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INSTITUTE TO CEASE BUYING

IN FAVOR OF FRUIT GROWERS' UNION

Final Decision Came After Word Battles and Two Votes

That the buying of provisions such as flour and feed, which has been in the hands of the farmers Institute, is to be done by the Fruit Growers Union, was finally decided at a special meeting of the Institute last Friday night. Although this was the second vote on the matter the first being at the last regular meeting and those opposed to the change having had opportunity to work against the measure, the desire of the members as shown by the vote was 35 for and 5 against the turning over of the business About 80 were in attendance. As the voting was done by raising of the right hand and the was dark a number of votes were overlooked but it was evident that the ranchers are almost unanimous in favor of the action.

The special meeting, which was called by several members who were dissatisfied with the turn of affairs at the last regular meeting and believing the vote illegal because the members had not been notified as to the business to be taken up, was as anticipated, a warm one and the methods of argumentation employed by the few members that talked on both sides of the question, were not the best and not sanctioned by the majority present as was shown by their cries of approval when a stranger succeded in getting the floor to speak against the "mud throwing." The principal argument against the motion that came out in the wordy fray was that the business would go into the hands of a limited company which would be just a liable to charge non-members and excess amount for the goods as any other company in the mercantile business. This argument, however, had little weight with the ranchers as every fruit grower in the district not only has the privilege but is but wanted to join the Union.

That the majority of the ranchers who have thougth on the matter believe that the Union will be a boon to Creston and vicinity, and are willing to give it support is very evident by the overwhelming vote in favor of it and it is beleived that more would have voted that way had the speakers conducted themselves more mannerly.

A car load of provisions which has been ordered by the Institute prior to the meeting will still be handled by that organization.

Powder will also be purchased as before through the Institute in order to secure the reduced rate from the government.

The Fruit Growers Union has made application to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for a spur to run to their property and when this matter is settled the steps for building a ware house will be taken.

If the Union gets the undivided support of the community they will probably install a canning factory which will make a ready market for all the fruit that can be raised, thus giving the fruit growers a place to dispose of their produce in case the fresh market is overcrowded or low.

WEDDING BELLS

Kifer-Lamberton

The marriage of Miss Ruby Lamberton, youngest daughter of Mrs. E. A. Lamberton, to Mr. Robert Kifer occurred Monday, June, 3rd at the home of the brides mother at Canyon City.

The parlor had been beautifully decorated with ferns and wild roses The whole color scheme was pink and white. The bride and groom in the presence of about thirty guests, immediate relatives and friends entered this room and were made man and wife by Rev. W. G. Blake, the beautiful ring service being used. They were attended by Miss Gertrude Knott as bridesmaid and Mr. Grover Kifer, brother of the groom as best man. Following the ceremony the guests were invited to an elaborate wedding dinner.

The bride wore an elegant gown of embroidered lace and carried a bouquet of carnations and ferns.

Miss Lamberton is an accomplished young lady who has grown to womanhood here and she has been honored by and old. She is capable of adorning a home with happiness.

The groom is a popular young man of Canyon City and is held in high esteem by all who know him

The prospects of this young couple seem most bright and prosperous and their large circle of friends extend sincere good wishes for it to follow them through life. The bride and groom received a large number of beautiful and valuable gifts among which were a set of dishes, cut glass bowl, table cloth, bed spread, berry spoon, butter knife, hand embroidered sofa cushion, and many other useful articles.

Mr. and Mrs. Kifer will be at home to their friends after Saturday, June 8.

After the wedding about sixty guests gathered at the home of the brides brother, Mr. Barton Lamberton for a dance, music being furnished by Guy Browell on the violin, Mr. Mitson, mandolin and Mr. Hanley, guitar. Everybody had an exceedingly joyous time and it was nearly three a. m., before the "Home Sweet Home" was played and the guests departed for home.

—Christie's fresh sodas at 35 cents per in at Speers.

—Let us figure on your furniture requirements. C. C. S.

—Protect your garden with poultry wire. In 2 ft, 4 ft and 6 ft., widths at Speers' store.

Father Jobe will be at the local Catholic church Sunday as follows;

Mass	10:30 a. m.
Sunday School	2:30 p. m.
Benediction	7:30 p. m.

CONCENTRATOR AT TRAIL DISMANTLED

Was a Great Mistake Resulting in a Loss of About $250,000

R. S. Dodge, of Cook avenue Rossland, has been awarded the contract for dismantling the big concentrator at Trail, by the Consolidated Co. There are 500,000 feet of lumber in the structure, be... The

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LOCAL NEWS

—That new suit see Weber.

W. H. Smith went to Spokane on business Tuesday.

Get our prize on No. 1 Timothy Hay. Just unloaded. S. A. Speers.

C. C. S., SIGNAFIES CRANBROOK CO-OPERATIVE STORES.

P. Burns & Company's meat market is being freshened with a new coat of paint.

Good pony for sale weighs 700 pounds good driver and saddle horse. Inquire of A. Mirabelli.

E. L. Chudleigh of Saskatoon was here Tuesday and Wednesday, looking over his property.

Have your clothes cleaned and pressed for Sunday. Try us. Creston Cleaning & Dye Works.

Mr and Mrs. R. S. Smith went to Sirdar Sunday in their motor canoe. They say the high water makes the boating fine.

—Cloverdale ranch is for sale, 120 acres bottom land and 40 acres foot hill; 20 acres in orchard; all can be cultivated. See C. C. French.

Thos. Martin of Fernie, district representative of the International correspondence School, was in Creston a couple of days this week.

—Mrs. Attridge of Erickson is now prepared to do dressmaking of all kinds. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call at the home of M. R. Palmer. 38-tf

Judge Ryan of Cranbrook arrived in town Saturday. While driving through the country, he expressed great surprise at the prosperity and wonderful change since his last visit here.

The first shipment of strawberries this season was received at the Mercantile store on Wednesday from Jack Spratts ranch. Another one was also received Thursday from Paul Hagens ranch at Duck Creek.

The Presbyterian Sunday school picnic which was held last Saturday in Huscrofts grove, was a decided success with about 150 in attendence. The children played games and ran races and an abundant supply of ice cream and cake was supplied the crowd.

The road between Creston and Kitchener is reported to be in very bad condition by reason of several washouts. The work of repairing it would not require a great deal of time and the new expensive bridges across the Goat River could then be used. The Goat river bridge between Erickson and Canyon City is said to be in bad repair.

Many of the people who have not lived long in this province must needs have their attention called to the fact that the rule of the road in British Columbia is to turn to the left instead of the right. As the drivers of rigs or automobiles are seated on the right side of the conveyances they are in a better position to see that they are clear of one another by passing to the left.

—Weber the Taylor for your new suit.

Aleck Duperry is clearnig and stumping ten acres of land on his property near Erickson.

—Place your order for Preserving Pine Apples at Speers.

Mrs. Hilton and Miss Lythgoe of Yahk are visiting friends at Erickson and vicinity.

—Iron Beds any size, brass trimmed, $3.96. C. C. S.

Mrs. Enoch Harrison of Yahk is spending a few days at the home of her brother, M. McCleod at Erickson.

—Small orders for Furniture have the same attention with us as large orders. C. C. S.

About 20 Indians left on the noon train Wednesday for Cranbrook to celebrate the feast of Corpus Christie.

—We clean everthing, Creston Clean and Dye works.

The Old Angus Curry Ranch across the river has been bought by the Stark Brothers and it is understood that its new owners intend to turn it into a stock ranch.

—We prepay freight on all orders over $15.00. C. C. S.

Guy Lowenberg and the P. B. Fowler family went to Bonners Ferry, Sunday in Mr. Lowenberg's new automobile, returning Monday. They say the roads on the other side of the International line are in much better condition than the one between here and Port Hill. Travelling at the rate of 35 miles an hour on the roads over there is felt less than 6 miles on the Port Hill road.

—Men's working shoes, $1.60 at Mirabellies

J A. Crompton is building an addition to his house which is to be used for an assembly room for a choral society. Mrs. Crompton also intends to organize a childrens class in music at the beginning of school vacation.

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE — One milch cow, 5 years old, two gallons a day; Price $45. Apply Chas. Moore.

Mr, and Mrs. H. N. Birch and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott spent Sunday at Kitchener.

—Before I had a license I sold shoes with a profit of 10 per cent now I make 5 per cent. A. Mirabelli, Shoemaker.

It is reported that two bears interrupted the work on the Port Hill road last Saturday.

—The best in paints and varnishes. Sapco Paint and Berry Bros., Varnishes for sale at Speers.

—Linoleums made in Glasgow 55c a sq. yd. C. C. S.

M. E. Tucker's family of Valleyford Washington joined Mr. Tucker who is employed at the Creston Mercantile store, here last Sunday where they will make their home.

Fire which started in the on J. W. Dow's ranch, jumped the road and Canadian Pacific track and ran into the timber on J. Sprat's place in the Wednesday night high wind. Mr. Sprats home would have been burned had it not been for the good work of fire warden, Andy Miller and neighbors who were on the job all night. "Scotty" Baston of the bank who was helping in the fire fighting had his wrist badly injured under a log that he was moving away from the flames.

—We are agents for Imperial Clothing The Cash Store.

G. A. D. Cameron of Erickson entertained the editor at a bachelor dinner last Sunday at his ranch, and spent the afternoon in showing him the Canyon and surrounding scenery.

—You get five per cent discount at THE CASH STORE.

Bert Whimster, the president of the Fernie Typographical Union, was in town Saturday. He is taking a rest his confining work there and is going to spend the time in the mountains about Creston.

—See our window for earthern pitchers and tea pots at rock bottom prices. S. A. Speers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Travel left Creston yesterday, but it can't be published because no one told us about it.

—For Sale, two hives of bees, also quantity of bee supplies. J. Compton.

Mrs. Often Entertain had a tea party at her home some day this week but we were not invited and nothing was said to us of it, so, of course, we could not print anything about it.

Mr. Good Fishstory caught 200 fine trout in four hours up the Goat river but perhaps as he didn't know that was news, we did not hear from him.

—Buy your fishing tackle from our big assortment of lines. S. A. Speers.

You had a picnic at the Canyon on King George's birthday. We would have been there too only we had to stay in our dingy little office manufacturing news to take the place of what you might have given us.

—Douglas Villa For Sale.—Two miles from town, 14 acres and log house. For particulars apply to C, Moore, Creston.

Good people of Creston, do you know that 4 papers go out of town to every one that stays in? A great big bundle of Reviews goes to Great Britian every week. Now what do you suppose the people in the Old Country or in the eastern provinces take the paper for? Because it is just like receiving a letter from home or a friend when your name appears in its columns. Now we wanted to print about those little affairs of yours but we are not supernatural or mental telepathers. If your modesty (?) prevented it reaching our ears please overcome it or do not complain when we print that an old smelter at Trail is torn down and that there is furniture at Cranbrook for sale (we get paid for that and it helps fill up the space your name might occupy.) The Review has a telephone; Creston has a post office, and you have a small boy. Please use any one of these and communicate with us.

SCHOOL REPORTS

SUPERIOR SCHOOL

Enrolment of pupils 21. Average attendance 93 per cent.

The following attended the full 22 school days in this month.

Effie Arrowsmith, William Hall, Capitola Hickey, Ethel Huscroft, Vera Huscroft, Roy Stocks, Bert Arrowsmith Alexander Lidgate, Jennie Nichols.

The examination for entrance to High will be held on June 17, 18 and 19 in the Senior room of the public school.

Emma V. Danard.

DIV. I, CRESTON PUBLIC SCHOOL

Total enrolment for month 46.

Average daily attendance, 34.56.

The following have been perfect in attendance during the month.

Percy Boffey, Harold Gobbet, Orrin Hayden, Erma Hayden, Blanche Hendren, Mabel Huscroft, Lyda Johnson Bessie McMahon, Ronald Lydgate, Clarence Maxwell Vera Smith, Nellie Wilson, Greetice Wisler, Norman Trotter, Edna Holmes.

Anna L. Needham, Teacher.

DIV. II CRESTON SCHOOL

Total enrolment 44. Average attendance 39,04.

The following had a perfect attendance for the month of May:

Bert Boffey, Teddy Blake, Jean Boyd Helen Brown, Marion Brown, Elmer Burton, Wilfred Burton, Ruth Compton James Dodds, John Dodds, Robert Dodds Eva Holmes, Annie Malone, Teresa Malone, Lionel Moore, Audrey Wilson, and Dudley Wilson.

May Johnson, Teacher.

ERICKSON SCHOOL

Pupils in attendance at Erickson school during May were in order of merit;

Entrance Grade—Willie Long, Lewis Littlejohn, Janie Long.

Third Grade—Lorne Botterill, Stella Stinson, Stella McKelvey, Ray McKelvey, Paul Stinson.

Second Grade—Audrey Attridge, Walter Long, Charles Botterill, Hugh Graham, Frank Botterill, Gerald Timmons

First Grade—Almeda Attridge, William Graham, Gordon Cross.

The following pupils were perfect in attendance:—Janie Long, Lewis Littlejohn, Ray McKelvey, Gerald Timmons, Frank Botterill, Audrey Attridge, Almeda Attridge, Gordon Cross.

L. S. McGill, Teacher.

"CASEY JONES"—Oliver Labadie's latest comedy success which will be seen under the management of Norton & Andrew at the Opera House, Monday, June 10, is a comedy of character types and is distinguished by an abundance of wholesome humor, energetic action, breezy repartee and sympathetic touches of human emotion, interspersed with numerous singing and dancing numbers.

OLLIE MACK of Murry and Mack fame, will be seen in the role of the jovial typical Celt, "CASEY JONES" who finds the romance of his life at Rosie O'Brien's Villa.

Pearl Golding, formerly of Ziegfeld's "FOLLIES OF 1910" is well qualified to impart those quaint touches of romance and realism so pertinent to the part of Rosie O'Brien.

Marcia Harris, who was identified for three successive seasons makes notable the role of Miss Merrifield the spinster, who when asked if a long stocking would hold her most desired Xmas gifts replied. "No: but a pair of sox would."

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CHAPTER XXVIII

Honor Bright.

As time passed Sir George Haredale began to think that trouble was really before him. He had not the least pretence to be a business man. He had always been prone to take people at their own valuation. He would never have done anything dishonest or underhanded and he paid his fellow-men a similar compliment. He had never counted the cost of anything, for the simple reason that he had never been taught to. If he wanted a thing he got it. If he couldn't pay for anything he simply owed for it. And from time to time his creditors grew pressing. Then he gave his lawyers instructions to raise another mortgage, and there, so far as he was concerned, was an end of the whole transaction.

It does not take long, especially with two or three generations of similar incapacity, seriously to embarrass even so as fine an estate as Haredale Park. The day came at length when Sir George was under the painful necessity of facing the inevitable, when his worried lawyer told him a few plain truths, and he realized that his income was barely sufficient to live upon. Unfortunately, at this crisis, an occasional run of luck on the turf had relieved the pressure, and it occurred to Sir George as a brilliant idea that here was a source of permanent income. Then luck ran steadily against him, as it always does, and when Sir George became on intimate terms with Copley he was literally at his wit's end to know what to do.

It was a misfortune, though a disguised one, that Copley in his headstrong way should fall in love with May Haredale. He had gone about his love-making in characteristic fashion and had recognized that his suit was hopeless, unless he were in a position to force the pace. Hence he had helped Sir George when he needed every penny he had for himself. At that time Copley did not see his way to get it all back and a great deal more. But now, at any rate, he would have the consolation of knowing that here was a good thing for him, whether May Haredale became his wife or not.

He was playing the game now with wonted caution and cunning. In response to Sir George's note, he pleaded some excuse and on one pretext or other kept clear of Haredale Park for the best part of a week. He knew how to play his fish. He knew that delay was in his favor. He was not going to spoil it by undue haste.

Sir George was thoroughly frightened by now. The interview with Messrs. Absalom's manager came in the light of a revelation to him. He realized that he was in Copley's power, and that the latter could ruin him whenever he chose. Not that he expected anything of the kind. He was of far too sanguine a nature for that, and being a gentleman and a man of honor he naturally believed the story that Copley was temporarily hard put to it for the want of money. From that point of view, of course, Copley was behaving very well. He had not pressed Sir George nor had he insisted that the money must be paid. In point of fact, he had not mentioned the matter at all.

But Messrs. Absalom's manager had been emphatic enough. There was something in his manner which Sir George did not like. He actually had no respect for the aristocracy and spoke as if money were the only thing in the world that mattered.

"It comes to this, Sir George," he he said, "We must ask you to make arrangements to clear this off in a week. It is business purely and my people want the money. Things are not going well at present, and we must look to you to settle this claim."

"Within a week?" Sir George cried "Impossible."

The shrewd manager shrugged his shoulders.

"I am sorry to hear you say that, Sir George,' he replied. "In that case, we must take matters into our own hands and sell you up, including your horses in training. We shall very much regret this step, but necessity will compel us. The best thing you can do is to consult your solicitors and see if you can raise a loan elsewhere. Otherwise—well, I think I have made myself plain."

The man withdrew, leaving Sir George to his own disturbed thoughts. With his sanguine disposition and lack of business knowledge he still clung to the idea that Copley would be able to put this matter right. But when Copley did not come near and wrote that business called him elsewhere Sir George's vague alarm began to develop into a perfect nightmare. At the expiration of a week the first blow fell. A man shabbily dressed and dingy of aspect called to see Sir George and would take no refusal. He stood in the hall grimly quiet, waiting to see the master of the house, who appeared presently and demanded in his haughtiest manner what the intruder wanted.

I am here on behalf of Absalom & Co.' the intruder said. "Fact is, I represent the sheriff. It is no use blaming me, Sir George. I am only doing my duty, and it's not so pleasant, at that. But I am here in possession, and here I am bound by law to stay until this money is paid. As soon as that is done I shall be only too pleased to go away."

Sir George began to understand the position. He had heard of these things before, but they had always appeared to be remote enough from him. This was what was called an execution, and Sir George's dignity disappeared accordingly.

"This is very awkward," he said "I had not anticipated anything like this. How long will you have to stay here?"

"Well, it varies according to circumstances," the man explained. "It all depends upon what action the plaintiff's take. If they give you an extension of time I may be here for a month. Sometimes I have been in a house much longer."

"A month," Sir George exclaimed. "Impossible."

"It may be less than that." the man said. "If they don't give you any time at all I shall be gone in a week. In the ordinary course of things, at the expiration of seven days, the sheriff will come in and sell everything. That is the usual course."

"Seven days!" Sir George repeated the words over and over again, as if he were trying to grasp their meaning. He had barely a week to find all this money, and, if it were not forthcoming, everything he had would be disposed of. He would have to face the world without a penny.

He wondered if these people would take his horses. He wondered what would be the upshot so far as the Derby was concerned. But misfortunes never came singly, and it was possible that the Blenheim colt might not start for the historic race at all. For the moment everything lay in the hands of Raymond Copley. Probably he had not the slightest idea that Absalom & Co. had gone to these lengths. No doubt he would be able to find a way out of this disgraceful situation. It was the only chance.

"If you wouldn't mind going away," Sir George said, "and coming back later in the day, I will see what I can do."

The man smiled broadly.

"Bless you! I couldnt do that," he said. "It would be as much as my place is worth. I might even get prosecuted. And I've a wife and family to think of. I dare not stir a step from here, Sir George; indeed I dare not. If people treat me well I always try to give as little trouble as possible. I daresay you can think of some excuse to account for my presence in the house."

It was very humiliating, but there was nothing for it but a mild conspiracy between the master of Haredale and this grubby representative of the majesty of the law. Sir George led the way into the library.

"You had better stay here," he said. "I can say you've come down from London on some unpleasant business in connection with the stable. By the way, it is just as well as I should know your name. Oh, Brown, is it. Well, Brown, you had better stay here until I come back and I can arrange for you to take your meals in the kitchen. I suppose you won't object to that?"

"I shan't if the servants don't" Brown said.

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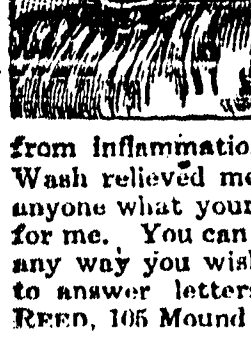
SAVED FROM AN OPERATION

How Mrs. Reed of Peoria, Ill., Escaped The Surgeon's Knife.

Peoria, Ill.—"I wish to let every one know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. Fortwo years I suffered. The doctor said I had a tumor and the only remedy was the surgeon's knife. My mother bought me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and today I am a well and healthy woman. For months I suffered from inflammation, and your Sanative Wash relieved me. I am glad to tell anyone what your medicines have done for me. You can use my testimonial in any way you wish, and I will be glad to answer letters."—Mrs. CHRISTINA REED, 105 Mound St., Peoria, Ill.



Mrs. Lynch Also Avoided Operation.

Jessup, Pa.—"After the birth of my fourth child, I had severe organic inflammation. I would have such terrible pains that it did not seem as though I could stand it. This kept up for three long months, until two doctors decided that an operation was needed.

"Then one of my friends recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and after taking it for two months I was a well woman."—Mrs. JOSEPH A. LYNCH, Jessup, Pa.

Women who suffer from female ills should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one of the most successful remedies the world has ever known, before submitting to a surgical operation.

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She—It says here that a man in Kansas has a chicken that can dance and tries to sing. He—Why, the stage is crowded with them.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Way to Win

Bronson—What's the best way to make love to a girl?

Dawson—The worst way possible. Then she'll think you mean it.—Puck.

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AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

Daddy's Bedtime Story—Who Chipped Poor Nannie's New Teacup

Nannie Looked at the Cup.

IT was an early bedtime, and Jack and Evelyn said they thought on that account daddy ought to tell them a longer story.

He smiled, for well he knew that by the time his usual story was over white lids would be drooping over heavy eyes and tired heads would be gently nodding. So he began:

"Nannie was a very careful little girl, and when her grandma gave her six little cups and saucers she was very pleased. Nannie asked in her six dearest friends, and they had an afternoon tea party.

"When they went home they thanked Nannie for the pleasant afternoon they had enjoyed and tripped down the street looking very happy.

"Then Nannie carefully carried the dishes out to the kitchen, where mother allowed her to have a pan of nice soapy water, and into this she put the cups and saucers one by one and washed and dried them.

"And when Nannie came to the cup used by Kitty Flynn, there, right out of the rim of the cup, a tiny chip was missing.

"Nannie held it up and looked at it hard. A broken cup—what a shame! She had told the little girls to be very, very careful because the cups with their pretty pink flowers had been a gift from dear grandma.

"Nannie sat down and cried. Never again would she speak to Kitty. It was bad enough to break the cup, but to go home without saying anything about it seemed the height of meanness.

"'Never mind, dear,' said mother. 'Perhaps we can get another cup just like it.'

"'But it won't be just the same,' sobbed Nannie. 'Grandma told me to take good care of them, and what will she say when she sees them broken so soon? It was mean of Kitty not to tell.'

"'Yes; if Kitty knew she broke it it would have been more polite of her to say so and tell you that she was sorry.'

"Nannie wept and would not be comforted.

"'If we must tell grandma suppose we have it over since it worries you so much. I'll just call her up on the telephone and tell her.'

"So mother called up grandma's number and told her about the accident to the cups and how very sorry Nannie was.

"'The dear child!' grandma replied. 'You know I forgot to tell her one of the cups was chipped when I got it. For that reason the storekeeper sold it to me a good deal cheaper. It was such a pretty set I thought Nannie would not mind, for unless you have very sharp eyes indeed it cannot be noticed.'

"'There,' exclaimed Nannie, 'I'm so glad Kitty didn't break the cup. I'm sorry I blamed her.'"

The Only Way

And where, my fellow citizens, appealed the political speaker, can we find an instrument so fit, so delicate, so adjustable and at the same time as unassuming and popular that it will unlock every department of State for the benefit of the people?

The hairpin! shrieked an enthusiastic suffragist in the audience.

Caroline has requested that as a special birthday favor, she be allowed to have coffee for breakfast. Her mother, not at all pleased with the idea, was diluting it generously.

Caroline peered over into her cup, and then exclaimed in great disappointment:

Goodness! don't I get any of the brown?

Where Figures Fail

Suppose coal is $6 a ton and you gave your dealer $30, now many tons would he send you?

Three.

Oh, that's wrong.

I know it's wrong, but that's what he done.—Life.

How long did it take you to do Rome?

About twice as long as it took Rome to do us.—Life.

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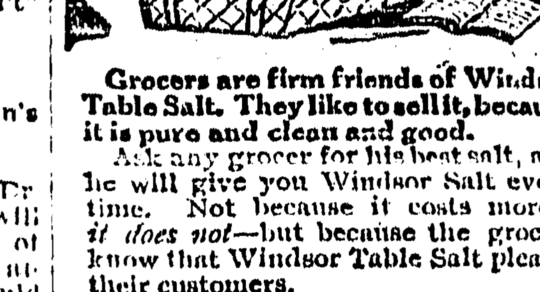

Grocers are firm friends of Windsor Table Salt. They like to sell it, because it is pure and clean and good.

Ask any grocer for his best salt, and he will give you Windsor Salt every time. Not because it costs more—*it does not*—but because the grocers know that Windsor Table Salt pleases their customers. 57

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RINGING THROUGH QUEBEC PROVINCE

ANOTHER MARVELLOUS CURE BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Ludger Cote's Backache had developed into Bright's Disease, and Pains and aches were his portion—Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him.

St. Yvon, Gaspe Co., Que. (Special)—Once more a wonderful cure has sent the name of the old Canadian Kidney Remedy ringing through the Province of Quebec. Mr. Ludger Cote, a well known resident of this place, is the man cured and the story of his cure in his own words is as follows:

"For four years I suffered from Backache, stiffness of the joints and finally Bright's Disease. I could not bend my right leg on account of the pain in my hip and knee. I had terrible pains in the region of the bladder. My eyes were swollen. I was always tired and nervous and took no pleasure in life.

"Finally, I decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and the effect was marvellous. Six boxes cured me completely."

Backache, neglected, develops into Bright's Disease. The one sure way to escape its tortures is to cure the Backache when it first starts with Dodd's Kidney Pills.

In some districts of the interior of China it is said that one-third of the population has died of starvation in the dreadful famine consequent on the destruction of crops by floods. All the aid thus far rendered has availed to save only a fraction of the numbers of human lives in peril. The people of Canada should not rest content till their consciences assure them that they have done their whole duty in the matter. Distance and difference of race should not quiet the call of humanity.—Hamilton Spectator.

WOULD NOT BE WITHOUT BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets she would not be without them. They are the only medicine for little ones guaranteed by a Government analyst to be free from those opiates and other harmful drugs found in so-called "soothing" mixtures. Concerning them, Mrs. J. C. Wood, Underwood, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the last four years and would not be without them, as I have found them beneficial every time I have given them to my little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

French Customs House statistics indicate that British exports to France increased by 160,728,000 francs in the three years following the Franco-British Exhibition.

Thousands of mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because they know from experience how useful it is.

Lord and Him

"You must try to be like God, sonnie," said the kindly minister to the worried-looking child who entertained him in the parlor while his mother, upstairs, was preparing for company.

"I guess I must be," the boy answered, wrinkling his brows, for [illegible] and me [illegible] blamed for about every thing that happens in this house. If it's a big thing they say the Lord did it, and if any little thing goes wrong it's sure to be me."

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Na-Dru-Co Headache Wafers certainly do make short work of headaches. 25¢ per box. 126

Wonderful Headgear

A well-known Paris painter gave a lecture a few days ago on the manner in which women covered their heads with all kinds of fantastic ornaments in the evening. He said that it was a pity when hair had so much expression in wave and color to conceal so much beauty beneath so-called fashionable accessories.

All the time this gentleman was expressing his views on this subject the audience was much amused at the presence of a beautiful actress famous for her exaggerated head dress.

On this occasion she wore a cap of gold and white brocade with a high mass of white aigrettes extending around the front from ear to ear. From the centre of her forehead stood a black aigrette almost two feet high held by an enormous cabochon in cut jet. Whether this lady will henceforth follow the conferencier's suggestion remains to be seen. But it is said that we shall soon be wearing a rose and little else in the hair.—From the Gentlewoman.

Australia's Big Trees

None too soon, a popular movement has been set on foot in Australia to preserve the gigantic stringy-barks, various species of Eucalyptus of that country, which far exceed in height the famous "big trees" of California, and are the tallest trees in the world. These trees sometimes attain heights ranging from 400 to 500 feet. Their timber is exceedingly valuable, and for this reason they have been ruthlessly destroyed by lumbermen while no proper steps have been taken to provide for their reproduction.

When Jamie sat down for any length of time his mother always trembled. It usually meant some question best defined as a "poser."

And on this occasion he hadn't moved for ten minutes. Then it came: Mother, do angels sleep?

Yes, dear, I suppose so.

Do they lie down, mother? How can they with those long wings?

I'm sure I don't know, Jamie. I've never thought about it.

Silence again and she hoped he had forgotten, but Jamie was thinking deeply. I've got it, mother, he cried. I'll bet they roost.

Della, after a rain, begged to go outside to play.

You may go, said her mother, if you will stay on the walk and not make mud pies.

It was not long before Della was leaning suspiciously far over the walk.

I thought you promised not to make mud pies, mother called.

I'm not mamma, replied Della, I'm making doughnuts.

Evidently Not

"Does your son realize the responsibilities of great wealth?"

"I fear not," sighed the eminent magnate. "He can't seem to learn auction bridge, and he shows no sign of wanting to marry a chorus girl."

Alice had just returned from her first visit to the farm.

Well, did you have a good time? asked mother.

Not very good, said Alice. I got buttered by a ram.

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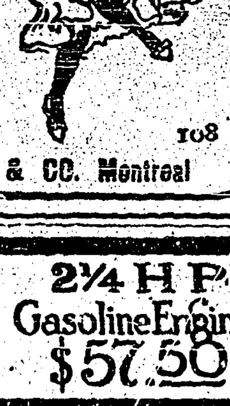

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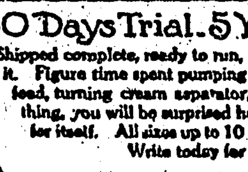

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A Permanent Possession

You can't eat your cake and have it, too, said Dobbs.

Oh, can't you? retorted Hicks. It's very evident you never ate any of my wife's cake.—Harper's Weekly.

In Line

What makes you think the baby is going to be a great politician? asked the young mother anxiously.

I'll tell you, answered the young father confidently: he can say more things that sound well and mean nothing at all than any kid I ever saw. —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The One Outside

There's only one way to avoid being put into an Ananias club.

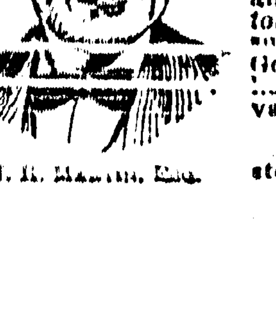
And what is that?

Organize the club yourself and keep everybody else busy escaping it.—Washington Post.

How The Body Kills Germs.

Germs that get into the body are killed in two ways—by the white corpuscles of the blood, and by a *germ-killing substance* that is in the blood. Just what this substance is, we do not know. The blood of a healthy person always has some germ-killing substance in it to ward off the attack of disease. The fountain head of life is the stomach. A man who has a weak and impaired stomach and who does not properly digest his food will soon find that his blood has become weak and impoverished, and that his whole body is improperly and insufficiently nourished. To put the body in healthy condition, to feed the system on rich, red blood and throw out the poisons from the body, nothing in the past forty years has excelled Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a pure glyceric extract (without alcohol), of bloodroot, golden seal and Oregon grape root, stone root, mandrake and queen's root with black cherrybark.

"My husband was a sufferer from stomach trouble and impure blood," writes MRS. JAMES H. MARTIN, of Frankfort, Ky. "He had a sore on his face that would form a scab which would dry and drop off in about a month, then another would immediately form. It continued this way for a long time. He tried every remedy that any one would suggest, but found no relief. He then tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which completely cured him. He [illegible] for two years and I recommend this valuable medicine for impurities of the blood."



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Polite Assurance

Mr. Conductor, do you think this tunnel is perfectly safe for our travel?

Don't be afraid, mum, our company got you into this hole and we're bound to see you through.—Baltimore American.

Small Brother—Mr. Sammy, are you a football player?

Sister's Beau—No, Tommy.

Small Brother—Then why did Sis tell me you were't so much of a catch?—Baltimore American.

His Snakeship

The serpent made the reputation of Adam and Eve.

Right you are; the snake was the first publicity agent.

A corrector of Pulmonary Troubles.—Many testimonials could be presented showing the great efficacy of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in curing disorders of the respiratory processes, but the best testimonial is experience and the Oil is recommended to all who suffer from these disorders with the certainty that they will find relief. It will allay inflammation in the bronchial tubes as no other preparation can.

Sister Knew it

Modest Suitor—I am going to marry your sister, Willie, but I am not good enough for her.

Candid Little Brother—That's what Sis says, but ma's been telling her that she can't do any better.—Brooklyn Life.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians

Poor Old Doc

Blinks—What do you think of Dr. Cook? He says that he's going to live to be 150 years old.

Jinks—That's nothing. I know some jokes that are 200 years old.

Warts are disfigurements that disappear when treated with Holloway's Corn Cure.

Goldstein is a newly made country gentleman who is visiting the village school—"Now, can any one of you boys tell me what nothing is?" Small voice (after long silence—Please sir, wot you guv me for 'oldin' yer 'orse yesturday.—Punch.

HORSES NEED CAREFUL HANDLING

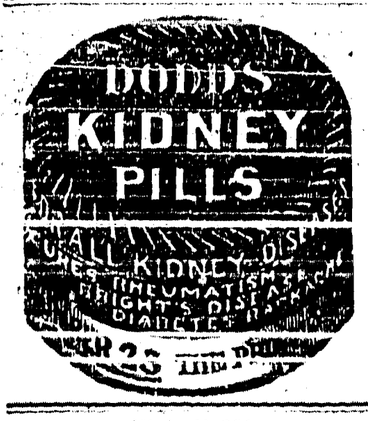
To most horse owners it is a matter of costly experience that an apparently slight wrench or sprain or cut is much more serious in a horse than in a human being. A man goes ahead and works it off, but the horse is liable to be "put out of commission" for weeks or months.

When this has happened in a busy season, the horse owner is thereafter keenly interested in getting quick action at the first sign of accident or disease. In fact many successful horsemen make a practice of looking each animal over carefully every morning to see that it is all right. If it is not, they get busy at once.

A great help then is a little book called "A Treatise on the Horse and His Disease," published by Dr. B. J. Kendall Co., Enosburg Falls, Vermont. While it emphasizes the necessity of sending promptly for the Veterinary in serious cases, this little book tells clearly and briefly just what to do for such ailments as Spavin, Splints, Ringbone, Wire Cuts, Lameness and Sprains, that can be effectively cured by home treatment when one knows what to do and has the proper remedies handy.

This book can be obtained free from any druggist who sells Kendall's Spavin Cure, the thirty-year old standby, or direct from Dr. B. J. Kendall Co., by simply writing them at Enosburg Falls, V.T., U.S.A.

Shall we go to Europe on our honeymoon, dear? She—I want to go awfully. But it seems such a waste of time to miss seeing all those wonderful things.—Life.



Pen Pictures

It is probable that no institution in the Dominion of Canada comes into touch with so large a number of persons who have made improvident investments as does the Annuities Branch of the Post Office Department. It is understood that hardly a day passes that several communications are not received in which the writers bewail the loss of money invested in some scheme that promised phenomenal dividends or returns. One of the saddest of these cases is that of a lady who about three years ago enquired as to the cost of an Annuity of $600. The information was promptly given to her, but the opportunity to purchase was not embraced. She believed she could invest her money to better advantage, and that by the time she attained her 55th birthday she would not only have enough to pay for the Annuity outright, but a little fortune besides. This week another letter has been received from the same lady, who by the way, is now over fifty years of age, which furnishes the sequel to the story. She says: "I have spent my savings on worthless stocks, believing, firmly believing, that I would soon be rich. I would not listen to advice, convinced that I knew best. I wonder at my foolishness now, to waste my all in schemes I knew nothing about. For some time I had a large salary and gave to certain companies every month. Now that they have turned out worthless, I see how crazy and wrong I was. I am sorry, if ever anyone was sorry, for what I have done, but nothing will bring back what I have wasted." Her case is a pathetic one, and her experience has been costly, but it is the common experience of many who have tried Get-Rich-Quick schemes.

In the same month of the same year (1902) another lady enquired as to the cost of a Government Annuity. She, too, had saved a nice little sum for the 'Rainy Day" as the result of her own labors. She began payments with a view to purchasing the same amount of Annuity to begin at the same age (55). In the course of time she became afflicted with a malady, which, though not fatal, incapacitated her from earning a livelihood. Under the terms of the Act she was entitled to have her contract converted into an Immediate Annuity contract. She had this done, and is now receiving, and will receive as long as she lives, an annuity of over $___. It is doubtful if there is a more satisfied woman in all Canada.

The Annuities System does not promise to give something for nothing, and no benefits can be received which are not paid for; but it does promise to give a return, and with the security of the Government of Canada behind it, greater than can be obtained from the investment of the same amounts in any other manner. "World's Work" says: "It is the Savings Bank, the Insurance Company, and the Government Bond rolled into one in a shape adapted to the smallest of depositors." Your Postmaster will furnish you literature descriptive of this marvellous system of investment, or you may obtain the information desired by writing to the Superintendent of Annuities, Ottawa, to whom your letter will go free of postage.

Herodotus Sustained

The inexperienced candidate had had a bad time. He had been severely heckled and his temper was at breaking point.

"Gentlemen, he said presently, in exasperation, "Herodotus tells us—",

"Which side is he on?" came a voice from the crowd.

But the candidate was determined to have his say.

"Herodotus tells us," he went on firmly, "of a whole army that was put to flight by the braying of a single ass."

Then the crowd applauded, and the young man thought at least he had scored. But his triumph was short lived, for again came a voice from the crowd this time in a resigned tone.

"Young man," it said quietly, "go ahead; this army has been tested."—Los Angeles Herald.

Brain of Its Own

An inexperienced colored girl had just been installed as housemaid. Having eyed a patient bottle with much curiosity for some time, she asked her mistress: "And what sort o' thing is dat, ma'am?"

"That," replied madam, "is a bottle that will keep things either hot or cold."

"Land sakes, honey!" exclaimed the astonished darky, "how is it gwine to know whether you want it to keep things hot or cold?"—Ladies' Home Journal.

A commercial traveller, at a railway station in one of our southern towns, included in his order for breakfast two boiled eggs. The old darky who served him brought him three.

Uncle, said the travelling man, why in the world did you bring me three boiled eggs? I only ordered two.

Yes, sir, said the old darkey, bowing and smiling, I know you did order two, sir, but I brought three because I just naturally felt dat one of dem might fall you, sir.—Harper's Weekly.

Not a Boss

You shouldn't call me a boss, said Mr. Wardheel.

But you are a leader and an autocrat.

Maybe. But a boss is a man who makes people work. My specialty is showing anybody I take an interest in how to live easy.—Washington Star.

I understand your husband is a candidate for office, said a suffragette out west to her sister in the cause. Are you going to support him? Oh, I suppose so, answered the sister somewhat wearily. I've been supporting him for the past ten years.—Chicago Record Herald.

Teacher—Haven't you studied your arithmetic lesson?

Scholar—No'm. I didn't have no time to learn nothing but me grammar lesson. School Sixty Two.

The milk dealer, fined for selling a watered article, exclaimed indignantly: "Why, if I didn't water it, half my customers wouldn't get any!

Women of Persia

During the last five years, the women of Persia have become almost at a bound the most progressive, not to say radical, in the world. The fact makes one gape with astonishment, and upsets the previous notions of centuries.

Without the powerful moral influence of the Persian women—those so-called chattels of the oriental lords of creation—the short-lived, but marvelously conducted revolutionary movement in Persia which has recently been smothered by Russia and England would have paled early into a mere disorganized protest. It was they, from their cloistered lives, who, with the patriotic support of the Isthmus priests, tomented the national movement of the forms of government and for the inculcation of western political, commercial and ethical codes.

How to Become a Neurasthemic

Eat no breakfast. Indulge in but one meal daily; at any rate, not more than two. Eat no meat. Eat freak cereals, vegetables, nuts and fruit. Masticate every morsel 268 times—267 times won't do. Take a cold bath every morning.

Be massaged daily. Read the health magazines daily. Read all the books on how to gain self-control and on psychotherapy. Concentrate the mind upon the digestion and upon all articles of diet. Upon every possible occasion discuss your imaginary troubles with your friends and coerce your wife into catering to every dietetic whim that you can formulate. Buy a lot of apparatus for indoor exercise and roll a cannon ball around over a selected portion of one's anatomy.

DIFFERENT NOW

Since the Slugger, Coffee, Was Abandoned

Coffee probably causes more biliousness and so-called malaria than any one other thing—even bad climate. (Tea is just as harmful as coffee because it contains caffeine the drug in coffee).

A Ft. Worth man says:

"I have always been of a bilious temperament, subject to malaria and up to one year ago a perfect slave to coffee. At times I would be covered with boils and full of malarial poison, was very nervous and had swimming in the head.

"I don't know how it happened, but I finally became convinced that my sickness was due to the use of coffee, and a little less than a year ago I stopped coffee and began drinking Postum.

"From that time I have not had a boil, not had malaria at all, have gained 15 pounds good solid weight and know beyond all doubt this is due to the use of Postum in place of coffee as I have taken no medicine at all.

"Postum has certainly made healthy, red blood for me in place of the blood that coffee drinking impoverished and made unhealthy." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

Postum makes red blood.

"There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

A small Norwegian lad presented himself before a school teacher, who first asked him his name.

Pete Peterson, he replied.

And how old are you? continued asked next.

I do not know how old I bane, replied the lad.

Well, when were you born? continued the teacher.

I am not born at all, I got stepmutter.—Metropolitan.

There is often a marked difference between a good business man and a "good" business man.—Puck.

COUGHS AND COLDS

Are Dreaded by Mothers Who Fear for the Safety of Their Children

DR. CHASE'S SYRUP OF LINSEED AND TURPENTINE

What a weight of responsibility rests on the mother of the family during the winter season!

In every cough and cold she recognizes the voice of Croup, Bronchitis, Consumption or other deadly throat and lung complications.

Few people, even among those who are convenient to doctors, can afford the luxury of a physician for every cough or cold, even though they realize the seriousness of neglecting such ailments.

For all such, Dr. Chase has provided a prompt means of cure known as Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

One reason why mothers prize this treatment above all others is because of its suitability for children. It is sweet and pleasant to the taste, and children like to take it. By its soothing, healing action it is wonderfully prompt in curing Croup, Bronchitis and Whooping Cough, and can be used by children with perfect safety so long as directions are followed.

Thousands of families in Canada keep Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine in the house at all times for use in cases of emergency. This is the only way to be sure of protecting the bronchial tubes and lungs against coughs and colds. 25c. a bottle, family size 60c. at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

My doctor says I ought to ride horse said the indolent man. "What for? I don't know. Maybe he's tired of treating me for dyspepsia and wants a broken collar bone for a change.—Washington Star.

MOONEY'S BISCUITS

ONE TIRED WOMAN AND ONE LITTLE OVEN

You have probably been there yourself—perhaps are right now.

Bright women all over Canada are getting away from this. They welcome **MOONEY'S BISCUITS** as a most acceptable substitute for their own bread and biscuits.

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are the crispest, creamiest crackers made. Better still, they are baked in Winnipeg; right at your very door. They come to you fresh as the product of your own oven.

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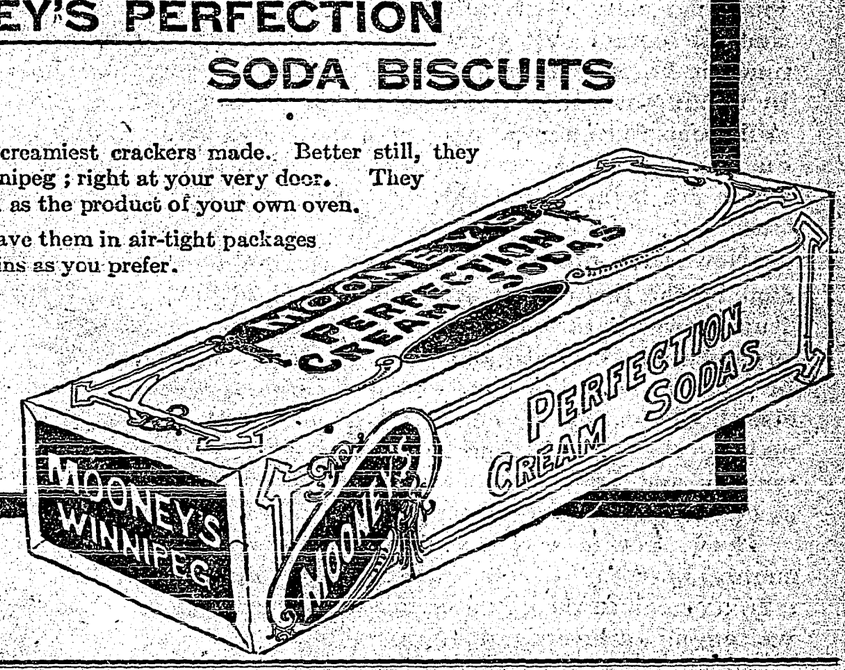

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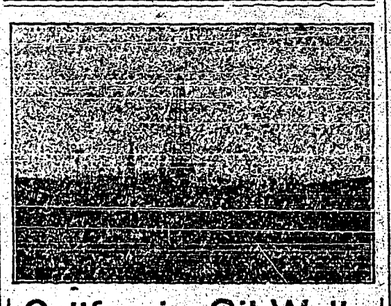

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No Place for Him

William, come. I refuse to sit through another act of this show with you.

But, my dear, it may not be—"

No, no. It isn't fit for decent people to see. I refuse to stay here with you any longer.

Very well, if that is the way you feel about it. Only I would like to know how the plot is unfolded.

I'll get a matinee ticket and tell you.—Pittsburg Post.

Little Florence had a very bad toothache and was crying softly to herself. Her aunt, who was a believer in Christian Science, went over to the little girl and said: "If you had any faith dear, you would have no toothache." Florence continued to sob, but between sobs she replied: "Well, Aunt Grace, if you had my toothache you wouldn't have any faith.—Judge.

Quite Another Matter

Mother—There now, don't whip Johnny. You know the Bible says, "Let not the sun descend upon your wrath.

Father—That's all right, but it doesn't say not to let your wrath descend upon the son.

What is this domestic science? inquired the engaged girl. It consists of making hash, out of the left-over meat and croquettes out of the left-over hash, explained her more experienced friend.

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exactly meet the need which so often arises in every family for a medicine to open up and regulate the bowels. Not only are they effective in all cases of Constipation, but they help greatly in breaking up a Cold or La Grippe by cleaning out the system and purifying the blood. In the same way they relieve or cure Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headaches, Rheumatism and other common ailments. In the fullest sense of the words Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are 47

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All dealers carry the New Perfection Stove. Free Cook-Book with every stove. Cook-Book also given to anyone sending 5 cents to cover mailing cost.

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Her Busy Life

Aunt Martha spends all day long hiding her silver in 50 different places to defeat the burglars she is perfectly sure are coming here.

Goodness!

And she spends all night hunting for it and gathering it into one pile in case of fire.—Harper's Magazine.

Her real Yearning

Caroline—My, I'd like to see my name in print.

Pauline—Yes, especially in the marriage license column.

Quite Different Now

When I was a boy I used to think there was a pot of gold at the end of a rainbow.

And now?

I have turned my attention from rainbows to mining stocks.

Sir, I am talking about what you owe me. Will you please pay me some attention? Certainly, if you do not want me to pay you anything else.—Baltimore American.

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Dear Sirs,—Your MINARD'S LINIMENT is our remedy for sore throat, colds and all ordinary ailments.

It never fails to relieve and cure promptly.

CHARLES WHOOTEN
Port Mulgrave.

Sunday-school teacher—Willie, can you repeat the shortest commandment? It has but four words. Willie—Yes, Miss. "Keep off the Grass."—Boston Transcript.

Victim's Sarcasm

What do you consider the most important event in the history of Paris?

"Well," replied the tourist, who had grown weary of distributing tips, "so far as financial prosperity is concerned America was the making of this town."—Washington Herald.

Art Connoisseur—Where did you get this daub?

Friend—I picked it up in a studio said something nice about it out of politeness, and the artist gave it to me.

Art Connoisseur, sadly—You can't be too careful—Judge.

MALE HELP WANTED

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Some of the problems of human existence are becoming more and more complex. Yes, replied the admiring parent. I can hardly wait for my daughter's graduation essay to find out what to do about them.—Washington Star.

"Pa," asked the small boy, "what is a demagogue?

A demagogue, my son is a smart, ready talker, who belongs to a party you're not in.

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There is no one in Creston who can conscientiously say that the fruit raisers should not be thoroughly organized, yet we find there are a number of men whose best efforts either blunderingly or maliciously, work against the welfare of the Fruit Growers Union upon which the furture of Creston so much depends. Although matters were apparently settled and all seemed well again for the Union when for a second time the Farmers Institute voted to assist the organization, by turning over to it, the Institute's purchasing power, there still seems to be a great danger of the Union being shattered on account of the stories of "underhanded dealings," etc which are being circulated, and which may or may not be true.

Now that the Union is to do the purchasing formerly done by the Institute, it will be a decided advantage to every fruit grower in the valley to become a member of the newer organization and boost and work for it, for he will not only be able to buy his flour and feed through it cheaper than elsewhere, but by his membership and efforts, will assist in making the organization sufficiently strong to build the cannery and later the cold storage plant, both of which are so essential in a large fruit growing district.

Now, not to overlook those charges against certain members of the Union, it seems the majority of ranchers take no stock in them and besides that the indicted men are welcoming an investigation.

Boost for the Union at all times; if something goes wrong in it, remedy the evil and don't give up the boosting.

EGG LAYING CONTEST

International Egg Laying Contest, held under the joint auspices of the British Columbia Poultry Association, Vancouver Exhibition Board, and the Provincial government.

Total eggs laid up to end of seventh month, May 20, 1912

PEN NO.	Class 1	EGGS LAID
2	White Leghorns	514
9	" "	484
4	" "	407
14	" "	399
5	" "	371
10	" "	354
3	" "	349
12	" "	349
19	" "	342
23	" "	338
22	R. C. Buff "	329
8	White "	299
20	" "	292
15	" "	277
7	" "	274
6	Brown "	273
1	White "	270
16	" "	260
17	" "	258
18	" "	243
21	Mottled Anconas	219
11	White Leghorns	212
15	" "	149
	Class 2	
33	Rhode Island Reds	421
38	White Wyandottes	421
39	Buff Orpingtons	419
31	R. I. Reds	406
34	White Wyandottes	383
26	Barred Rocks	342
37	" "	325
29	Buff Rocks	303
32	R. I. Reds	304
40	S. Laced Wyandottes	274
35	Barred Rocks	261
36	Partridge Wyandottes	243
25	Buff Orphingtons	239
30	White Wyandottes	219
27	Silver Pencilled Wyandottes	178
28	Columbian Wyandottes	175

Average price recieved for eggs, 32c per dozen. Pen temperature, highest 90 degrees; lowest 38 degrees; avearage mean, 57.18. Rain feil on nine days; twelve days occured without sunshine and the rest of the days were bright.

It has been hoped it would not be neccessary to have to insert the usual paragraph concerning the dynamiting work, owing to the fact that no explosions took place during two weeks. Unfortunately, however, the blasting during the last two weeks, more than made up for the fortuight's lull. Lately the city athorities have been clearing the cedar stumps immediately surrounding the pens.

Several pens in Class One have passed the century mark during the past month, notably pens 9 (117), 12 (114), 2 (110), 23 (105).

Following pens provided broodies in class one: pens 9, 10, 17, 19, (two birds)

Pen 9 deserves special mention for having produced six eggs a day on six occasions during the month. Pens 12, 2, 23, (twice) and pens 5, 4, 1, 14 (once).

Feather eating among the light classes principally, is still prevalent, neccessitating further use of the bitter aloes and lard mixture. This proves very effective until the birds remove the mixture by dusting.

A point brought out by the hot weather experienced on the 11th, 12th and 13th of May, was that the heavy classes were more affected than the light weights. In three instances it was noticed in class one of decreased egg yield immediately after the hot weather. This occured in those pens only that were already laying very poorly.

Now that the birds are in full lay, the animal food has been increased, from seven to ten percent, which is the limit proposed. The first increase was given in the January-February period.

W. H. Stroyan, Supt. J. R. Terry Sec.

GARAGE IMPROVED

The Kootenay Garage has just completed laying a new concrete floor with a cleaning and working pit, which greatly facilitates repairing the lower parts of the automobiles. The pit is three feet wide by 10 feet long and 4 feet deep. When a machine is in need of repair the mechanic can work underneath in a convenient upright position.

R. S. Bevan, the manager has arranged a novel window display in the form of an actual working power pump. A small cam device attached to a little gasoline enjine pumps water into a pail which never overflows or goes foil. The pump is a lute make and will lift water 125 feet.

Last week two new Ford cars were recieved, one of which was sent to a party at Nelson after being through to Kootenay Lake.

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J. B. Moran - - Prop.

CONCENTRATOR AT TRAIL DISMANTLED

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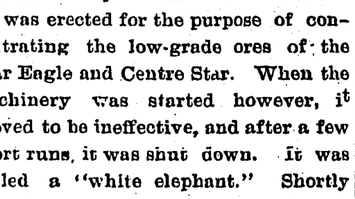
building and the plant cost about $250,000 Considerable of the machinery was sent to the Snowshoe mine, near Phoenix and to the No. 7 mine, a few miles from Phoenix and to other places four years since by the Consolidated Co. All of the nails, bolts, timber and boards have to be loaded on board of cars and will be transported to the smelter and piled up for use. The timber culls, no use for any other purpose are to be sawed into cord wood, the company furnishing an electric motor and power for that purpose.

The machinery left in the concentrator, which consists of Chilian mills, shafting etc., is to be taken apart and stored in a building that stands near the concentrator. Nearly all of it can be utilized by the Consolidated Co.

About ten years ago the concentrator was erected by the Rossland Power Co, under the direction of Edmund B. Kirby, who at that time and for several years previous was in charge of the war-eagle and Centre Star and other properties controlled by the Gooderham - Bloakstock Syndicate. The Rossland Power Co., was one of the subsidiary companies controlled by the Gooderham - Blackstock syndicate. The concentrator was erected for the purpose of concentrating the low-grade ores of the War Eagle and Centre Star. When the machinery was started however, it proved to be ineffective, and after a few short runs, it was shut down. It was called a "white elephant." Shortly after the concentrator fiasco, Mr. Kirby resigned and has been seen no more in this portion of the world.

When the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co., was incorporated in May 2 1094, the compressor was acquired by company with many other goods, chattels of the Gooderham-Blackstock syndicate which included the Centre Star and War Eagle mines. The concentrator has remained idle and useless ever since. The only thing that has been done was to take out the machinery and send it to where it could be used. Now it is to be torn down and thus will disappear one of the most expensive monuments of foolish and irrational expenditure that has ever been seen in the Kootenays.—Rossland Miner.



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Guy Lowenberg,

Dated May 10, 1912. Applicant.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lots 8 and 10 Block 36 Town of Creston, Map 693.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof, a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned lot in the name of Charles Orrin Rodgers which Certificate is dated the 2nd day of April 1909 at 9:30 A. M. and numbered 10449A.

Nelson, B. C., 14th May 1912 Sam. C. L Roe, District Registrar

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AMONG THE RANCHERS

NOTE—Whereas it is only possible for fruit magazines and publications to cover the field of fruit raising in a general manner, the Review has installed this department in which ideas derived from actual experience by ranchers of this locality, shall be printed, thus making the subject matter of direct interest to this valley's fruit growers.

This week we turned our footsteps in search of a successful strawberry grower and as this is Creston Valley our search was not of long duration. W. K. Brown is one of the foremost of the many successful berry growers but as he is more of a worker than talker, his ranch had to speak largely for itself and it surely does that.

But it is our purpose to confine our attention this week to strawberries, and we will not take the time to describe the fruit trees and small fruits that adorn Mr. Brown's place.

The widely separated rows of strawberry plants and the evenly spaced plants in the rows show that the rancher is a believer of the hill system which gives each plant an opportunity to do its best, and certainly this system is a good one for his plants are simply loaded with blossoms and large berries which will soon be ready for the market

Swamp grass is used largely for a mulch although much of the land is a rich black loam and naturally forms a fine dust mulch, This swamp grass or as it is something called, snake grass breaks up and rots quickly so that it can be plowed under readily with the plants when they begin to decline, thus giving it an advantage over ordinary straw, which would have to be raked or burned off.

Mr. Brown believes that of the varieties of berries that do well here, the Klyde, Parsons Beauty, Bountiful and Magoon are among the best.

Cut-worms which have been the worst pest the ranchers have had to deal with season, have made inroads on some of the plants. About the best remedy for this trouble where chickens are kept and paris green and bran cannot be safely scattered, is shallow fall plowing which throws the grub to the surface where the winter exposure kills it.

The currants on this ranch are also thrifty and bearing so bountifully that they need special mention. All of the fruits have thrived well under the care of the ranch owner. He certainly has the know how, judging from prizes which his frnit drew last fall at Creston's Annual Apple Show.

SIRDAR PERSONALS

Mrs Rodenbaugh went to Cranbrook last week.

Mayor Wright of Kuskanook lost one one of his driving horses with the colic.

Miss Grace Quaife returned from a visit with her aunt at Cal ary, last Saturday.

The remodeling of Hotel Sirdar has been completed Harry Leonard of Creston puting on the finishing touches with the paint brush. A billiard table is among the new equipment

KITCHENER NOTES

Mr. E. Coyle from Alberta is visiting at Kitchener this week, staying at the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Young of Creston spent a couple of days here fishing.

Mr. Winlow was here a day last week looking over his timber limit.

Messrs. Johnston and Taylor of Yahk spent a very pleasant time here fishing up the Goat river.

G. Andeon of Kitchener Hotel made a business trip to Cranbrook this week.

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PERCY B. FOWLER, Manager, Creston Branch

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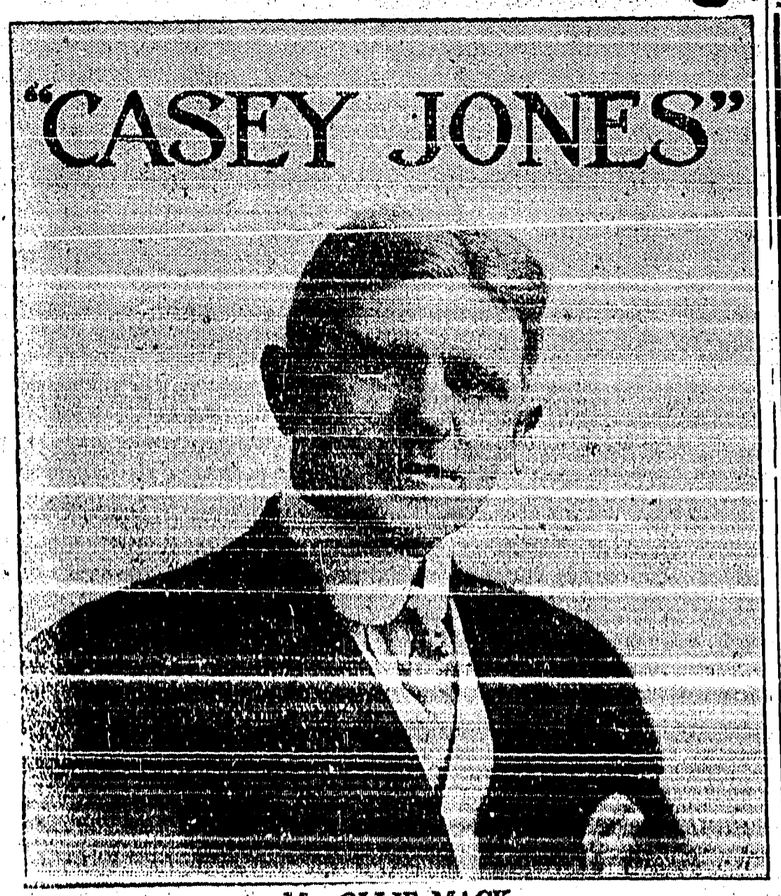

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Unnoticed

Laura—Oh, did you see the suffragette parade in New York?

Ella—Yes, indeed. It was just fine!

Laura—My aunt was in the cavalry. Didn't you notice her?

Ella—Why, no, I didn't. She must have rode a side saddle, didn't she?
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Son—Dad what was meant by the Mother-language?

Pater—Sh! Sh!—my son! Don't start her.

CHOICE TOBACCOS AND CIGARETTES

On the "Made-in-Canada" Train

The special train, bearing the "Made-in-Canada" Exhibit, which left Montreal on May 16th, and is touring the West until July 1st, is creating unusual interest all along the line.

One of its notable exhibits is that of the Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada, Limited, the largest manufacturers of smoking and chewing tobaccos and cigarettes in the Dominion.

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Joe—Why, mother, I think she has seen the sign, "Now is the time to lay in your coal.—Life.

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CORRESPONDENCE

THE SAMPLE MARKET

Grain Fixing and Grain Mixing

Dear Mr. Editor,

Will you permit an ordinary homesteader to pass an opinion on a very plausible, and at the same time a very great injury that threatens the grain trade of the West? I refer to the establishment of a sample market.

The grain sharks are making a determined effort to get legal authority to open such markets in Winnipeg and Fort William. The scheme is to take a certain quantity of grain from every carload and place it on view in the grain exchange, and as soon as the car is sold, the car from which the sample is taken is sent to its destination by the railway company. Meanwhile the cars are delayed in transit twenty-four hours, and cars not arriving at Winnipeg before eleven o'clock on Saturday mornings are held until eleven o'clock on the following Monday morning. This means that the loss of time in transit caused by the sample market, reduces the carrying capacity of the railway companies nearly two days in every week. This, on the three main lines of railway to Lake Superior, equals a reduction of about 2,500 out of a total of 15,000 available for the transportation of grain during the whole of the busy season.

Now, sir, I look on this as a very serious matter. The great cry, almost menacing in its intensity, from the Rocky Mountains to the Lake of the Woods, has been and will be, "Give us cars! more cars!! more cars!!!" And every newspaper in Western Canada re-echoes the cry, "More cars!!!" And this too in the face of the fact that next fall will witness an increase of millions of bushels of grain to be transported to eastern markets. It is nothing short of criminal folly in the face of these facts to place such an obstacle as a sample market in the way to prevent rapid and efficient transportation to Fort William and Port Arthur.

It is seldom, indeed that I can commend the railway companies, but I cannot shut my eyes to the fact that they are all straining every nerve to prepare for the fall rush. They are laying double tracks as quickly as possible. They are improving their terminals. They are largely increasing their elevator storage capacity. They are buying hundreds of locomotives and thousands of cars. And shall we stand supinely by and see the grain sharks block the march of progress. No! A thousand times no. Rather let us help ourselves to get our grain quickly to the lake front by seeing that no obstacles are needlessly allowed to interfere with the transportation companies. The farmers are perfectly right in asking for more cars, and the railway companies must do their utmost to comply with the demand, but is it not a queer way to get them when we allow the available supply to be cut down to the tune of 2,500 at one lick.

There is another aspect of this barefaced attempt to impose a sample market on us farmers. Ever since the mixing of wheat in the elevators was forbidden by law, desperate attempts have been made by the grain sharks, backed by the big interests, the financiers and very likely by the railway companies, to get at the wheat and play their old game of mixing grades, and robbing us farmers. Once allow a sample market and they can mix wheat to their heart's content. Nothing is easier for them. They buy a number of cars of maybe rejected wheat by sample, then buy a car or two of the higher grade, send the whole to an elevator, dump the good and bad into the same bin, mix the whole thoroughly and steal a higher grade and sell at a price that nets a substantial profit. Thus the mixing is as thorougnly done as it would be if there were no law to prevent it.

The men who are actively seeking to get the sample market established are the same gang who formed the Winnipeg grain combine, which controlled the entire wheat market of Western Canada. They are the men who named the price to be paid for wheat at every shipping point until the farmers got the Grain Act amended so as to compel the railways to accept wheat loaded in cars at loading platforms and the distribution of empty cars to elevators and farmers on equal terms. Ever since, this grain combine has been extremely persistent in their efforts to regain as much as they possibly could of their former control of the grain trade. Their latest is the sample market swindle. I cannot believe that they will succeed. But "Eternal vigilance is the price of freedom," from our subjection to the exactions of this unprincipled gang of plutocrats.

I fail to see how we can gain from the opening of a sample market, but, as I have proved, we can lose much. We now have honest inspectors and honest grades. Our markets are free and open, and are beyond the manipulation of greedy men, who seek only to enrich themselves at the cost of the farmers. Let us keep them so.

Yours truly,
C.H.B.

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Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

Portia

No use whispering soft nothings to that girl—she's a law student.

She's very happy. How does being a law student affect her case?

Well, she's quick to detect the incompetent, the irrevelant and the immaterial.

Practical

You waited two hours outside the theatre? Weren't you awfully bored?

Rather not. I had a small bottle of petrol with me and I took the spots off the man's coat in front of me.—Fliegende Blatter.

Where Ignorance is Bliss

We are afraid that the Southern editor, who says a poet, like a child, is better seen than heard never saw a real poet.—Cleveland Dealer.

TWO YEARS SUFFERING

Brought on by a Severe Strain—How a Cure Was Found

Mr. Joseph Stephens, Rosemount, Ont., is one of the great host who continually sound the praises of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he has much reason to do so as they brought him from suffering to health, after he had spent much money and two years of time experimenting with other treatments. Mr. Stephens tells his experience as follows: "In the month of January, 1908, while working in a logging camp at Creston, B.C., I got my back badly injured. I suffered a great deal of pain and was almost helpless. I tried plasters, thinking they would help me, but they were of no use. I took several medicines, equally without benefit. Then I was advised to try electrical treatment and did so for a time, but without getting any permanent relief, and it began to look as though I was going to be permanently crippled. Then I was advised to undergo treatment with a specialist at Spokane, Wash. After examining me he said I was in a very bad shape and that the trouble was likely to result in Bright's disease. However, he told me that he felt sure he could cure me. At a heavy expense I was under his treatment for three months, but did not get the least benefit. I was almost in despair; work was plentiful and wages good, but I could not work, as I was quite unable to bend. I was in this condition for about two years, when my brother, who was with me all the time, came across one of Dr. Williams' pamphlets and read of the great work Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were doing. He urged me to try them, but I thought it would be useless to spend more money after all the other treatment had failed. He insisted, however, and got a dozen boxes of the Pills and I began to take them. Before I had used a half dozen boxes I felt relief, and I continued taking the Pills until every vestige of the pain was gone, and I could raise my hands above my head and then bend until I could touch my toes with my fingers, something I had not been able to do for over two years. My cure was a great surprise to my comrades, and you may be sure I told them what had brought it about. I am now as well and strong as any man in the country and I owe it all to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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

DOGS HUNT SMUGGLERS

Animals Employed by Customs Authorities in Austria

Dogs are now being employed by the Austrian Customs authorities to hunt down smugglers. They are a cross between a greyhound and a wolf and are trained to detect persons endeavoring to cross the frontier with contraband by attacking the dogs employed by the latter.

The smugglers' dogs have shown themselves of great use in carrying pockets of contraband and eluding the revenue officers at the outposts. Now they are being hunted and killed by the Customs' dogs, which afterward lead Customs officials to the trail.

The smugglers trained their dogs by a course of whipping on one side of the frontier, and feeding on the other. Then the dog, usually a comparatively small animalwas flate nd the oinn small animal was fitted with the skin of a larger dog, usually a poodle, and the space between filed with saccharin, tobacco or other contraband.

Doing One's Best

A man really never knows when he has reached his best. Given a resolute will and fixity of purpose, the good of today can be made better tomorrow in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred. In the matters that really count progress and improvement are possible right up to the very gates of death—after that we fancy they will be still more possible. All that is necessary to make our own best a little better is the steady, upward striving. And it is a terribly crippling delusion that makes us think at any time that we have reached, the highest and best that is possible for us. Nothing will send us down in standard of achievement and purposing quicker than to even secretly cherish that conviction. Our best way and only way ought to be ever ahead of us.—Christian Guardian.

The Troublesome Garden Tools

With the coming of Spring it is said those who own motor cars operate them with considerably less speed not, however, always because of the county ordinances or out of consideration for their fellow citizen's safety.

On one occasion two motorists were crawling up a highway where lately a friend (then riding with one of them) knew they had formerly gone at top speed. The friend asked why the car was run so slowly.

"Why," explained the driver of the car, with perfect naivete, "everybody's carrying garden tools now, and you can't run over a man without risking a puncture."

The Duncans had corned beef and cabbage for dinner, and while the blessing was being asked, Mrs. Duncan observed that the head of her daughter Clara was not inclined.

Don't you know, Clara, she said, that your head should always be bowed when you are taking part in the blessing?

But mamma, the child protested, I wasn't taking part in the blessing; I don't like corned beef and cabbage.

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Happy Married Life

I married a suffragette, said Mr. Cholmondely Rippingate of Hyde Park, and for five years have found unspeakable happiness.

I'm glad to hear it, said the suffragette leader.

Yes, said Rippingate. Mrs. Rippingate has been in jail four years and three months altogether.—Harper's Weekly.

His Fatal Kindness

The difficulties of supplanting nature is shown in a Fulton, Mo., dispatch to a Rochester paper. The communication declares that when Roy Chamberlain's pet dog lost one of his legs, the chances seemed to be against Shep staying this side of the dog heaven, but Roy built a wooden leg and attached it to the stump of Shep's limb.

Shep each night went to his master and permitted his artificial leg to be removed, and in the morning it was strapped on again. Shep was really a much improved watchdog because he did not run around nights.

The wooden leg, however, was the cause of Shep's death. In a fit of absent-mindedness he went after a particularly ambitious flea that had chosen his head as a delving ground and fractured his skull as he attempted to kill the insect with his wooden leg.

Roy painted the leg white and used it as a marker for Shep's grave.

Viewed With Suspicion

Before he was well known Wendell Phillips, the abolitionist, went to Charlestown and put up at a hotel. He had breakfast served in his room and was waited upon by a slave. Mr. Phillips seized the opportunity to present to the negro in a pathetic way that he regarded hi mas a man and brother. The negro, however, seemed more anxious about his breakfast than he was about his position in the social scale. Phillips became discouraged and told him to go away, saying that he could not bear to be waited on by a slave.

"You must 'scuse me, massa," said the negro, "I'se 'bliged to stay here, 'cause I'm 'sponsible for the silverware."—Indianapolis News.

A While for a Time

A Cleveland school teacher writes that she asked her class what was the difference between the expressions "a while" and "a time." Nobody seemed to have any idea on the subject. Finally the light of intelligence was seen to shine in the eyes of one little boy, and the teacher called upon him to save the intellectual honor of the class.

"I know, teacher!" he cried eagerly "When papa says he's going out for a while, mamma says she knows he's going out for a time!"

That's one way of looking at it.
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

What's become of that train you used to take into the city in the mornings? asked the city man of the suburbanite.

Oh, its been taken off, replied the suburbanite.

You must miss it?

Not as often as I used to.—Yonkers Statesman.

Leading Man—Then I must borrow ten cents.

Sub-manager—Why?

Leading Man—I have four day's growth upon my chin. One cannot play Hamlet in a beard.

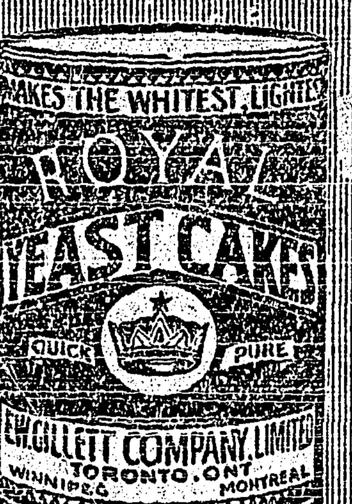
Sub-manager—Um—well—we'll put on Macbeth.—Punch.

Oh, for a drink from the old oaken bucket! exclaimed the early boarder. Where is it? The old oaken bucket was unsanitary, explained the farmer. We have supplied individual drinking cups instead.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Leading man in travelling company—We play Hamlet to-night, Laddie, do we not?

Sub-manager—Yes, Mr. Montgomery.

THE STANDARD ARTICLE USED EVERYWHERE



THE KIND THAT PLEASES THE PEOPLE

MOST PERFECT MADE

The Unburied Hatchet

For a number of years a bitter feud existed between the Browns and Perkinsees, next door neighbors. The trouble had originated through the depredations of Brown's cat, and had grown so fixed an affair that neither party ever dreamed of "making up." One day, however, Brown sent by his servant a peace-making note for Mr. Perkins, which read:

"Mr. Brown sends his compliments to Mr. Perkins and begs to say his old cat died this morning."

Mr. Perkins' written reply was bitter:—

"Mr. Perkins is sorry to hear of Mr. Brown's trouble, but he had not heard that Mrs. Brown was ill."

His Own Comfort

Lady (annoyed at smoke)—Why don't you go in a smoking compartment?

Gentleman—Because I don't like other people's smoke.—Pele Mele.

The Irrepressible Conflict

Ho! sneered Tommie. You ain't any body. Your papa ain't got any ortymobile like my papa has.

Maybe he ain't, retorted Billie, but we've got a camphor chest upstairs in our attic that smells like one.—Harper's Weekly.

What did Noah live on when the flood had subsided and his provisions in the ark were exhausted? asked a Sunday school teacher of her class on Sunday. "I know," squeaked a little girl after all the others had given up. "Well what? inquired the teacher. "Dry land."—Tit-Bits.

Clerk—May I have a fortnight off, sir? I want to get married.

Boss—Two weeks with measles last winter, three weeks with grip in the spring and now you want to get married. Really, Brown, there always seems to be something wrong with you.

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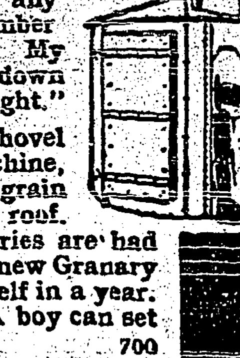

"See how the man at the left can shovel grain in from the threshing machine, if it has no leg-spout to deliver grain direct through the manhole on the roof. The other man is bagging grain. Granaries are had with door-section or plain, as desired. My new Granary is just right for saving cost. It pays for itself in a year. It comes in sections—low freight cost. A boy can set up. Write for my descriptive booklet." 700

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THE TIDE OF IMMIGRATION TO THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES

Manitoba Takes the Lead During the Past Year in Securing New Settlers, but Many go to Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.

Ottawa.—That the efforts of the Manitoba government and the "Million-for-Manitoba" league to turn the tide of immigration toward the province is proving highly successful already, is shown by official figures of the departments of the interior.

There were ten thousand more immigrants settled in Manitoba during the last fiscal year than the year previous, and the rates of the first month of the present year shows that all records for Manitoba will be passed this year.

Most of the new settlers are wealthy farmers who are purchasing improved properties. The official figures of 1911-12 show that 43,477 new settlers gave as their destination Manitoba, as compared with 34,653 the previous year.

Saskatchewan obtained 46,158, an increase of six thousand, and Alberta 45,957, an increase of a thousand; British Columbia figures being 51,843, a slight falling off.

Ontario is given the credit for obtaining the lion's share of the immigration the total being 100,227. However this does not take into account the vast immigration of Ontario farmers westward or the fact that many British settlers, after a short stay in Ontario struck for the prairie province.

Quebec's share was 50,602, and the maritime provinces, 15,973. Of last year's 354,237 new settlers, more than a third were from United Kingdom. The British immigrants totalled 138,121, and American, 133,710. From Europe came 82,406 settlers.

Of the British isles, 96,806 were from England, 32,988 from Scotland, and 8,327 from Ireland.

Ten years ago the British immigration only amounted to 11,810. There were debarred at ocean ports last year only 972 as compared with 2,210 the year 1910-11. Of these debarred, 246 were for lack of funds, while the year previous, 1033 were debarred for the same reason.

Of the British immigration bonuses were paid or 23,183, or 18.78 per cent. and 3,613 of the American immigration, or 2.79 per cent. and 2,111 European settlers, or 2.56 per cent.

During the last year 39,151 homesteads were entered on. 5,379 of the entries were English, 1,041 were Scottish, 476 Irish and 10,978 Americans. The European entries were 904.

The immigration authorities figure that 20 per cent of the English, 18 per cent of the Scottish, 23 per cent of the Irish, 36 per cent American and 31 per cent Europeans took up homesteads. Of last year's immigration which arrived at ocean ports 72,828 are classed as farmers, 61,752 as general laborers, 24,133 as mechanics, 14,158 as clerks and trades, 14,348 as miners and 18,390 as domestics.

The cost of obtaining Canada's 354,000 immigrants was $1,080,208, or under three dollars a head.

ROUND THE HORN

Rails Being Shipped from Cape Breton to British Columbia

Vancouver, B.C.—T. G. Holt, executive agent of the Canadian Northern railway, is advised that a steamer with a cargo of 500 tons of rails for the Pacific section of the road will sail next month from Sydney, Cape Breton, for Port Mann. The vessel is expected to reach its destination in August. The rails will be used in laying the tracks from Hope to Yale, a distance of 35 miles. Other vessels with similar cargoes will follow later in the summer.

SPEND REMAINING DAYS THERE

Sir Charles Tupper Quits England as Home and will Live in Vancouver

Ottawa.—The veteran Canadian statesman and sole surviving Father of Confederation, Sir Charles Tupper, passed through Ottawa recently on his way to Vancouver where he will spend his remaining days with his son, Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper.

Sir Charles, who has resided in England for the last few years with lady Tupper, was recently bereaved by the death of his wife. After bringing the body of Lady Tupper to Canada and seeing it interred in their native province of Nova Scotia, he has now decided to spend the rest of his life in the Dominion, the welding together of which he played such a conspicuous part half a century ago.

Prince Arthur Gets Special Leave

London.—Prince Arthur of Connaught is to be granted special leave from the army in order to pay a visit to his parents in Canada during the autumn.

He will join the king at Balmoral in September and may go west afterwards so as to get some sport during the fall.

The expected presence of Princess Patricia in London for the midsummer season is now postponed until next year in order to enable her to serve as the companion of the Duchess of Connaught when she accompanies the governor-general upon the extended tour of the Dominion which has now been planned.

Tobacco Company Merger

Hamilton—Arrangements have been practically consummated looking to a merger of the McDonald Tobacco Company of Montreal, and the Tuckett Tobacco Co. of Hamilton. The reasons given for the merger are that the American Tobacco Trust can be fought more effectively in Canada by the combined efforts of the two concerns than by each cutting the other's throat.

FINDS WEAPONS OF 1000 B.C.

Austrian Explorers Make Discovery in Pit Within Cavern

Vienna.—An exploration by members of the Imperial Museum into the cavern of Saint Kanzian in the Karst Mountains has yielded more than a thousand bronze implements such as swords, axes, lance heads and vessels supposed to date from 1000 B.C. They were all found at the bottom of a pit 150 feet deep within the cavern. It is suggested they were thrown in there as a sacrifice to a subterranean deity.

Hold Picture Show Owner for Murder

Villa Real, Spain.—Eighteen of the victims of Monday's fire in the moving picture house have not yet been identified and probably never can be, as their bodies are badly charred.

Five of the injured died in the hospital today.

The proprietor of the theatre has been arrested charged with murder.

Fewer Cattle Shipped East

Lethbridge—W. R. Hill, a prominent Calgary cattle magnate, who is on a visit here says that very few cattle will be shipped from Alberta to eastern markets this season.

Survey Vancouver Port

Ottawa.—The government has decided to make a complete survey of the port of Vancouver, with a view to laying out a big dock and harbor scheme

HAS FOUND PERFECT SPHINX

Petrie Also Reports Remarkable Discovery of Egyptian Fortress

London.—Details of the season's results in exploration by the British School of Archaeology in Egypt are described in Prof. Flinders Petrie as gigantic. An alabaster sphinx twenty-six feet long and fourteen feet high which weighed eighty tons was found at Memphis. The face is as perfect as when it was carved in 1300 B.C.

Earthern fortress walls over one hundred feet thick and a quarter of a mile across were discovered at Heliopolis. They probably date back to the early barbaric invasion.

A cemetery was discovered thirty miles south of Cairo with dates on the stones from the earliest historic age down to the period of the pyramids. Linen was found there of which some sheets went back to the eleventh dynasty. They were as white and as sweet as if they were just from the loom.

GRAIN COMMISSION

Announcement of General Policy to be Made Shortly

Ottawa.—Prof. Magill, W. D. Staples and F. N. Gibbs, members of the Canada grain commission, who have been in Ottawa for several days conferring with Hon. G. E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce, have left again for Fort William. While here they reported to the minister on the progress which has been made in the organization of the commission since its appointment, shortly after the house rose. There was a general discussion with the minister of the general policy of the government with respect to terminal elevators and grain sample markets. An announcement of the general policy to be pursued will, it is expected, be made shortly.

Fenian Raid Veterans' Re-Union

Ottawa.—A re-union of all Fenian raid veterans is being planned by John P. McMillan, of Cornwall, to be held in Cornwall some time in June, preferably etween thbe 20th and the 27th. Overtures are being made with the different railroad companies to grant the veterans special rates to and from Cornwall from all parts of the Dominion. The Duke of Connaught has been invited to attend and it is understood it is very probable he will accept the invitation.

Use Wireless in Survey

Toronto—The Ontario government is preparing a new map of Ontario which will show the newly added territory of Patricia, next to Manitoba. When this map makes its appearance before the public the new territory will be colored green. No arrangement has as yet been made for surveying the boundary between this province and Manitoba. In doing this work, wireless telegraphy will probably be used, one station being established at Port Nelson.

Militia Training Camps

Ottawa.—That there will be 14 large training camps on the same scale as Petawawa next year is Col. Sam Hughes' plan for economizing in the present expense to bring the militia to the training camps. This will mean 13 new camps.

There will be located in Saskatchewan one new training camp in the north and another in the south, while the same will apply to British Columbia and Manitoba.

Panama Canal Regulations

Washington. — Secretary Stimson told the state committee on Inter-Ocean canals that he favored permitting railroad owned steamships to use the Panama Canal under regulations of the interstate commerce commission. The secretary declared that he would not exclude railroad ships before wrong had been committed any more than he would have a law passed to [illegible] He favored the same tolls for domestic and foreign vessels, provided it did not violate any treaty relations.

MAY HAVE TWO NAVAL UNITS

Two Dreadnoughts, Four Cruisers, and Auxiliary Vessels on Pacific and Atlantic

Ottawa.—An interesting rumor is in circulation anent the naval proposals which, it is said, are likely to be made by Premier Borden and his colleagues to the admiralty.

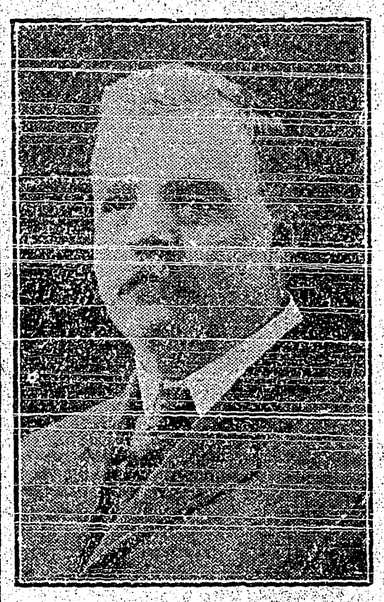
It is said that Canada will propose that the British admiralty maintain naval units of two Dreadnoughts, four cruisers and auxiliary vessels on the Pacific and Atlantic coasts. Canada to pay for the upkeep of these two units.

Canada, under these proposals, it is said, would provide large dry docks on both coasts. Of course, Premier Borden declines to discuss the report and intimates that the government will have no official announcement to make in regard to the navy.

KAISER TO FORBID DUELLING

Emperor May Issue Order as Result of Agitation

Berlin.—The Tagliche Rundschau says that as a result of the strong agitation against duelling in the army it is announced in high military circles that the Emperor soon will issue an order forbidding duels except in rare instances where honor has been grossly offended. The order will have a particular bearing on cases where a refusal to fight is made on religious grounds.



J. W. McNicol, of Lethbridge, Chairman of the Exposition Committee of the International Exposition of Dry-Farmed Products, Machinery, Sanitation and Labor-Saving Devices, to be held at Lethbridge, Alberta, October 21-26.

EUROPEAN CONDITIONS

People's Attention Absorbed by International Politics

London.—For the moment international politics are absorbing European attention. Premier Asquith's visit to the Mediterranean to meet Viscount Kitchener and his subsequent visit to Bizerta are causing people to ask, "Does it mean an Anglo-French alliance, or will Anglo-German relations improve?"

Russia's immediate aims are still puzzling everyone. There is now less hope of a nearly end of the Turco-Italian war. Still no fear is felt over any spread of hostilities this year.

The Berlin Bourse settlement this week is expected to end smoothly, but the settlement at the end of June is feared, as it is almost certain to produce great pressure.

Germany is bidding for loans here for two months at high rates. English trade is very excited.

Bordon and Hazen to go to England

Ottawa.—Official announcement is now made that Premier Borden and Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, will go to England, sailing on June 28 and arriving in London July 4 or 5.

The object of the visit is to confer with the Imperial government and one other member of the cabinet whose name is not yet announced will go also.

It may safely be assumed that the Empire question and the Canadian part in the naval defence of the Empire will figure prominently in the discussion.

Hold U.S. Horses in Canada

Lethbridge.—In the neighborhood of seventy head of American horses are being held at Milk River station by the Mounted Police. These animals were found grazing in Canadian territory on the property of Mr. Farrell of Sweet Grass, Montana. Just as to what the Dominion government will do with the animals is not yet known.

To Abolish China's Opium Traffic

London.—The Peking correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that a stringent anti-opium bill is now before the advisory council. It aims at the total suppression of the traffic before December 31.

James Ross Very Ill

Southampton, England.—James Ross, the Canadian coal and steel magnate is reported to be seriously ill, so much so that a London specialist has been called into consultation.

The Criminal Brigade

Paris.—In pursuance of the recent decision of the Paris municipal council a new branch of the police, called the criminal brigade, has been organized, consisting of 200 men.

To Establish Aviation Scout Bases

London.—The admiralty intends, according to the Chronicle, to establish aviation scout bases along the whole of Great Britain's eastern Coast.

Paris, [illegible] the municipal elections of Loon-Plage France, has committed suicide on realizing the responsibilities which would fall on him if he was elected.

NEW CANADIAN LINE

PLAN NEW ROAD TO PENETRATE THE NORTH COUNTRY

A Railway From Montreal North, to James Bay Appears to be Now Assured.—The Canadian Government Has Guaranteed a Subsidy.

Montreal.—Announcement has been made that the contemplated railroad from Montreal to James Bay is now assured. The Canadian government has guaranteed a certain subsidy and the province of Quebec has pledged itself to a very large land subsidy.

This material financial aid will enable those in charge to begin construction work speedily. Unless President Charles M. Hays of the Grand Trunk had changed his mind before his recent death in the Titanic wreck, he considered the project with disfavor and even with incredulity. Some of the railway men who were very closely associated with President Hays reported him as convinced that the proposition, both from a financial and from a commercial point of view, was unworthy the consideration of any business man.

President Hays knew that, so far as the engineering difficulties were concerned, they could be overcome. He knew what the engineers had accomplished in constructing the extension of the Grand Trunk system to the Pacific Coast. But he did not believe that the short season—not more than three months—in which James Bay and Hudson Bay are free from ice was a sufficient time to permit ocean steamship service from James Bay to Europe to be commercially practicable.

Yet President Hays forecasted the future of Canada, and especially of British North America, with a keener and more farsighted vision than any of the great railway intellects in Canadian railway construction. He had an abundant faith in the resources of the vast region of upper British North America which until a few years has been presumed to be a forest and desert defiant of the approach of man.

He assured his business associates that immigration would penetrate the wilds of British North America and in the course of a few years would develop the agricultural and the timber resources to commercial profit both for the railroads and for the pioneers.

He fixed upon a seaport just below the southern boundary of Alaska, which was to be the Pacific terminal contemplating a commerce from that port that would utilize the Panama canal and would also extend across the Pacific. He also decided to conquer for the Grand Trunk system a part at least, of New England. What effect his death will have upon the skillfully conceived plan which originated in his own mind and had for its consummation an entrance into the city of Boston, remains to be developed. The Grand Trunk, through one of its allies the Central, of Vermont, secured a right of way from a point a little east of Springfield, Mass., to Providence, R.I.

MADE OVER 200 ASCENTS

MRS. ASSHETON HARBORD

London.—The Royal Aero Club has granted an aeronaut's certificate to Mrs. Assheton Harbord, who has carried out the prescribed tests, including a solo ascent from London in her balloon Mercury, when she remained alone in the upper atmosphere for nearly three hours.

THE MARKET REPORT

Weekly Grain Letter Supplied by Thompson, Sons & Co., Grain Merchants, Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, May 22.—The gradual weakening of the wheat markets which became so pronounced during last week culminated on Monday of this week with another decline of 1c to 1½c. High points of the recent large advance in the United States markets were reached about the 7th inst. The advance began about 6th to 9th April when the damage to the soft winter wheat crops in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri began to be confirmed by the investigations and reports of private crop experts, which later were officially validated by the Government's May crop report. From the beginning of April up to about the 7th inst. there was a gradual advance in prices in the speculative markets with almost no reactions, the advance running from 10c. to 17c. per bushel according to the different markets. Cash prices followed the speculative prices, although reluctantly. Of course this large advance was confined to the United States markets, although it had a strengthening influence in all grain markets over the world. The fact is, however, that the wheat situation in the United States in these latter days runs very close to a wholly domestic proposition, where the [illegible] points to a partial failure of the crop. The prospect of higher prices as the result of crop damage reports broadened the United States markets in April, and started the public to buy July and September wheat speculatively. By the second week of this month, when the advances had reached the figures mentioned above, the damage reports had begun to lose their influence and were replaced by favourable reports from the hard winter wheat states, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Nebraska, and then the markets paused, held fairly steady for a week without any further bullish stimulus appearing, and for lack of it the inevitable reaction started. The big professional operators who had bought freely on the upward movement sold out their holdings as quietly as possible, securing good profits. The more wide awake among the public also got out as quickly as possible when they discovered how the current was moving, and lastly the longs who had overstayed their market were shaken out, each stage in the decline being helped along by bear operators selling short. There has been a decline of around 7c from the high points around May 7th to the low points reached on Monday the 20th. The viewpoint of the market has again changed. The United States visible supply is seen to be decreasing heavily. The damage reports are being revised. The spring wheat crop in the United States has had a fairly favourable start, but there is believed to be a large decrease in the acreage. The world is being reminded that the United States wheat crop is not grown yet, and while most of it is green and flourishing in appearance much of the winter wheat is thin on the ground and weedy, and all of it has its most critical time before it, and the markets have advanced 2c to 3c from the low points reached on the 20th inst. The large decrease in the United States visible supply in the last two weeks is attracting attention as is also the smallness of the world's exports last week as compared with the same week last year, and this week Bradstreet's world's visible stocks shows a large decrease compared with a liberal increase last year. Along with these, the primary receipts in the United States each day this week show considerably less than on same days last year, and the primary shipments show considerably larger. If this comparison continues to the same degree in the next three or four weeks the United States visible which has looked so big all winter, will have become less than it was a year ago. Last year, owning to the very warm dry weather the United States winter wheat had an early harvest; this year there is the prospect that it will be a late one. Last week the United States visible supply decreased 3,612,000 bus., compared with a decrease of only 506,000 bus. same week last year and it now stands at 34,568,000 against about 27,101,000 bus. last year. The world's shipments last week were 11,356,000 bus., against 16,280,000 bus. same week last year. The world's visible supply according to Bradstreets decreased last week 4,716,000 bus against an increase of 3,036,000 bus. last year. Since the 1st July, 1911, to date, the shipments from exporting countries to importing countries have been 107,000,000 bus. less than in the same period of 1910-1911. While the price making factor for the present and immediate future is the supply to meet the current demand up to the time new crops begin to move out of the farmers' hands, that for the more distant future will be the prospect for the yield of the new crops. At the present time there is no certainty that the production of wheat in the crop year 1912-1913 will be larger than for the previous year, but with good growing conditions in the larger producing countries, it may be. Just now it looks certain that the United States will produce less, but a favorable season for the spring wheat may improve the prospect. In Western Canada the seeding season has been a mixed one as regards weather, there having been an unusual quantity of rain and cool weather. It is difficult to estimate the acreage yet, but it is not nearly so large as it would have been with a drier seed-time. A great deal of the seed has been run into stubble land without plowing, and much of the seed is inferior, and it will need a favorable season during the next three months for good results. In Europe the reports read as if fair average crops might be expected if average weather conditions continue till crops are secured. It is now seed-time in Australia and the Argentine. Conditions are favorable in the latter country, but the weather in Australia has been too dry, and there is talk of a decrease in the acreage for the new crop. Whatever new crops may turn out the world is going to begin the new season with a very small surplus of old wheat in both visible and invisible supplies.

Our Winnipeg market has been comparatively steady and firm. During the weakness in the markets in the forepart of the week under review the demand for cash wheat was quiet, but with the advance in prices in the last two days a good demand has sprung up again. Receipts from the country continue liberal, and contain a larger proportion of the higher grade owing to elevator companies having shipped out their low grades and kept the best wheat to the last. The movement east by lake has been very large, and terminal stocks are now getting down to a moderate size. To-day's cash prices are: 1 Nor., $104¾; 2 Nor., 101¾; 3 Nor. 96¾c.; No. 4 wheat, 87c.; No. 5, 74½c.; No. 6, 64c. Feed 53c.; No. 2 Alberta Red Winter, 97c; No. 3 A.R., 95c.; No. 4 A.R., 88c. Futures closed: May, $104⅞; July, 105¾; October, 99¾.

Oats—

The oat market had quite a decline, the May option losing 4c. per bushel, closing at 44½ on Monday against 48⅝c last Wednesday. The feed grades declined only 2c. There has been a recovery of 1c to 1¼c since Monday, and the demand is good again. To-day's cash prices are: 2 Canadian Western, 46c.; 3 C.W., 41½c; Ex. 1 Futures closed: May , etaoin taoin Fd. 43¾c; 1 Fd. 43¼c; 2 Fd., 41½c;

Barley—

The barley market is quiet and prices nominal.

Flax—

The flax market continues firm, and to-day's cash prices are 1 N.W. $2.01; 1 Man., $1.96; Rejected, $1.78. Futures closed: May $1.98; July, $1.90¾.

All prices quoted above are for on delivery in store Fort William and Port Arthur.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON X—SECOND QUARTER FOR JUNE 9, 1912

Text of the Lesson, Luke vi. 39-49. Memory Verses, 47-49—Golden Text, Jas. 1, 22—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

This seems to be our last study for the present from the sermons on the mount and on the plain and reminds us of one of our Lord's sayings on the night of His betrayal, "If ye know these things, happy are ye if ye do them" (John xiii. 17. See also His words in Luke viii, 21, "My mother and my brethren are these which hear the word of God and do it." In verse 46 of our lesson His words, "Why call ye me Lord, Lord, and do not the things which I say?" are very similar to Matt. vii, 21, "Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven, but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven." There is no conflict between all similar sayings and such words as these: "Being justified freely by His grace." "To him that worketh not, but believeth on Him that justifieth the ungodly, his faith is counted for righteousness." "By grace are ye saved through faith, not of works." "Not by works of righteousness which we have done." (Rom. iii, 24; iv. 5; Eph. ii. 8, 9; Tit. iii, 5). The former texts refer to the life and works of saved people as an evidence before men of their salvation by the finished work of Christ, with an awful warning that no mere "say so" on our part will suffice. There will be many who profess to be the Lord's but who are not sincere, not born from above, to whom He will say in that day, "I never knew you; depart from me ye that work iniquity" (Matt. vii, 23). Members of churches who are satisfied to be such and rest on the fact of their baptism in infancy or confirmation or standing in the church or the community, but do not know the forgiveness of sins, having never been redeemed by the precious blood of Christ, and while in their place in church once a week are wholly in the world and live only for this present world, how fearful their future in the outer, where there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth (Matt. viii, 12; xiii, 42, 50; xii, 13; xxiv, 51; xxv 30,41).

While this will be the doom of many, it is not for us to judge any one, but to see to it that we ourselves are truly the Lord's and live to help others to be truly His and to let Him work in us to will and to do of His good pleasure (verses 37, 38; Phil. ii, 13). If we do not see clearly ourselves we cannot lead others, and in Matt. vii, 15, we are told of false prophets who outwardly seem to be sheep but inwardly are ravening wolves, not living to help the sheep but to devour them. These are more fully described in Jer. xxiii, 14-26, as speaking a vision of their own heart, prophesying deceit, making people vain, encouraging evildoers and telling them that no evil would come upon them, perverting the words of the living God. Such people wanted to kill Jeremiah because he spoke only what the Lord told him (Jer. xxiv, 7-11). The word of the Lord is not acceptable to the world and especially to the worldly part of the church, which cannot endure sound doctrine. Our Lord so taught his disciples and talked with His Father about it (John xv. 18, 19, xvii, 14). The margin of lesson, verse 40, says that every disciple shall be perfected as his Master and Heb. ii, 10, says that the captain of our salvation was made perfect through sufferings. He was always absolutely perfect, but as our High Priest, able to sympathize. He had to be tried Heb. ii, 17, 18) and to learn obedience by the things which He suffered (Heb. v, 8, 9).

According to our Lord's heart searching teaching when we think that we see failings in others we must remember that, while there may be a trifle wrong with the other party, the probability is that the greatest trouble is at our own end. We are not therefore to judge one another any more, but endeavor not to be a stumbling block in another's way (Rom. xiv, 13). Ambitious to be quiet and to mind one's own business (1 Thess. iv. 11, R. V., margin, and Weymouth), and so to abide as branches that the vine may bear the desired fruit unhindered. The last clause of lesson, verse 45, says, "Of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh." Compare Matt. xii, 34. "The mouth of fools poureth out foolishness; a wholesome tongue is a tree of life" (Prov. xv. 2, 4). I have just received a letter concerning one who was filled with pity for two others behind whom she walked whose conversation was wholly concerning dress and the fashions. Soon she found herself in a shopping district and somewhat fascinated by the very things she had condemned in others. As she passed on the words held her, "As he thinketh in his heart, so is he." (Prov. xxiii, 7). Being ashamed, she determined to fill herself with the words of Jesus that her thoughts might be more like him. She found it a splendid remedy and has since been greatly blessed in the use of His Words thus laid up in her heart. This is a practical illustration of Prov. xxii, 18, 21, which I, too, have for many years proved in my life and teaching. It is possible to be a well of living water springing up for the benefit of others.

To Educate Young Farmers

London—The government of New Zealand intends to educate young farmers in the near future. The cabinet has allotted a large sum for the immediate erection of apprentices' quarters at the experimental farm outside Wellington. The lads will be instructed by officers of the agricultural training, a similar organization will be paid, increasing in proportion to the degree of industry and ability shown by the students.

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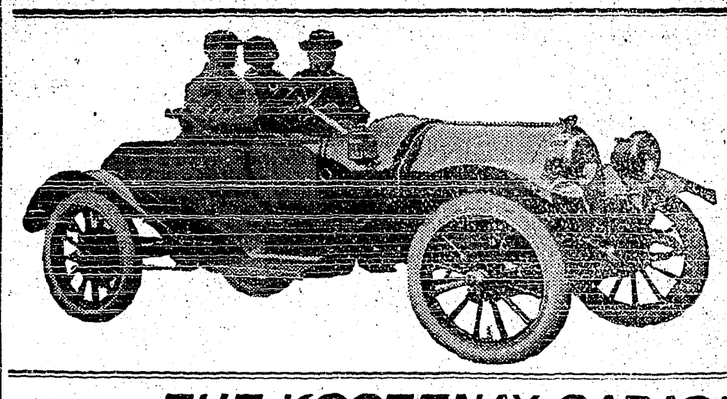

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Word has been received by the Panama-Pacific International Officials that Costa Rica would participate in the 1915 Universal Exposition.

That country is the eighth foreign nation that has accepted President Taft's invitation to take part in the nation's celebration of the completion of the Panama Canal, Thus far Japan, Haiti, Guatamala, Salvador, Panama, Honduras and Mexico have notified the State Department at Washington, that they will make exhibits on a large scale at the coming Exposition.

On Wednesday last week, Mrs. Livingstone, Provincial Organizing Superintendent of the W. C. T. U., met the local Union at the mance. The regular monthly meeting was held and some business finished. Mrs. Fairhead and daughter were elected delegates to attend the annual convention at Vancouver in June. Five new members were recieved. Mrs. Livingstone then gave the ladies a talk on the subject of Purity; she also spoke of the keeping Mother's Day which was such a success at Nelson. It was suggested that Creston keep Father's Day in place of it, on the second Sunday in July. Tea was then served and Mrs. Blake then played the part of a clever hostes. Mrs. Livingstone, again spoke in the evening at the Methodist church at which a goodly number were present. Our ex-president, Miss E. V. Dannard also spoke a few words, pleading for the support of the members in behalf of her successor, Mrs. St. Jean.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST MINING REGULATIONS

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for twenty-one years, renewable at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres can be leased to one applicant. Royalty five cents per ton. In unsurveyed territory the tract must be staked out by the applicant in person, and personal application to the Agent or sub-Agent of Dominion Lands for the district must in all cases be made and the rental for the first year must be paid to the agent within thirty days after filing application

QUARTZ—A person eighteen years of age and over, having made a discovery may locate a claim 1,500 foot by 1,500. Fee, $5. At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the Mining Recorder When $500,0 has been expended or paid and other requirements complied with, the claim may be purchased at $1 an acre.

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Dear Editor

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The exhibition of craftsmen in driving nails into the coffin for one of our pet infants was a revelation to all sober minded present.

There was no perceptible difference in the skill on either side and both parties to the contravercy will have to share equally in the responsibility should the infant occupy the coffin.

Our public trusted men should keep in mind, that we do not live in age of Knighthood when valor was measured by one's skill in execution with the sword (be it steel or mouth) but in the twentieth century, when the public deemed fairness, tack and diplomacy in ferreting the cause of its interest. The tie of public sentiment has been lost to many a worthy cause by cruel treatment of the foe.

Any well regulated community is better off with its critic, and the public is prone to give this person a wider scope of expression than the rest of a .

Could we only keep in mind, that there is so much good in the worst of us and so much bad in the best of us, that soberly considered there is not much fault to find with either of us.

May I then venture to trust that the wounds inflicted may soon heal over to leave no scar to mar the application of good will and brotherly emity, without which every one of us will be paddling against the current.

Most fraternal
O. J. Wigen.

PREMIUM LISTS OUT

Spokane, Wash., May, 27—Twenty thousand copies of the new Spokane Fair Premium List have been mailed out during the past week. Any one interested and not receiving a copy can secure one by addressing the Fair office, 503 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Spokane.

One of the attractive offers in this book is the large cash prize of $2250 offered for District Displays. $1000 is is given for apple prizes and over $4,000 in all on agricultural and horticultural products. Some of the features of the coming Interstate Fair mentioned in this book are a Big Baby Show, a Rock Drilling Contest, a Log Choping Contest the School for Farm Boys, and the Mammoth Night Show, "The Conquest of Mexico by the Spaniards." $135,000 will be spent in this six days' Exhibition and it is expected to eclipse all previous Spokane Fair Records.

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