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NEW FERRY TO BE CONSTRUCTED

KITCHENER ROAD WILL SOON BE OPEN

Thistles Have Been Cut In Roads--Ranchers Should Cut Theirs

The old ferry across the Kootenay is soon to be replaced by a larger new one. Geo. Benny, road superintendent, who for several days the first of the week was inspecting highways about Creston, will place the order for the ferry which is to be large enough to accomodate two rigs, as soon as he goes back to Nelson. When completed the barge will be brought to the landing by tug.

The road to Kitchener, Mr. Benny says, will be open in a few weeks and by fall it will be possible to go from Creston beyond Goat Fell. This he says will however not be an automobile road. "The country is developing so rapidly and so many ranchers need roads that the appropriation has to be made to go a long way. If the money were to be used on one road the development of the new country would be retarded."

Mr. Benny has had the thistles cut on all the roads in his district. He suggests that the ranchers should be more careful to cut the thistles before they bloom.

Echo of the East Kootenay District Summer School

The first Summer School for the East Kootenay district of the Methodist Church, was opened at Auroa Cove Moyie Lake on Wednesday, July 24 in connection with the Financial District Meeting. There were three sessions each day and every one was alive with interest and great value to all who were privileged to attend.

The purpose of the school is to afford an opportunity of mingling study with the holiday relaxation for all the young people who desire such advantage. The program consisted of devotional exercises each morning from 8:30 to 9. The Rev. A. E. Smith of Nelson gave six Bible lectures on the Life of the Apostle Paul as set forth in the New Testament in the light of the present day interpretation. The lectures were interesting and should be given at the devotional hour during the next Annual Conference of the church.

The social problem was discussed in several lectures given by Rev. W. H. Irwin of Bellvue, Alberta. Mr. Irwin has had special training in this branch of modern research. He made some great revelations which called forth much discussion and many resolved to make a more careful study of the subject.

The educational methods in Sunday School and Young Peoples Societies were discussed in several lectures by the Rev. J. P. Westman, Field Secretary of Young Peoples' Societies and Sunday Schools for Alberta and British Columbia. The discussion and round table conference revealed many interesting facts of the day life and

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HERE AND THERE

Over 100 municipalities in Alberta are going to adopt single tax this year.

Mutsuhito, for 44 years emperor of Japan, died Tuesday morning. Yoshihito Haru-No-Miya is the new Mikado.

As a result of an investigation conducted by the management of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad into the recent disastrous wreck at Corning, N. Y., an order has been issued to the employees of the transportation service, forbidding the use of intoxicating liquors, either while off or on duty in any manner that may unfit them for safe, prompt and efficient performance of their duties.

Work has been started this week at Nelson on a new steel passenger boat for Kootenay Lake service. The steamer will be the finest and fastest in British Columbia inland waters.

Rich silver-lead strikes are reported at Ymir and Sheep Creek.

There are 1,179,276 more women than men in England and Wales according to the last census.

The town of Frank, Alberta, which was almost wiped out a few years ago by a land slide, and which is seriously threatened with destruction from the same source, has made final arrangements to change its location. In the advertising columns of the Free Press J. H. Farmer, secretary for the village council, is calling for tenders for the removal of all buildings from the town of Frank, Alberta, all tenders to be in by the end of July.

The Grand Forks board of trade, last week decided to send a large exhibit to the Dry Farming Congress at Lethbridge next October.

It is estimated that the Yakima Valley, Washington, will ship 8,000 car loads of fruit this season.

Crawford Bay Wins Shoot

A friendly shooting match between Crawford Bay Civilian Rifle association and the Creston Erickson C. R. A. took place last Saturday at which the Crawford Bay boys put it over the home team by sixty-one points. The day was an ideal one for shooting and some splendid scores were made. The Crawford Bay Association had the advantage over the Creston boys in having their rifles equipped with apeture sights while all the Creston rifles had open sights. The Creston association will have to look alive and get the most up to date rifles and sights if they expect to make a creditable showing with the teams they compete with.

It is the expectation of the Creston association to contribute a silver cup and have it competed for by all the Rifle Clubs of the Pass. Some of the local people have voluntarily offered to contribute handsomely for such a cup and no doubt on being approached most of the public spirited citizens of the town and surrounding country will donate so that a trophy of unusual excellence will be provided so that it will be an inducement for quite a number of the associations to try for the honor and prize.

—You get five per cent discount at The Cash Store.

LOCAL NEWS

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

Mrs. W. Trotter returned Wednesday from a prolonged visit on the Prairies. Her daughter, Mrs C. F. Willmott returned with her.

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

O. H. Powers, of Lethbridge, is again in Creston looking after the interests of his ranch.

WANTED—LADIES TO DO PLAIN and light sewing at home, whole or spare time; good pay; work sent any distance; charges paid. National Manufacturing Co., Montreal. Send stamp for full particulars.

S. A. Speers purchased 10 acres fruit land from Jas. Compton last week John Miller has the contract to clear the site.

FOR SALE—2nd hand Moline wagon in good condition. Accept cash or trade for good winter cow. P. O. box 56

Mrs. Sam Trombley spent Monday and Tuesday in Cranbrook with her cousin, Mrs. H. Brock.

—WANTED—Well bred heifer or cow in calf for winter use. P. O. box 56

Mr. and Mrs Griffith of Toronto are visiting at the of home her aunt Mrs. Geo. Hendren.

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

Miss Olive Corneil is quite sick at her home in Canyon City.

—Men's working shoes, $1.60 at Mirabellies

Mr. and Mrs. Eikemeyer, who have been residing at Canyon City the past six months left on Friday last for Spokane.

—Full stock of whale oil soap and quassia chips at the Mercantile.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chapman of Moyie arrived in town yesterday to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. M. Gunn.

—The C.C.S. Company, of Cranbrook is disposing of several branches of their business, and bargain galore, is the order of the day in Cranbrook. Creston folks should get on the inside, a letter to the C. C. S. will bring all the information necessary regarding the special prices. Iron beds are selling at $2.75 any size. Dressers and stands at $11. Linoleum 55c sq. yard. Tapestry Rugs size 9x9 $6.00. Mens suits $5.85. Hundreds of pairs of mens shoes going at half price. Real closing out prices on everything, $5.00 will do the work of $10 don't overlook this opportunity to buy at less than manufacturers prices. Very special prices on lace curtains, arch curtains, window fixtures, all sale prices are F. O. B.. Cranbrook, no charge for packing.

L. O. Wisler and family have moved to Creston from Stettler, Alberta.

—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

Mr. Carfra of Canyon City while repairing the track at the Canyon City Lumber Companies mill, was hit by a falling timber from a loaded car in such a manner as to dislocate his shoulder and badly bruise his arm. The injured man was quickly brought to Creston by R. S. Bevan in one of the Kootenay Garage's automobiles, where he was attended by Dr. Henderson.

—Ranchers are requested to hand to the Secretary of the Fruit Growers' Union their orders for fruit wrapping paper.

Skunks made a raid on one of our prominent ranthers chicken coops this week, killing 75 small chicks.

—Newest shapes and styles in Stetson Hats, just arrived. S. A. Speers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Grady moved to Calgary this week.

—Buy your Jelly sealers from S. A. Speers. 75 cts. per dozen.

Sullivan's pole loading crew has finished its work at Sirdar and has moved camp to Vanderbilt Siding.

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

Miss Isabell Rowe leaves tomorrow for White Fish, Montana for a months visit.

Mrs. and Miss Atwood of Moyie spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Creston.

—One heavy mare for sale. Apply to E. L. Taylor, Box 24, Creston.

Geo. Johnson and family leave Monday for several weeks visit at Revelstoke.

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

—Economy Can Sealers, finest in the world, for sale by the Creston Hardware & Furniture Co., sole agents in the Kootenay Valley.

Mrs. Fred Smith and mother went to Cranbrook, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McPeak and family left Creston Monday to their claim at Wattsburg, B. C.

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

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Paulson and Mrs. P. Paulson of Spokane arrived in Creston Wednesday evening in a big touring car, on their way to Kitchener, where Mr. Paulson will superintend the haying on his place there.

—Full stock of whale oil soap and quassia chips at the Mercantile.

J. Crawford of Canyon City spent Sunday at Nelson.

Miss Bessie Munns of Regina is visiting with her sisters Mrs. Will Watcher and Mrs. Frank Rose.

The Rev. P. Westman, Field Secretary of Sunday schools and Young Peoples Societies for Alberta and Brisish Columbia, addressed a meeting in the Methodist church, Monday evening.

The Misses Vesta and Vera Smith went to Sandpoint, Idaho, Saturday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Wolverton.

—Just arrived, another shipment of our best tea. The Cash Store.

Miss Lamont went to Nelson Wednesday.

Chester L. Wynn, former editor of the Creston Review, is now publicity manager for the Spokane Interstate Fair.

Miss Pearl Carson of Cranbrook arrived in Creston Saturday for a visit at the Dave Learmouth home.

Oakey O'Kell has a new fast 3½ horse power motor boat. He has been keeping his boats at Sirdar but now has his boat house at Kootenay landing.

Will Gunn left yesterday for Calgary Alta., on his way to Field, B. C., where he will make his home for awhile.

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION RESULTS

Six Out of Ten of Creston Candidates Make Passing Grades

The results of the high school examinations held last month throughout the province are announced by the department of education. Of the 1,592 candidates who presented themselves, 1,058 passed.

The Creston superior report is as follows:—

Preliminary course, junior grade—Maximum marks, 1,000; number of candidates 10; passed, 6: Hurry, Bertha A., 711; Huscroft, Vera M., 658; Arrowsmith, Effie F., 613; Stocks, Roy J., 587; Cartwright, Melva L., 564; Huscroft, Ethel C., 517.

Advanced course, junior grade—Eaximum marks, 1,000; number of candidates 1; passed, 1; Knott, Clara B., 520.

Full course, junior grade—Maximum marks, 1,200; number of candidates, 1 passed, 0.

The Garden Party Of The Season

The lawn social at the Methodist parsonage, Tuesday evening July 30 was a great success in point of programme, numbers and finance.

The grounds were nicely decorated and the refreshments which consisted of ice cream, raspberries and cake were all that could be desired except there was not enough to satisfy the appetite of such a large crowd.

The program consisted of solos by Mr. Crompton, Miss Smith, and Edna Holmes. Violin solo by Mrs. Crompton, Duet by Misses Knott, Reading by Miss Lena Cartwright and addresses by Rev. Mr. King of Nelson and Prof. Baker of the Baptist College, Summerland, B. C.

GAME LAWS ARE VIOLATED

BODIES OF TWO DEER HIDDEN IN BUSH

Young Ones, Unprotected, Have Probably Been Killed By Cougar

Two fawns, if not now the prey of the cougars are now probably wandering bruised and half starved through the woods about Canyon City, for according to reports from there, the bodies of a hugh buck with horns still in the velvet' and a little doe lie hidden in the bush close to the mill, and it is believed that they are a part of the happy deer family of four that have been tamely feeding in the new clearings. The fawns have not been seen for some time. They without the protection and care of the old ones have probably been killed by cougars or have starved to death. The doe has has been dead a long time for it has begun to decompose. The shooting of these deer is evidently the work of a wanton nimrod, killing them merely for the sport. A hind-quarter of the buck was removed, the doe was not touched and the hunter evidently is aware that his shooting was unlawful for he tried to hide the bodies with brush that he had cut with his pocketknife.

WEDDING BELLS

French-Knight

Married, Charles Cecil French to Lois L. Knight at the Presbyterian mance by Rev. Blake, Thursday, morning, August 1.

A Geneological Party

Mrs. J. Cherrington last Friday afternoon entertained eleven of her friends at a pleasant and novel affair which she appropriately called Geneological party. The features of the afternoon were the looking up of a family-tree and a relation guessing contest. Prior to the entertainment the hostess had painted leaves with water colors and put the family names of her guests on them. These leaves were hidden about the room for the guests to hunt for and the one after exchanging with the others, who first got a complete family-tree won the prize. For the guessing contest pretty little folders with covers cut and painted to represent tree trunks were prepared and in them were written such questions as this, "What relation is the granddaughter of the only son of your mother-in-law?"

The prize for the first contest was won by Mrs. Frank Rose. She at the close held a leaf with the name Adam on it. As Adam had no ancestors, his family tree was complete.

Mrs. Geo. Cartwright was winner in the guessing contest. She had every question answered correctly.

Dainty refreshments were served buffet style.

The guests present were, Mrs. Wm. Crawford, Mrs. Tompson, Mrs. W. E. Brown, Mrs. R. M. Reid, Mrs. R. S. Bevan, Mrs. Frank Rose, Mrs. Fred Ash, Mrs. W. Watcher, Mrs. Geo. Cartwright, Miss Lena Cartwright Mrs. J. W. Dow.

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Sir George was vastly indignant. He wanted to know if Mallow realized whom he was talking to. But Mallow was in no mood for politeness and told his employer a few home truths. He sketched graphically what the better type of sportsmen would say when they realized what had happened. It was useless for Sir George to be angry, all the more so because he knew that every word Mallow spoke was true. On the spur of the moment he had intended to give Mallow instructions to have the horse struck out of all his three-year engagements, but looking his irate servant in the face he lacked the pluck to do so. Like the weak man he was he proceeded to compromise.

At the worst, he said with some dignity, it was only an error in judgment. And if you can get the colt fit again before the Derby the public will have no grievance against me. They will win their money, and that's all they care about.

Mallow appeared to be somewhat mollified.

Then things are to go on as they are, Sir George? he asked. There has been a lot of mischief done, but it is not yet too late. But it is no use crying over spilt milk.

This was going rather too far and too fast. Sir George's fears were aroused again.

Your instructions are not quite indefinite, he corrected. We will let the matter stand over for a week. At the end of that time we will see what condition the colt is in. If there is no material change for the better, then I must scratch him.

With this perforce Mallow had to remain content. All the same, he went out muttering to himself. He wanted to know what Sir George was driving at and what this new policy meant. The trainer had a shrewd idea, though he hardly dared to whisper it even to himself. Still, a week was a week, and much might be done in that time. And, besides, if necessary, he knew Raffle had a great card to play. For some reason or other Sir George wanted the colt scratched and Mallow had no difficulty in laying this somewhat shady diplomacy on the shoulders of Raymond Copley.

Meanwhile, the week drifted on and things remained in much the same position at Haredale Park. Sir George had said nothing more to his daughter, neither had she alluded to the detestable topic. But she was ready to take a step which would have considerably alarmed her father had he known it. Copley was away on business. He came back on Saturday and made his way across to Haredale Park after dinner. In the drawing-room he was coldly informed that Sir George was in the library. He appeared to take this curt dismissal in good part and went off in search of Sir George whom he found sitting moodily over the fire.

Where have you been lately? the Baronet asked.

Oh, my dear sir, Copley explained, you forget that I have my business to look after. I have been exceedingly busy during the last few days. When things take a turn for the better that is a time to follow your fortunes closely. And during the last few days I have been making money with both hands.

It appeared to be no idle boast, for Copley was looking less gloomy than usual. Fortune was smiling upon him again. He and his confederates had had a rare haul over the Longhill Handicap. They were in funds and unless things went very wrong indeed by the time the Derby was over they would be all rich men. But Sir George guessed nothing of this. He was only sorry to think that May should be so obstinate in refusing to take her share in the spending of these phenomenal riches.

I am exceedingly glad to hear it, he said.

Oh, thank you very much. You see, fortune cuts all round. What's good for me is good for you. In the first place, you can make you mind easy about that affair of Absalom & Co., because they won't trouble you any more. After the Derby we need not worry ourselves as to money matters. And that brings me to the point and my reason for coming here this evening. I understand that the colt has broken down permanently. From what I see in the papers there is not the remotest chance of his winning a race as a three-year old.

It looks like it, Sir George answered. At the same time, Mallow doesn't share my opinion. He is very obstinate.

Oh, what the devil does it matter what he says or thinks? Copley said impatiently. He is only a servant. Surely you can do what you like with your own property. Besides, in this matter you will have have the opinion of the whole racing world with you. At the worst people can only say that you have made an error in judgment. The Press recognizes the fact that you have acted like a good fellow and a sportsman in running this risk simply with the object of taking the public into your confidence. They don't know, of course, that you don't want the horse to win, nor what a surprise the Mirst Park victory was to you. An on the top of that they tumble over one another to back the colt, and if he doesn't start at all they are to blame. Still, it has been a good thing for me. I have laid against your animal thick and thin and after the Derby is over I shant need to do any more work.

Sir George made no reply. He sat looking dubiously into the fire. He was asking himself a great many awkward questions. Looking back at the course of events, he could hardly see how he had got himself into this mess. He ought to have refused to listen to Copley, and should have supported the opinion of such a sound judge as Raffle. Besides, he had never won a Derby in his racing career, and it seemed to him that he was wasting a splendid chance. But it was too late to repent, too late to draw back, and all Sir George could hope was that no one would ever have an inkling of his shame. He did not realize, neither did Copley, that May was standing in the doorway. She had come in for something she required. Her evening shoes had made no sound on the thick carpets, and she had heard every word that was said. Not that she had meant to listen, not that she intended to play the eavesdropper. But one remark of Copley's had fascinated her and she stood as if rooted to the spot.

And she knew that her ears did not deceive her. She had been brought up all her life in an atmosphere of racing. She knew almost as much about it as Raffle himself. The thing was plain enough now and a wave of shame and humiliation rushed over the girl as she stood there drinking in every word.

She could not bind herself to the truth. She could not get away from the fact that her father was a conscious conspirator in a disgraceful action. It mattered little that Copley had suggested the whole thing. The shock was none the less painful. It seemed incredible that a man in Sir George's position should stoop so low as this. These plots had happened before and no one had spoken of them with greater contempt than had Sir George. And now he was self-confessed as a participant in one of the shadiest of them all.

May stole away. For a moment she had been on the point of an outburst. But perhaps it would be better to wait and speak to her father quietly later, to try to find some means of averting this dreadful dishonor.

I cannot stay here, she murmured. The atmosphere poisons me. I must get away, I must get away.

CHAPTER XXXVI

Fielden Intervenes

May went quietly back to the drawing-room. There was nothing in her face to indicate what she was suffering. For a time she sat gazing into the fire, watching Alice Carden who sat opposite her engrossed in a book. At the end of half an hour May had made up her mind what to do, and when Alice laid her volume aside, she began to speak.

How long is your father likely to be away? she asked.

Oh, for two months, I suppose, Alice said. But I may find him at home when I go back next week.

I hope not, May answered, because I have a plan to suggest to you. I wonder if you would mind my coming with you? I suppose you could get me a bedroom in your house. I should like to pay for myself. Could it be managed, do you think?

It would be delightful, Alice cried. But why do you want to leave this beautiful house? And what will Sir George say when he hears of it?

He mustn't hear it, May whispered. We have always been very good friends, Alice, and you can help me now if you will. I am going to confide in you and you must not whisper a word of it to a soul. So long as your father is away I shall be safe with you, and as he may not be back for some weeks I will have time to look round. I must go away, I cannot stay here any longer. Something has happened which compels me to get my own living.

Oh, impossible! Alice cried.

My dear, don't you know that it is the unexpected that often happens? Well, in my case, it has. If anybody had told me this a couple of months ago I should have laughed the idea to scorn. It would have been incredible that my father should threaten to turn me out of the house. Hitherto we have been the best of friends, and I have regarded him as one of the most upright and most honourable of men. I have always prided myself upon the fact that nothing could rob us of our good name; but I was mistaken, Alice, as many people have been mistaken before me. Actually this place does not belong to us at all. My father is a mere lodger, dependent upon the good will of Mr. Raymond Copley, who can turn us out at any moment. Moreover, he has compelled my father to do a thing that I blush to mention. And do you know why Mr. Copley has brought all this about?

I think I can guess, Alice said. The man is anxious to marry you. Am I not right?

You have guessed it, May exclaimed. You have saved me the humiliation of telling you that. Mr. Copley won't say he has bought me. But he has bought my father, and it comes to this, that unless I consent to be Raymond Copley's wife I am to consider this my home no longer. These were my father's words. I suppose he chose them because they sounded best. But it is as if he had told me to go. And I couldn't marry that man; nothing would induce me to do so. And there is worse behind—there is a vile conspiracy which I overheard in the library just now. You must not ask me to tell you what it is. My tongue would refuse to tell it. Well, it is the last straw. I couldn't be more miserable than I have been the last week or so. I cannot stay any longer. I have little or no money, but I have my mother's jewels which ought to fetch at least a thousand pounds. I propose to go to London and look about for some thing to do. I want to come to you because we are such friends, and because I know you will sympathize with me. We can live very cheaply together and I will pay you for all I have, and before your father returns I shall probably have found work. You won't say no, will you?

How can you think such a thing? Alice said reproachfully. There is nothing I would not do for you, and I know we shall be perfectly happy together. It would be worse than death to marry a man like Mr. Copley. I don't know why it is, but from the very first moment I saw him I hated him. I think he has such a cruel face. His mouth is so hard, and his eyes are dreadful. But when do you want to go? When will you be ready to start?

(To be Continued)

It is Criminal to Neglect the Skin and Hair

THINK of the suffering entailed by neglected skin troubles — mental because of disfiguration, physical because of pain. Think of the pleasure of a clear skin, soft, white hands, and good hair. These blessings, so essential to happiness and even success in life, are often only a matter of a little thoughtful care in the selection of effective remedial agents. Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment do so much for poor complexions, red, rough hands, and dry, thin and falling hair, and cost so little, that it is almost criminal not to use them.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a postal to "Cuticura," Dept. 5M, Boston, U.S.A., will secure a liberal sample of each, with 32-page booklet on Skin and Scalp Treatment.

W. N. U. 903

His Last Three Dollar Bill

This illustrates the tremendous, astounding, and gorgeous value of making a big show as a last resort. It dicates that brass, bravery and bunk, properly connected with an opera hat and pearl shirt studs, can make the conquests of Alexander the Great look like a five-cent moving-picture show when the lights are bad.

The hero is Fred T. Dubois, who has been many things at many times. Once he was a merchant, and once he was a Republican United States senator, and once again he was a Democratic senator. At quite another time, however, he was dead Chicago. Carefully searching himself at five o'clock in the afternoon he discovered that he had three dollars in his pocket and a feeling of great dreariness in his heart. He did not know whether he would retire to the almshouse or retreat to the lake when that three dollars had given out. The sun was setting in clouds of red, and the breeze that swept down Michigan Avenue was cold. Fred shivered and concluded in a flash of unusual sagacity that this was a sad and weary world.

Well, he told himself, I'll put up the best front possible until ruin lays its cold and clammy hand upon my throat. I'll go to the opera this evening.

Whereupon, he arrayed himself like a bridegroom, strolled down to the stage. He was particular that it should be an aisle seat. Then he walked down the aisle with the demeanor of a hero and the haughtiness of an indicted millionaire.

The upshot of it was that his seat happened to be next to a man who was unaccompanied at the theatre. At the first intermission the stranger invited Dubois out to have a drink. As they strolled up the street after the performance, the other, impressed with Fred's superb appearance and clever conversation, closed a business deal with him that set him on his feet and gave him a new start in life.

All of which indicates that, while you have a dress suit, you stand a chance to hypnotize ready money.

A man went to an insurance office the other day to have his life insured.

Do you cycle? the insurance agent asked.

No, said the man.

Do you motor?

No.

Do you, then, perhaps fly?

No, no, said the applicant laughing, I have no dangerous—

But the agent interrupted him curtly.

Sorry sir, he said, but we no longer insure pedestrians.

Let's Have It

This high cost of living is a serious question, bawled the campaign orator. It is a great question, a very serious question, indeed.

We know it's a question, yelled a coarse man in the audience. What's the answer?—Kansas City Journal.

A Hot Air Duel

Saw two famous bad men come together during my trip west.

Both killed?

Nobody killed. You can't talk a man to death.—Kansas City Journal.

A Great Record for Both

I've driven my car for over a year now, said Bilkins, and I've never run down anybody.

That's nothing, said Mrs. Billikins. I've attended the meetings of our sewing circle for five years and have never run down anybody. Harper's Weekly.

The soil of Cuba is extremely fruitful. Cabbages there are so large that heads weighing 20lbs. each are common. All vegetables do well. Radishes may be eaten from fourteen to eighteen days after sowing, lettuce in five weeks after sowing, while corn produces three crops per year. Sweet potatoes grow all the year.

CANADA'S PULPWOOD, 1911

Discussed in a Recent Bulletin of the Forestry Branch

Ever since the Province of Quebec forbade the export of pulpwood cut from Crown lands, considerable interest has been taken in the question as to how the price of pulpwood would be affected. A leading paper trade periodical estimated that the price of pulpwood had advanced one dollar per cord. This is corroborated by the bulletin on pulpwood lately compiled by the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior. According to this bulletin, the average price of pulpwood in Quebec province during 1911 was higher by ninety seven cents than during 1910. In Ontario the price actually fell twenty cents per cord, while in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick increases of twenty nine and twenty two cents respectively are announced.

A question that is just beginning to come into notice in the Dominion is the utilization of saw-mill waste as material for pulp making. A very small quantity of such waste is so utilized by three firms which own both saw-mills and pulp-mills.

TO STRENGTHEN WEAK NERVES

The Blood Supply Must be Made Rich, Red and Pure

When you build up the blood you strengthen the nerves, because the nerves get their food through the blood. You cannot reach the nerves with medicine except through the blood—this is a great medical truth few people realize. Nervous people are pale people. They are nervous because they are pale. The blood is so thin and watery that it cannot nourish the nerves. Starved nerves mean sciatica, neuralgia, nervous prostration, paralysis.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are a real nerve tonic. They supply plenty of nourishing red blood to the exhausted nerves, thus enabling them to do the work nature intended they should do. This is the simple secret of the success of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in curing nerve troubles. As to their value in cases of sciatica, Mrs. Job Palmer, Fenelon Falls, Ont., says: "For seven weeks I suffered untold agony from sciatica. I tried everything to ease the pain, but it steadily grew worse. Liniments had no more effect upon the trouble than water. Then the doctor told me to apply a hot iron to the afflicted part and I did so morning after morning, but my leg had become so numb with the pain that I could hardly feel the heat of the iron. I never expected to be able to walk again my leg was so drawn up. I had tried so many things that I had given up hope, yet at the urging of my brother I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. To my surprise in two weeks I was able to stand on my feet with but little pain, and soon after I was able to walk about again. I continued taking the Pills for about two months, but some time before I discontinued their use my leg had become normal again, and the agony of the trouble had disappeared, and I have not since had a twinge of it. Words fail to express my gratitude for what the Pills did for me and I strongly recommend them to all sufferers from sciatica.

The every day mission of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is to cure cases like the above, and they will not disappoint if given a fair trial. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Tale of Letters

Which letters are the hardest workers? The Bees (B's).

Which are the most extensive letters? The Seas (C's).

Which letters are the most fond of comfort? The Ease (E's).

Which letters have the most to say for themselves? The I's.

Which are the noisiest letters? The Jays (J's).

Which are the longest letters? The Ells (L's).

Which are the poorest letters? The Owes (O's).

Which letters are the greatest bores? The Tease (T's).

Which are the most sensible letters? The Wise (Y's).—Tit-Bits.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Another Danger of the Summer Season

Charles D. Hilles, the President's secretary, always accompanies the chief executive on his trips to Beverly, Massachusetts, in the summer. Just outside of Beverly there are many fashionable homes, with grounds which include private bathing beaches.

I wonder why so many people have these private beaches, commented the President one afternoon, when he was autoing up the North Shore.

Some of them, said Hilles, appreciate the value, no doubt, of this means of hiding the family skeletons.

A Born Candidate

Willis—I suppose you think that baby of yours will become president some day?

Gillis—Maybe not president, but he will be in the race after the nomination all right. He keeps the whole place in an uproar, uses indescribable language, and can go without sleep for a week.—Brooklyn Life.

Very many persons die annually from cholera and kindred summer complaints, who might have been saved if proper remedies had been used. If attacked do not delay in getting a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, the medicine that never fails to effect a cure. Those who have used it say it acts promptly, and thoroughly subdues the pain and disease.

For the Time Being

My husband cured himself by drinking buttermilk.

What did he have?

A thirst.—Chicago Record Herald.

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The Pedlar Granary is fire-proof. Think what that means!

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The Riddle

I planted a seed in my neighbor's garden
(Fair, wee garden where Wonder grows)
Wet with a tear that it may not harden
Seed of a Hope that the dear God knows—
And for its cover
I folded over
Five slim petals of a little Wild Rose.

O, Lady-Liege of the Wonder-Garden,
Riddle me, how is that seed to be—
Quick with the sun of thy smile and pardon,
Or [illegible] and dust for despair of thee?
Wilt thou it bloom as a flower in Arden?
Wilt thou it perish before we See?
Will thy palm forget
Where my kiss was set
To grow for a thought of me?

—By Charles F. Lummis

Partly True

Ma, what is meant by the Progressive party?

The progressive party, my dear? Why that's where all the partners change after every game.—Detroit Free Press.

When Your Eyes Need Care

Try Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting—Feels Fine—Acts Quickly. Try it for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Illustrated Book in each Package. Murine is compounded by our Oculists—not a "Patent Medicine"—but used in successful Physicians' Practice for many years. Now dedicated to the Public. Ask and sold by Druggists at 25c and 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Salve in Aseptic Tubes, 25c and 50c.

Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

Lead production in the United States last year reached one billion pounds, an increase of forty million pounds over 1910. Imports last year were 180 million pounds, a decrease of thirty-seven million pounds.

The president of the university had dark circles under his eyes. His cheek was pallid, his lips were trembling; he wore a hunted expression.

You look ill, said his wife. What is wrong, dear?

Nothing much, he replied. But—I—I had a fearful dream last night, and I feel this morning as if I—as if I—" It was evident that his nervous system was shattered.

What was the dream? asked the wife.

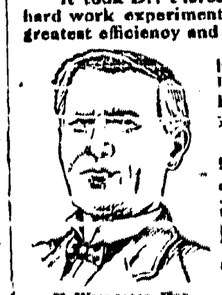
I—I—dreamed the trustees required that I should—that I should pass the freshman examination for—admission, sighed the president.—Youth's Companion.

NATURE'S ESSENCE.---Extracted From Forest Plants.

Nature's laws are perfect, but disease follows if these laws are not obeyed. Go straight to nature for the cure, to the forest; there are mysteries here that we can fathom for you. Take the bark of the wild-cherry tree, the root of mandrake, stone, Oregon grape root, queen's root, bloodroot and golden seal, make a scientific, non-alcoholic extract of them with just the right proportions and you have

Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

It took Dr. Pierce, with the assistance of two learned chemists, eight years of hard work experimenting to make this pure glycerin extract and alterative of the greatest efficiency and without the use of a particle of alcohol.



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Just the sort of remedy you need to make rich, red blood, and cure that lassitude and feeling of nerve exhaustion. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery bears the stamp of PUBLIC APPROVAL and has sold more largely in the past forty years than any other blood purifier and stomach tonic.

"Some time ago I got out of health—my stomach seemed to be the seat of the trouble," writes MR. EZRA WILLIAMS, of Belleville, Kans. "I commenced to doctor with all the doctors at home as well as with other specialists on stomach and digestive organs. None seemed to do me any good. The most part of the medicines did me harm. Finally, I wrote to Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., who replied, stating that I had liver complaint, indigestion and constipation, and advised Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets.'

"The 'Discovery' and 'Pellets,' have 'put me on my feet again'—seemed to be just what I needed. I could not have recovered without them."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are for liver ills.

The destruction of the house fly is a public duty. Almost every American State Board of Health is carrying on a crusade against him.

His filthy origin and habits, and the fact that his body is generally laden with disease-producing germs, makes him one of the greatest enemies of the human race.

If the housekeepers of Canada will use

WILSON'S FLY PADS

persistently, this peril will be tremendously reduced.

Language and Religion

The man who tells this story claims that its hero was an Irishman. At any rate the language makes a fine bull.

A preacher had delivered his prize sermon, exhorting his hearers to embrace the religious life and scorn the attractions of wealth and late suppers.

He concluded with this centre shot: My brethren, let not this world rob you of a peace which it can neither give nor take away.

A Feminine Misunderstanding

Upton Sinclair, who is an advocate of divorce when married people are unhappy, tells this story:

A woman in one of the large cities of this country was one day persuaded to go to a spiritualistic seance in order to hold converse with her dead husband.

My dear George, said the widow, in tears, are you happy where you are?

Happier than I was on earth with you, George answered with alacrity.

This was something of a poser, and the widow paused to decide what she should ask next.

What is it like in heaven, dear George? she finally asked.

Heaven! exclaimed George. I'm not in heaven.

An Oil of Merit.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is not a jumble of medicinal substances thrown together and pushed by advertising, but the result of the careful investigation of the curative qualities of certain oils as applied to the human body. It is a rare combination and it won and kept public favor from the first. A trial of it will carry conviction to any who doubt its power to repair and heal.

The Champion Magazine Reader

Philander C. Knox, the secretary of state, is an omnivorous reader. He subscribes to more than fifty magazines. In addition to this, he buys all the new books and all the rare editions of old works that he can get his hands on. At his bedside he has an adjustable electric light and a contrivance of his own patent which, like a tray, holds a large volume while he reads it.

Where

A lady who gave herself great airs of importance on being introduced to a gentleman, said, with a show of much indifference: I think I have seen you somewhere.

Very likely, replied the gentleman with equal sangfroid. I have been there frequently.—Philadelphia Ledger.

SUFFERED EVERYTHING

For Years, Restored To Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

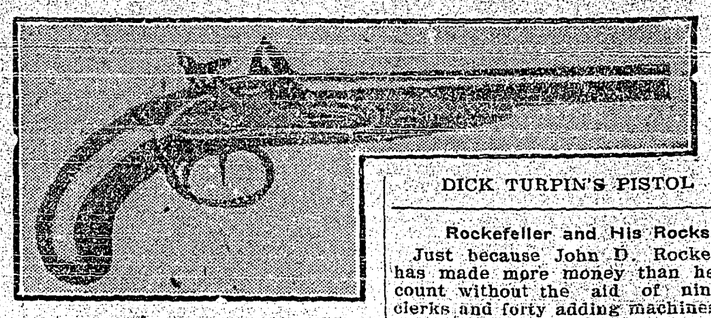
Canadian women are continually writing us such letters as the two following, which are heartfelt expressions of gratitude for restored health:

Glanford Station, Ont.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and never found any medicine to compare with it. I had ulcers and falling of womb and doctors did me no good. I suffered dreadfully for years until I began taking your medicine. I also recommend it for nervousness and indigestion." — Mrs. HENRY CLARK, Glanford Station, Ont.

Chesterville, Ont.—"I heard your medicines highly praised, and a year ago I began taking them for falling of womb and ovarian trouble.

"My left side pained me all the time and just before my periods which were irregular and painful it would be worse. To sit down caused me pain and suffering and I would be so nervous sometimes that I could not bear to see any one or hear any one speak. Little specks would float before my eyes and I was always constipated.

"I cannot say too much for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, for there are no medicines like them. I have taken them and I recommend them to all women. You may publish this testimonial." — Mrs. SAMUEL J. MANNY, Chesterville, Ontario, Canada.



DICK TURPIN'S PISTOL

QUESTION OF OWNERSHIP

Inscription on Barrel Proves It Genuine Relic of Notorious Highwayman

London.—Dick Turpin—simultaneously butcher's apprentice, cattle lifter, smuggler, house-breaker, highwayman and horse thief—the hero of our childhood, has been proved undoubtedly owner of the pistol just discovered by workmen in the ceiling of the Reindeer Inn at Banbury.

The pistol is undoubtedly of the date 1735, said the manager of Messrs. Westley, Richards & Co., limited, gunmakers of New Bond Street, where the pistol is now on view.

You see that it is a double-barreled horse pistol with flint locks, smooth-bore barrels, 16 gauge and of the exact pattern used during the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

We have had the assurance of an expert engraver that the inscription on the barrel—'Presented to Dick Turpin at the White Bear Inn, Drury lane, 1735'—is also of that period. The workmanship throughout is very fine. The handle is of English walnut. The flash holes are inlaid with gold, and the band around the breech end of each barrel is gold. It probably cost about $100 originally.

The pistol is marked in four places in small gold inlaid panels, 'Baker, London,' who was the predecessor of the well known Ezekiel Baker, pistol maker to the prince of Wales.

The mystery of how it come to be found in the Reindeer Inn may be explained by the fact that history tells us of an occasion when Turpin stayed at the inn and was shot through the hand there.

Of course the question of ownership has arisen. Since the pistol was discovered on the upper side of the plaster ceiling above the historical Globe Room, at the back of the Reindeer Inn at Branbury, claims have been put in by Messrs. Leny Gon who have purchased the ceiling, by the lesse of the property as occupier, and also by the freeholder of the property.

A Gold Mine in the Kitchen Stove

T. A. Snider, of Cincinnati, who piled up a fortune by the use of his name on catsup bottles, got all of his money because he realized that Mrs. Snider was a grand and gorgeous cook. She made him some catsup shortly after they were married, and he remarked.

We ought to get a fortune out of this. Let's sell it.

They did sell it, and built it up into a big business, thereby annexing the fortune.

A lumber dealer contracted to supply a lot of lumber to a stranger. On looking it over he found it full of knot holes and told his customer about it frankly.

You may not want this lumber, he said.

Why not?

I have to be honest with you. It is full of knot holes.

The stranger only laughed.

I'll take it, he declared. This lumber is to go around some baseball grounds. Knot holes won't hurt matters any. I was a kid myself once.

The Great American Game

Judging from what's going on, remarked the man with the gray hair and the hard heart, American politics is a nice combination of the best skill of the knife thrower, the ventriloquist, and the mud lark.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

When Nagel Had to Ride

Charles Nagel, secretary of the department of commerce and labor, is a tall man, resembling in his build an isolated pine tree on the top of a hill. Returning to Washington one night from New York, he got past the taxicabs and was surrounded by a group of hackmen, to whom he paid absolutely no attention as he intended to walk the fourteen block to his office.

The hackmen greeted him with a storm of such cries as:

Take you right uptown!—Take you to the New Willard!—Take you to the Raleigh!

The statesman walked straight ahead without even looking at his besiegers.

If you want a cheap hotel, jump right in here, insisted another driver.

Still Nagel walked on unheeding.

Finally a John addressed him thus: Deaf and dumb asylum! Take you up there in a minute.

At this Mr. Nagel laughed, and got into the hack.

A Safe Pill for Suffering Women.—The secluded life of women which permits of little healthful exercise is a fruitful cause of derangements of the stomach and liver and is accountable for the pains and lassitude that so many of them experience. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will correct irregularities of the digestive organs and restore health and vigor. The most delicate woman can use them with safety, because their action, while effective, is mild and soothing.

Gabe—Has Jones a good memory?

Steve—Should say he has. Why, he can name you the last six vice presidents of the United States.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Safe Anyhow

Professor—The average American girl is poorly educated.

Girl Graduate—You think so?

Professor—Yes, but there is one consolation, the average American boy will never find it out.—Satire.

Rockefeller and His Rocks

Just because John D. Rockefeller has made more money than he can count without the aid of nineteen clerks and forty adding machines, not to mention a well-trained corps of coupon clippers, there are many people who come forward these days with stories to show that John, now famous for his wealth, wigs and wit, was once about the cutest person that ever happened when it came to financial strategy.

According to this latest narrative, Rockefeller told a close friend—and that close goes both ways—one morning that he wanted to borrow five thousand dollars and that he must have it in order to save his business. The friend went downtown in the course of his work, and pretty soon met a big banker.

I wish, said the banker, if you see Mr. Rockefeller this afternoon, you would tell him that I have found a place to put that ten thousand dollars which he asked me to lend.

The friend gasped like a goldfish, and proceeded on his way, encountering another of the town's leading bankers.

By the bye, said the banker, when you see Rockefeller this afternoon, please tell him that I have found a man who wants to borrow that ten thousand dollars.

The friend staggered on, and met a third banker, who repeated what the other two captains of finance had said. Then he went back and found Rockefeller.

John, he said, in astonishment, when I left you this morning you told me you had to borrow five thousand dollars, and all day bankers have been telling me that you asked them to lend out ten thousand for you.

Well, well, smiled Rockefeller, that's fine! I suppose I may safely assume now that my credit is established in this town. I'll just step out and borrow that five thousand I need.

On Lady O'Looney:

Here lies the body of Lady O'Looney, great niece of Burke, commonly called the sublime. She was bland, passionate and deeply religious, also she painted in water colors and sent several pictures to the exhibitions. She was first cousin to Lady Jones; and of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.

FEARFUL HEADACHES

STOMACH BAD, NO APPETITE, WAS LOSING WEIGHT AND STRENGTH

Wonderful Change, When Health Was Restored by

DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

Headache is a symptom and not a disease in itself. It acts as a danger signal to warn you of serious trouble.

By reading Mr. Donneral's letter you will be satisfied that there is no treatment to be compared to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food as a means of building up the system and removing the cause of headaches, sleeplessness and indigestion.

Mr. Charles Donneral, Kleinburg, Ont., writes: "I wish to communicate to you the great cure which I received from Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. For over two years I suffered from fearful headaches, my appetite was always poor, nd the stomach bad. I took medicines from physicians, but the headaches persisted, and I was rarely free from them.

"Reading about Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, I began using it, with little idea that i would be benefited. I had become thin and weak, but the very first box helped me, and with continued treatment I have been cured and feel like a new man. The headaches have disappeared, my appetite is good and digestion excellent. I write this letter in hope that other sufferers from headache may use Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and be cured."

Dr. Chase's Nerve food, 50c. a box, 6 for $2.50, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited

I thought you had a trained nurse to wait on your wife?

So I have.

And now you're looking for more help?

Yes, I find I have to have three or four maids to wait on the trained nurse.—Detroit Free Press.

Soothing

She—What was it the choir just sang?

He—From the appearance of the congregation I think it must have been some kind of a prodigy.

I bought a horse with a supposedly incurable ringbone for $30. Cured him with $1.00 worth of MINARD'S LINIMENT and sold him for $85.00. Profit on Liniment, $54.00.

MOISE DEROSCE
Hotel Keeper, St. Philippe, Que.

Mrs. Bacon—My husband threw his alarm clock at a cat in the back yard last night.

Mrs. Egbert—Did he hurt the cat?

Mrs. Bacon—No, but he says he got rid of one nuisance, anyway.—Yonkers Statesman.

NO BURNED BREAD
NO SCORCHED BISCUITS

No need to apologize to family or guest when **MOONEY** does it. **MOONEY'S BISCUITS** are always right — every biscuit inspected before it is packed—and they are as fresh as the product of your own oven.

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are the great favorites for every day use.

They are made in the big sanitary factory in Winnipeg and come to you in air-tight packages or in sealed tins as you prefer.

"LET MOONEY DO IT"

Will you be one of the 108 farmers who will receive our Prize Contest checks?

THERE will be twelve cash prizes in each of the nine provinces (108 in all) in the 1912 Prize Contest for Canadian Farmers. The 1911 Contest was so successful in awakening interest in the use of Concrete on the farm, that a second contest, in which three times as many prizes are offered, was decided upon for this year.

The Contest this year is divided into three classes, "A," "B" and "C," and there will be four prizes in each class. (First prize, $50; Second prize, $25; Third prize, $15; Fourth prize, $10.)

Thus there are three $50 Prizes, three $25 Prizes, three $15 prizes, and three $10 Prizes, *for each province.*

DESCRIPTION OF CLASSES

In Each Class there will be First, Second, Third and Fourth Prizes ($50, $25, $15, and $10) for Each Province.

CLASS "A"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province who use most "Canada" Cement on their farms in the year 1912.

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CLASS "C"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province who send in the best *description*, telling how any piece of concrete work was done with "Canada" Cement. (Entries for this prize must be accompanied by photographs of the work.)

Don't think that you must use a large quantity of cement in order to win a prize. The quantity of cement used does not count in Classes "B" and "C." Many of last year's prize winners used very little cement.

When you enter the Contest, you have a chance to win a cash prize of $50 as well as the certainty that you will add a *permanent improvement* to your farm. If you haven't a copy, be sure and ask for our book, "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete." It will not only suggest many improvements that you can use in entering the Contest, but will tell you all about the use of concrete on the farm.

Just write your name and address on the attached coupon, or use a postal card, and we will send full particulars of the Prize Contest and a copy of "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete" to you absolutely free.

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Please send me full particulars of the 1912 Farmers' Prize Contest, and a free copy of your book "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete."

Name _____

Address _____

Your wife isn't looking well.

She is unable to sleep nights.

She doesn't look like a nervous woman.

It isn't that, I had a secret pocket put in my clothes, and she hasn't found it yet.—Houston Post.

Kate—That Bragson girl asserts that she has made a thousand refusals of marriage.

Ethel—That's true. When Gus asked her to be his wife, she replied "No, a thousand times, no!—Boston Transcript.

Washington to St. Louis

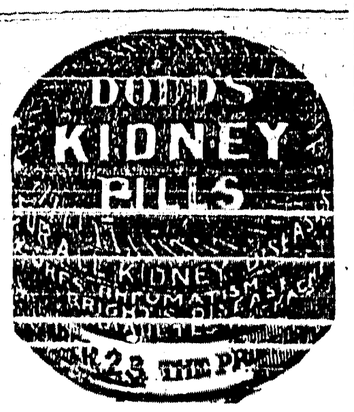
Have you made any sacrifice to demonstrate your patriotism?

I have, replied the St. Louis man. I bet on the home team regularly.—Washington Star.

Scribbler—It took me nearly ten years to learn that I could not write poetry.

Friend—Gave it up then, did you?

Scribbler—Oh, no.—By that time I had a reputation.—Puck.



The Statesman and the Wise Reporter

Charles Nagel, secretary of commerce and labor, has under his department the revenue-cutter service and the lighthouse boats, which make up a tremendous fleet. The last time the president reviewed the United States navy in New York Harbor, Mr Nagel was on one of the boats as a sight-seer. Tall and silent, he had been watching the naval fighters without making any comment. Finally he was approached by a New York newspaper reporter, who was clad in the latest fashions and a consciousness of great wisdom.

That's a pretty big fleet, don't you think? the news gatherer asked of the tall man, and pointed to the two hundred ships which were under inspection.

Oh, I don't know, replied Nagel. I've got a bigger one.

The reporter's jaw dropped, and he rejoined his companions with the pitying remark: That old fellow is plumb nuts.

His curiosity got the better of him, however, and he went up to Nagel again with the question: What is your name?

My name is Nagel, replied the member of the cabinet.

Where are you from?

My home is in St. Louis.

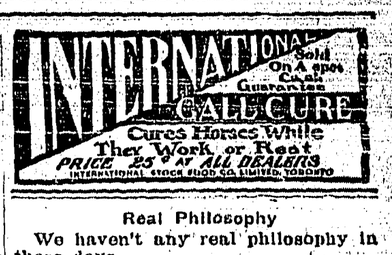
Is that so? commented the reporter vaguely. And you have a bigger fleet than this?

Oh, yes, reaffirmed Nagel carelessly.

That was too much for the reporter. He went back to his companions, made a gesture signifying wheels in the head, and said, with an air of great conviction:

Fellows, he's a raving maniac.

A good many men who grew up confidently expecting to lose their hair fighting Indians, found out later that dandruff was their real foe.



Real Philosophy

We haven't any real philosophy in these days.

Yes, we have. I know a man who has six daughters, all grown up, and unmarried.

What's philosophical about that?

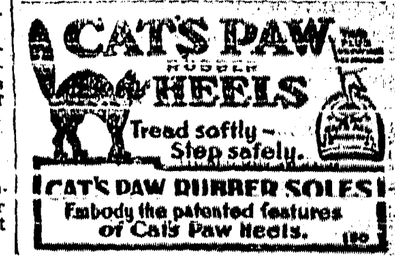
He says he is glad none of them have been taken from him.

When Asthma Comes do not despair. Turn at once to the help effective—Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. This wonderful remedy will give you the aid you need so sorely. Choking ceases, breathing becomes natural and without effort. Others, thousands of them, have suffered as you suffer but have wisely turned to this famous remedy and ceased to suffer. Get a package this very day.

Unlike a Brick

What goes up must come down said the Sage.

How about the high cost of living? asked the Boob.



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Timely Topics

By H. L. Blanchard, Asst. Supt, W. W. Experiment Station, Puyallup, Wash.

Among the many things that interested the writer while making a short trip across the county was the methods adopted by the farmers in securing their hay. Evidently a few of the farmers followed the plan of mowing the entire meadow, then allowing the crop to lay in the swath for several days to "cure" when the hay would be stored in the barn. The natural product under this method is dried grass, not cured hay. The difference in the feeding value of dried grass, and cured hay varies greatly—it is safe to say as much as from 40 to 80 percent against the dried grass. That would depend very much as to how heavy the swath—loss being greater in the light swath. It requires no particular effort to make dried grass—simply cutting, and the weather will do the rest. It is only a matter of letting the grass lay in the swath long enough. With weather ever so favorable, curing hay calls for the exercise of skill and judgment. Since the ultimate end of successful farming is the securing of the maximun product at its maximum good value, it is most unfortunate that many methods so often defeat ultimate success. These methods, it would seem are often inborn with the farmer. With the food value of the home product so greatly lost. the farmer is thus obliged to pay out cash for food with which to substitute such loss, which is very largely avoidable, Cured hay is the green grass with its surplus moisture removed Such moisture should find its escape thru the leaves of the plant. With the grass exposed in the swath for a longer period than three or four hours to the hot sun and drying wind, the leaves of rapidly become dried up and destroyed for the purpose of conveying the surplus moisture from the stem or stalk, and, therefore, much more time is required for the escape of such moisture. In the meantime the plant is rapidly losing its most important characteristic—its palatability—and possibly more or less of its digestability, and thereby its food value becomes greatly impaired, all of which the experienced feeder of animals has observed. It then stands to reason that many of our farmers interests demand that they improve upon their methods of securing the home grown feed for the principle that applies to curing hay equally applies in securing feed in other forms, such as roots, soiling crops and silage. The writer frequently receives letters asking for information along these lines, which clearly indicate that our farmers are realizing more and more the importance of adopting the right methods in their work. The following is a reply to a letter of recent date, which outlines our plans for curing hay including clover, as well as oats, under favorable weather conditions, which generally means hot sunny days of a week or more duration. When the weather conditions are not favorable, by the use of hay caps, hay can be well cured, on land not too low and wet provided the cutting has had a few hours time to wilt and free itself from any external moisture. The system that we have adopted for securing oat hay for many years and find to be the best under favorable conditions here in this part of the country is to allow the oats to stand until they are beginning to turn when the crop is grown on high land. When grown on low land where the straw grows much more rank and heavy and there is danger of the crop falling down, we cut it while the oats are nicely in the milk. The weather being favorable we begin cutting in the morning as soon as the dew is off and cut until about 2:00 o'clock. Then at 5:00 we windrow the entire cutting of the day. Allow the windrows to remain until the following day in the afternoon about 3:00 o'clock, when the field is raked again and the windrows turned over, moving them forward several feet In this way you will expose the uncured part of the grain to the following day's weather. In the afternoon of the third day it will be ready to haul into the barn By the fourth day all of it will be ready to go into the barn and will make nice green, well cured hay. Should the weather change and threaten rain before it had been hauled into the barn, of course the same should be cocked in large cocks and secured against the rain in that way. Should you have hay caps about forty inches square, to put over these cocks so much the better, but the long oat straws will shed the rains very well without the caps.

There is much to be learned by experience in curing hay under the above method, especially when hay caps are used, The general management of the work varies somewhat with the varying weather conditions. When curing with caps it fre uently happens that the cocks need to be doubled, placing any parts not curing sufficiently fast on top. Thus with experience one soon learns the thing to do from day to day, and thus any losses that might occur will be reduced to the minimum. Generally speaking, under good management, the hay will be secured without "hay weather" in a highly palatable condition when under the too common practice referred to, the same would be of a very low feeding value if any value at all other than for bedding purposes.

Inspection Of Domestic Fruit

Ottawa, July 26,—The Dominion fruit department is completing arrangements to greatly extend the work of inspection domestic fruit will be given as close inspection as imported fruit, Particular attention will be given the west where the number of inspectors has been doubled, and the consumer of the west will be given protection in the purchase of eastern as well as Coast fruit.

For a number of years there has been strong agitation for inspection of fruit sold to the domestic trade. The inspec- of exported fruit has been very strong, but there has been no protection for the home consumer, despite protests which Hon. Sidney Fisher refused to act upon.

Hon. Martin Burrell has given the matter his personal attention and has given orders to nearly double the staff of inspectors, and every effort will be made to see that fruit sold to the home market is up to the high standard of Canadian fruit exported to Great Britian and is not fradulently packed and graded. C. W. Baxter, of Ottawa, an exceedingly competent man, has been made chief inspector for the west with headquarters in Winnipeg. In Ontario the number of inspectors has been doubled, while the number of inspectors in the Maritime provinces has been increased. The staff in British Columbia is being completely reorganized at the present time.

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Echo of the East Kootenay District Summer School

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called for deeper study in the work.

Dr. White, Superintendent of Methodist Misssons in B. C., spent two days at the School, preaching on Thursday and advising with the work of the Financial District meeting.

A paper on Church Problems was given by Rev. Fred L. Carpenter of Creston dealing with several problems the most important of which were, (a) The attitude of the pulpit to the present day interpretation of the Scriptures, (b) The Materalism that has enteaed into the life of the church (c) The amusement question, (d) The present social condition and, last the better supervision of the work on the part of the President of Conference and Chairman of District, and this may be brought about by longer term of office and release from pastoral charge during term of office.

The meeting that will probably remain longest in the memory of the workers was on Friday night after the regular meeting. All remaining gathered around the big camp fire as things were settling for the night, about 10 o'clock when Rev. Smith suggested an experience meeting. Each one told where the success of his life lay and his purpose for the future. The meeting did not break up until midnight and it was considered by all to be the most valuable service of all.

The Chairman of the District presided at all the meetings. The amusements consisted of boating, ball, hill climbing, bathing, shooting and a mock trial. Every one had a pleasant time.

The officers for the school of 1913 are president, Rev. J. F. Dumerick, chairman of district and pastor of Fernie church; secretary, Rev. W. E. Dunnham of the Cranbrrook church. Rev. Currey and Rev. Carpenter and Mr. Hill of Cranbrook and others were elected members of the executive.

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Work For The Editor

It is said that anyone can be an editor, says the National Weekly. All an editor has to do is to sit at his desk six days in the week, four weeks of the month, and twelve months of the year, and "edit" such stuff as this:

Mrs. Jones, of Lost Creek, let a can opener slip last week and cut herself in the pantry.

A mischieous lad of Matherton threw a stone and struck a companion in the alley last Tuesday.

John Doe climbed on the roof of his house last week looking for a leak, and fell, striking himself on the back porch.

While Harold Green was escorting Miss Violet Wise home from a church social Saturday night, a savage dog attacked them and bit Mr. Green on the public square.

Isaac Trimmer was playing with a cat on Friday when it scratched him on the veranda.

Mr. White, while harassing a broncho last Saturday was kicked just south of the cornerib.

Unharnessed Power

Professor R. P. Baker of Okanagan College and Rev. King pastor of Baptist church of Nelson, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Creston working in the interest of the college. A number of young people will probably attend the school from here.

Rev. King in a speech made at the Methodist social Tuesday evening, compared a capable, yet unlearned and untrained person with the unharnessed power of the mountain streams or of Niagra, "Young people with a college training are a greater asset to Canada than all the power to be obtained from its rivers," he said.

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DUCK CREEK NEWS

Mrs. Bathie and daughters returned to Cranbrook Sunday after a stay of 3 weeks on their ranch which is known as the Cloverdale Ranch.

J. J. Grady has been busy this week packing his goods and chattels for removal to Alberta, where he intends to reside in the future. Mr. Grady has done a good deal to help Duck Creek and we are sorry to see him depart from us.

Paul Offner made a business trip to Creston Tuesday.

G. M. Benney was down Tuesday on a tour of inspection of the roads and bridges in this vicinity.

Make hay while the sunshines is the order of the day. Haystacks these days are growing like the proverbial mushroom.

We learn by accident that some of the government officials at Creston have at their disposal, black leaf for the purpose of distribution among the ranchers, if this is correct why is it not made publicly known.

Miss Gibbs and Miss Tamont were visitors at Duck Creek Sunday and were greatly impressed with what they saw in the district.

YAHK ITEMS

M. McLeod the Erickson merchant was in Yahk on business the first of the week and returned home again on Wednesday—west bound.

Mr. Blackford, manager for the Consumers Tailoring Co., who is making a tour of the west in the interests of his agents stopped off a day in Yahk and called on the local agents there, Messrs McLrod and Harrison.

On Saturday last a party of five went to Meadow Creek lake on a fishing trip about ten miles from Yahk and returned again Sunday with about twenty pounds each of the speckled beauties. They report fishing good at the lake but experienced some difficulty in getting over the trail which is over the mountain and pretty well filled up.

American Inrush Continues

Calgary, Alta.—An influx of not less than half a million Americans per annum into Canada for the next five years is the prediction being freely circulated by well informed authorities in this part of the West in view of recently announced railway construction programmes and development plans of the leading Western cities. The problem of housing the new population continues a serious one in view of the inrush. The cement shortage, however, is not proving a serious obstacle to building operations, and many new residences and store buildings are in course of construction. Recent oil, gas and clay developments in this section have begun to emphasize Calgary's future as a manufacturing and industrial centre; although the possibilities for lucrative profits in real estate are not being overlooked. Sixteen millionaires are now numbered among Calgary's citizens, and the majority of the sixteen are said to have extensive land holdings which are steadily increasing in value.

Location Of Garden Of Eden

Sir William Willcocks, the greatest living authority on Mesopotamia, claimed, at a recent meeting of the Royal Geographical society, to have discouvered the approximate position of the Garden of Ednen. As the most famous modern explorer in that historic region, his conclusions have excited considerable interest. He explained very fully the reasons that led him to the belief that the Garden of Eden was situated on the Upper Eughrates, between Anak and Hitt.

For centuries the theatre of the first intensely human drama recorded has been in dispute. It was generally concluded that its whereabouts was in some portion of the valleys of the Tigris and Euphrates. An old legend speaks of the Garden having been destroyed by "the dragon of the Euphrates," a poetical allusion, it has been assumed, to the terrific floods that diverted the course of the river bed. Sir William Willcocks proposes to restore the home of our first parents by controlling the waters of the Tigris and Euphrates with dyke and barrage. To restore Babylonia, he says, without thousands of captives weeping by its waters, the Euphrates, and if possible the Tigris, must be provided with escapes The first Sir William has found to be comparatively

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Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 17th day of July, 1912, at the office of A. D. Pochin, Esq., Secretary of the School Board, Erickson, B. C., the Government Agent, Nelson, B. C., and the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposite on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $200, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

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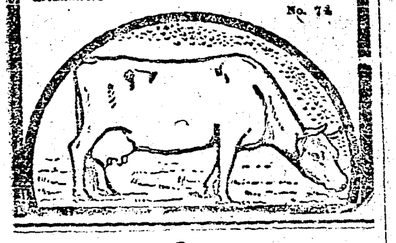

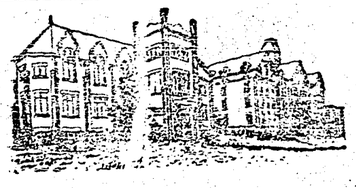

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Having arrived in Boston, she was given a room in the house of the white folks, and was invited to have her meals at the same table with her host and hostess.

Mrs Jones, said the hostess, you were a slave, weren't you?

Mrs. Jones replied that such had been her condition of servitude.

I suppose your master never invited you to eat at his table, hazarded the Boston woman

No, honey, dat he didn't, replied Mrs. Jones. Mr marster was a gentleman. He ain't never let no niggar set at the table longside of him.

If a man doesn't have to get down to work early he would just as soon do it.

Naughty

Beware of ciphers, oh my son,
It is a sage who sings.
For they are objects you should shun.
They are real naughty things.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

One Is Missing

A writer in the Sun traces Governor Wilson's descent from an Irishman named McWilliam. He is also believed to be descended from a Scot named MacWeeklin, a Frenchman named Voudreau, and a German called Wilhelmsshon. Unfortunately no Italian ancestor has yet been discovered for him.—New York Mail.

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Oh Muffins

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Are you an instructed delegate?
I should say so.
How were you instructed?
By my wife before I left home.

How to Begin

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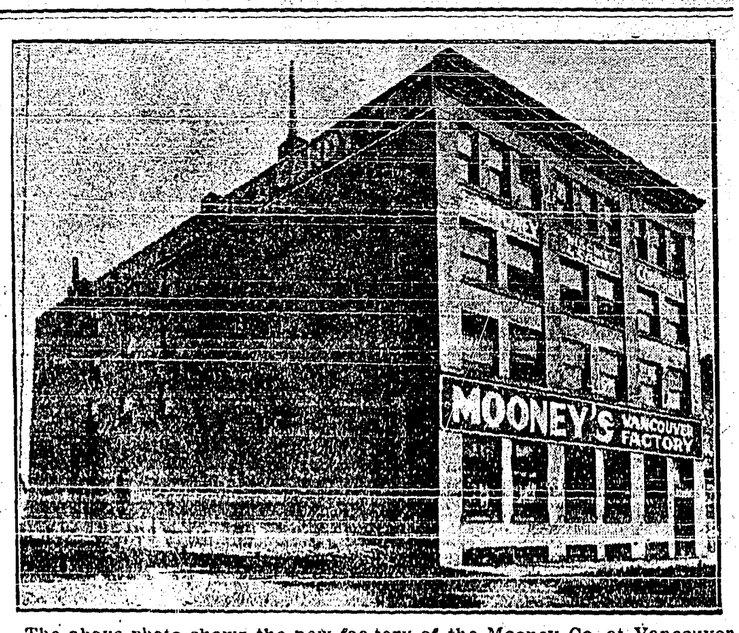
It is a long time since London spent such a happy day as the wild rose festival on June 26 brought with it. It was the happiest of womanly ideas to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the day when Queen Alexandra first set foot on English soil by a gigantic fete of the wild rose, her majesty's favorite flower, in aid of the hospitals, which it has been her constant care and chief delight to benefit. The result of the day's sales was about $150,000.



The above photo shows the new factory of the Mooney Co. at Vancouver, the latest link of the across the continent chain of factories of the Mooney Biscuit & Candy Co., Head Office, Stratford, branch factories at Winnipeg and Vancouver. The latest factory has been purchased from the H. Smith Biscuit Co., of Vancouver, the pioneer biscuit and candy manufacturers of the Pacific Coast. This company enjoys a very substantial business, and only last year erected a new factory building of steel and cement construction which is one of the most modern in the Dominion. While the Mooney Co. have not divulged the exact amount of the purchase price, it is understood to be in the neighborhood of $300,000.

The story of the organization and progress of the Mooney Biscuit Co. reads almost like a tale from the Arabian Nights. Less than eight years ago the business was started in a small way in Stratford, Ont. Mr. W. J. Mooney the founder, who has been and is still the President of the Company, has been called "the wizard of the biscuit business." He has had for many years some very original ideas regarding the biscuit business, and immediately on the organization of his own factory he proceeded to put them into operation. One of these was, that factory-made biscuits, if fresh, could in a large measure supplant the home-made article. Consequently, steps were taken to place the biscuits on the grocers' shelves in a condition of freshness heretofore unheard of in the biscuit business of Canada. Goods were shipped the same day they left the oven, and arrangements were made for specially fast despatch. The company's own line of private cars was installed to insure cleanliness, and to avoid delays and a strenuous advertising campaign was launched to promote a rapid movement of the goods after they actually reached the retail merchant. The effect of this policy was little short of wonderful. The business developed at a rate undreamt of by its founders and each succeeding year necessitated extensions in factory, until finally a brand new building was erected to take care of the rapidly increasing business.

In the Canadian West the results were of a particularly gratifying character, notwithstanding the long distance from the seat of manufacture. In fact, so satisfactory were the results that the Mooney Company decided that the proportions of the Western trade entitled it to be served by a Western factory, so that the people of the West, as well as those of th East, might receive Mooney's goods in an absolutely as "fresh from the oven" condition. Consequently a little less than two years ago the big factory in Winnipeg was secured, and the results which have been achieved since that time have fully justified the wisdom of the venture, and have met the seal of approval on the branch factory idea. The business of the Mooney Biscuit & Candy Co. is now conceded to be the largest of the kind in the Dominion of Canada, and it ranks very prominently among the big industrial enterprises of the country.

Although the British Columbia territory has heretofore been served by the Mooney factory at Stratford, nevertheless the business has fully kept pace with the growth of the territory, and [illegible] proportions where the company felt that it can only be taken care of by a factory actually on the ground. In addition to the present business of the Mooney Co. the new factory will also take over the existing business of the Smith Co. which is of very considerable proportions, so that it is expected that the new factory will at once be taxed to its utmost proportions.

Mr. W. C. Mooney the Vice President of the Company, who has been manager of the Winnipeg factory, is now in Vancouver and will have charge of the reorganization work.

Another Form of Senatorial Courtesy

In addition to studying railroad rates, the question of high living, and the tariff, Senator John M. Dixon, of Montana, has been a student of the general subject of ghosts. Just before he came to Washington to begin his service in the Senate, he was told by a "bad man" of Montana, who had been condemned to death, that spirits could return to this earth from the other world.

At midnight of the day that I am hanged, said the murderer, I will knock at your front door in order to prove to you that ghosts can come back.

On the midnight in question, Dixon was sitting up in his Washington home courteously waiting to see what would happen, for the man's manner had impressed him greatly. The senator was about to go to bed when he remembered that there is a difference of three hours between Washington and Montana time. So he waited up three hours longer, but again received no visit.

The only thing I wish I had established, said Dixon, afterward, was by what time the affairs of the other world are conducted.

Dad Joins In

The daughters of the household, ardent suffragists were talking politics.

Taf will sweep the country, declared Mabel.

Willson will sweep the country, asserted Maud.

Roosevelt will sweep the country, averred Margaret.

At this point dad took a hand.

Never mind about who's going to sweep the country, said he. "Who's going to sweep this here kitchen. That's the question now.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Direct Testimony

Judge Aukam, presiding in the police court of the city of Washington, not long ago had as witness before him a man who stammered, the affliction being a sort of intermittent affair. The witness would stutter frightfully through two or three sentences, and then would sail through two or three more without hesitation. This interested the judge greatly, and finally he asked the witness:

My good man, when do you stutter most?

Well, Your Honor, replied the afflicted man, I do it most when I'm t-t-talking.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

A train which left Bolivar in South America, for a neighboring town three years ago has just arrived. The distance covered was 120 kilometres and the reason for the delay was a storm which derailed the train, killed most of the passengers, and ripped up such a goodly portion of the railway line that the company owning it was forced into bankruptcy. About six months ago an American engineer undertook the reconstruction of the road, and brought the long-delayed train to the point for which it originally started.

Some Could Qualify

Mister Interlocutor, can you tell me why a prohibitionist could never succeed as a lawyer.

No, I cannot, Mr. Tambo. Tell us why?

Because his success depends upon his standing at the bar.

A Sailor Governs Railroads

Francis K. Lane, who, as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, helps to govern the railroads of the country, is in reality a sailor. Whenever he gets the chance he jumps into a sailboat and handles the sheets himself.

Baiting Her

What are you cutting out of the paper?

About a California man securing a divorce because his wife went through his pockets.

What are you going to do with it?

Put it in my pocket.—Boston Transcript.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

Diogenes was searching for an honest man.

Find a suburbanite who will tell you his real opinion of country life in winter, we advised.

Herewith he departed to apply the greatest test of all.—Harper's Bazaar.

Then and Now

The young wife has given her husband a dance. You're improved wonderfully, Jack, she said, as they sat down. Don't you remember how you used to tear my dress?

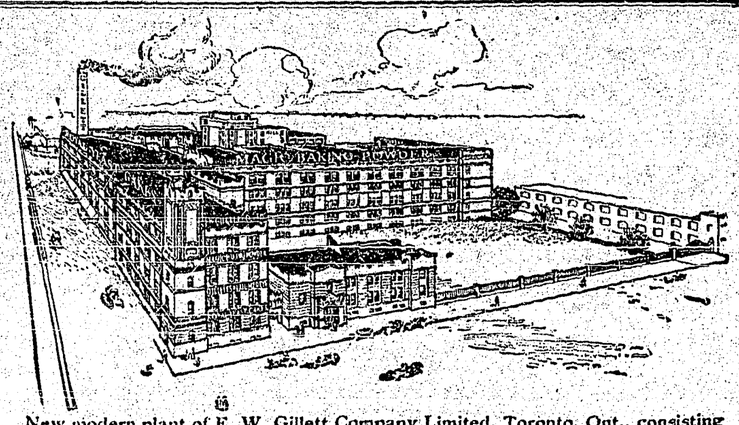
Yes, he replied. I wasn't buying them then.—Boston Transcript.

The Better Part

Willie—Paw, what is the age of discretion?

Paw—The period when a man can't have a good time without suffering for it the next morning.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

In novels and on the stage the bully invariably is whipped. But in real life the bully often wins.



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Criticism

I am going to put some white in the yoke, said the young lady, referring to her gown.

Won't that scramble it? enquired the young man.—Chicago Tribune.

Pa, what's sarcasm?

Pasting a 'Shake well before taking' slip on a bottle of ague cure.—Satire.

Jack—Fred has a snap, but he's foolish to continue abusing his privileges.

Tom—That's so! It takes mighty little to make a sinecure insecure.—Boston Transcript.

The Church and the Woolly West

Bishop William C. Doane, of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese, of Albany, New York, follows the English fashion of his church and signs his name William, of Albany.

Doane, I wish you lived in Buffalo instead of Albany, he was told one day by Bishop Potter, of New York.

Why do you wish that? asked William of Albany.

Because, replied Potter, then we could call you Buffalo Bill.

Old But Alert

Alvep Augustus Adee, assistant secretary of state for this country, is in his seventieth year; but age has no terrors for him. He can be seen almost any day rushing around Washington on a bicycle with his white whiskers waving in the wind.

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Especially if you are done to a frazzle.

You should use your lungs to refresh you.

Take the air-bath as frequently as you would that of water and soap.

You will find it as refreshing as a drink of milk or a dip in salt water.—Kansas City Star.

After the Nightmare

One of the things that must irritate a delegate is that when he gets home the neighbors think he has been enjoying a nice summer vacation.—Washington Star.

Answered

Did that young man kiss you last night.

Mother, do you suppose that he came all the way up here just to hear me sing?—Cornell Widow.

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WHAT BRITAIN IS DOING TO MAINTAIN NAVAL SUPREMACY

Is Building Two or More Ships for Germany's One in all Lines of Naval Construction, the Estimate for 1912 Being $225,000,000

London.—In the debate on the naval estimates in the House of Commons Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, replying to the criticism that he had made inadequate provisions to meet the menace he had described, said:

We are spending 45,000,000 pounds ($225,000,000) this year and are going to spend more next year.

We are raising the personnel of the navy to 141,150 by 1913 and to 146,000 in 1914.

As regards construction Germany this year is laying down two new battleships and we four.

Germany is laying down one extra and we two. This year Germany is laying two small cruisers; we are laying down eight.

Germany in the course of the next eighteen months is laying down 21 destroyers, we 43.

There is no cause for panic or alarm.

The Manchester Guardian in an editorial disparages what it describes as the vicious note of alarm sounded in Churchill's speech and urges a constructive police of friendship with France.

As the Guardian is among the foremost Liberal newspapers the article attracts wide atention. It goes on: "The hope that the colonies will extract us from our difficulties seems wildly out of proportion to the actual facts. The colonies for a long time to come will do well if they can make themselves responsible for their own naval defence, over which under Premier Borden, Canada has gone further than any of the others. This does not expect actually to lighten our burdens.

Moreover, their aid is conditional on a serious change in the Empire's constitution which is full of difficulty. The matter cannot be settled by sentimental impulse. Parliamentary federation is quite out of the question for the present and colonial representation could only come by the admission of the colonies to a share of executive control. This result would mean increased independence of the executive which would aggravate the existing evil of loss of control of foreign affairs by parliament.

Sydney, N.S.W.—The Morning Herald, commenting on Winston Churchill's speech says:—

Since Germany will not yield to Britain's persuasions in the matter of curtailing armaments nothing remains but to continue building with the risk that the nation may some day elect to fight things to the bitter end.

Our duty is to provide for that day and strengthen the Empire for the crisis.

GERMANS BLAME GREAT BRITAIN

Disclaim Responsibility in the Respective Navies

Berlin.—German public opinion is neither disturbed nor irritated over the recent naval debate in the house of commons in London. The press generally seems satisfied with Germany's comparative positions under the new order of things, and praises the speech of Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, as frank without the usual provocativeness.

It criticizes, however, the attempt to throw the responsibility for increased armaments on Germany.

The Vorrsiche Zeitung, in commenting on the subjects, points out that the increase in the German fleet was due to the tone of the British statesmen during the Morocco crisis which compelled every German to regard an increase in the German fleet as a commandment of self preservation. The Vorrsiche Zeitung takes up Arthur J. Balfour's phrase in which he referred to senseless competition in shipbuilding, and asks:

Who is responsible? It was not Germany that invented dreadnoughts, super-dreadnoughts and submarines.

A responsible official corroborated the standpoint of the press, and asserted unequivocally that the speech delivered by David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer, at the Mansion House, London, in 1911, was the direct and sole cause of the German naval bill.

INTEREST IN SHEEP INDUSTRY

Hon. Martin Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, is Taking Active Steps

Ottawa.—Hon. Martin Burrell is leaving no stone unturned in his efforts to stimulate the Canadian sheep industry which has in recent years been on the wane. R. H. Harding, of Thornballe, Ont., one of the best known authorities in the Dominion on sheep breeding, and a member of the Sheep Breeders' Association, has consented to act for the department of agriculture in purchasing thoroughbred stock. The thoroughbreds, numbering three or four hundred, will be chosen from the best Ontario flocks. Acting Live Stock Commissioner H. S. Arkell has returned from a tour of the maritime provinces. He has been studying the sheep industry there, and finds an awakened interest among the farmers. A special commissioner is studying at the present time the sheep industry in western Canada.

GEORGE SERLES NEW INSPECTOR

Succeeds Commissioner F. E. Gibbs as Chief Grain Inspector

Winnipeg.—By a recent order-in-council upon the recommendation of the grain growers, George Serles, of Winnipeg, has been appointed acting inspector of the western division—all Canada lying west of and including Fort William and Port Arthur.

This is the territory in which Mr. F. E. Gibbs was chief inspector but upon Mr. Gibbs' promotion to be one of the Commissioners under the Canada Grain Act of 1912 and his resignation of the inspectorship, a new inspector was required and the position has been given to Mr. Serles.

The new appointee had been for many years identified with the grain trade.

RUSH FROM OLD COUNTRY

Steamship Agents Advised to Stop Booking Passengers to Canada

Montreal.—The Herald says: Stop booking passengers west bound from England until further notice. This is a cable just received by the agents of the Canadian Northern steamship agents. The rush homeward of Canadians and Americans has begun and will be on in earnest next month. All vessels of the leading lines due to sail for the next few weeks from British ports for Montreal and New York are booked up to the limit. Many passengers who did not buy return tickets when they left here now find they cannot buy first or second class accommodation. Some well-to-do passengers, it is said, have bought third class tickets.

PICTURES ACROSS ATLANTIC

Invention Claims a Faster and a Vastly Improved System

London.—Wireless messages will be sent across the Atlantic and to other parts of the world by a new system, according to experts within four months, not only much faster than by the present system but also with such precision that it will be possible to send pictures by this means.

The new system has been taken up by one of the big European telegraph companies and will be given a thorough test by a syndicate organized under the auspices of the telegraph company, so far as the transmission of wireless messages is concerned.

Stations are to be erected at Lyons in France and at Washington and the inventor claims that he will be able to send at the rate of 200 words a minute.

The improvement consists in being able to control a continuous wave as compared with the intermittent waves in the present system.

After the France-American line is working the company intends to extend the system to the east, to Africa and to the British colonies. The British government has investigated it, but it is apparently satisfied as it has been in all recent inventions, to let some other nation test it before adopting it in the British Isles.

TO PATROL HUDSON BAY

Customs Officials Purchase Schooner To Trace Smugglers There

Halifax, N.S.—John McDougall, C.M.G., commissioner of customs, is in Halifax making arrangements in regard to the custom department.

Mr. McDougal has arranged to purchase the schooner Arthur W. for customs preventative work in Hudson Bay.

The vessel is to be provided with oil engines and to be commanded by Captain John F. Chapman, who will act as preventative officer for the Hudson Bay district.

He will leave in August, and will make his headquarters at Port Burwell, at the entrance to the Bay, and will have general supervision over customs matter in that inland sea.

Simply Precautionary Measure

Ottawa.—Some New York newspapers have taken the proclamation in the Canada Gazette of Saturday closing the ports of Quebec, Halifax and Esquimalt to foreign steamers under regulation, as indicating an intention on the part of the Canadian government to close these ports to all steamers of any nation whatever. But it is explained at the naval department that the order is purely a precautionary one, and that it is advisable for shipmasters to paste it in their books and keep it in their memory. There is not present reason for trouble but it is considered just as well to advise ship-masters all over the world that when the hour of danger comes (if come it does) they must be prepared to obey the regulations of the Canadian naval department.

Wheat Cutting in Alberta

Lethbridge.—Wheat cutting in southern Alberta has commenced. Superintendent Fairfield of the experimental farm has turned binders into several plots of winter wheat which are ripe and in fine condition for cutting.

H. A. Suggitt, a farmer at Chin, has begun cutting a six hundred acre field north of Chin. Cutting will be general over the south within the next ten days.

"ECONOMY" SLOGAN OF SENATE

Washington.—Democrats of the House in caucus voted 70 to 62, not to recede from their "no battleship" programme in the naval appropriation bill.

A determined effort was made to have the caucus approve a compromise with the Senate whereby the House would agree to the construction of one sea-fighter.

Representative Fitzgerald, chairman of the appropriation committee, led the opposition to the proposal on the ground of economy.

FRENCH FOR WEST

Exodus from Quebec Province Growing Stronger Every Year, Say Railway Men

Montreal.—A large number of people are leaving for the West on the excursion for homeseekers.

It is noticed that the percentage of French-Canadians is stronger than usual. It was stated by officials at the Windsor station that the exodus of French-Canadians for the Western provinces is growing stronger every year.

There were fully 150 men in a party gathered from Montreal and Quebec and from intermediate districts.

Most of them were bound for places in Saskatchewan and Alberta, and their tickets were good for four months, giving them ample time to work in the West during the harvest season and have a look around to see if they could find places where they would like to settle.

Most of the men were accompanied by their wives and children and said that they were going to pick out land on which to establish homes in the new country.

About half of the party was composed of French-Canadians from this province, most of whom had wives and good-sized families with them, as well as good supplies of money to tide them over until they had chosen their future homes.

That the immigrant season is now in full swing was shown at the Windsor station when the big platforms were crowded with people, most of whom spoke with a strong Scottish accent. There were 200 immigrants from the Cassandra, about 100 from the Granada and 150 from the Pretorias. The whole party was collected into one and sent on a second section of the Imperial Limited. The majority of the immigrants were Scottish and most of them bound for Alberta or Saskatchewan. They were of a good class and well supplied with money.

Poor Baking Powder

Ottawa.—That of a number of different samples of baking powder examined, almost twenty-five per cent. were below standard strength, is the conclusion to be drawn from an interesting bulletin on baking powders in Canada, issued by the department analyst. A total of 150 samples of powders were examined, this being the fourth time this has been done, and the examination being conducted with a view to discovering the powders' efficiency as a gas producer for baking purposes and the wholesomeness of the material from which it was made. Some of the powders were found to contain alum, concerning the wholesomeness of which a board of scientists is now adjudicating in Washington. From the point of view of effectiveness, it was found, as stated, that 45 out of 150 samples, almost 25 per cent were below standard.

Complete G.T.P. by 1914

Vancouver.—Collingwood Schrieber, of Ottawa, general consulting engineer of the Dominion government, and chief government engineer of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, reached here recently. The latter has just completed an inspection of the line as far as a point on the south fork of the Fraser river forty miles west of Railhead, at Tete Jaune Cache, which is 56 miles beyond the summit of Yellowhead Pass.

I have every confidence, said Mr. Schrieber, that the main line of the G.T.P. to Prince Rupert will be finished and in operation by the end of 1914. I think it will be ready before that period but it will take some time to get the road-bed in shape for traffic.

Regina Harvesters

Winnipeg.—The supply of harvesters for western Canada's 1912 crop will be the subject of a conference to be held in Winnipeg between the epresentatives of the C.P.R., C.N.R. and G.T.P. Railways, and the delegations of the agriculture departments of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. The provincial representatives will submit conservative estimates of the harvest hands required for their respective provinces. A. F. Mantle, deputy minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, was in Winnipeg Monday conferring with the railways regarding harvest laborers for this province, and will probably return for the conference next week.

To Settle Labor Disputes

London.—The Chancellor of the Exchequer, David Lloyd George, announced in the House of Commons the intention of the Government to introduce a Bill to deal with labor disputes, such as the present dock strike.

The Chancellor did not define the measure, but indicated that it was likely to involve compulsory arbitration and financial guarantees for agreements.

Tendering Government Jobs

Ottawa.—Government jobs aggregating four million dollars will be put up at tender this week. These are two big harbor works, one at Quebec and the other at Victoria, each costing two million dollars. The Quebec improvement consists of construction of another large pier for ocean liners, along with sheds and considerable dredging and filling.

Ploughed Into Roman Forum

Rome.—Jumping the track, owing to running at too high a speed, a street car plunged into the Roman Forum and mounted the ruins of the Rostrum, where Mark Antony delivered Caesar's funeral oration. The ruins were still further ruined and eighteen passengers were sent to the hospital.

Shipped Poor Apples

Ottawa.—Many complaints have been received by the trade and commerce in regard to the shipments of apples from Canada. Several shipments have arrived covered with mould or in a sticky condition, and though labelled as fancy evaporated apples, contained seeds and cores below the first layer. The department is considering taking action.

TO OPEN NORTHLAND

RAILWAYS PROJECTED TO OPEN UP NORTHERN ALBERTA

Completion of This Road Means the Development of a Vast Empire on the Rim of the Arctic Circle, Reclaiming a Veritable Wilderness to the uses of Man

Edmonton.—Forty engineering crews, consisting of 800 men with teams and pack horses, will be sent into the field at once to make preliminary surveys for the Northern Territorial Railway Company's line from Edmonton to tide water at Fort Churchill on Hudson's Bay. This is to be part of a system of 1,450 miles, from the Hudson's Bay country to Port Essington on the Pacific Coast, connecting Edmonton with the Lac La Biche, Fort McMurray, and Lake Athabasca.

H. G. H. Neville, C.E. chief engineer for the company, which is financed by a British syndicate, and capitalized at $40,000,000, has covered every portion of the proposed route and is fully satisfied upon the engineering problems presented in the construction of the system.

Plans are under way to begin grading work early next season, when the laying of rails will also be carried on, and in two years, according to present calculations, the line is to be in operation from Edmonton to the shore of Lake Athabasca, opening to commercial development the vast mineral and timber wealth of Alberta's farthest north. The company will then proceed with the construction of the line in the province of Saskatchewan. The Edmonton cut-off will be built later. The line from Lake Athabasca westerly will tap the rich agricultural resources of the newest north, continuing thence to the Pacific coast.

The Northern Territorial Railway Company will operate a line of steamships from its Hudson's Bay terminal to a British port. Engineers in the employ of the corporation have made a study of the construction of ice-breakers in the Baltic and are now working on designs of vessels capable of meeting the abnormal conditions which prevail in the bay. They will also superintend the building of the fleet.

The completion of the railroad means the opening of a vast empire, which only a few years ago was regarded as a barren waste and useful only as a hunting ground for the fur-trader and the sportsman. The part of the province of Alberta with development lines and shift its center of gravity and of population many miles northward, and with the development of the resources of the Athabasca country there will be created populous towns and cities and the establishment of manufactories on the rim of the Arctic circle, reclaiming a veritable wilderness to the uses of man.

Another important outlet for the north country is a system projected by the Alberta, Peace River, and Eastern Railway Company, capitalized at $10,000,000 under a charter granted by the Dominion Government in 1910. H. Muskett King, President of the corporation, now on the way to London to confer with British capitalists interested in the enterprise said in the course of an interview while in Edmonton:

I am greatly impressed with the country and its possibilities. I have spent a month looking it over, and it is all and much more than I was told about it. The railroad is going through.

THE MARKET REPORT

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

Winnipeg, July 17.—That the wheat trade is in a nervous condition, and easily influenced at times by sensational rumors, was shown by the quick advance which took place immediately following our last review on reports that rust had been found in southern Minnesota. Nothing was said about the kind in the first reports, but the mere mention of rust was enough to throw the bears into a panic and induce those who were bullish to take on a little wheat. Fortunately these reports were not confirmed and with the leading crop experts in the fields of Minnesota and Dakota sending glowing accounts of conditions there, prices had a heavy reaction, and new low figures, especially for the new crop futures, were made. Chicago and Minneapolis September wheat has declined fully 6c. for the week, and Winnipeg October 2⅛c. While the spring wheat crop in the States is nearing maturity, we hardly think such a decline in prices is warranted at present, as considerable may yet happen to cut down the yield as well as injure the quality. Weather in the Canadian Northwest the past week has not been wholly favorable, as there has been too much rain in many places and temperatures have been too low in others. Monday morning two to six degrees of frost were reported in different sections of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. So far the trade has been skeptical of any damage from this cause, but it is scarcely likely that the crop has entirely escaped, as a very large percentage of it is at the most critical stage, namely, in the blossom. Frost damage at this time however, would not be apparent until later. Just now our great Industrial Exhibition and Selkirk Centennial is being held here, and many of our farmer friends are favoring us with a call. From these we gather that only a moderate crop can be expected. In most parts of the country the hot weather at the end of June has injured the crop more or less. Hail storms are also doing damage and, of course, there is still plenty of time for rust and frost to materially reduce the yield. What is wanted now is bright and fairly warm weather. Winter wheat harvesting in the States is delayed by rains in many localities, causing a much later movement than usual. A few cars of the new wheat are beginning to reach Chicago and it is expected the movement will increase. European markets are not so bearish as those of America. English cables show weakness at times, principally influenced by the States and Canada, but their markets are better maintained and the Continent is holding up quite well. The latest cable says that the consumptive demands are large, and their stocks are disappointing. In Britain, France and Germany crop prospects have improved somewhat. Other European countries are looking for only moderate yields, some below the average.

Statistics for the week were more bullish. World's shipments were smaller than anticipated, being 9,376,000 bus., compared to 13,024,000 bus. last week and 9,392,000 last year. The amount on ocean passage as well as the visible supplies in Europe and the United States show good increases.

Cash wheat in the Winnipeg market has been somewhat demoralized, sympathizing with the declines in futures to a certain extent. During the last two days exporters were said to be reselling instead of buying. Values are two cents lower on all grades from where they were a week ago, but it is noticeable that very little wheat has been pressing for sale at the reduced figures, and as soon as exporters begin buying prices should advance. Receipts of all grades are getting smaller, although the quality is not improving. Many cars are standing on track at terminal elevators waiting their turn to be dried. The Grain Commission has shown commendable energy in procuring a floating dryer from Chicago to help out the other drying plants. This plant has just begun operations and all cars now standing out of condition in the Fort William and Port Arthur yards should soon be cleaned up. Stocks at Fort William and Port Arthur are now 4,957,123 bus. as compared to 5,031,934 bus. last week and 4,037,788 bus. last year. The greater part of this, however, is low grade wheat, as the stocks of 1, 2 and 3 only amount to 1,011,793 bus. compared to 3,126,532 bus. last year.

To-day's cash prices are:—1 Nor., 106; 2 Nor., 103; 3 Nor., 98c; No. 4, 83½c; No. 5, 70½c.; No. 6, 58c.; Feed wheat 53½c.; No. 2 Alberta Red Winter, 27c.; No. 4 R.W., 84½c. Futures closed:—July 106¼c. October, 93⅝c.

OATS—

Working easier in sympathy with decline in wheat prices, but growing crop conditions do not warrant further declines. No. 2 Canadian Western, 39c.; No. 3 C.W., 37½c.; Extra No. 1 Feed, 39c.; 1 Feed, 38c.; July 39⅛c.; Oct. 35⅝c.

BARLEY—

Demand dull and only nominal prices are being quoted. No. 3 Barley, 57c; No. 4, 55.

FLAX—

Receipts are not so large, although still much in excess of last year. Enquiry is improving, but prices show no change for the week. No. 1 North-western 179; No. 1 Man., 175; Rejected 164; Condemned 125; July 177, Oct. 167.

All prices quoted are based on in store Fort William or Port Arthur.

MANY LABOR DISPUTES

Seven Arbitration Boards Have Been Applied for to Labor Department

Ottawa.—There are an unusual number of labor disputes for this time of the year reported by the labor department. At present no less than seven arbitration boards are either working or have been applied for. The most important dispute is that involving the C.P.R. telegraphers. The department has appointed a board to endeavor to settle the trouble which involves questions of both wages and conditions of labor. Telegraphers all along the C.P.R. system are affected. Peter MacDonald, of Toronto, is chairman, J. E. Duval has been appointed the represent the company, and J. G. O'Donohoe the men. The department has also named two men in connection with a dispute at Halifax between the Halifax Tramway Company and its employees. G. S. Campbell will represent the company and John T. Joy the men.

Application has been made for a board at South Porcupine, where there is a dispute at the Macenney Mine. Only forty men are involved in this particular dispute, but there are nearly a thousand men employed in the district, all of whom will be affected by the decision. An arbitration board is working at the present time on a dispute at Inverness between the members of the Inverness Coal and Ore Dock Co. and its employees. Application has also been made for a board by the employees of the Britannia coal mine near Vancouver. There is also trouble between the Gas Consumers Company of Toronto and its men, which is hoped will be settled without reference to a board.

Will Populate Manitoba

Winnipeg.—That advertising is the sesame to the immigration problem of the Canadian West, especially in reference to the matter of bringing in the more desirable and energetic classes of new comers, is the view forcibly advocated by immigration commissioner Bruce Walker of this city. In a public address the commissioner said, Every business man who is progressive and successful has come to realize the full value of advertising, and it will be just as valuable in our line as in any other. And if we have faith in advertising, we must put our hands in our pockets and pay for it. We must advertise especially for the tiller of the soil; next for his hired man; and third for the capitalist. We want to show these people where they can get into a land upon which they can raise something besides the cactus and the mortgage. About 1000 copies of the new booklet of the union for Manitoba league are now being distributed.

Germany Buys Dirgible

Berlin.—Following a test in which it developed a speed of 49 miles hourly, the Government has bought the most up-to-date dirgible ever built, named it Z.3, and ordered it sent to Metz fortress, on the French frontier.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON V.—THIRD QUARTER, FOR AUGUST 4, 1912

Text of the Lesson, Matt. xiii, 44-53. Memory Verses, 45, 46—Golden Text, Matt. vi, 33—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

It was after he had sent the multitudes away and went into the house that He explained to the disciples the parables and spake these other of today's lesson. It has been said that a parable is like a nut that has to be broken to get the meat—it keeps the meat from the indolent and for the diligent. It is also true that there are outside truths for the world that they may receive if they will and enter in, and there are truths only for those who are within. The parables of the hidden treasure and the pearl give us wholly another view of what is going on in this present age and of its consummation in spite of all the work of the adversary. Remembering what we said in a previous lesson concerning the explanation of a word or phrase holding good through the whole discourse, we now note the field of verse 44 and the explanation in verse 38, "The field is the world." The word "treasure" takes us back to Ex. xix, 5 Israel His peculiar treasure. See also Ps. cxxxv, 4; Mal. iii, 17, margin. Thus the law, the prophets and the Psalms enlighten us concerning the treasure. Since Israel's rejection of Christ and her consequent scattering among all nations she has been a treasure to no one but Himself, but to Him she is as the apple of His eye, and till sun, moon and stars cease to shine she shall not cease to be a nation before Him (Zech. ii, 8; Jer. xxxi, 35-37). Who can this be who gives up all that He has in order to buy the field? No one can buy the field but He who has the right to redeem it, the true Boaz, the mighty man of wealth, who as evidence that He had purchased or redeemed the field wore the crown of thorns.

The story of the pearl is virtually the same except that the pearl is the church, as the treasure is Israel. Pearls come from the sea, and in Rev. xvii, 15, it is written, "The waters which thou sawest are peoples and multitudes and nations and tongues." In Eph. v, 27, the completed church is spoken of as a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing, but holy and without blemish. In these words one cannot help seeing a perfect pearl without spot or blemish or wrinkle. In this case, as in that of the treasure, the man gave up all that he had to purchase it. Salvation, or eternal life, or the Son of God, in whom we have redemption is not obtained in that way, but as the free gift of God (Rom. iii, 24; v, 1). Neither money nor good works can obtain eternal life. The cost of our redemption fell wholly upon Jesus Christ, and by His perfect life and death in our stead and resurrection from the dead He has provided eternal redemption for all who will receive Him. We are saved, however at so great a price in order to become his disciples, and the cost of being a disciple falls wholly upon the believer for it is written, "Whosoever he be of you that forsaketh not all that he hath he cannot be my disciple" (Luke xiv, 33). Returning to the treasure and the pearl which He obtains by giving up all that He had, "for ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that, though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor that ye through His poverty might be rich" (II Cor. viii, 9), it is certainly true that whatever of value or preciousness there will be in Israel or the church it will be because of union with Him in whom alone is any preciousness. Another phrase of truth should be considered in connection with Israel and the church, and that is that Abraham was promised a seed as the stars of heaven and as the dust of the earth or the sand of the sea, a heavenly and an earthly seed. Here also we see that church, the heavenly and Israel, the earthly seed. When these have been fully gathered we shall have the kingdom ruled over by a righteous king and with Him the earthly people, all righteous.

The seventh parable, the net gathering of every kind, may refer to this whole age or specially to the end of the age, but the great truth seems to be the separation of good and bad. The Lord Jesus did not believe in all who said that they believed on Him (John ii, 23-25), and we cannot tell always who are true and who are not, but the day will declare it. It is ours to gather all we can. How fearful are the words about the severing, the furnace of fire, the wailing and gnashing of teeth (verses 42, 49, 50; xxii, 13; xxiv, 51; xxv, 30, 41), and if the language is figurative what must the reality be? It is most plainly taught in Scripture that for the righteous there is an eternity of bliss and for the wicked who reject Christ and die in their sins an eternity of woe. How important His question, "Have ye understood all these things?" (51). They were very ready with their "Yea, Lord," but it was not long before He had to say: "Are ye also yet without understanding? Do not ye yet understand?" (xv, 16, 17). It is through faith we understand (Heb. xi, 3), and the one thing required of us and that we can do is to have faith in God. Some consider verse 52 as an eighth parable. If we are wells of living water we will ever give forth for the benefit of others the words of life, the old truths unfolded in the New Testament and the New Testament truths opening up the old.

Goes to Maritime Province

Ottawa.—Hon. Martin Burrill, minister of agriculture, leaves next month on an official visit to the maritime provinces. While there he will visit the experimental stations and will confer with leading eastern agriculturists in regard to existing conditions on the farms. C. C. James, who was entrusted with the task of working out a basis for the proposed federal aid to the provinces in the interests of agriculture, is expected back in Ottawa early in August, when he will report progress on his investigations to date.

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Minister

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Mass at 11:30 a. m., followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Father John.

SPECIAL RATES FOR EXHIBITORS

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The growing interest in the International Dry-Farmed Products Exposition at Lethbridge, Alta., next October assures the largest exhibition of grains, grasses and root crops, farm machinery and implements ever held in Western Canada, and probably the largest of its kind ever held on the American continent. Applications for entry forms have been received by Chairman McNicol of the Exposition committee from nearly every quarter of the globe, and advices through diplomatic sources are to the effect that nearly all of the South American countries, Australia, Hungary Turkey, Russia and the United States will send federal exhibits. It is stated that the United States exhibit will eclipse anything that has ever been undertaken by the department of agriculture, while the Dominion of Canada will collect and stage an enormous sized exhibit of the products of the soil from the provinces of British Columbia, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta and will have exceptionally large and interesting displays.

The Exposition opens on Saturday morning Oct. 10th, and every exhibit will have been judged and all prize winners announced by that time. Exhibits must be in place ready for judging on the evening of Thursday, Oct. 17 In view of this setting above of the dates, so that the distinguished foreign visitors may see the wide-awake, hustling methods of the Canadians and may carry home with them the most interesting reports about the progressive spirit of the people and the wonderful resources of the country. it is desired that all exhibitors prepare to be on the spot as early as possible . To facilitate the exhibitors the Canadian Pacific Railway has arranged for a special rate for them under conditions that are exceedingly plain to understand. They can purchase tickets at any station in the province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, good for the round trip, at the one way first class fare, on Oct. 10 to 15, upon presentation of a certificate from the secretary of the Dry Farming Congress. This certificate will be issued by the secretary and forwarded upon request, but the applicant must in making the request send in his entry blank properly filled out in order that a number may be assigned him. The official premium list is ready for distribution, and, together with the official entry blank, will be sent to any farmer or intending exhibitor upon request to John T. Burns, Secretary, Lethbridge, Alberta.

Districts contemplating exhibiting can obtain their allotment of space upon application to Chairman J. W. McNicol of the Exposition committee after August 10, and they will be privileged to begin the arranging of their exhibit any time after Oct. 1.

Water Notice

For a Licence To Take And Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that Andrew Miller of Creston will apply for a licence to take and use one quarter cubic foot per second of water out of an unnamed Creek, which flows in a East and West direction through Blks 20, 19 of Lot 892 and empties into King Creek or Block 11 of Lot 892. The water will be diverted at a point directly 200 yards east of the N. W. corner of Block 19 of Lot 892 and will be used for purposes on the land described as North half of Block 19 of Lot 892.

This notice was posted on the ground the 31 day of July 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water recorder at Nelson.

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