but the heavy draperies once between them, all his coolness vanished, and he fairly dashed through the hotel and out into the street by a rear entrance.

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Quite Familiar.

"There is not much in a name, perhaps," said a young Sunday school teacher. "Still it did give me a turn last Sunday when I asked a boy in my class how many apostles there were to have him look up and reply carelessly, 'Oh, a dozen or so!' "

Two and Two.

There is no difference between a mile square and a square mile. Each contains 640 acres. There is, however, a difference between two miles square and two square miles.

Wonderful.

Bridegroom—What's the matter, driver? Coachman—The horse has just thrown a shoe, sir. Bridegroom—Great Scott! Do even horses know we are just married?

How Would You Like This Butter?

The Moor prepares butter in an original way and gets a different taste from the usual one. Fresh butter ("sibida," as he calls it), as known by us, he despises and uses only for cooking. It must be old if it is to be liked. After it has lain in a hole in the ground for some years and has got a certain appearance it becomes a delicacy. To make butter a goatskin is turned inside out. It is filled with milk, bound tight and tied to a tree. There it is beaten backward and forward till the butter is made. That is why you cannot get butter in Morocco without hairs all through it. The butter is then laid on pieces of wood and the maker goes to sell it. Possible buyers lift the dirty cover, put in their fingers and take out a taste and if the goods do not please close it down again and the salesman pursues his way.

Fair Rosamund's Bower.

Henry III.'s chief garden was at Woodstock, but he was not the originator of it, as there had been a garden there in the time of the second Henry. In it was the labyrinth which concealed the "bower" made famous by the tragic fate of the fair Rosamond. A halo of romance and mystery hangs around this hiding place, but in reality labyrinths were by no means uncommon. There is evidence of the existence of labyrinths in very early times, and they presumably suggested the maze of more modern date. The first labyrinths were winding paths cut in the ground, and the survival of them is still traceable in several places in England. Of these Saffron Walden, with its encircling ditch, is the most striking example. Camden describes one existing in his time in Dorsetshire, which went by the name of Troy town or Julian's bower.—"A History of Gardening In England."

Greek Fire.

Greek fire, which had several other names—wild fire, liquid fire, wet fire and fire rain—descriptive of its destructiveness, is said to have been the most destructive engine of war previous to gunpowder. Discovered by Callinicus, a Syrian, it was first used in the siege of Constantinople, 673-78, and at Mecca, 690.

Facts in Animal Breeding.

Professor G. Liebscher, director of the agricultural institute at Gottingen, Germany, says the most important facts for the animal breeder to understand are:

1. That the more valuable the parents are the greater is the possibility of securing good offspring.

2. That the more dissimilar the parents the more numerous will be the new forms resulting from sexual propagation.

3. That the more easily alike they are the larger will be the proportion of the offspring having a harmonious blending of the parental characteristics.

ENTERPRISING BOTANISTS.

Effects of the Great Revival of the Sixteenth Century.

In the great literary and scientific revival that took place in the sixteenth century botany made a fresh departure. The discovery of America had brought a vast number of new plants to Europe, and their study doubtless stimulated the more complete study of those of the old world. The great commercial activity of the century must also have had its influence. Ships were bringing new products from all parts and among these plants were not forgotten. But from whatever cause it arose, the great impulse and renewed activity in the discovery and study of plants was quite remarkable. They produced a large body of students, whose labors were unwearied, and a wonderful amount of botanical literature.

Among those students were such men as Loincer, L'Obel, Caesalpinus, L'Ecluse, Mattioli, Caspar and John Bauhin, Conrad Gesner, Pona, Leonard, Fuchs, Prosper Alpinus, Dodoens and many others. And these men were not stay at home botanical students. They were great travelers, whose delight was to collect and examine plants in their native countries. Caspar Bauhin collected them in Germany, France and Italy with great labor and danger ("quod praecipuum orat, plantas locis natalibus inspiciendo nullis laboribus, nullis molestiis, nullis sumptibus peper cimus"); L'Ecluse collected them in Spain, Hungary and Bohemia; Du Choul searched Mount Pilatus and John Pona Mount Baldus; Leonard Rauwolf made a long journey to the east in search of them and Prosper Alpinus examined those of Egypt.—London Standard.

Men With Women's Voices.

Generally speaking, races living at high altitudes have weaker and more highly pitched voices than those living in regions where the supply of oxygen is more plentiful. Thus among the Indians living on the plateaus between the ranges of the Andes, at an elevation of from ten to fourteen thousand feet, the men have voices like women and the women like children, and their singing is a shrill monotone. The Australian native has a weak voice, but a knack of sending it a long distance, and the lowest tribes of African bushmen also possess weak voices. Of all human beings it would seem that the dwarf race discovered by Stanley in central Africa have, in point of volume and compass, the weakest of human voices, and this is only what one would expect from the feebleness of their physique generally.

Modern Love.

Anxious Father—But do you feel sure that you can make my daughter happy? Calm Youth—I haven't thought about that. But I have finally decided that she can make me happy.—Somerville Journal.

The Bird of Paradise.

The bird of paradise is found wild in India and central Africa. It was so called not on account of its beauty, but from the fact that the earliest dealers cut off the ugly feet and legs of the living specimens and gave out that the bird came from the other world and did not alight in this, so it had no need of feet.

Eskimo Doctors.

The head of an Eskimo family gives his doctor a fee as soon as he comes. If the patient recovers, it is kept; if not, it is returned.

A State's Coat of Arms.

The flag of the United States may not be used for advertising purposes, neither may the coats of arms of the several states, according to a decision of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia on an appeal taken by Cahn, Belt & Co. of Baltimore from the decision of the commissioner of patents refusing to register a trademark containing the coat of arms of the state of Maryland. The opinion was written by Justice McComas.—Washington Star.

Defined.

Teacher—Who knows what triplets are? Teacher's Pet—I know. Two twins and one left over.

Idleness walks so slowly that poverty has no trouble in catching up with it.

Finger Nails.

The nails of two fingers never grow with the same rapidity, that of the middle finger growing the fastest while that of the thumb grows slowest.

Price and Imagination.

Housewives are apt to judge the quality of groceries by the price paid for them. As an illustration of this a grocer tells the following story: "I had two qualities of flour—one fine and the other poor. One day I accidentally sold one for the other. My customers, who paid a high price for the poor quality, said that it had given entire satisfaction, while those who had received the fine flour for a low price complained of it, and a few returned it as unfit for use."

MAMMOTH IS A MYTH.

Perforated Indian Skull — Interesting Word Paintings on Temagami Rocks.

Mr. David Boyle, superintendent of the Provincial Museum, has just returned to Toronto from Moore township in Lambton County. He found the report about the mammoth remains said to have been discovered there, to be incorrect. He could find no traces of such an animal.

Mr. Boyle made some excavations in the Indian Reserve, however, and picked up some relics of value. The most interesting was a human skull perforated on the apex with a clean cut hole, which must have been bored with some instrument. There are a few other specimens of a similar description in the museum

"These holes may have been bored in the skulls before death," said Mr. Boyle. "in which case they were no doubt made to allow some evil spirit to escape, as in the case of one stricken with apoplexy. But it is quite possible the holes were made after death, and would then be made for the purpose of hanging the skulls up.

"The natives of Peru," he continued, "had made considerable progress in the art of surgery, and skulls have been found showing clear evidence of trepanning, the holes being made with sharp pieces of flint."

Interesting specimens of Indian word painting were copied and brought to the museum last week by Mr. W. H. C. Phillips, who made a trip to the Temagami district for the purpose. There are two sets of paintings, four specimens in each set. One was found painted on the rocks on the north shore of Diamond Lake, the other at the southern extremity of Lady Evelyn Lake.

They bear close resemblance to the paintings discovered on the rocks of Lake Massanog, Addington County, and published in Mr. Boyle's archaeological report for 1904-5. No one has yet succeeded in deciphering these inscriptions.

WAS THROUGH WITH POKER.

Uncle Rastus Tells Young Men How Game Is Played.

"What's poker?" echoed Uncle Rastus as he turned on the young man who had innocently asked the question. "Say, boy, you jest percolate de consanguinity and don't nebber fool around wid no game of poker. If it hadn't been for de game of poker I'd have had a brick house and fo'teen mewls to console my ole aige."

"But how does dey play de game?" persisted the young man.

"How does dey? Well, sah, poker am played wid keerds. You deal out five and look mighty wise while you am doin' it. If you don't like what you git you frow 'em away and call for some mo'. Den you diskiber dat you has three aces in your hand, and your heart jumps right into your mouf. You has got $10 in your pocket, and you keerlessly observe dat you will bet it on your hand. De odder party am fool 'nuff to butt in. He sees you and goes ten better. You don't want to be riz out of de game, and you do want to take a fall outer dat man, and so you put up your watch, your dimun pin, your dawg, your mewl and your wheelbarrer. Dat odder chap am only bluffin', but you am dar to stay."

"How kin you tell dat he am only bluffin'?"

"You have what they calls a hunch. He sees you till dar am nuffin' mo' to put up on either side, and den you call his hand and start to rake in de pot."

"And sunthin' happens?"

"Sunthin' does, young man. Dat's whar de sagacity of de cumulashun comes in. Three aces orter rake in dat pot, but de odder party happens to have fo' kings, and you don't rake. You am dun cleaned out—knocked down—sent to de porehouse for de rest of your days."

"And so you don't play poker no mo'?"

"Not any for me, sah. If I had my life to lib ober again I might tackle cyclones, whirlwinds, airthquakes and redhot stoves, but you kin jes' gamble dat de pomposity of de combinashun wouldn't elucidate dis individual to perambulate around wid no game of poker!"—Chicago News

At the Minstrels.

Sambo—What am de diff'runce 'tween a mute walkin' 'long de street an' a conversational bore? Interlocutor—What is the difference, Sambo? Sambo—Well, one goes widout sayin', an' de udder says widout goin'.

An Invitation.

Bashful Beaumont—Er—I—er—dreamt I—er—kissed you last night. What's that a sign of? Modest Maiden—Well, it's a sign that you're more sensible asleep than awake.

The Seddon Spirit.

An anecdote is told of Richard Seddon, the late Premier of New Zealand. He was very active in sending troops to the assistance of Great Britain in the South African War. On one occasion he was taunted by an Opposition member with his readiness to sacrifice the lives of the colony's manhood. "You are ready enough to send our sons and brothers to be shot at, but"—was the opening of a taunt by his opponent, when the Premier broke in: "Sir, this morning I signed a commission for my own son. He will be shot at, too, and I have dared him to came back without a wound."

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The Sothic Year.

The year of 365¼ days was known as the Sothic year, from the Egyptian name of the star Sirius, observations of which were of great use to the astronomers of Egypt in their efforts to arrange a calendar.

Where It Belonged.

New Bookkeeper (to employer)—How shall I enter up the $5,000 that your old bookkeeper ran away with—profit or loss?

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PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS.

National Association Formed to Promote Them In Cities.

A generation ago the environment of the child was different from that now to be found in large cities. Now a third of the population is crowded into the cities, and the narrow streets, lined with towering buildings, have become canyons where sunlight comes in glints and where blasts of air laden with pestilential dust smother and blind the child amid the dangers from heavy trucks, swiftly moving automobiles and the rushing of trolley cars.

"The city fathers fain would save the beauty of the city by more or less infrequent patches of green," says Seth Thayer Stewart in the prospectus of the Playground Association of America, of which Theodore Roosevelt is honorary president and Jacob Riis honorary vice president, "but even these are covered with warnings of keep off the grass, and the city child, without the possibilities of outdoor physical development, wonders whether the progress of civilization is not conspiring with the arm of the law to prevent the natural development of his instinct for play and love of nature, and even to crush out the possibilities of child life in larger cities."

The object of the Playground association is to bring about the establishment and maintenance of playgrounds in the larger cities where children and young men may expend their physical energy in a way that will be beneficial to themselves. It believes that the maintenance of playgrounds is not a matter of ornamental philanthropy, but a part of the system of education of the state necessary to the development of the whole nature and not of the mind only, and that it is the duty of the state to maintain such space, place and opportunity in playgrounds and in the curriculum of the schools for all its growing citizens.

"Believing," says the prospectus, "that in a democracy the tide and tone of life should be kept full and high and that upon the physical well being of its people largely depends the well being of the nation, that the stress and strain of our industrial age, the artificial life of crowded centers and the isolation of the country tend to nervous disorder and breakdown, and believing that play is instinctive and tends to develop the whole man and the physical and moral qualities necessary to high character, thus maintaining the working power at its best, the Playground Association of America affirms the necessity for place, space and opportunity in the open air in order to insure 'life and happiness.'"

Dr. Luther Gulick of New York city is the active president of the association. New York has already spent about $15,000,000 on small parks with playgrounds, and the Seward park recreation center, in the Ghetto, alone cost $1,800,000.—New York Tribune.

A Trick of Sound.

Why did Princess Ena of Battenberg after her marriage to the king of Spain choose to be known as Queen Victoria? A writer says: "Her grandmother made Victoria a name of good omen, but Alexandrina, not Victoria, was the first of the late British queen's baptismal names and was abandoned because Russian names are without sweet associations for English ears. Nor would Eugenie be very agreeable now to Spaniards, with whom their French neighbors are not universally popular. Ena is, however, a name as uncommittingly international as Victoria. It might very well have been the young queen's, too, but for a mere trick of sound. When her marriage was arranged her brothers began to call her in jest 'Quinine, ah!' and thus gave its teased bearer a prejudice against the conjunction of her new title with her old name."

Pangman's Tree.

A living and leafy monument in the shape of a stately pine tree with traces of the name of Peter Pangman, 1790, still carved on it, stands at the junction of the Saskatchewan and the Clear Water rivers to commemorate the memory of the first white man to reach the Rocky mountains or see them from the east. Pangman was in the employ of the Northwest Fur company. He ascended the Saskatchewan and turning his face to the westward he beheld the white mass—the Rocky mountains. He afterward penetrated them, but the tree where he carved his name marks the spot of his first vision. For 125 years it has been known as Pangman's tree, and still stands in spite of the ravages of fire and flood. In the early days it was a landmark and distances were measured from it.

New Creamery Law In Iowa.

The legislature of Iowa has passed a law requiring all creamery operators to pasteurize skim milk at 185 degrees before delivery to the patrons. The bill went through both houses with substantial majorities. It is understood that the moving cause of the law was the spread of tuberculosis among hogs that are fed on the ordinary creamery skim milk. If every farmer would do as he should do and tuberculin test his cows once each year we would soon have none of this disease to destroy our cows and hogs. When the pinch comes, maybe some of them will see it

The Chess Players.

It looks something more than a coincidence—this early decay of the chess players. The results of these prodigious intellectual stunts are not unlike those of the overtrained horse or the professional athlete who sinks into decay before his time, his vitality gone, his organs a wreck. Chess is doubtless the beautiful and inspiring game its devotees would have us to think, but it appears to be a mighty poor profession. Even if it be not a short cut to madness, it certainly leads to no useful end. Some great men have been chess players, but no chess player has ever been a great man.—Kansas City Independent.

A French lawyer whose sport is ballooning thinks it a mild, safe and comparatively inexpensive diversion. He has made sixty ascents without injury to himself. A well made balloon will last ten years—longer than an automobile—and will cost only from $400 to $1,000. Its upkeep is confined to the cost of the gas and the return journeys by train after a trip. "In keeping with the amount of pleasure to be had out of the sport," says this enthusiastic aeronaut, "I know of no other which may be compared with it at the price."

A MOTHER'S STORY.

She Tells How Dr. William's Pink Pills Saved Her Daughter.

Anaemia is the doctor's name for bloodlessness. It is an ailment that effects almost every girl in her teens. Womanhood makes new demands upon her blood supply that she cannot meet. Month after month her strength, her very life, are being drained away. No food and no care can do her any good. No common medicine can save her. She needs new blood. New blood is the one thing—the only thing—that can make a healthy woman of her. Dr. William's Pink Pills actually make new blood. That is why they never fail to cure anaemia. That is how they save from an early grave scores of young girls whose health and strength depend upon their blood supply. Mrs. Anson Clark, Arden, Ont., says:—"Dr. William's Pink Pills have been a great blessing in my family as two of my daughters have used them with marked success. When my eldest daughter was about seventeen she began to fail in health. Her blood seemed to have turned to water. She was troubled with headaches and dizziness; the least exertion would cause her heart to palpitate violently and she could not walk up stairs without stopping to rest. She doctored for upwards of a year, and the doctor said she did not have as much blood in her body as an ordinarily healthy person would have in one arm. The doctor's treatment did not do her a particle of good. She seemed slowly fading away. Then she became afflicted with salt rheum and her hands were almost raw. About this time a neighbor advised the use of Dr. William's Pink Pills and she began taking them. After using the pills for a few weeks we could see an improvement, her appetite began to improve and a trace of color came to her cheeks. She continued taking the pills until she had used thirteen boxes when she was as well and strong as ever, every trace of both anaemia and salt rheum had disappeared and she has since enjoyed the best of health. Later on my youngest daughter aged fifteen began to lose her health, but thanks to our experience with Dr. William's Pink Pills we knew where to look for a cure and after using four boxes of pills she was all right again. I have also used the pills myself for nervous troubles with complete success.

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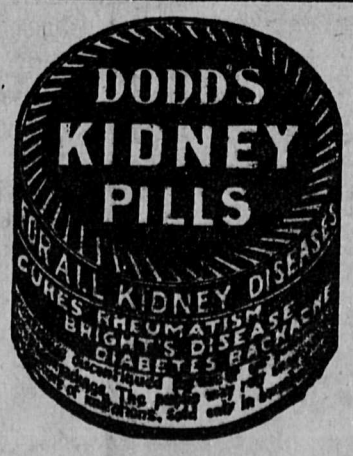

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DR. JOS. AUG. SIROIS.

Rev. Hugh Black.

The Rev. Hugh Black has decided to go to America, and Edinburgh has metaphorically put on mourning, says M. A. P. It is almost as difficult to picture an Edinburgh without Hugh Black as without Arthur's Seat or Scott's Monument, Holyrood or the Castle. And yet he has been in Edinburgh for barely a decade. When I was in the Scottish capital eight or nine years ago (writes a correspondent) it was as much the fashion to go to Free St. George's to hear Hugh Black preach as it is in London to visit the Opera on a Melba night. Everyone went, even an occasional Roman Catholic! Lord Rosebery was among the young preacher's staunchest admirers, and had him at Dalmeny as an honored guest when Royalty sat at the board. No one except a Kubelik or a Paderewski ever aroused more fervent admiration in the hearts of womankind. He was not unlike a musical genius in appearance, pale, slim, and of no great height, with the face of an enthusiast and abundant hair. Like most of the Scots clerics who have achieved fame, Mr. Black sprang from the people, and he has never been ashamed of his humble beginnings in beautiful Rothsay. As in the case of the celebrated Father Burke (who was fond of gaily declaring that he belonged to the "best-bread" Burkes in Galway), Hugh Black's father was a baker. While still at college in Glasgow his reputation as a preacher was made, and there was almost a religious war when Free St. George's tried to woo him from his first congregation in Paisley. He married a Paisley girl, and his Edinburgh congregation came out nobly in the way of furnishing his house for him and presenting a handsome cheque. Some comment was aroused by the fact that in his early days as a benedict, Mr. Black used to announce his wife's "At Home" days from the pulpit, but it was done with the kindliest and best of motives. The gifted pastor writes as well as he speaks, and he is certain to fill with distinction his professional chair in a New York theological seminary.

Mozart's Work.

Mozart lived thirty-seven years. His first mass was composed when he was less than ten years of age, and the enormous quantity of his compositions was the work of the succeeding twenty-seven years. Mozart wrote forty-one symphonies, fifteen masses, over thirty operas and dramatic compositions, forty-one sonatas, together with an immense number of vocal and concerted pieces in almost every line of art.

Alberta's Youngest M. P. P.

Mr. James B. Holden, of Vegreville, who has been elected by acclamation to represent the Vermillion district in the Alberta Legislature, has the distinction of being the youngest member of the Legislature, being only 29 years of age. He was born in Singhampton, Simcoe County, Ont., being educated in the Public Schools of that village. When but a lad he was apprenticed to the milling trade. In 1905 he went West to try his fortune. He worked for a time in the flour mills of the Hon. Thomas Greenway in Crystal City, Man. Later he went to Alberta, and settled in Strathcona, and afterwards removed to Leduc, where he purchased grain. About one year ago he was appointed homestead inspector for the eastern part of the province. He settled on a homestead near Vegreville.

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November the 24th, is the date when the Market By-law will be voted on.

It is now time for the Association of Mt. Pleasant Citizens, formed a few months ago, to get busy.

The site selected on False Creek, southside, is the best location for the entire city, being accessable by boat, railway and tram car, and it will be greatly to Mt. Pleasant's advantage when the Market buildings are completed and the Market established here. Voters do not forget to turn out and enhance the value of your property and advance the interests of the community in which you reside!

Premier McBride was given most enthusiastic receptions at different towns on his way home from Ottawa, where his good work for British Columbia at the Premiers Conference, was effective in the interest of this province. The warm reception he received on arrival home was also a mark of high appreciation of the Premier's service to this great and important province,

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States has recently authorized the use of a Liturgy or form of Prayer containing many of the essential features of our own Book of Common Prayer. One of the unmistakable movements of the age is the gradual harmonizing of the structure and policy of the various Evangelical bodies of the Holy Catholic Church. Long and earnestly has the Church of England prayed for the visible union of the Church of Christ on earth, and when in the fullness of time these prayers are answered, we shall have one more proof of the truth of our Lord's words—"Men ought always to pray and not to faint."

—St. Michael's Parish Magazine.

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ADVENTISTS.

Advent Christian Church (not 7th day Adventists), Seventh avenue, near Westminster avenue. Services 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., Sunday School at 10 a. m. Young peoples' Society of Loyal Workers of Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock. Prayer-meeting Wednesday nights at 8 o'clock.

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SOUTH VANCOUVER.

The Anniversary Entertainment of the Seacome Road Sunday School Hall was well-attended on Tuesday evening. Rev. Dr. Robson, the founder of the Sunday School and religious services in the district, presided and gave one of his inspiring addresses. The Fairview Methodist Choir, under the direction of the Leader, Rev Wm. Hicks, contributed several selections. Recitations were given by Miss Beula Vermillyea, G. H. Grant, Mrs. Plummer, and Miss Briggs. Vocal selections were given by Miss Ella Wheldon, Rev. Wm. Hicks and the Misses Swift. The entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience

A regular meeting will be held in the Agricultural Hall at Central Park on Thursday Nov. 1st, at 7:30 p. m. sharp, to hear addresses from Andrew Elliott of Gault, Ont, on "The Building Up and Care of the Soil," and Miss Laura Rose of the Guelph Agricultural College, on "The Home Dairy."

The General Public are also cordially invited to be present to discuss ways and means for furthering the interests of Central Park as the proposed site for a Provincial University.

It is rumored that Councillors Burguess and Dickinson will be candidates for Reeve at the next Municipal election in South Vancouver. This with Reeve Foreman and ex-Reeve Geo. Rae, who are also spoken of, will give the Electors a wide choice. The cost of the suit again the ex-Reeve which ended in a fizzle will probably be made known—it is rumored that it cost the Municipality about $2.000.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Every time you crowd into the memory what you do not expect it to retain, you weaken its powers, and you lose your authority to command its services.

Let every man be occupied, and occupied in the highest employment of which his nature is capable, and die with the consciousness that he has done his best.—Sydney Smith.

Be inspired with the belief that life is a great and noble calling; not a mean and grovelling thing that we are to shuffle through as we can, but an elevated and lofty destiny.—W. E. Gladstone.

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$550 cash, takes 4-room cottage on Seventeenth avenue, 2 lots, fruit trees, good well; price $1.050.

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3-room Cottage, 3 lots fenced and graded, Sixteenth avenue; price $1.200 terms.

On Sixteenth avenue, ¼-acre, fine view overlooking the city; price $600, half cash. Splendid buy.

6-room House on Westminster avenue, $2.650, $800 cash, balance to arrange

One lot, 25x120, no stumps, on Westminster avenue; price $325, $125 down, balance on easy terms.

House of 5-rooms, Eighth avenue; electric light, bath; lot 33x120. Price .... $2.000.

5 acres at Eburne, black soil, $200.00 per acre; beautiful view. Terms.

3 lots (corner) Columbia street, cleared and graded; $2.300, half cash.

2 Lots, each 33x120, all kinds of fruit, large barn; 6-roomed house; price $2.300; terms

5-room House, rented at $16 per month, south half of lot, in 200a; $1.600, $400 cash, balance to arrange.

3 Lots (corner) Westminster avenue, 80x132; price $3.200, terms.

2-storey Residence on Sixth avenue, large house, beautiful lawn, fruit. Terms. Price ..... $3.750.

Store on 25-ft. lot, on Westminster avenue; building rented; fine location, near Ninth avenue. Price $6.500. Terms.

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Mrs. R. Whitney

2444 Westminster ave.

Local Items.

If you miss THE ADVOCATE you miss the local news.

Miss Smith of Seattle, was a guest of the Misses Bessie and Lottie Murphy this week.

Mr Lavoilette, a new arrival from the East, has taken the position of bookkeeper at King's Market; Miss May Grant, late bookkeeper, leaving to go as saleslady in Ufford's Jewelry Store.

RING UP 914, the Central Wood Yard, for a good load of Cedar Wood, $1.50 a load, or leave orders at 508 Seventh avenue, east; GEO. CROCKER, proprietor.

Mrs. W. A. Wood, 3138 Westminster avenue, will receive on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 31st, and on every fouth Wednesday of the month. Mrs. Munro Wood will also receive with Mrs. W. A. Wood.

The very latest styles in Canadian and American makes and designs in Winter Shoes for Men, Women and Children at R. MILLS, the Shoeman, 119 Hastings streets, west.

The Loyal Workers of the Advent Christian Church will hold their entertainment on Thursday Nov. 1st, which was to have taken place on Oct. 25th. A splendid program is promised for the occasion.

Read Mrs. Merkley's advertisment on 8th page, of special interest to women.

Miss May George of Sixth avenue, east, sang "O Divine Redeemer," (Gounod), at First Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening last. Miss George possesses a most beautiful voice and is sure to become a popular vocalist in the city.

Mrs. O'Dell, 175 Ninth avenue, west, teacher of piano and organ having had several years experience in teaching, a thorough musical education is assured her pupils

I. O. F.

Court Vancouver, Independent Order of Foresters, met on Monday evening in Oddfellows' Hall, Chief Ranger A. Pengelly presiding and a large attendance of members being present. There were a number of Companion Foresters present and several of the ladies made short addresses. Among the prominent visitors was Brother David Grant, Chief Ranger of Court Burrard, who gave a fine speech on the recent Insurance Investigation in which he clearly showed that the Order had been proven to be a sound and safe institution financially and economically conducted. Brother Lang of Burrard gave an interesting address on Forestry. Brother W. R. Owen reported the entertainment committee ise arranging to provide some form of entertainment for every meeting. The attendance of members is growing steadily.

Within the next week the Supreme Councillor Bro. Stevenson will give an address in this city to Members Only of the Independent Order of Foresters.

Foresters will not soon forget the hostility exhibited by the Laurier Government to their Order, says the "Mail and Empire." The attempt to cast aspersions upon the Foresters through the press by the Grit Ministers is very marked, and is apparently the result of instructions from Ottawa. The Order is in excellent shape, and the pretence that it has suffered is a scheme of the Ministers to hit at their opponents through the Foresters.
cians would rob the widow and orphan to save themselves.

Kamloops Standard:

British Columbia has paid into the Federal Treasury $24.000.000 more than we have received from it since confederation Each year we pay in three times as much as we receive, and still the Liberal papers blame Premier McBride for refusing to accept a paltry million paid in installments in settlement of all demands, past, present and future.

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SOUTH VANCOUVER.

The regular meeting of the Municipal Council was held on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 20th, the Reeve C. F. Foreman, Councillors Almas, Burgess, Middler and Townsend were present, and Councillor Dickinson being unavoidably absent.

A letter was received from Kamloops, requesting the Council to send a representative to the convention of the Union of B. C. Municipalities, to be held on the 24th. After considerable discussion no action was taken, owing to the expense of sending a representative.

The Chairman of the School Board addressed the Council regarding the importance and necessity of establishing the schools in the district on a better basis. He suggested the building of schools throughout the district at distances of three miles apart, each building to have four rooms and be equipped with modern conveniences for scholars and teachers; also that there be a graded system on a par with the city schools. To do this a fund of money was required, and the Council was invited to ask the Provincial Government for a loan of $25.000. Both Collingwood and Eburne need new schools, and the playground of South Vancouver school should be improved and enlarged. The Chairman was asked to make out a full list of requirements and present it at the Council's next meeting.

Mr. Cook asked that something be done to relieve him from the overflow of water from the slough and ditches on Westminster road, due to the tramway roadbed not being equipped with culverts to let the water pass off. The B. C. Electric will be requested to send one of their engineer's out to look the situation over in conjunction with one representing the Municipality.

A by-law wass passed to enable all assessed voters, otherwise qualified, to vote.

The bills for clearing and improving of roads, to date, amounted to $604.98, and they were ordered paid.

The new abattoir which the B. C. Cattle Market is erecting at Eburne, was inspected by Councillor Burgess and found to be modern and thoroughly up-to-date so far as the arrangements for healthy, sanitary conditions are concerned.

The Board of Works met on Thursday the 18th, Reeve Foreman and Councillors Townsend, Middler, and Burgess being present.

The contract of J Richards for work on the Goodmurphy road was passed. The Reeve and Clerk were authorized to issue a lease to R. L. Walker for lot 17, of the south half of block L, district lot 30, purchased in the district sale of 1901. C. Middler was authorized to have 1½ chains of puncheon put down on Twenty-second avenue, and also to improve Ontario street, providing the cost does not exceed the appropriation. Mrs. Dixon was granted permission to have small skids put on the Dixon road.

It was moved by Councillors Almas and Burgess, that Mrs. Anderson be granted the sum of $52 on her late husband's contract for work done on the Doman road, the sum to include all claims against the Council; carried.

Councillor Almas was given permission to have a culvert put on James avenue and one on the Earl road. J. McDonald was given the contract of clearing and grading the balance of the Godfrey road to the Boundary, for the sum of $20 per chain.

Woman's Realm.

Slowly the silk waist has crept back into favor. Persian silks give promise of being the greatest in favor, and these follow the lines of a lingerie waist, almost invariably being built around a little lace yoke and fastened in the back. Where the small lace yoke is in evidence the cuff of lace usually goes with it.

Another one of the best models is cut in the surplice fashion back and front, with deep V shaped lingerie chemisette set in. The finest side plaiting of the material is used to finish either both or one edge of the surplice and the sleeve either is drawn in at the elbow with the plaiting or is allowed to hang out in a short flowing sleeve when the lingerie under-sleeve will run clear up.

The well-dressed woman this winter will have plenty of chemisettes and cuffs. Band cuffs, two or three inches wide, made of insertion and edged with little lace frills are also made to set in the outside of the silk cuff.

Plaid silk is popular and is often used with large button of contrasting silk or of the same set on with small narrow braid imitations of button holes. Broad braids both in silk and mohair are set also in straight or scroll patterns around the yokes and down the front of silk waists, especially of plaids.

Black and white checks and plaids of all degrees of heaviness and lightness and lightness are used with white lace collars, V's and strips of lace set either inside or outside the short bishop sleeves Black pipings and small black silk buttons are the finish chosen on these.

Sleeves are shirred also up the inside seam, and these are often shirred to a band of the trimming running down again on the waist in the form of a yoke

Chiffon waists are popular and are comqined with lace.

This year we see hand embroideries of the kind which have been done on linens transferred to silks, mousseline de soies, silk linens and even chiffons. White embroidered crepe de chine, done in Canton crepe, shawl fashion, will be another mode for white waists.

Morning Prayer.

Now I get me up to work,
I pray the Lord I may not shirk;
If I should die before the night,
I pray the Lord my work's all right.

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ABLE STATE DOCUMENT

REPORT OF ROYAL COMMISSION CONDEMNS RITUALISM.

Members Represented Every Shade of Church Opinion, But Every One of Them Concurred In the Report — A Most Unusual Thing In Church Concessions—Large Spirit Runs Through Its Every Tissue.

Upwards of two years ago the Balfour Government, taking cognizance of the outcry against ritualism, appointed the Royal Commission on Ecclesiastical Discipline, "to enquire into the alleged prevalence of breaches or neglect of the law relating to the conduct of Divine service in the Church of England, and to consider the existing powers and procedure applicable to such irregularities, and to make such recommendations as may be deemed requisite for dealing with the aforesaid matters." Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, now Viscount St. Aldwyn, was chairman. The other members were the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Marquis of Northampton, the Bishop of Oxford, Sir Francis Jeune, Sir John Kennaway, Right Hon. John G. Talbot, M. P., Sir Samuel Hoare, M. P., Sir Edward Clarke, Sir L. T. Dibdin, judge of the Provincial Court of Canterbury and York; the present Bishop of Gloucester; Rev. T. W. Drury, principal of Ridley Hall, Cambridge; G. W. Prothero, editor of the Quarterly Review, and George Harwood. The death of Sir Francis Jeune (Lord St. Helier) was followed by the appointment of Lord Alverstone. The report of the commission, after being awaited with much impatience, has at last been issued, and a most able state document it is. Those to whom its conclusions are least acceptable must be won by its large spirit, exhaustive research, historical perspective, clear reasoning, and literary form. It is the work of great churchmen, statesmen, jurists and historians. Though every shade of Church opinion was represented on the commission, all its members concurred in the report, a thing unusual in Church commissions.

Against Ritualism.

For most of the practices usually described as ritualistic the report shows that there is no authority. Such of the unwarranted practices as are of no doctrinal significance or symbolize teaching legally declared not to be repugnant to the Articles or formularies of the Church of England, the commission would tolerate, though only under conditions of efficient regulation and with careful regard for the opinions and feelings of congregations. The report—apart from the evidence and appendices, which have yet to be published — is a very large one, a close digest of it covering a page and a half of The London Times. The recommendations would take up more than a solid column of this paper.

Illegal Practices.

It is advised that 34 practices which the commission find to be illegal be prohibited by authority. These are: In the matter of vestments, Confiteor and last Gospel, ceremonial mixing of the chalice, use of wafers, Lavabo, hiding of the manual acts, sign of the cross, Sanctus bell, incense, portable lights, altar lights, holy water, blessing of palms, Tenebrae, washing of altars, Paschal candle, stations of the cross, observance of days not appointed by the Prayer Book to be observed, celebrations without communicants, children's eucharists, use of the canon of the mass, altar cards, omission of the Invitation, omission of the Creed and Gloria in Excelsis, elevation, genuflexion, "Ecce Agnus Dei," reservation, mass of the prae-sanctified, benediction, with and without sacrament, the observance of days either excluded from the calendar in the Prayer Book or introduced since the Reformation into the calendar of the Roman Church, hymns to the Blessed Virgin, intercession of saints, veneration of images, veneration of roods.

Stoles, Confessions, Etc.

The most common deviations from the standard (the Advertisements of 1566) in the matter of vestments are the following: The use of the stole, which is nowhere sanctioned by the Ornaments Rubric; the disregard of the direction for the regular use of the cope in cathedrals; the use of eucharistic vestments or the alb, amice, chasuble, girdle, maniple and stole. The commissioners find that neither confession nor prayers for the dead are illegal, but they uphold the declaration in the encyclical letter issued by the Lambeth Conference of 1878 that "No minister of the Church is authorized to require private confession from those who may resort to him," and they point out that, while "prayers for the rest and refreshment of the souls of the departed are older than the most ancient liturgies," the strictly Roman doctrine of a material purgatory and of the efficacy of masses has altered the character of these prayers, and that, as used in public worship, they are contrary to the Book of Common Prayer.

A New Ornaments Rubric.

It is recommended that letters of business be issued to the Convocations to prepare a new rubric regulating the ornaments, and to frame amendments to make more elastic the law relating to Divine service. An amendment is advised for the giving of wider scope for the exercise of regulative authority in the matter of additional and special services, collects and hymns. The commissioners would have bishops invested with power to refuse presentees whose willingness to obey the law is a matter of doubt. The recommendation of the Ecclesiastical Courts Commission of 1883 as to a final court is adopted. If this were acted on, the highest tribunal for the trying of charges of heresy, of breaches of ritual, etc., would be, not, as now, the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, but a permanent body of lay judges, to whom final appeals shall be referable. These members of the Crown Court of Final Appeal should all be members of the Church of England. The court would decide, ultimately, all questions of fact, but, to decide whether the facts ascertained establish an offence against the doctrine or discipline of the Church, the court should act on the advice of the bishops, unless there is clear Parliamentary authority for acting without such advice. It is further recommended that an ecclesiastical court be empowered to punish disobedience of its orders on the part of an incumbent by vacating his benefice, and rendering him ineligible for further ecclesiastical service until he has satisfied the archbishop of the province that he will afterwards abide by the law.

More Bishops.

The commissioners consider that one cause for the general laxity in the observance of the law is the inadequacy of the present supervision. They find that there is great room for improvement in the matter of visitations by bishops and archdeacons, and of inspections by rural deans. These visits are the regular and official means for keeping the bishops informed as to the conduct of Divine service, and as to the ornaments, objects of decoration, and fittings of the churches. Episcopal directions, in accordance with law, should be made enforceable against incumbents and churchwardens by means of summary application to the consistory court of the diocese. Any order thus made should be subject to appeal to the provincial court. But visitation cannot be sufficiently effective in many of the present dioceses because of their great extent. Hence, the commissioners advise the sub-division of many dioceses and the passing of a general act providing for the creation of new dioceses by order-in-Council.

COOLING MILK.

To Keep It Sweet From Saturday Night to Monday Morning.

Where milk is not taken to the creamery or cheese factory on Sunday to keep it on the farm from Saturday night to Monday morning in warm weather so as to have it sweet when it finally reaches the factory is a difficult problem, but an important one, especially if the milk is intended for cheesemaking. Apropos of this difficulty the following instructions of a Canadian diary expert are reproduced from the Ottawa Journal:

The only cooling agents to be had by the farmer are ice and cold water, and every intelligent dairy farmer who wants to send sweet milk on Monday morning should have a supply of ice and know how to use it. The quickest way to cool milk is to have it flow in thin layers over a cold surface, but this is generally not practical to a farmer.

Practical Method.

The method I advise to patrons in my district is as follows: A tank or trough of some kind is required to hold cold water, and in this water the cans containing the milk are placed. Each pailful as it is drawn from the cow is strained into these cans, which should not be too large. By the time all the milking is done the milk will be fairly cool, but the water will have become warmed and will have to be run off and more cold water put on in its place. This should put the temperature down to 55 degrees, but renew the water as often as necessary. All the work then required is to stir the milk occasionally in order to insure a uniform temperature throughout. If you have ice to put in the water you can see how much better it will be and how much labor it will save you.

After Cooling.

When the milk is cooled cover the cans with a clean, wet blanket, one end of which is left in the water and, acting as a wick, aids in maintaining the cool temperature and also prevents the cream from drying. If you have a well or a spring to set the cans in they will answer the purpose well, but be sure to stir the milk at intervals while it is cooling, so that the center will not remain warm and the outer parts only be cooled.

Again, let me say cool the milk just as soon as possible after drawing it from the cow to below 55 degrees, and keep it there until it is time to send it to the factory on Monday morning. Do not add Sunday morning's milk to that of Saturday night unless it has been first cooled to as cold a temperature as that of the night's milk.

Fly Spray.

The Kansas station recommends the following spray for flies on cows: Dissolve two cakes of laundry soap in water and mix with the solution one and one-half pounds of resin, one-half pint of fish oil and enough water to make three gallons. Use about one-half pint on each cow two or three times a week until the hair becomes coated with resin. This may be applied with a brush or also as a spray.

1,300 Applicants For One Post.

For the post of assistant secretary to the Woolwich Equitable Building Society, which has just been filled by the appointment of Mr. T. R. Chandler, F. I. A., there were 1,300 applications

BOY ROVER'S FUTURE.

Lad Who Went Through Canada on 10,000 Mile Trip to Be a Sailor.

Young Stanley Condor, the adventurous boy traveler, whose latest exploit was a stowaway voyage from New York to Liverpool, had his future decided for him by the deputy-stipendiary of Liverpool.

Recently Stanley was remanded to the workhouse, the suggestion being that he should be placed in a reformatory. Mr. Kinghorn, however, has fallen in with the view expressed by The Weekly Dispatch that a lad of such qualities as Condor should not be placed in the restrictive confines of a reformatory. The other day the deputy-stipendiary said that he was reluctant to send the boy to such an institution. There was nothing criminal in his roving propensities and he had the making of a good man in him. He had, therefore, decided to send him to the training ship Clio, stationed at Bangor, until he was sixteen years of age.

The Clio is a vessel on which only unconvicted boys can be received. Young Stanley Condor will there be trained for the merchant service.

Stanley Condor was taken to Winnipey by his father early this year, and was twice detected by the railway authorities concealed on trains for Montreal. His third attempt succeeded and from Montreal he traveled in the same way free to New York where he stayed three days, doing odd jobs. Tired of American life, he secreted himself on the liner Victorian for Liverpool.

There was a pleased expression on his face when he knew he was to be sent to the Clio. It was somewhat amusing to notice how closely he was watched by the police officials in court. He has a reputation for slipperiness, and those who had charge of him seemed possessed with a haunting fear that he might vanish before their eyes.

The Kangaroo at Bay.

When pursued the kangaroo, if possible, directs his flight toward the river. If he reaches it, he enters and, thanks to his great height, is able to go on foot to a depth where the dogs are obliged to swim. There he plants himself on his two hind legs and his tail, and, up to his shoulders in the water, he waits the attack of the dogs. With his fore paws he seizes by the head the first dog that approaches him, and, as he is more solidly balanced than his assailant, he holds the dog's nose under water as long as he can. Unless a second dog speedily comes to the rescue the first one is sure to be drowned. If a companion arrives and by his attacks on the kangaroo manages to set the captive free the half drowned brute is glad to regain the shore as quickly as possible. In this way a strong and courageous male kangaroo will hold his own against twenty or thirty dogs, drowning some and frightening others, and the hunter is obliged to intervene with a bullet.

The Scorpion of Ceylon.

A more disagreeable object than a scorpion of Ceylon it would be difficult to imagine. Although, as a rule, it does not measure more than seven inches in length, there is a species found in the woods that are longer than a foot. They crawl out of some dried wood, and, taking up their position on a convenient rock or stone, look, as they hold their great jointed sting curved over their backs and their claws held aloft, the very picture of aggressive warfare. Here they stretch themselves in the broiling sun and await their prey. These are the small, beautiful honeybirds that dart from flower to flower and take the place of the humming birds of the east. As one approaches the scorpion seems to shrink into the stone until it becomes almost imperceptible. Suddenly the great insect will raise its claws and dart at its beautiful victim, which in a moment is destroyed.

A Colored View.

"Mammy," said Pickaninny Jim as he watched the meteors falling, "does you see all dat brightness comin' down?"

"Yaas, indeed."

"I know what makes it. De cullud angels has been put to work sweepin' up de golden city."

Tobacco In America.

Caricaturists in depicting a German are in the habit of putting a big pipe in his mouth. The pipe is national indeed, but the Germans as a nation are far from being the greatest smokers. They do not smoke more than Frenchmen, Russians, Swedes or Hungarians. The men of the United States and the men of Switzerland are the most inveterate smokers in the world. In these two countries the consumption of tobacco per head is three times greater than in Germany.

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Mrs. Joseph Brickman, Gilbert Plains, Man., writes:—"I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment with good success. For fifteen years I was troubled with itching burning skin disease and tried many remedies all to no avail, until I used Dr. Chase's Ointment. This preparation gave immediate and lasting relief and I would not be without it for anything as it is worth its weight in gold."

Mr. John Cumming, Coalfields, Sask., writes:—"I was troubled for some time with disfiguring blotches on the face and though I tried many remedies both internally and externally could not get rid of them. A friend of mine recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment and this preparation acted almost like magic in my case. After using it for some time the blotches entirely disappeared and my skin was left soft and smooth."

Mothers use Dr. Chase's Ointment for the chafing and skin troubles of their babies in preference to unsanitary pore-clogging powders; 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Company, Toronto.

CURTAINS AND WALL PAPER.

To Produce Good Effects They Should Harmonize In Color Tones.

It is the easiest thing in the world to get the wrong tint in one's curtains, and sometimes it is the hardest thing in the world to get just the right one. Before buying curtains the wall paper should be carefully studied. With paper that has a white background it is always safe to use white curtains, but if the background is in colored tones the greatest care should be used in selecting material of a color that will harmonize, and in buying curtains for a room that is already papered a sample of the paper should be taken along to avoid making a serious mistake. Of course, if paper and curtains are bought at the same time it is a comparatively easy matter to have a satisfactory combination of color.

Sometimes, no matter how much care may have been taken, the result will be startlingly wrong. In this case much may be done with overhangings, not of heavy stuff, of light texture and of a color that will tone in well with both of the conflicting shades, and that will do much toward harmonizing the whole appearance of the room. If the windows have inside shutters they, too, must be considered in the color scheme. If the shutters are of natural wood the material of the curtains should be less transparent than if used with white shutters. It is quite as important that the shutters and the curtains blend as it is for the wall paper and the curtains to look well together.—Boston Traveler.

Black Snakes.

I have never seen black snakes over seven feet long and much doubt if they grow to a greater length. They are not hard to catch, though in an open field they can run about as fast as a man can. When caught, they struggle desperately until they find there is no opportunity to escape, when they will give up fighting and may be handled with impunity. I have never found these snakes to be vicious. They can be handled easily, and their bite is harmless. They can squeeze pretty hard if they get a turn around your waist, but not hard enough to break a bone.—Forest and Stream.

Want to Tax Churches.

Exeter has more churches to the population than any place in England, and is often called the "City of Churches." The local authorities have been considering the desirability of assessing these numerous buildings, and so adding enormously to the rateable value of the city. They attempted to rate a church used by the Spiritualists, but a protest was lodged against it by the stewards, who contend that if one sect is rated, all must be rated, including the cathedral. The matter stands adjourned to ascertain the practice in other parts of the country.

Pluto's Safety Valve.

A round, smooth hole in the side of a granite monument about nine miles out from the City of Mexico is locally known by a term which signifies "Pluto's safety valve." The hole is about nine inches in diameter at the opening, which is polished in a manner which suggests human workmanship. That man had nothing to do with drilling or polishing this hole will be readily surmised when it is known that it has occasionally emitted hot air and smoke during a period extending over 300 years.

The Man of Force.

There is always room for a man of force, and he makes room for many. Society is a troop of thinkers, and the best heads among them take the best places. A feeble man can see the farms that are fenced and tilled, the houses that are built. The strong man sees the possible houses and farms. His eye makes estates as fast as the sun breeds clouds.—Emerson.

Country Life In Long Island.

"So you have learned a great deal by living in the country?"

"I should say I had. I've found the finest bed of mint you ever saw. Come down and see me."—Brooklyn Life.

Delicately Insinuated.

"Is it hot enough for you?"

"Yes, but there's only one place hot enough for the man that asks that fool question."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Baby Camels as Pets.

Baby camels are great pets in South Africa, and are nursed and tended and even carried about by their attendants. During the first few months they weigh no more than an ordinary dog.

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Some persons have periodical attacks of Canadian cholera, dysentery or diarrhoea, and have to use great precautions to avoid the disease. Change of water, cooking, and green fruit is sure to bring on the attacks. To such persons we would recommend Dr J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial as being the best medicine in the market for all summer complaints. If a few drops are taken in water when the symptoms are noticed no further trouble will be experienced.

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Thrust Upon Him

By OTHO B. SENGA

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Squire Hart looked the young fellow over keenly.

"M—m!" giving his pudgy hand to the clasp of the long, thin one extended in greeting, "Ralph Reed, eh? And what do you do? Football, I suppose, like the rest of these donkeys!"

Reed laughed good humoredly.

"No, Mr. Hart, I wouldn't stand the ghost of a chance in a rush. I'm on the track team."

"He's the champion sprinter, papa," interposed Elsie eagerly. "He won five points for the blue in the intercollegiate contest!"

Her father frowned at her enthusiasm, and Reed's thin, brown face colored.

"You ought to run," grumbled the squire, continuing his examination of the young fellow; "you're built like a greyhound or a grasshopper!"

Reed, outwardly at ease, flinched inwardly under the squire's keen scrutiny. His compact with the pretty Elsie would be null and void without her father's consent, and he felt that his athletic career was a detriment in the eyes of the older man. He was not at all encouraged by the remarks that followed.

"I don't believe in it," irascibly. "Boys go to college to study, or ought to, and they make a business of some kind of foolish play. If those football fellows," pointing to the three other young men who were his daughter's guests for the spring vacation, "had to work one-half as hard sawing wood or plowing, they'd think they were terribly abused."

Some one called Elsie, and she hurried away, giving a pleading glance at her lover which he interpreted as counseling him to patience.

"And as for running," continued the squire, with increasing choler, for he, too, had seen the pleading glance, "as for running, why should a man of ordi-

THEN A STREAK OF BLUE DASHED BY HIM.

nary courage care to excel as a runner? Running is an accomplishment for cowards!"

The blood rushed to the dark face, but Reed spoke quietly and courteously.

"There are things to run for as well as things to run from, Mr. Hart, and I hope I'd not be lacking if a test of courage came to me."

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It was a merry party that roamed over the fields and through the woods searching for the earliest spring flowers; that rode and drove and sang and danced.

Young Reed and his fair hostess carried heavy hearts that made gayety an effort and laughter a mockery. The squire had refused to sanction their engagement, to listen to any suggestion or to make any promises for the future.

"I'll wait," he said grimly, "until you have shown that you can do something besides run!"

Apparently oblivious to the sports of the guests at Hart's Holm, the squire had kept a keen eye on them all. He rather admired the dogged pertinacity with which Reed took his daily run of three or four miles over the country roads. He smiled grimly when he saw the young fellow start out as if for a walk wearing a long raincoat over his running togs.

"Doesn't mean to give any unnecessary offense to the 'crewel parient,'" chuckled the squire appreciatively, "but intends to have his own way just the same.

"It'll be rather quiet and lonely at the house tomorrow," soliloquized the squire as he drove along, sniffing the fresh, clear air of the bright spring morning. "The lads and lassies all go today. I wish I hadn't been quite so sharp with Elsie and that young fellow. He seems a fine, manly chap. But what on earth does he want to run for?" ending irritably. "Hello, Bartlett, what's the matter with your horse?"

He had reached the top of a long, steep hill, and overtaken a neighbor with a heavy load of rock.

"Stepped on a stone that rolled, and gone as lame as a lazy man's excuses," Bartlett answered characteristically.

"Suppose I hitch in my team and take the load down for you," suggested the squire, "it's all level after we pass my house. You can lead yours down on suit, Betty Bartlett, and hold on tight," playfully addressing the little girl perched on the seat. "My horses are frisky, you know."

Bartlett had locked the wagon wheels preparatory to making the descent, but as the squire lifted the tongue for the other horses to be hitched in the lock chain snapped and broke and the heavily loaded wagon started down the hill.

He shouted to Bartlett, who, hampered by the four horses, lost his head and only bawled, "Whoa, Hart, whoa!"

Hart held on to the tongue and braced back with all his strength, but despite his efforts the wagon went flying down the hill like an engine on down grade.

"Hold on tight, Betty," the squire managed to scream.

He knew that if he dropped the tongue the wagon would be tipped over instantly and that there would be small chance indeed for the life of the child; so he too "held on tight" and ran as if fleeing from death.

"Go on, horsy," cried Betty, in great glee; "go faster!"

The squire couldn't spare breath now even to groan. The heavy wagon, with a ton of rock behind him, crashed and roared, bounced over the rough places in the road, struck fire from cut stones, and the man ran till his legs seemed merely rags fluttering in a fierce wind.

Almost at the foot! If only he could hold out a few seconds more! And then he tried to close his eyes—for there, crossing the road, directly in the path from which he dared not diverge, was a little scarlet clad figure drawing a child's cart!

Bobby—his own little Bobby!

He tried to pray, he tried again to close his eyes, and then a streak of blue dashed by him, the scarlet spot was caught up and rushed to safety!

He jumped instinctively when he reached the little cart, and it was crushed to pieces under the thundering wheels.

He had reached the level. He could feel the slackening of the terrific speed, but he still ran on, miles it seemed to him now, before he could stop the demon that was forcing him onward.

"Go on, horsy! Gidd up!" cried the insatiate Betty as the squire dropped limp to the ground. "You can be my horsy now," she remarked complacently to the first of the young men who reached the side of the exhausted squire.

They quickly improvised a stretcher from the blankets and carried the unconscious man to the house.

He opened his eyes after awhile and looked anxiously about him.

"Bobby's all right," said some one quickly, "and the little girl—and—and, I guess, everybody."

"Ralph!" gasped the squire.

"Here I am, Mr. Hart," bending over him.

"I am glad you can run," faintly.

"So am I, Mr. Hart," feelingly. "I feared you were going to run over me, though."

"We'll have to concede you to be the champion sprinter!" cried one of the other men. "That was a pretty long dash, sure enough!"

"Ralph must yield the palm to you, squire," added another jovially.

The squire shook his head feebly.

"He—he 'achieved' it," he whispered, his eyes on Ralph's fine face, "but it—it was"— He sighed wearily.

"It was 'thrust upon you,' you mean, squire," understandingly.

The squire smiled grimly in acquiescence.

Sorry He Spoke.

He—I'd like to know what enjoyment you can find in going from store to store looking at things you haven't the least idea of buying. She—I know I can't buy them, but there is a sort of melancholy pleasure in thinking that I could have bought them if I had married George Scads when I had the chance, instead of taking you.

Coldly Described.

"So you don't envy any of the world's men of genius?"

"No," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I admire them, but I don't envy 'em. A genius is a man who gets a monument after he's dead instead of three square meals a day while he's living."

Stone Blotters.

Austrians use a stone blotting pad that practically never wears out. A little scraping with a knife cleans it effectually.

Fish Candles.

In Alaska is found a kind of fish that makes a capital candle when it is dried. The tail of the fish is stuck into a crack of a wooden table to hold it upright and its nose is lighted. It gives a good, steady light of three candlepower and considerable heat and will burn for about three hours.

ONTARIO'S INSANE.

Duty of the Provnce Toward These Unfortunates—Hon. J. W. Hanna Addresses the Canadian Club.

The speaker at the Canadian Club of Toronto on a recent afternoon was Hon. W. J. Hanna, the Provincial Secretary, who talked entertainingly and instructively upon the question of the care of our mentally afflicted, and the devising of a system which, while continuing the efficiency of the present method towards the afflicted themselves, will not be a direct incentive to the shirking of obvious duties on the part of the individual and the local community. His utterances were listened to with deep interest, the impression prevailing that they were in a sense semi-official.

There are, he said, in the institutions for the insane in Ontario, 6,000 people, who are maintained at an annual cost of quite $1,000,000 if anything at all is allowed for capital account, etc. For the maintenance of but 1,200 of these or about 20 per cent, is anything contributed by patients themselves, or by those morally or legally responsible for their care and comfort, and for the year ending 30th September last the amount so contributed was less than $115,000, the highest point yet reached. Much of this was contributed by the working class, who are as a class the least disposed to avoid payment. This means that 88 per cent. of the cost of maintenance is defrayed by the province. He acknowledged the duty of the Government to take care of this class of citizens, but on far higher grounds of a measure of humanity and practical Christianity he unhesitatingly advocated the most efficient system, regardless of expense. The central plan of caring for the insane adopted by the Government is superior to the localized one at many points, but it destroyed the careful oversight of each individual case which is the distinctive feature of local interest and control. The superiority of the localized system consists in the fact that the municipal officers have personal knowledge of every case and of the ability of the relatives to pay and whether they should be made to pay. In this respect the Ontario system is deplorably defective. Mr. Hanna drew attention to the increase in the number of insane from one in each 1,168 of population in 1871 to one in each 340 in 1905, while in Quebec there is only one in each 450, in New Brunswick one in 460, and in Nova Scotia one in 850. The question was, "Is Government aid to-day given in such a way as to kill individual effort, and can it be given in such a way as to stimulate it?" Had the plan originally adopted and since pursued in some way retained the assistance of the municipalities in determining who are properly admissible and who should pay and to what extent it would have enlisted the help of thousands of prisoners having intimate knowledge of the cases, who would have all been interested in some degree in seeing that the system was not abused. One of the most conspicuous consequences of the plan adopted is that it has developed a system which, however humane and efficient it may be, has a pauperizing effect. No such complaint exists in the cases of houses of refuge and of non-paying hospital patients. Does the local knowledge and interest in these cases furnish the explanation? He asked the Canadian Club to solve the problem, imposing but one condition—that the solution shall not result in increased burdens on the municipalities.

REGULAR LIVING.

What Nature Demands In Return For Good Health.

First of all, one thing that nature won't stand is irregularity. We cannot safely bottle up sleep tonight for tomorrow night's use, nor force our stomachs one meal because we expect to eat sparingly the next, nor become exhausted in working night and day, expecting to make it up later.

Nature does nothing before her appointed time, and any attempt to hurry her invariably means ultimate disaster. She takes note of all our transactions, physical, mental and moral, and places every item to our credit.

There is no such thing as cheating nature. She may not present her bill on the day we violate her law, but if we overdraw our account at her bank and give her a mortgage on our minds and bodies she will surely foreclose. She may lend us all we want today, but tomorrow, like Shylock, she will demand the last ounce of flesh. Nature does not excuse man for weakness, incompetence or ignorance. She demands that he be at the top of his condition.

Nature's machinery, as it exists in the human body, is most complicated and delicately adjusted. No machinery constructed by man can compare with it in the perfection and proportion of all its working parts. Every machinist knows that his wheels and cams and gearing must run absolutely true and with uniformity or they will soon break down. It is the same with the machine that keeps the human body going.

Not His.

"Tommy," said the teacher reproachfully, "why didn't you take your hat off to me when you passed me yesterday?"

"I didn't have me hat on, ma'am," replied the boy.

"Don't tell me that. I saw you."

"I know you seen me, but you didn't see me hat. Dat wuz me brudder's hat I had on."—Catholic Standard and Times.

THE USEFUL SCREEN.

A Comfort For the Business Woman Who Lives and Sleeps In One Room.

So strongly is modern apartment life forcing the necessity for economizing space upon the up to date housekeeper that she is obliged to use every method to obtain it. Many business women who live and sleep in the same room and perhaps do a little cooking there, too, will find in the screen their greatest ally. It may protect the couch—their bed by night—from too close in-

SCREEN OF BLUE DENIM WITH SCROLL DESIGN IN WHITE ROPE LINEN.

spection. The tiny gas stove and the little dining table may be concealed behind its folds, and it may hide the washstand and towels. If the home is more ambitious and there are several rooms, the screen has still its part to play.

It is so simple to make and the results obtained are so satisfactory that it may be well to give a few suggestions as a guide to any who wish to attempt the task.

First determine upon the size of the screen, the height of the panels, their width and whether two, three or four shall be used. A screen of good proportion is one formed of three panels, five and a half feet high by two feet in width. Have a frame made by the carpenter, or, better still, make it yourself if you are clever at such work. It is a simple matter to form the skeleton of strips of light pine from an inch to an inch and a half in thickness. Only the outside pieces and two crosspieces are required to brace the frame and make it taut and firm. Once the frame is completed the rest is easy.

Now stretch over the frame some figured burlanp that can be secured for 12½ cents a yard. Choose this for the face of the screen. Place the frame upon the floor. Tack the edge of the burlap to the top piece of the frame and stretch tightly and tack to the lower piece and sides. In doing this the edge of the burlap should be drawn over the corner of the wood, so that when the back is covered in the same way all the surface is smooth except the rim of the screen. This rim is then treated by a covering of gimp or braid or a narrow piece of burlap hemmed and bound. Fasten it on with brass headed tacks, and the panel is completed. Light brass hinges join the panels, and the screen is ready for use.

Many other cheap fabrics may be used to cover these screens. Figured burlaps, blue denim, creton or inexpensive tapestries all make admirable coverings.

A Literary "At Home."

Another form of entertainment which causes a great deal of interest is to have a literary "at home," when each guest is expected to represent a well known book.

On arrival each guest must hand the hostess his or her card, on which is written the book that they represent, and she in turn hands them a card on which are written the names of the guests, with a space left by the side of each. The object is to guess as many of the books represented as possible, and the one who fills up most of the spaces receives the prize.

No elaborate fancy costumes are necessary, but all that is required perhaps will be the addition of a faded rose to represent "The Rose of Yesterday," a girl in a white frock for "The Woman In White" or a scarlet frock for "The Woman In Scarlet." "Nicholas Nickleby" is cleverly represented by the letters S and B, made of nickel (nickel S, nickel B), and "Oliver Twist" by a piece of twisted wire (all of a twist), "We Two" by a tiny figure 2. In many ways little devices like these can be contrived which will cause a great deal of guessing and fun.

The "Fugio" coins were struck in New York and were so called from the device employed on the reverse of the coin, this among the other things being a dial with the word "Fugio" and inscription "Mind Your Business."

England and Wales.

Of the 58,324 square miles of England and Wales 26,482 are under 250 feet in elevation above the sea, 16,365 are between 250 and 300 feet, 10,476 are between 500 and 1,000 feet, 4,698 are between 1,000 and 2,000, 300 are between 2,000 and 3,000 feet and 4 are more than 3,000 feet.

POPULAR GARDENING

Medium early and late varieties of tomatoes follow nicely after early radishes, spinach and crops of that sort. Good strong plants set in place early in June, when danger of frost is past, usually give a very satisfactory crop. A light sandy loam high and well drained is perhaps ideal for tomatoes, provided it is well prepared and enriched with a quick acting fertilizer concentrated within reach of the roots. Fertility in too great amount or too widely distributed tends to growth of vine greater and more rapid than is desirable.

One must put up a good fight against weeds at this season, and the ground should be kept well stirred.

To hurry up the fruiting of the tomato apply a little nitrate of soda around the plant. Owing to the small bulk of the nitrate it is well to mix it with dry soil to insure even distribution, and care should be taken to prevent its immediate contact with the roots of the plant.

Iceberg is a very satisfactory lettuce, because practically every plant makes a good, solid head. Improved Hanson, next to Iceberg, is one of the best of the curly leaved types of heading lettuce. New York Cabbage and Market Gardeners' Private Stock are two of the best of the plain leaf lettuce.

It seems pretty certain that bordeaux mixture applied thoroughly and in season will greatly check the early blight of potatoes, and its use by those who are growing fine potatoes in the home garden looks advisable. Why not try it this season if early blight is troublesome?

Stop cutting asparagus about June 21, but keep the bed free from weeds the rest of the season.

Eggplant will succeed best where summers are hot and dry. The plants should not be set till the ground is well warmed up, which in many sections is not before the 10th of June.

Not Enough Bait.

A Washington official tells a story of the last fight the late Senator Quay of Pennsylvania made in the senate. Quay was working hard on the statehood bill, obstructing legislation, when a scheme was fixed up to get him away from the senate for a time.

Quay was very fond of tarpon fishing and had a winter place in Florida. One afternoon he received this telegram from a friend who thought the senator might be in better business than pottering about new states:

"Fishing never so good. Tarpon biting everywhere. Sport magnificent. Come."

Quay read the telegram and smiled a tiny little smile. Then he answered it thus:

"Tarpon may be biting, but I am not. M. S. Quay."—Saturday Evening Post.

A Strong Point.

Senior Partner—There's one thing to be said in favor of classical music. Junior Partner—What is that? Senior Partner—The office boy can't whistle it.—Chicago News.

Chameleons.

Chameleons always change their color on the approach of a storm and assume a neutral hue, darker than their customary tint.

The Air of London.

There is no fresh air in the heart of London, according to the conclusions of a recent investigator. He says: "No evidence of ozone was anywhere apparent except at Brownswood park, in the northeast. It was from the northeast quarter the wind was blowing, and the air had lost all trace of ozone before it had reached Hyde park. At Bushey park, although practically a country district, no ozone was present in the air. London had not only abstracted the goodness out of the air that swept over it, but had added to it the exhalations from the breath and bodies of millions of human beings and of tens of thousands of animals. Persons living within a one or two mile radius of Charing Cross cannot have fresh air entering their dwellings at any time."

The wonderful brevity of insect life is curiously illustrated in the case of those that prey upon different species of mushrooms. The life of the mushroom itself is measured by hours, yet it is often entirely ruined by an insect which deposits its eggs upon the fungi while it is in the vigor of youth. The entire span of life of this mushroom insect is so brief that the grubs hatch from the eggs and the creature becomes fully developed and capable of laying eggs itself before the mushroom dies, even though the latter's life may not extend over a period of forty-eight hours from the moment it first pushes through the soil.

Landing Him.

"Miss Ethel," he began, "or, Ethel, I mean, I've known you long enough to drop the 'Miss,' haven't I?"

She fixed her lovely eyes upon him with a meaning gaze.

"Yes, I think you have," she said. "What prefix do you wish to substitute?"—Cleveland Leader.

Local Items.

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Mr. and Mrs W. Murphy will move on Monday to their residence 456 Tenth avenue.

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Mr. Oscar McCutcheon returned on Wednesday from a few days trip to Ladysmith.

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For your Soft Drinks, Candies, Cigars and Tobacco go to the Mt. Pleasant Confectionary Store, (Chas. Homewood, proprietor).

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Mr. Tom Phillips of Phillips & Locklin, left for Salmon Arm on Thursday for a ten days hunting trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tweedale returned this week from their honeymoon trip. Mrs. Tweedale found a pleasant surprise awaiting her, namely a Silver Tea Service and Tray, presented by Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian Congregation; the service was suitably engraved, and is very handsome.

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Men will be interested in the advertisement of Richardson & Chambers on page 5.

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Always First-quality Drugs are compounded in prescriptions at the M.A.W. Co.'s Postoffice Drug Store. Popular prices. Expert workmen.

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St. Michael's Church was most effectively decorated for the Harvest Home Services held on Sunday last. An abundance of fruit and vegetables were placed in every available space; the windows, lecturn and altar were dressed with a profusion of golden wheat and dahlias; the red berries among the yellow fringe of wheat was very effective, and the entire scheme of decoration was tasteful. Rev. Mr. Gardner took the services in the morning and preached the sermon in the evening, the Rector, Rev. Mr. Wilson, preaching the morning sermon and taking the services in the evening. Timms Orchestra assisted the Choir making the services specially bright.

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Housekeepers will be interested in the advertizement of Phillips & Locklin on page 8.

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MONDAY.

Epworth League of Mt. Pleasant Methodist Church meets at 8 p. m.

B. Y. P. U., meets in Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY.

The Y. P. S. C. E., meets at 8 p. m in Mt. Pleasasant Presbyterian Church

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. C. J. Coulter and his mother, left on Tuesday to visit Mr. E. Coulter at Keremeos.

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Mr. Tom Cartwright arrived form Cumberland on Tuesday, where he has been residing for the past year.

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Thompson's Tar and Tulu—new shipment just arrived. Sure cure for coughs and especially good for babies; at the Mt. Pleasant M. A. W. Drug Store.

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Six-roomed house, Tenth avenue, east; fine buy; easy terms; Mrs. R. Whitney, 2444 Westminster avenue.

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It is learned on good authority that another drug store will open up on Mt. Pleasant in about a-month-and-a-half.

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Children you can get at Hyndman's cor. Ninth & Westminster aves.: 6 Scribblers or Exercise Books of the best quality, 1 box Paragon Drawing Crayons for 25c. School Books of all kinds. Candies, cigars, tobacco, etc.

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Hon. Mr. Morikawa, Imperial Japanese Consul, will hold a reception on November 3d, in honor of the birthday of the Emperor of Japan.

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Mr. Charles Homewood, proprieter of the Mt. Pleasant Confectionery Store, returned on Saturday from a successful hunting trip, having shot over thirty ducks and pheasants.

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T. J. Wingrove, dealer in Choice Confectionery, Stationery, Books, Music, Toys, etc. Orders received for the latest Novels, Magazines, Fashion Books and Music atshort notice; 240 9TH AVE., near Westminster avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tool of Tenth avenue, left on Tuesday for Keremeos, B. C. to visit their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coulter. They expect to be away several weeks

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"Resolved, that Steam is more useful to man than Electricity," will be the subject of a debate at the meeting of the Loyal Soldiers on Tuesday evening next at the Methodist Parsonage, 128 Eleventh avenue.

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