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October 22, Date of Creston District's Fruit, Vegetable and Poultry Show

Committee Is Arranging Apple Class Which Calls for Five Boxes to Compete

A Display of Honey in All Stages, From its Production in Comb to the Refined Product Ready For Table Use, Will Be Shown

At Wednesday evening's meeting of the Fall Fair committee it was decided to make one class in the Apple Contest open only to displays containing five boxes. Just which class that will be has not yet been decided.

An exhibit of honey and possibly some bees will be among the features of the show.

R. M. Winslow, Provincial Agriculturist, was present and discussed the question of judges with the committee.

Local poultrymen are becoming enthusiastic about the show and every thing points to a big success.

REDUCTION IN RATES ON LIVE STOCK

The Secretary of the Board of Trade is in receipt of a communication from Division Freight Agent Drew in which he quotes the following reductions in the rate on live stock.

The rate for instance from Montreal or any point in Ontario and Quebec on either the Grand Trunk or our line west of there to Cranbrook is 59½c per 100.

Creston	61½c per 100 lbs.
Grey's Creek	62c
Crawford Bay	62c
Kaslo or Nelson	63c
Slocan City	64c
New Denver	64½c

The minimum carload weight being 20,000 lbs. This would figure $126.00 per car of 20,000 lbs. to say Nelson and in addition to this it would be necessary to have some party accompany the car to care for the stock while in transit and free transportation is granted for party accompanying the car west and be returned for 1c per mile to starting point.

SHEPPARD NAMED BEE INSPECTOR

W. J. Sheppard has been appointed government apiary inspector, under the provisions of the provincial Foul Broods act, and instructor in apiculture for East Kootenay and West Kootenay districts.

Bee-keepers requiring advice or assistance are asked to communicate with Mr. Sheppard, who resides at 1407 Stanley street, Nelson, and any case of suspected disease should be at once notified to him.

A quarantine of nine months has lately been declared by the minister of agriculture on bees imported into the province.—Daily News.

Mr. B P. Wells, son of Dr. Primrose Wells, who has been spending a week in Creston, left Wednesday for Vancouver where he will visit a short time before leaving for Toronto University. He reports that the Pinnerwood Ranch, the property of his father has been rented to Mr. Stringer a Californian, who will arrive in the Spring to take up his residence thereon.

When you want your next job of printing done, no matter what the job is, bring it to the Review office. We guarantee a first-class job and our prices are right.

DUCK CREEK NEWS

John Bathie left on Sunday for a week in Cranbrook.

Mr. Payne of Creston was a visitor to Duck Creek Monday.

Labor Day was a busy one for sportsmen. The crack of the rifle or the bark of dog being heard continuously on all sides.

On Sunday Sept. 7, the Duck Creek Social Club will hold another picnic, weather permitting. The site chosen is on the beach below Cob Dixons ranch and not at Paul Hagen's hay camp previously announced. Parties will meet at Duck Creek deyot at 10:30 a.m. and walk down en masse.

O. J. Wigen, Matt Hagen, Peter Andestad, and Carl Carlson were Creston callers Wednesday.

Guy Lowenburg was a visitor to Duck Creek Wednesday in his automobile.

J. J. Grady spent a couple of hours in Duck Creek Tuesday.

The clearing of the school site is now completed. All we want now is a school house to put on it.

The next dance at the Social Club will be on Saturday September 13. Earl Pease is floor manager.

Despite the heat of the evening a most enjoyable dance was held on Saturday night, a large crowd was present and our baby Carl kept them well occupied.

Bob Dixon went to Kuskanook last Saturday to pay an extended visit to friends there.

Ed Southwell left Duck Creek for Newport, Wash. last Saturday.

—The C. C. S. of Cranbrook is selling Iron Beds with mattress and spring for $11.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott, of Erickson are rejoicing in the advent of a first-born son to share their sorrows and rejoice in their successes, let us hope mostly the latter. He arrived Saturday August 31.

Forty years in use, 20 years the standard, prescribed and recommended by physicians. For Womans ailments, Dr. Martel's Pills, at your druggist.

We had the pleasure this week of a nice mess of fish which were kindly handed to us by George Johnson, just returned from Trout Lake, where with his wife and girls he had spent a two weeks vacation. He reports a splendid time, good boating, and excellent fishing as the two beautiful specimens attested. As the little boy said, after he had eaten the watermellon, he had inside information that it was good.

NEWSY LOCAL NOTES.

What is a dust-pan social anyhow?

Mr. Heale, of the Canyon City Lumber Co.'s staff, is moving his family out to Canyon City this week.

There is so much bad in the best of us,
And so much good in the worst of us,
That it hardly behooves any of us,
To talk about the rest of us.

FOR SALE—Democrat, only used five weeks. Cost $125.00 E. A. Penson Erickson, B. C. 33-36

Some witty wag commenting on the fact that the letters of the Canadian Highway post are not straight, wisely said, "Well the letters are about as straight as the highway"

R. M. Winslow, Provincial agriculturist spent Saturday and Sunday in Creston District, going from hence to Robson. He is very much pleased with the prosperous appearance of the Valley.

Choice assortment of Tea Pots, also Flower Pots Just arrived at Creston Mercantile. Co.

Milton Beam and W. B. Embree brought down a very fine deer Monday while hunting up Arrow Creek. They very thoughtfully brought some to the Review staff and we speak from actual knowledge when we say it was very nice and tender.

Printing as you like it at the Creston Review.

The Creston Drug and Book Co's window presents a very striking appearance just now. Mr. McBean has arranged a display of Lowney's Chocolates which not only catch the eye but provoke mirth however, we will not anticipate, but leave it for you to see for yourself.

Creston District fruit, vegetable and poultry show will take place Wednesday, October 22nd.

That the road to Bonners Ferry is in prime condition is evidenced by the fact that Dick Bevan made the trip the other evening after the westbound train left and was back in time to help Bob Shaugnessy catch same chickens for a late supper—that's going some, I speck.

Mr. Demeau, of Vancouver, who is making the trip to Calgary in his big Hudson car, found himself in a rather peculiar predicament while in Spokane. His children who were making the trip with him were taken with whooping cough and Mrs. Demeau had to remain with them. Mr Demeau speaks in glowing terms of his experiences in the Creston Valley and has found from experience that through Creston and Bonner's Ferry is the only passable road on the way from Spokane to Calgary.

The tenth annual session of the Alberta and Eastern British Columbia Press Association will be held at Edmonton, Alberta, next week and through the kindness of the officials of the C P. R the editor and his wife will be in attendance. This is the occasion of our year when we take the opportunity of combining holiday and business and fraternize with our brother and sister pencil-pusher, and we ask your indulgence if our next issue presents a holiday aspect.

The program for the convention contains some features of special interest and we feel that we owe it to our district to respond to the roll call.

—Send for our prices on furniture, we pay the freight. C. C. S.

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

W. Hooper and wife of Rossland, are making a short stay in looking over their property and making preparations to move to it in the Spring.

Mrs Catherine Smith left Wednesday for a short visit with Mrs. Black, of Duck Creek, returning on this morning's train.

Don't risk loosing a good gun! Take your repeater to EMBREE and have the magazine altered to suit the new gun law. No injury to the gun and it can be changed back anytime.

James Masson left Wednesday for Fishburn, Alberta, where in future he will take up his residence. That he will still feel a soft spot in his heart for Creston Valley is evidenced by the fact that he is having the Review sent to his new home.

W. G. Kennedy, of Kootenay Nurseries, Willow Point was in town today He appointed A. D. Rochin agent for the district. He says we have the largest Jonathans he has seen and the cleanest district in the Kootenays as regards scab or other pests.

We are in receipt of the Nelson fair price list which is a credit alike to the the printers and to the management of the fair. It is accessible in our office to anyone who wishes to look over it. There is one in the post office and in each of the stores and the drug store.

J. R. Russell, buyer for the Nelson branch of the Hudson's Bay Co., passed through on the Eastbound train Monday on the way to Calgary, where he goes to select their winter's stock for his branch, from there he will go to Edmonton for a short visit. He is accompanied by his wife and child.

At a meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Methodist Church held Thursday it was decided to hold a dust-pan social on Wednesday, October 15, there will also be a program. Now if anyone can tell us what a dust-pan social is we will send a wingless pigeon message to the Encyclopedia Britannica and give them the much valued information.

NELSON FRUIT FAIR

The feature event to be seen at the Nelson Fruit Fair this year will be the day and night Fireworks wich will be put on by the Hitt's Fireworks co. of Seattle, the Hitt Co. of recent year have supplied the pyrotechnic displays at the biggest Exhibitions in the West amongst others being the A. F. P. Exposition, and as this will be the first big display in the Interior it will no doubt prove a great attraction.

The Vaudeville program will be the most pretentious ever attempted by the Fair Management, several thousand dollar having been spent on this item alone, the list includes only the highest classacts and consists of: "The Rex Comedy Circus," "Les Jardys", "The Bluches," "Walter Stanton & Co." "Texas" the strong man, and others. These acts will be given free twice daily.

A new departure this year will be the appearance of the celebrated Local Athletic Team from the Nelson Y. M. C. A. in Hanson's pyramid building this will also be seen twice daily.

All transportation companies are making a single fare rate for the round trip to Nelson on September 23, 24, 25.

SPECIAL DAYS AT SPOKANE FAIR

So many special events crowd the busy week of the Spokane Interstate Fair that each day has many titles.

Monday Sept. 15, is Opening Day, Children's Day. Ad. Club Day, Spokane Day, G. A. R. Day. Military Day and Automobile Day. One feature of the Spokane Fair is that every exhibit must be complete by nine o'clock of Monday and this year will be no exception, The veterans of the Civil War and the ladies of the Women's Relief Corps will be guests of the Fair and a special rate of ten cents is made for all school children.

An attraction on this day will be the parade of members of the Y. M. C. A. School Garden Contest.

Tuesday is Indian Congress Day, Coeur d'Alene Day, Work Horse Parade Day, Idaho Day, and Big Bend Day. Judging in all departments will be under way, the Rock Drilling Contest and the Log Chopping Contest will open and the Polo Tournament for the International Championship will be in full swing. An elaborate fireworks program will be given in the evening.

Wednesday is Derby Day, Stevens County Day and also the day for the Canadians, the Shriners, the Poultrymen and Modern Woodmen. A convention of poultry raisers will be held in the Congress Tent, and the big attraction on the Race Track will be the $2,000 Derby. At night the Woodmen will have some special pyrotechnical pieces, showing their emblems in glistening fire.

Thursday the Mining Men, the Rotary Club and the Dairymen will be on hand; also Okanogan Day, Palouse Day and Minnesota Day. A meeting of dairymen will be held in Congress Tent, and the big auction sale of live stock will commence in the stock judging arena. Practically all the blue ribbons will be awarded, and the judges will explain the reasons for the awards.

Friday will be New England Day, Bolster Day, Live Stock Day, College Day and W. O. W. Day. This is the day for the parade of the prize winning live stock, and the combination live stock auction will close.

Saturday is Children's Day, Labor Day, Carnival Day, Motorcycle Day and the last day of the $1,000 Cowboys' Relay Race. A number of special athletic stunts will be arranged for the track and infield, and the deciding games in the big Polo Tournament will be played. The lucky babies winning the $500 cash prizes in the Better Babies Contest will receive their awards before the Grand Stand. The fireworks display at night will be unusally elaborate. Admission for children is only ten cents on this day.

Sunday is the last chance to see the 1913 Fair. All exhibits will be open and the famous Highlanders' Band will give two concerts. The general admission to all parts of the grounds will be only twenty-five cents.

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The Spokane Interstate fair is really a city within itself. Every modern convenience found in a well regulated city of 100,000 is in effect at the grounds. Grocers, bakers, launderers, and provision men of all kinds call every day. Modern fire and police protection prevails, post offices, express and freight offices, taxicab stands, gas mains, water supply mains, small lumber yard, restaurants, rest rooms—everything that the average mortal wants—is within easy reach at the grounds. Over 3000 employes of various natures live and work at the fair grounds during fair week and these are cared for in every way.

CANADA'S LAND AND APPLE SHOW.

Secretary C. F. Roland of the Canada Land and Apple Show, which is to be held this year, October 10-18, at Winnipeg, has alrerdy received some hundreds of letter from easterners, fruit growers and secretaries of fruit growing associations, indicating the interest that is being taken in this show. It is the first national land and apple show to be held in Canada.

Some of the big cash prizes will include a $250 prize for the best two bushels of wheat, with a second prize of $150 and a third of $100; for oats $100 as a first prize, $75 for second, and $50 for third; and for barley the same prizes will be given. In the apple competition there will be awarded $200 for the best two boxes, $100 for the second, and $150 for the third. A cash prize of $100 is also offered for the best sheaf of alfalfa. Later, announcement will be made of the rates to apply both for passengers and exhibits for the show, the date, of course, already being fixed for October 10-18. —N. W. News.

THE BEE AND THE APPLE TREE

When a thoughtful man sets teeth into a juicy apple he owes thanks not to the apple tree alone nor to the grower. Recent experiments have plainly borne out what apiarists already had plausibly conjectured. It appears that in the marriage of the blossoms, or, as a botanist would say, in there pollination by one another—that mysterious intermingling without which no apple blossoms can develop into seeds and core and fine grained flesh—there is a match maker and literal go between—the familar honey bee.

Professor Waugh, a national authority on orcharding, but himself no prepossessed lover or keeper of bees, has exposed among apple trees through the time of blossoming plates of glass coated with vaseline. He found that these traps caught no pollen, no matter how the wind blew upon them from the flower-crowded trees. He drew the unavoidable conclusion that the pollen of apple blossoms, unlike the pollen of Indian corn, is not carried by the air, but must be borne, like the pollen of orchids, by visiting insects. And in the days of blossom time, early and cool as they usually are, the hot-footed honey bee is the only Johnny, or Jenny rather, on the spot.

Most people know that the cucumber vines trellised under glass will not set their fruit unless a colony of bees has been brought in to fertilize one yellow blossom from another. Few of us, however, have supposed that ordinary apple trees, growing in sun and wind beneath the open sky, would also be cheated of their fruit were they not helped by the golden dusted bees.—Grand Forks Sun.

The first dance of the season will be held in Mercantile Hall on Friday September 12.

SAWDUST FOR FLOORING

Artificial floorings are now being made out of sawdust concrete. The cement used consists of a solution of magnesium chloride to which pulverized magnesia is added. The sawdust is then used in any desired quantity. Floors manufactured in this way are more resilient than concrete, and are not good condutors of heat. They [illegible] make the free foot.

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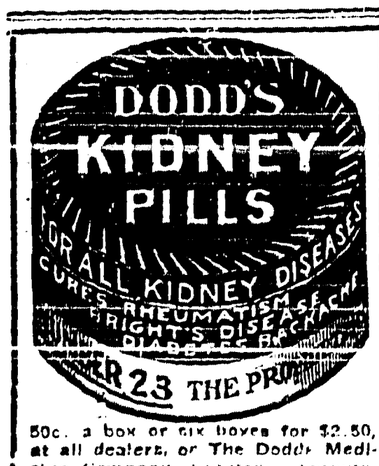
Fare, please, lady, says the conductor on the street car. This way, lady, please, says the floor-walker in the store. And so it goes everywhere. Would it not be much better if our conductors and shop-walkers and clerks and officials of all kinds were to adopt the much more euphonious Madam as the form of salutation.



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SCIENTIFIC RAIN

Methods Adopted by Advanced Agriculturalists for Growing Rainless Wheat

The population of the earth is increasing faster than its productive capacity is being developed. If that should continue indefinitely we would find ourselves in a situation as desperate as that in which the suppositious inhabitants of Mars are represented to be at present.

Plant life is as essential to us as the atmosphere itself. We cannot exist without it. No matter how far we may develop the other forms of human industry we must fall back on farming—agriculture—as the basis and sustainer of all.

The present tendency in all civilized countries is away from the land. The cities grow like gourds and the country is deserted and despised, except as affording a place for recreation, rest and development of luxurious ways of enjoyment. Because of this continually growing tendency every effort to increase the productivity of the soil and the extent of it under cultivation is of immense importance and interest to every human being.

Everybody knows something of the almost miraculous effects that have been attained in the western part of America in utilizing and rendering fertile vast expanses of land which have hitherto contributed nothing to the support of man.

Irrigation, draining and scientific management of the soil and of fertilizers have, in many places, produced a real revolution. And, best of all, this movement has inspired a spreading interest in agriculture as an occupation not only lucrative but honorable, and capable of exercising the finest qualities of human intelligence. Many a farmer's son has quitted the land and plunged into the seductions of the city only because the country began to weary him on account of its monotony, unprogressiveness and small demand upon his intelligence. This will all be changed when he sees that the cultivation of the soil calls forth the exercise of as much ingenuity and scientific knowledge as manufacture or the pursuits of trade and commerce.

Some of the most interesting examples of the progress now being made in rendering the earth more capable of supporting the demands of its fast growing population—which has now reached a total of about two thousand millions—are afforded by the South African experiments in growing wheat without rain from seeding to harvest.

This must seem a true miracle in the eyes of many an old-time farmer who has been accustomed to regard the signs of the sky with anxious solicitude, believing that only the bounty of nature could aid him, and that plenty of rain is essential to the growth of crops. But science has achieved it!

It was found that in some places—in arid regions where but little rain fell in the course of the year—a deep uniform subsoil existed in which the moisture was stored up and protected from evaporation by a blanket of surface soil. Acting upon this indication the soil was everywhere, where crops were desired, ploughed and harrowed until a very deep uniform subsoil was produced protected by a superficial blanket.

By this method it has been found possible to bottle up in the deep undersoil the scattered rainfall for three or four years. In the second year a crop of wheat can be produced from the first year's rainfall; in the third year one from the second year's rain, in the fourth year a crop from the third year's rain, and so on. The cultivators are thus rendered independent of the vagaries of the rainfall. Some is bound to came in the course of every year, and even though it amounts to only 20 inches for the entire 12 months, by the system of bottling up in the soil it can be rendered available when wanted.

Dr. Macdonald of the South African Union Department of Agriculture, says: We in South Africa have grown a rainless wheat. We have grown wheat without a single drop of rain falling on it from seed-time until harvest.

The wheat used is a durum wheat called Apulia, imported from the dry belt of Italy. Before this dry farming was introduced the South African farmers hugged the irrigation water furrows and believed that only in their presence was wheat growing possible. There were a few irrigated patches and the rest of the country was a desert. Now, the bottling system has changed and all that, and thousands of acres supposed to be valueless are yielding abundant crops.

Such is the march of the true world-conquerors!—Minneapolis Tribune.

A Famous Cafe

The passing of the Cafe Anglais in Paris awakens many recollections, amongst the older Londoners who used to visit Paris a dozen times in the year. Forty years ago the restaurant was famous for its food and frequenters, who included nearly every celebrity in Europe. It was then King Edward's favorite restaurant in Paris, always faultlessly conducted although strongly dashed with Bohemianism. All that was best in the social and artistic world was to be found there. It was one of the few restaurants which kept open through the seige, and there was ground for belief in the story that it never remembered afterwards to reduce its prices.

Pat and Jim were trudging along the dusty road when a big touring car passed them with a whiz like a roar of a gigantic rocket disappearing in a cloud of dust.

Gorry! exclaimed Pat, thim chug wagons must cost a hapo of cash. The men in this country is fairly burning money.

Indade thin, replied Jim, be the smell of it it must be that tainted money we do be hearing so much about.

Darling, do you love me for myself alone?

Why, certainly Charles. But you really have that $50,000, haven't you?

THE COUNTRY FAIR

Money Spent In Attending Fairs is Well Invested

Fair time is again upon us. It is the annual holiday handed down by our forefathers who tilled the soil and gathered to discover which had been able to wrest the fairest fruits from their labor. It is a time of healthy competition and relaxation that every member of the family should be allowed to enjoy. Both farmers and city cousins should attend. Even the most insulated city dweller is but a generation or so away from toil tilling as men all tilled the soil or grazed their herds at one time. Those who can have gotten back to the soil after drifting into the unnatural hothouse city life. There is something for everybody at the fair, whether it be merely a country pumpkin show or the more enlarged and classified exhibition and ourself, especially if you take an active part in entering your best farm produce or help in managing or superintending it. The local fair, like the country newspaper, the country schoolhouse and the country church, is a success or failure just to that extent that home folks take active part. Its power for good is also much greater than ordinarily conceded. Many a big breeder of purebred live stock got his inspiration from the local two-by-twice country fair when his cow, pig or colt won the red ribbon from the neighbors. That victory or defeat may have aroused friendly competition which started one of more plain farmers to breeding pure breds to show neighbors Jones and Smith that they could not beat the products of the rival neighbor's farm. Attend at least two fairs the coming season—the home pumpkin affair, if you wish to so designate it, and the big fair that will be advertised and talked about in your section. See what your neighbors are doing and then see what the best herds, flocks and fields in the Dominion are doing.—Exchange.

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Grant's Joke at Vicksburg

Fifty years ago, when Grant was besieging Vicksburg, the Confederate newspaper of that city, which in the desperate conditions was printed on the reverse side of wall paper, editorially referred to a rumor that Grant had claimed that he would be in possession of the city on the Fourth of July.

The editor gayly reminded the Union commander of the old recipe for cooking rabbits, beginning: First, catch your rabbit.

Vicksburg was surrendered to Grant on the Fourth of July, and one of the first acts of the grim conqueror was to print a second edition of the Confederate newspaper, with this note added to the bantering editorial.

P.S.—July 4. The rabbit has been caught.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Path of the Sun

The sun's path is called the ecliptic. It is a great circle of the celestial sphere, cutting the celestial equator at two points 180 degrees apart and making with it an angle of 23½ degrees known as the obliquity of the ecliptic. The crossing points are called the equinoxes, because the days and nights are then equal, and the points midway between the equinoxes are the solstices, because the sun then seems to stand still for a few days.

The ecliptic is so called because eclipses occur only when the moon is crossing it or is near it, for the moon's orbit cuts the ecliptic in two points, called nodes or knots, and at other times is above or below it. If the moon when in either node, is in line with the sun and the earth we have an eclipse, either total or annular. If she is near her node we have a partial eclipse.

The moon's nodes are not stationary, but move backward on the moon's orbit, completing a revolution in about nineteen years, when the eclipses of the period recur in the same order and at about the same intervals as before. This period of eighteen years and eleven days is called the saros. It was known to the Chaldeans and the Greeks and gave them their data for computing eclipses.

Any intelligent person can trace the sun's path in the heavens. If the sun rises exactly in the east and sets in the west it is the time of the equinoxes. If the sunrise and sunset points are farthest south and the sun is very low in the heavens at noonday it is the time of the winter solstice.

Wished He Was a Comet

I wish I was a star, the dude sighed, smiling at his own poetic fancy.

I would rather you were a comet, she said dreamily.

His heart beat tumultuously.

And why? he asked, tenderly, at the same time taking her unresisting little hand in his own. And why? he repeated imperiously.

Oh, she said, with a brooding earnestness that fell freezing upon his soul, because then you would come around only once in fifteen years.

And he took his hat and went out into the shimmering moonlight.

The young minister lost his manuscript one Sunday morning, so he spoke out thus:

I am very sorry indeed to have to inform you that I have—er—somehow or other, mislaid my sermon for this morning. I must—er—therefore, trust to Providence for inspiration. To-night I will come better prepared.

He Got On

Millyuns—When I married your mother I was earning ten dollars a week—two years later I bought out my employer.

Daughter—And put in a cash register!

A WARLIKE PRINCE

The Kaiser's Son Startled Berlin With His Book

Something like a sensation was caused in Berlin by the publication by the German Crown Prince of a book called 'Germany in Arms.' The book, which is most reverently dedicated to the German Emperor and the Prussian King, contains the following motto: The world does not rest more safely on the shoulders of Atlas than does Germany on her army and navy.

The Imperial editor asserts that Germany, more than any other land, has to trust to its armaments, and that as its geographical position is unfavorable, and as all nations do not regard Germany with affection, the country has the sacred duty imposed on it always to maintain its army and navy in a state of readiness. Only in this way, relying on our good sword can we maintain that place in the sun which is ours, but which will not be voluntarily conceded to us.

The Crown Prince goes on to say that diplomacy may delay the conflict for a season, but those in responsible positions must know that once a gigantic conflagration is lighted it is not so easy to extinguish.

Speaking of the delight of riding to an attack, the Prince says there is one delight still greater—namely, that of meeting the enemy at the end of the gallop and the fight for life and death.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

Paris Police Use Hand Cannon

The Paris police department is equipped with what is considered an effective weapon for use in dislodging criminals who barricaded themselves in houses and defy capture, which is a habit the Paris Apaches have developed quite extensively. The weapon is a hand cannon, designed particularly for throwing bombs, which when they explode will fill a building or room with suffocating gases sufficiently powerful to overcome the occupants. The cannon, which is used behind a portable shield, which completely protects the user from bullets, looks like a piece of iron pipe, and may be carried in the hands or slung over the shoulder like a rifle. It can also be used as a fire extinguisher, for throwing life lines into the upper windows of burning buildings, forcing doors open by hurling heavy projectiles and throwing grenades in war time.

One or the Other

One kid story leads to another. A Cleveland school teacher—one who has at several periods in the sweet scented past favored us with anecdotes about her pupils—sends us an account of a quiz conducted in her geography class only a day or two ago, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

In what zone do we live? asked this teacher.

The Temp'rut Zone! chanted the well drilled class.

Right. And what do we mean by temperate? Willie, you may answer.

emp'rut is where it's freezing cold half the time and roasting hot the other half of the time.

If Willie wasn't sent to the head of the class for that it wasn't because he didn't deserve the honor.

Intervals

First Child—Does your father scold every minute he's in the house?

Second Child—No, not when he is beating us.

A Grand Affair

A Pennsylvania man tried to cut the rattler of a live snake. The funeral next day was one of the largest ever seen in the neighborhood.

John had been very disobedient and his mother, with a sad face, called to him to come and receive the punishment that followed an infringement of that particular rule.

Just one minute, Mother, begged John. He knelt down beside his bed and in a very earnest voice said: Oh, Lord, you've often promised to help us when we needed it. Now's your chance.

WINCHESTER

"Repeater"

Smokeless Powder Shells

For a high grade shell at a reasonable price, the Winchester Loaded "Repeater" has the call among sportsmen who have tried all makes. Although moderate priced, the "Repeater" is loaded with the best quality of powder and shot. The list of loads furnished in this shell cover most shooters' requirements, and all of them give a full measure of shooting satisfaction. Look for the W on the box. They are

HIGH IN QUALITY MODERATE IN PRICE

The Speed of Light

The first astronomer to satisfactorily demonstrate the speed of light was Ole Roemer, a Scandinavian scientist, who read his immortal paper on this subject before the Academy at Paris 238 years ago. Roemer's calculations and conclusions have stood the test of time and subsequent investigations on all important points. Knowledge as to the velocity of light was of tremendous importance to astronomical science, since it enabled astronomers to accurately estimate the enormous distances with which their science deals. Roemer found that light travelled at the rate of 186,000 miles in a second. The sun, being distant from the earth 92,000,000 miles, flashes light to us in eight minutes and fourteen seconds. Yet the sun is a near neighbour compared with the so-called fixed stars which in reality move with inconceivable velocity, although the most powerful telescopes will not show that velocity as anything but rest. Beyond the outskirts of our insignificant solar system are other systems, and beyond them still others, so far as the sight of man, aided by instruments, may bridge the ghastly chasm of the infinite. Distances beside which the immense line stretching from earth to sun is an invisible point are now measured by means of Roemer's epochal discovery as to the velocity of light.

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.

Would [illegible]lse, But—

Wouldn't you promise to obey a man of whom you thought enough to marry?

I might, replied Miss Cayenne. But I should undoubtedly have a few things to say if he were ever so impolite as to remind me of my promise.

Reciprocity

Here some crazy scientist says that geese honk like human beings.

Well don't some human beings cackle like geese?

Circumnavigating the Globe

The interest in circumnavigating the globe in the shortest possible space of time periodically revives. The record has been, successively, in 1903 by Henry Frederick; 39 days in 1911, by Andre Jaeger-Schmidt. Now a New York 'Evening Sun' reporter, J. H. Mears, is trying to make a new record. He left New York July 2 and hopes to complete his journey in 35 days.

The club voted to go to the aviation meet.

I suppose the resolution was adopted by a rising vote.

HIS OWN DETECTIVE

Jeweller Disguised Himself and Succeeded in Tracing Stolen Pearls

Charles Gys, a Paris jeweller, who was swindled out of three pearl necklaces by a man named Braun, by his own exertions succeeded in finding the thief and recovering the pearls.

Braun pretended to Gys that he had a customer for the necklace, but decamped when they were entrusted to him, ostensibly abandoning his wife and children. Mme. Braun exhibited great grief at being deserted, but M. Gys had a suspicion that she was aware of her husband's whereabouts, so he had his hair dyed, donned a false beard and ragged garments and completely disguised as a typical Parisian mendicant, posted himself outside her residence and shadowed her when she went out.

Three days passed and then, with her children she went to the railway station and took the express for Vienna. M. Gys was in the same train, and on reaching the Austrian capital he saw Braun awaiting his family on the platform. He followed the party, and learning that besides being a swindler, Braun was a deserter from the Austrian army, easily induced the authorities to issue a warrant for his arrest.

Captured after a vain endeavor to use a revolver, Braun confessed that he had pledged the necklace for $4,900 to three Parisian moneylenders. Continuing his researches, M. Gys found the bank in which Braun had deposited this money, secured evidence to show that the three moneylenders were Braun's accomplices, and had them arrested, and eventually traced the pearls.

Accomplishments

It isn't the pull that you have, men respect,
Or the help that your many friends give.
It's the effort you make all yourself to collect
The price of the life that you live.
It is fine to be helped, but it's finer by far,
In the battle for glory or pelf,
To strive for hill tops, though distant they are,
And to gain them at last by yourself.

He Knew

Oh, Willie, you must put your drum away. This is Sunday.

But mother, I was going to play some sacred music.

As the temperance lecturer finished good old Deacon Miles arose and said impressively:

Every time I see a young man coming out of a saloon I want to go right up to that young man and say: Turn round young man; you are going the wrong way.

Jennie, have you discovered the bomb?

Yes, dear.

Have you mailed the infernal machine?

Yes, my angel.

Then powder your nose and we'll go to Mrs. Stimson's tea.

CANADA Portland CEMENT

SOME men ask for so many bags of "cement"—

Others, more careful, say they want "Portland Cement"—

But the man who does the best work insists upon getting "Canada" Portland Cement—

And he looks to see that every bag bears this label

Write the Canada Cement Information Bureau, Montreal, for a free copy of "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete."

There is a Canada Cement dealer in your neighborhood. If you do not know him, write for his name.

An Insult Avenged

A Story For the Fourth of July

By MARIAN WILSON

"Grandpa, tell us a story for the Fourth of July."

"You'll have to go to some one younger than I for a story about celebrating the Fourth of July, but if you want me about what we celebrate I can give it to you."

"What do you mean by that?"

"The Fourth of July is celebrated to commemorate our becoming a nation and not a colony of Great Britain. Our independence was achieved by the Revolutionary war. I will tell you of an incident of that war.

"One evening during the period of the American Revolution a young British officer rode up to a house in northern New Jersey and, dismounting, went to the door and knocked. In that day the colonies, or the eastern states, were like rural England. Many of the most aristocratic families of New York lived in country homes within, say, fifty miles of the city, and it was at one of these houses that the young officer stopped.

"His summons was answered by a negro servant, whom he directed to ask his mistress if he could have some supper. The negro disappeared, and presently there was a rustle of skirts on the winding staircase, and a tall girl

"OH, HEAVENS, I HAVE KILLED HIM!"

of dignified mien appeared before the stranger. He doffed his hat to her with all the bearing of a young marquis and said:

"'I am on my way to join our forces at Monmouth. I have had nothing to eat all day and would be very thankful for something that will stay my hunger.'

"The girl, with no less grace than his, invited him into the living room and told him that if he would wait a few minutes she would have something prepared for him. Presently the colored servant reappeared and invited him into the dining room. There at the table behind a silver urn sat the girl who had admitted him, while before her were the dishes that constituted the supper.

"'Really,' the officer said, 'this kindness overwhelms me.'

"'You are an enemy,' she said, 'but you are hungry, and I would not deny you meat and drink. And, giving you such, I treat you for the time being as a guest. Will you have coffee?'

"'Thanks, Mistress'—

"'I am Dorothy Hale.'

"There was something high bred about the girl to excite the admiration of the young scion of a noble house in England. But the English nobleman of that day was not overscrupulous in his dealings with his own countrywomen, and as for one who lived 3,000 miles from court he had no conscience whatever. Indeed, the courtliness of Mistress Dorothy Hale was but an incentive to a conquest. Having finished his repast, he arose and, laying down his napkin, said:

"'Mistress Hale, I feel myself restricted from offering you payment for the delicious repast you have given me, but I cannot go away without in some way showing my appreciation of your kindness.' With that he stepped up to her, put his arms about her and kissed her.

"When he saw the red flush he had called to her cheek, the flash of fire in her eye, he knew he had made a mistake. He stammered a few words of apology, to which she made no reply, and, backing himself out of the room, went to where he had left his horse and rode away.

"He had gone perhaps a mile when he heard behind him the sound of a galloping horse. It occurred to him that the rider was coming with some message connected with the insult he had offered his benefactress and judged that he might be called to account for what he had done. But he was no coward and was ready to pay for the [illegible] he had taken in any coin required. So, instead of pushing on, he drew rein and waited for the approaching horseman, who, when he came up, proved to be a negro boy.

"'Missy Dorothy tole me to gib yo' dat,' he said, handing the young man a bit of folded paper on which were a few words, as follows:

"'Sir—You have insulted a defenseless woman who gave you meat and drink. My brother will be at home this evening and will expect satisfaction in the wood back of the house at sunrise tomorrow morning.

"'Tell your mistress,' said the officer, 'that I must doubtless give the rebel General Washington satisfaction tomorrow or soon after, and if I am spared to return to her I will do so as soon as I can get a leave of absence. But tell her I would rather meet her friend or her lover than her brother, for I would not injure her for King George's dominions.'

"With that he turned his horse's head in the direction he had been going, and the boy went back to his mistress.

"Within a few days General Washington attacked General Howe, who was marching from Philadelphia to New York, Washington hoping to prevent him from reaching his destination. But General Charles Lee, who, it had recently been discovered, had turned traitor to the American cause, disobeyed orders and rendered Washington's plan fruitless.

"A couple of weeks after the battle Mistress Dorothy Hale was sitting on the porch of her father's house when a redcoat came riding along the road and drew rein before the gate.

"'Mistress Hale,' he said, 'I have come to give you satisfaction through your champion, whoever he may be, but I beg you to spare me a meeting with your own brother.'

"He was about to dismount and come up to join her, but she arose and stood looking down upon him as a figure of justice regarding a criminal and forbade his entrance. Then she noticed that he was very pale.

"'You do not look in condition to fight for your life. Go away and come again when you are stronger.'

"'I am strong enough to fight your brother,' he said, 'for I shall stand only on the defensive.'

"The girl remained silent a moment, then added: 'I presume you have been wounded in the recent battle. An apology will be accepted.'

"'One holding the king's commission cannot apologize in face of a challenge.'

"'Very well,' said the girl; 'go to the wood behind the house, and my brother will join you there.'

"'Does your brother remain at home in these times? One would suppose that a man capable of championing his sister would be fighting on one side or the other.'

"'He was wounded, though slightly, in the battle. He is now quite recovered and is to rejoin his regiment tomorrow—that is, if you do not prevent his doing so.'

"The officer reluctantly tethered his horse to a post before the gate and walked around the house to the wood in rear. There he waited half an hour when he saw a man coming in the uniform of a Continental soldier.

"'My sister tells me, sir,' said young Hale, 'that you asked her for supper, she gave it to you with her own hands and you returned her kindness by an insult.'

"'Has not your sister,' said the Englishman, 'some one else than you to champion her? Should I kill you I should fancy that I killed her, so marked is the likeness between you.'

"'We are twins,' said young Hale. 'But enough of talk. Defend yourself!'

"There were no weapons except a sword Hale had brought with him from the house and the sword the officer wore by his side.

"'One moment,' said the latter. 'Should you kill me it will be well for you to know who I am. I am Lieutenant Richard Trevelyan of the —th British foot, second son of the Earl of Angleton.'

"'In case you fall your remains shall be sent to England.'

"'Rather send them to the colonel of my regiment. Were it not that I have but little strength I would not think of taking these precautions against a beardless boy. Now, sir, I am ready.'

"It was not a spirited contest on either side. Hale did not appear to relish it any more than Trevelyan. The latter seemed to fear killing his opponent, while the former grew paler and paler, his thrusts at the same time growing weaker. At last Hale, while parrying a thrust of his enemy, ran the point of his sword into his opponent's coat. Blood followed, and as soon as he saw it Hale threw away his sword and, clasping his hands on his breast, exclaimed:

"'Oh, heavens, I have killed him!'

"Trevelyan looked at him in astonishment. Then, throwing away his sword, he said:

"'You are not a man. You are a woman. You are Miss Dorothy Hale.'

"'Have I killed you?'

"'Killed me! No. You have but broken the skin.'

"He threw open his coat and displayed a wound a few inches long and half an inch deep.

"'Come,' said Dorothy. 'I am avenged.'

"Trevelyan kneeled before her and begged her forgiveness for his conduct, then went with her to the house, where she dressed the wound she had given him.

"When the war was over and the independence of the United States established Trevelyan's regiment was withdrawn to England. Before leaving he made Dorothy Hale more ample amends than the scratch she had inflicted upon him by marrying her and taking her home to England with him."

UNIONS IN CANADA.

Only Twelve Per Cent. of Canada's Workmen Organized.

Some interesting facts respecting labor and its organizations in Canada are contained in the annual special report on the subject by the Department of Labor. The union membership in the last calendar year increased from 133,132 to 160,120 at the end of 1912. The report says in part:

"It is now well understood by those interested in the subject that the great majority of units of organized labor in Canada are affiliated with international organizations having their headquarters in the United States. The mass of membership is in all these cases south of the line, the Canadian memberships receiving generally its proportion of officials. This system of internationalism in labor organization in Canada is apparently confined to no particular class of workers, and extends throughout practically all industries; in some cases, however, the workers have favored a form of unionism independent of the international bodies and have proceeded on non-international lines."

International unions in North America number 148, and 99 have affiliated locals in Canada. Of the latter 82 are in affiliation with the American Federation of Labor. The Canadian memberships of this federation is about 93,000, or one-twentieth of the whole.

The tables submitted show that the 136,389 workers in Canada who are members of international organizations are contained in 1,638 local branches; this is an increase of 107 locals and 16,974 members over the figures reported for 1911.

Of Canadian organizations there are 217 local branches with a total membership of 15,616, a slight increase for the year; and in addition there are 28 independent bodies, of which 16 report a membership of 8,115, thus bringing to the figure of 160,120 the total membership reported in the 1,883 local branches and independent trade union organizations of all types in Canada at the close of the year 1912. The total membership reported for 1911 was 133,132, contained in 1,741 local and independent bodies.

The total number of wage-earners of Canada may be fairly estimated for the current year at 1,300,000.

With regard to the large majority of wage-earners who remain thus apparently untouched by organization and representing 88 per cent. of the whole, organization is chiefly lacking in the case of unskilled labor. Farm labor and the class of workers described generally in the census and other official returns as "laborers," that is men without technical instruction of any kind, alone comprise about one-fourth of the total male wage-earners, and these are practically unorganized. Female workers, too, are but little organized in Canada. The number of women workers in 1909 was placed at 186,042, and may be (again allowing an increase of forty per cent.) placed at 260,000 at the end of 1912. The extent of organization among women workers in Canada is not easily ascertained, but the information to hand shows there is little to report. Organization on the part of female workers is found chiefly in the manufacturing group, in such callings, for instance, as garment workers, cigarmakers, bookbinders, etc.

The trades union membership throughout the world aggregates 11,435,598. Germany is first, Great Britain second, United States third. The report gives a complete list of all unions in Canada and their officers.

To Help Grenfell.

A plan to set on foot the formation of a better organization to support the work of Dr. T. Wilfred Grenfell among the fishermen of the Labrador is being actively pushed forward.

The prime mover is W. R. Sterling, one of the greatest enthusiasts over the Grenfell Medical Mission. He became so interested last year that he chartered the supply ship Clewett and took a party of friends to the Labrador coast, where he delivered supplies at the various posts of the Mission. He had many pathetic stories to tell of what he saw among the natives of the barren coast.

"The isolation of the people on the coast of Labrador, their lack of education, their lack of facilities to get supplies or to get any distance from their own small homes, excepting at the expense of much time and labor, it seemed to me, put these people in a class by themselves," says Mr. Sterling.

A Locomotive as a Fire Engine.

It is not often that one hears of such novel use being made of a railway locomotive as to extinguish a fire in a burning building, but a locomotive was not long ago so employed on the outskirts of a western town.

About thirty-five feet from the railway tracks stood a structure constructed principally of wood. This caught fire, and, as it would have been impracticable to await the coming of the town fire company, a considerable distance off, the engineer of a train, then standing idle on the track, conceived it to be his duty to put out the fire. Accordingly he steamed up to a point opposite the building, turned on all his steam, and blew out the fire in a few minutes. Steam will in many cases smother fire.

Progressive Farmers.

Farmers' Clubs in various counties of Ontario, with the assistance of the local representative of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, have secured, among other things, the establishment of a Continuation School, the opening of a produce store where butter and eggs are purchased according to quality, municipal telephones and co-operative purchasing of supplies.

Any Briton May Draw Plans.

The commission appointed by the Government to make arrangements for the competition for designs for the new Government buildings at Ottawa, has prepared a competition for the structures which will cost about ten million dollars. It is open to the British Empire.

THE TOBACCO KING.

Sir William Macdonald Is a Unique Personality.

The first time the writer saw Sir William Macdonald was some half dozen years ago following the burning of the Medical and Science Buildings at McGill, says J. C. Ross in The Toronto Sunday World. I had known that Sir William Macdonald was the chief financial power back of McGill, and when the science building fire took place a few days after the burning of the medical school, I went to him to get a story regarding the future plans of the destroyed institutions.

Sir William was a millionaire many times over, known to everyone as a great tobacco king, as a governor of McGill and as a generous giver to educational institutions. I expected to see him housed in an elaborate office building, with a magnificent suite of rooms and as difficult to interview as would be the Czar. Instead of that, I looked in vain in the telephone directory for an inkling as to his telephone number or whereabouts, and it was only after much questioning and searching, that I located his office on Notre Dame street. A frosted glass, from which the frosting had largely been removed and was replaced by cobwebs and dust, contained the sign: "Office of Sir William Macdonald." The office was one flight up the narrowest and steepest stairs it had ever been my experience to climb. On the landing were three or four dingy, barely furnished rooms devoid of carpets, rugs, telephone, type-writers, or any of the other paraphernalia belonging to the modernly equipped office. Instead of these things, were found a lot of old-fashioned high desks, on which bent and worn men were seated on high stools working over ledgers. The whole looked as if a chapter had been taken out of one of Dickens' books and transplanted to busy, bustling modern Montreal.

On my request for an interview with Sir William, I was told to go into a room, through the open door of which I saw the great man himself. I entered, and in answer to my query as to what would be done with McGill, Sir William quietly replied: "We will wait until the ashes cool."

Further questionings from many angles and sides failed to elicit any further information.

Sir William Macdonald is in many ways, the most unique man in Canadian industrial life to-day. Born in Prince Edward Island in 1831, Sir William is now in his 83rd year. He is the son of the late Hon. Donald Macdonald, member of the Legislative Council of Prince Edward Island. Sir William got his start in the tobacco business at the time of the American Civil War. With the shrewd Scottish foresight which has always characterized him, he saw further ahead than most men of his day, and when the war broke out, he cornered the tobacco crop. To-day he is worth probably a score of millions, all of which have been made from the "Goddess Nicotine."

His interest in education is of comparative recent origin, and illustrates the peculiarities of the man. Like most universities, McGill has had periods of financial stringency. On one of these occasions, the aid of the students was enlisted, and an effort made to secure sufficient funds to tide the college over an especially difficult period. The students in question with the confidence born of ignorance and inexperience, called upon Sir William and laid the claims of "Old McGill" before the quiet little old tobacco king. To their surprise, and to the surprise of the McGill authorities, Sir William responded with a handsome contribution, and followed it up with a series of contributions not only to McGill, but to the cause of education throughout Canada, that has made his name a household word throughout the Empire. It is estimated that he has given in the neighborhood of five million dollars to the Agricultural and affiliated colleges at Ste. Anne de Bellevue, and as many more millions to McGill; while his Macdonald Institute at Guelph, his "good seed" and manual training movements and other donations to educational work, will probably run into more millions.

Prairie Teacher Is Heroine.

Surrounded on all sides by a raging prairie fire, which fed upon the grasses and dense underbrush, that grew to the very doors of the little log schoolhouse in which she was hearing classes, Miss Esther Smith, a school teacher near Poplar Creek, in the south country, saved more than a score of pupils and herself from probable death in the flames recently.

Word of her presence of mind was brought to Moose Jaw by members of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police. Miss Smith rushed them to a cleared spot. Within a few minutes the deserted schoolhouse was a mass of ruins.

While the flames were raging on all sides and blazing twigs and sparks were falling among them, the teacher, despite the smoke and intense heat, continued her classes, forcing the pupils to pay strict heed to their lessons.

Made Bullion of Medals.

A considerable portion of the money which was used to establish the Toronto General Hospital in 1912, was raised in a peculiar way. Gold and silver medals were sent to York from England to be awarded to the heroes of the war, but through some strange quibbling, they were never given out, but were exchanged for money, which went toward erecting the hospital. A blacksmith and two apprentices hammered the medals into bullion.

Field Crop Contests.

Under the direction of the Agricultural Societies Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, 153 societies held field crop competitions, 3,000 individual farmers entering, and a total of 30,000 acres was seeded, as compared with 300 acres in 1907, when the competitions began.

Women's Institutes.

There are 725 branches of the Women's Institutes, with more than 15,000 members in Ontario.

ANCIENT SKYSCRAPERS.

Roman Houses Were Tall and Flimsy, the Streets Narrow Lanes.

The tenement house is no new thing. So great was the number of such houses and so badly were they put up in ancient Rome that in 69 A. D. the Emperor Otho, who was then marching against Vitellius, found his way barred for twenty miles by the ruins of buildings that had been undermined by an inundation. The spontaneous collapse of tenement houses was so common an occurrence that little attention was paid to it.

The tenants of these houses have been described by a writer of the time as fearing to be buried or burned alive. Companies existed for the purpose of propping and sustaining houses.

In comparison with the tenements of most modern cities, those of Rome were excessively high. Martial alludes to a poor man, a neighbor, who had to mount 200 steps to reach his garret. That garret must have been perched nearly 100 feet above the level of the street.

It is possible that Martial exaggerated, but it is certain that Augustus, to make less frequent the occurrence of disasters, limited the height of new houses that opened upon the streets to about sixty-eight feet. As this was a remedial regulation and referred only to new houses fronting on the street, it follows that some houses must have exceeded that height.

This, moreover, was irrespective of the breadth of the street. In Berlin the medium width of the streets is twenty-two meters, and in Paris the narrowest streets are nearly eight meters wide, while the streets of Rome extended only five or six meters, and on these narrow streets the tall houses were built. Light and air must have had some difficulty in penetrating those narrow, walled in passages.

SARDOU AT REHEARSALS.

He Worried the Actors to Scowls and the Actresses to Tears.

Sardou, the great French playwright, knew how to profit by the views of other people. Jerome A. Hart writes in his book, "Sardou and the Sardou Plays:"

"Like Alexandre Dumas pere, Sardou was extremely sensitive to the opinions of the less subtle spectators of his rehearsals. He closely watched and heeded the impressions and comments of the stage carpenters, scene painters, firemen, supers and other humble people behind the scenes. They represented to him the average mind of the average audience. To the opinions of actors of his unproduced pieces he paid little heed; to the opinions of critics, none at all. At rehearsals no details escaped him. He would seat himself on the stage chairs and sofas, open and shut the practicable doors, go to the back of the parterre to study the perspective of the scene, climb to the highest gallery to see if the audience there could hear, and then hasten back to the stage.

"There he would seat himself, jumping up during the rehearsal thirty or forty times to show the actors his idea of the action. In doing this he would laugh, would cry, would shriek and would even die a mimic death. Coming to life again, he would call for his overcoat and hasten to muffle himself up as before. He was very sensitive to cold and always came on the stage with a heavy coat, a muffler and cap to protect him from drafts.

"He would rehearse from 10 in the morning until 3, when he would take a sandwich and a glass of wine. After this he would resume his work until 5, at which hour he would go blithely forth into the street, smiling and humming, 'followed,' as one resentful player put it, 'by scowling actors and weeping actresses.'"

The Idler Works Hard.

Work, ideally, should be congenial, fruitful, and the worker aware of his worth to the world. Nobody works harder than the idler. He has on his hands the dire task of killing time. Knowing the awfulness of vacuity, he fills the day with a semblance of activity and while gnawing at his peace is conscious of the barren folly of it all. The finest argument for real work is the spectacle of its counterfeit presentment.—Richard Burton in the Bellman.

Long Felt Want.

Yeast—I see a man has patented a head rest to be fastened to the arm of a car seat to aid the comfort of passengers obliged to sleep in day coaches. Crimsonbeak—What is most needed in day coaches is a chin rest for the man who happens to sit next to you.—Yonkers Statesman.

His Excuse.

"Why is it that you wish to be excused?" asked the judge of the unwilling juror.

"I'm deaf, your honor—so deaf that I really don't believe I could hear more than one side of the case."—Cleveland Leader.

The Surprise.

A man told his daughter that if she learned to cook he would give her a surprise. She learned the art, and he surprised her by discharging the servant girl.

Load For Load.

"Brown says he drinks because it drives away his troubles."

"He exchanges one load for another, so to speak."—Boston Transcript.

Genius.

"Is he clever?"

"Well, he can hang his own wallpaper and paint his own kitchen door."—Detroit Free Press.

Cookery Points

Cherry Shortcake.

For cherry shortcake make a soft dough by mixing together two cupfuls of flour sifted with a heaping teaspoonful of baking powder, a teaspoonful of salt and half a cupful of shortening, which may be half each of butter and lard or bacon fat. Add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and mix with a well beaten egg. Add enough milk to make the dough of the right consistency. Roll out in two layers and bake in the same pan with flecks of butter between.

When baked the two layers will separate easily. The cherry filling should be in readiness to spread between the shortcake and on top. Large ripe cherries are pitted and crushed slightly in a bowl with sugar. Taste the juice to tell if it is sweet enough. Prepare the cherries some time ahead and you will find them much nicer. Serve with or without whipped cream.

Frozen Fruits.

Combination of fruit flavors will often bring about cooling and delicious results. Peaches and plums combine perfectly and frozen in a sugar sirup yield a most delightful sweet. Boil one quart of water with one pound of sugar until they form a rich sirup, then strain and stand aside until cold. Pare twelve fine ripe peaches and chop fine with a silver knife. Scald one pint of plums, remove the skins and the stones, mash the pulp and add to the peaches. Crack the pits to remove the kernels, blanch and pound. Add the fruit and the mashed kernels to the sirup. Let it stand for thirty minutes and then freeze.

Blackberry Jam Cake.

Rub to a cream half a cupful of butter and then gradually add one cupful of sugar, the beaten yolks of three eggs and the whites of two, reserving the third white for frosting. Take half a cupful of thin cream or milk, a level teaspoonful each of cinnamon, allspice and two scant cupfuls of flour, and last of all stir in one cupful of blackberry jam or preserves. Bake in moderately hot oven for about three-quarters of an hour. This makes a nice pudding if eaten as soon as baked and a currant jelly or lemon sauce is served with it.

Gold and Silver Omelet.

Have ready as many eggs as there are people to be served. Separate the yolks from the whites and beat each thoroughly, then add to each a dash of salt and pepper or paprika and a little milk. Pour both egg mixtures simultaneously into the pan, letting the white omelet cover one-half of the bottom and the gold omelet the other half. Cook them gently until firm throughout, taking care that they do not burn. Then fold the white or silver one over on to the other and serve immediately.

Souffle Glace.

Half a pint of cream, one tablespoonful of grated lemon rind, four eggs, half a pound of sugar, half a gill of wine, one tablespoonful of lemon juice and a pinch of salt. Mix the yolks of the eggs, lemon juice, lemon rind, sugar and salt. Stir over a slow fire until thick. Cool. Add the whites of eggs, well beaten, and the cream, beaten until stiff. Add the wine, fill the mixture into paper cases, pack in a pail and pack the pail in ice and salt for four hours.

Burnt Almond Ice Cream.

Blanch and chop half a pint of almonds. Cook four tablespoonfuls of sugar to the caramel; add the chopped almonds. When cold pound to a powder. Put one pint of milk into a saucepan with half a pound of sugar and the yolks of four eggs. Stir over a slow fire until it coats the spoon; then strain and cool. Add one pint of whipped cream, a pinch of salt, one teaspoonful of almond extract and the pounded almonds. Freeze.

Grape Cup.

Pour half a cupful of boiling water over four tablespoonfuls of grape jelly and stir until dissolved. Add the same quantity of cold water, one tablespoonful of sugar and a little lemon juice.

Place a lump of ice in a glass pitcher and pour the liquid over. Any kind of jelly will answer if the grape is not at hand. If currant jelly is used then less lemon juice will be required, currants being rather tart.

Summer Sandwich.

Cucumber and green pepper minced fine and seasoned with mayonnaise make as tasty a hot weather sandwich as it is easy to find. If the sandwiches are not to be used at once the juice should be squeezed from the vegetables after they are minced, for otherwise the bread will become water soaked.

For Afternoon Tea.

To vary the afternoon iced tea drop a sprig or two of fresh mint into the pot with the dry tea and turn the boiling water over it. A bit of the crisp, fresh mint in each glass looks refreshing on a hot afternoon.

New Wrinkle For Potato Salad.

Instead of onion, try mixing the potato salad with cucumbers cut in small pieces. Onions may be used, too, but unless the quantity is small the flavor of the potato and cucumber blend will be lost

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A. B. S. Stanley - - - - Editor and Manager

That there will be a fair crop of all kinds of fruit is now assured. That prices will be fair is also a surety.

But the price will not be high, even with better protection against American fruit and a shorter crop. The whole West is trying to catch up, and is living very economically to do so. While this seems to make business dull, it is really a very healthy sign. It is doubtful if we even see another period of wild real estate speculation and living as in the past. Living will be adjusted to certain incomes, accounts will be paid more promptly, amounts owing will be small in comparison with what they now are. There have been many small failures and there will be many more; but this, too, will place all business on a more solid foundation. The incompetents will be weeded out and so give a better business to those that remain. But this will mean more careful buying, more careful selling, closer margins of profit at all points. When it comes to winter apples, stock orders will be lighter than in many years. The retailers will not buy heavily, jobbers will not sell to men who have been slow in paying and the storage places of the jobbers are limited.

This will be a good year for British Columbia growers to hold back heavy quantities of their best keeping varieties for the above reasons. The markets will not be glutted by retailers and jobbers stocking heavily, bnt the markets will remain fairly light; this mean a constant andsteady demand. It is a mistake to think that apples cannot be shipped in the winter. They can if cars are carefully loaded, and when necessary a man be sent along to see that the heaters are kept burning. "The demand will be light and the prices moderate."—S. J. Fee, in Fruit and Farm.

Very excellent results should follow the new policy to be brought into existence by Mr. W. R. Ross, the Minister of Lands, whereby the stockmen of the province will be permitted the use of pasturage on the unoccupied public lands. This move should mean a considerable impetus to the imdustry in the province for it is certain that it will prove a strong inducement to those owning herds to settle in British Columbia as well as an additional reason why the herds already located here should be increased. The new policy will prove attractive to the small stockman, for provision will be made by which he can obtain free pasturage for his cattle. In the case of large herds a nominal grazing fee will be charged until such time as the industry is established on a firm footing in the Province. It will be necessary for stockman before being accorded the privelege of pasturing their herds on public lands, to obtain a permit. Special safeguards will be provided so that there is no interferance with settlers, and it is anticipated that there will be no inconvenience occasioned on this account because the public ranges are so extensive. Arrangements will also be perfected to insure that the number of stock will be limited to the grazing capacity of any particular range and that the productiveness of the land will not be impaired in any way. The same privilege of free grazing will be extended to settlers who may have a few head of cattle, for the idea is to encourage in this way the raising of stock and it seems fair to assume that the end hoped for will be accomplished.—Colonist.

NELSON CARNIVAL

One of the features of the proposed Carnival week at Nelson next July will be the Old Boys Reunion and the committee are endeavoring to locate as many of the old time residents of Nelson and District as they can and will specially invite them to come back to the old town for Carnival week, any of our readers who know the present address of any old timers should forward them to the Secretary of the Nelson Publicity Bureau.

A meeting of the committee in charge of the Carnival arrangements will be held this week when the dates will be finally fixed it will probably be held during the week commencing July 6 or July 13.

It is also proposed to give prizes for biggest fish caught during the week and one day will probably be set aside as Anglers Day when a special excursion will be made to the Pool.

The Flower Show will also be another big feature of the Carnival and it has also been suggested to include with this a display of small fruits and it is hoped that all the surrounding towns will send exhibits to compete, so as to make one grand display and show visitors the wonderful possibilities of this district for growing fruit and flowers.

The Way It Goes.

"Some women are born ugly."

"I suppose so."

"And others are both ugly and awkward."

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That for the whirlwind never waits,
That from the lightnings flee,
A demon that has legs and wings
And wheels and all the moving things.

Chug, chug, chug,
It rushes to the goal,
As strong electric currents race
Without single breathing space
From pole to farther pole.
On beds of air it spurns the ground
And in a twinkling gets around.

Strain, strain, strain,
In every rod and bolt
It pushes past the starting place
And enters wildly in the race
As frisky as a colt;
In scooting round a five mile track
Front wheels almost run down the back.

Crash, crash, crash,
Another victim low,
A mass of ribs and driving rods,
Comingled with the inert clods;
A call for music slow,
A finish that is just debris
And what the crowd had paid to see.

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Described.

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"I have."

"What do you think of it?"

"It looks as if her husband had chosen it for her."

Selection In Suits.

"Did he propose to her?"

"Well, he pressed his suit."

"Why wouldn't he suit?"

"Because he hadn't pressed his suit before he came."

Explained.

"Pa, what is meant by the sins of omission and of commission?"

"Those that are committed by a commission house, I guess."

Why He Wasn't.

"Are you superstitious?"

"Not a bit. I always think bad luck comes to superstitious people."

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Jetty and Dredging at the North Arm of the Fraser River, B. C." will be received at this office until 4.00 P. M., on Tuesday, September 30, 1913, for the construction of Jetty and dredging at the North Arm of the Fraser River, B. C.

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By order,

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Department of Public Works,
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Kohlrabi Liked by Some Dairymen as Food For Cows.

Kohlrabi is a cultivated variety of the kale or cabbage, distinguished by the swelling of the stem just above the ground, in a globular form, to the size of a man's fist or larger, leafstalks springing from the swollen part and adding to the peculiarity of its appearance. This is the part which is used, and its uses are similar to those of the turnip.

In quality the kohlrabi more nearly resembles the Swedish than the common turnip, and the use of it for feeding cows does not give their milk as disagreeable a flavor as when they are fed on turnips. Kohlrabi is very hardy, its leaves, as well as the stem and the root, enduring the most severe winters.

In the cultivation of kohlrabi it is usual to sow it on seed beds and to

Photograph by Long Island agricultural experiment station.

KOHLRABI.

transplant by dibbling into fields, but this is perhaps not the best method. It ought, however, to be sown earlier than even Swedish turnip. Raised drills are unsuitable for it, owing to the effect of winds. It is more solid and nutritious than any kind of turnip of the same size. There are numerous subvarieties. Kohlrabi grows best in a strong, rich soil, with the use of abundant manure. One authority says of kohlrabi:

"Sow in spring, in rows eighteen inches apart, afterward thinning the plants to eight to ten inches. If the weather is suitable the thinnings may be planted, but it is considered difficult to transplant. Keep the weeds down, and when the thickened stems above ground are two or three inches through they are fit to eat and should be used at once, being tough when old. Cook same as turnips."

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Provide a good open shed for the young turkeys to roost in and don't allow them to wander off. Their value is too great to allow them to take up with the neighbor's flock.

Always make the nest boxes easily removable, so that they may be frequently taken out of the house and cleaned, disinfected and treated for the destruction of vermin.

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(Continued)

Switching out the lights he closed his front door again and descended into the streets. He walked to the Brompton Road and boarded a passing omnibus to West Kensington.

Presently he found himself outside Saintsbury's house. There were lights in the dining room window; now and then shadows flitted across the blind. He could not distinguish the shadows probably they were those of Saintsbury and his wife.

And Roberts smiled grimly; they were not lamenting the death of their daughter, but they were planning the destruction of the man they had forced her to marry. And all the pent-up emotions in the Jew's breast burst into flame, overwhelmed him, and for the moment changed love into hatred.

The square was deserted; the lights from the gas lamps flickered dimly here and there. London's song came faintly as if from a distance.

Aaron Roberts stood against the railings, waiting. He leaned over the rails listening intently as if he would hear what was said behind the closed windows.

As he stood, the opening of a door startled him. He turned round, he saw a man and a woman descending the steps of Saintsbury's house. He drew back, then stood quite still.

The man he recognized as Scribner but he did not know the woman. She appeared to be dressed in shabby finery, a large hat with dissipated feathers set jauntily on her head. She dragged her feet along the ground wearily as if she had already tramped too far and was tired.

He waited until they had crossed the road and were walking beneath the shadows of the trees of the square, then he followed. Scribner was talking, and now and then the woman nodded her head as if in assent, but Roberts could not hear what was said. It was evident that Scribner was very much in earnest, it seemed as if he were giving the woman instructions.

When they reached the district railway station they stopped. Slipping his hand into his pocket Scribner handed the woman something, and Roberts saw her nod and leer into his face. Then she entered the station, purchased a ticket at the booking-office and disappeared from sight.

Scribner waited for a few minutes as if to make sure she had really gone, then turned away to the right.

The Jew hesitated, uncertain whether to follow the woman or the man. As he crossed the road uncertain what to do, Scribner turned round as if suddenly conscious that he was being followed. The lights from the station fell full upon Aaron Roberts' face, and as the Honorable Fred recognized him an oath escaped his lips.

Half a dozen steps brought the Jew to his side.

The prophecy is being fulfilled, the latter said sharply, looking at Scribner with an ugly smile. You're already making friends with one of the army of outcasts, eh?

Scribner shrugged his shoulders. Not a bit of good following me, Mr. Roberts, he said cuttingly. I can't pay you! If you take my advice you will strike off my debt as a bad one, instead of throwing good money away trying to recover it.

Outwardly the Jew was calm; the hatred which a moment ago exuded from his eyes had apparently disappeared; he laughed easily.

I have never made a bad debt yet, Mr. Scribner, and I haven't the least fear but that you'll repay me a thousandfold for the last little advance I made you.

Without vouchsafing a reply, Scribner walked away; the Jew walked by his side.

The moneylender turned spy, Scribner blurted out savagely at last. I don't want your company, Roberts, so you had better clear out.

Roberts continued to smile.

Do you hear what I say? Scribner shouted. If you continue to pester me I'll call a constable and give you in charge.

Roberts laid a hand on Scribner's shoulder. What are you doing with that woman? I saw you leave Saintsbury's house with her. Plotting some fresh devilment, eh?

Stopping abruptly Scribner faced the moneylender. There was still a nasty wound on his temple, his eyes were bloodshot. So you have been playing the part of private detective, eh? he hissed. You have found something you want more than money and that's why you broke your promise to me and turned thief. You thought I was down and done for. I suppose you've made a nice little compact with Miss de Fontaigne to save the man she loves on consideration that she marries you? Well, you'll fail, my crafty Shylock. Not all your money will save Francks' life, or buy Miss de Fontaigne. I have a witness to-morrow who will swear that she saw Jimmy Francks pour the poison into the tumbler which he gave to his wife.

Scribner turned away with a sneer and hailed a passing taxi-cab. The Jew started but quickly recovered his composure.

I am glad to hear that, he said quietly. If you can conclusively prove that Francks really killed his wife you will earn his undying gratitude.

Without another word Roberts strode away along the pavement.

Scribner turned as if to follow him, a frown knit his brows, and a perplexed look came into his face, but it quickly cleared. Bluff! he muttered, getting into the cab and giving the chauffeur his address.

But long before the Jew reached his flat he was bitterly regretting his impulsive reply to Fred Scribner's threat.

CHAPTER XXVI

The inquest on the body of Ella Franks took place early the following morning at Westminster. Extraordinary interest was taken in the case and long before the hour fixed for the enquiry the streets leading to the court house were almost blocked with a curious crowd which, though perfectly aware it could not obtain admission, were anxious to watch the arrival and departure of the witnesses and principal actors and actresses in the strange tragedy which had occurred in the popular hotel.

It was notable that the major portion of the crowd was composed of women, and only morbid curiosity could have compelled them to stand in the rain for many hours.

They eagerly devoured the latest news and repeated the latest gossip, and some even wagered on the result of the inquest.

Already the popular opinion was that Francks had deliberately poisoned his wife.

The inquest opened with the formal identification of the body by Mr. Samuel Saintsbury; the divisional surgeon who made the autopsy deposed that death had been caused by aconite poisoning. He said that about four grains of the extract of aconite or one dram of the tincture would be a fatal dose; the broken bottle which had been found in the fireplace would have held an ounce of the tincture. The broken bottle and the tumbler in which the dose had been administered were produced. Doctor Sowers, in answer to the coroner, said that traces of spirit of sal-volatile remained in the tumbler when he examined it shortly after he had been called in. He agreed with Dr. Maitland that the symptoms of aconite poisoning generally came on immediately. In case of the deceased, death took place within an hour which was a remarkably short time. Everything possible was done to save the life of the deceased. He said that Mr. Francks was greatly distressed and apparently did all in his power to save his wife's life.

The actual cause of death was syncope, caused by the administration of a fatal dose of tincture of aconite.

When Francks was called he gave his evidence calmly and quietly; it was practically a repetition of the statement he had made to Detective Inspector Heriot in the sitting room of the Savoy Hotel.

Then Iris de Fontaigne was called, and a subdued murmur arose in the court, every person present peering anxiously forward to catch a glimpse of her. She was evidently terribly nervous, her face was hidden by a heavy veil which she did not lift, and at first her answers to the questions addressed her by the coroner were scarcely audible. She was not detained long in the witness box, and her evidence seemed to throw little light upon the affair.

Reuben de Fontaigne followed, answering the questions addressed to him in monosyllables.

You say you picked up one of the bottles in the medicine case; did you notice the label?

Reuben shook his head.

What made you touch the bottles?

I don't know!

Did you notice the color of the liquid in the bottle you picked up?

Green.

And you put it back in the case?

Reuben nodded. Yes.

You say that when you went into the dressing-room Mr. Francks left the sitting-room for a moment in order to meet your sister at the lift.

Reuben nodded. Yes.

You say that when you went into the dressing-room Mr. Francks left the sitting-room for a moment in order to meet your sister at the lift. During the time he was absent are you prepared to swear that no one else entered the room?

Reuben shuffled uncomfortably in the witness box and blinked his great eyes, hesitating before replying. I don't think anyone else entered. [illegible] door of the dressing-room was ajar, you could have heard or seen if anyone had entered from the bedroom opposite?

(To be Continued)

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Owning the Farm or Being Owned by It

When the plain truth is written it must be stated that the magnificent prairies are inhabited in large measure by people who are very materialistic in their tastes and thinking. In the hurry and excitement of making good on the homestead, the finer sensibilities are frequently dulled, and many forget that worthy citizenship is not simply a matter of making a living, but of living a life. We need more frequently to be reminded that man does not live by bread alone—that we have other needs than the mere vulgar necessity of three meals a day, and a place to sleep at night.

The farmer and his wife who decide that so far as their house is concerned the esthetic, the beautiful, the love of truth and goodness, the pleasure of pure and innocent fun, the comradeship of worthy books, the gladness of music, the mirth of laughter the mysterious awe which comes over those who take time to pry into Nature's wonderland—we say that the farmer and his wife who decide that these things are legitimate and desirable—that they are worth taking time for—such persons as these make no mistake.

There are many farm homes in which far too great a premium is put upon that quality of character which is misnamed industry. The father takes pride in the fact that his boys are everlastingly on the grindstone from dawn to dusk and that they have no time for gadding. He prides himself that they are hard workers. And yet his sons are mere drudges. They may hold the record for a big day's stooking but they know nothing about books or flowers or the relaxation of an idle day with a fishing rod. They pass by, unnoticed, the sunlit ripples and the cool, deep shadows of the farm brook; they never look up to behold the glory of the sunset; they know not the cunning ways of the bee, nor the wonderful world of plant life about their feet; they are just common drudges, working all day long in God's wonderful laboratory, but with eyes that are holden that they may not see.

We make no plea for mere idling. Pure indolence is always a crime. And frequently it leads to other crimes worse even than itself. But there is no indolence in an hour now and then with the children in gathering, naming and admiring the prairie flowers; in an effort to surround the other things of beauty; and in a word to live in companionship with the farm, regarding it not merely for its mercenary value, but also for its delightful associations and constant round of interest and of surprise.

There are some families who really own their farm and enjoy it; but there are other families who think they own a farm, but who in reality are owned by it, and have become its slave.—Nor-West Farmer.

A Marine Misnomer

It's rather odd that they should call a steamer a tramp.

Why so?

Fancy a tramp needing water to get along on.

Over the Counter

Are these candies fresh my pretty one? asked the youth with the sunset socks.

They are fresh, but not in your class, answered the saleslady with the Titian hair.

Dr. Edward Sanger said in New York:

We should not announce cures unless they are real cures. Imagination plays too great a part in a patient's feelings.

Imagination must always be reckoned with medicine—sometimes as a friend, sometimes as a foe. I know a doctor who treated an old woman for typhoid, and on each visit he took her temperature by holding a thermometer under her tongue. One day, when she had nearly recovered, the doctor did not bother to take her temperature and he had hardly got 100 yards from the house when her son called him back.

Mother is worse, said the man. Come back at once.

The doctor returned. On his entry into the sick room the old woman looked up at him with angry and reproachful eyes.

Doctor, she said, why didn't you give me the jigger under me tongue today? That always done me more good than all the rest of your trash.

Sea! Sea everywhere, as the great liner made her powerful course over the Atlantic.

Oh, captain, came a disconsolate groan from a seasick passenger, half reeling in a deck chair, how far are we off land?

No answer came to this remark, which had been reiterated several times that day.

Oh captain, do answer me—how far?

Mile and a half, came the gruff reply.

Thank heaven! In what direction captain?

A twinkle came for a moment in the eye of the brusque old sea dog.

Straight down! he grunted.

Their Aim

I suppose, said the husband, I suppose that you women want to vote just like men do?

Oh, no, replied his wife, that is not the point. We want to vote a great deal better than the men do.

The Remedy

She—George dear, here's a scientist who says the earth is wabbling on its axis. What do you suppose they can do about it?

George (absently)—Open up the muffler, reverse the lever shut off the power, lubricate the bearings and tighten the wheel cap.

Editor—Why do you persist in coming here? I tell you I don't buy fiction.

Author—Oh, I don't wish to sell any of my stories. I am writing a short [illegible] on Earth, and came in merely to obtain local color.

Only a cheap person will try to make another person feel cheap.

Origin of Irish Lace

Irish lace originated from the failure of the potato crop that caused the famine of 1846. The abbess of a convent in County Cork, looking about for some lucrative employment to help the half-starved children who attended her schools, unravelled thread by thread a scrap of point de Milan, and finally mastered the complicated details. She then selected the girls who were quickest of needlework and taught them what she had painfully learned. The new industry prospered, and one of the pupils, in a pardonable bull, declared that if it had not been for the famine we would all have been starved.

Who Was He?

Father, said a boy of twelve, who was Shylock?

What, exclaimed his father, have I sent you to Sunday school for the past six years, only to have you ask me who Shylock was? Shame on you! Get your Bible and find out this minute!

Customer—I want a ton of coal.

Dealer—Yes, sir. What size?

Customer—Well, if it's not asking too much, I'd like to have a 2000 pound ton.

His Busy Time

Doctor, why don't you take a vacation?

I can't now, my patients need me. They are beginning to come back from their vacations.

He—Does your father know I expect to ask him for your hand?

She—I think he does. He is practicing for half an hour every morning with dumb-bells.

From a second-hand book catalogue: Dickens (C)—Pic-Nic Papers.

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Contest Winners Shortly to be Announced

Though still busily engaged in the tremendous task of reading the letters received from nearly 20,000 school children in the contest conducted by the Remington Literary Committee, the judges are now nearing the completion of their painstaking work and will shortly make announcement of winners. The general run of the letters is so excellent and the determining of superior merit in individual cases so difficult, that the judges have decided to give, in addition to the prizes already scheduled, first, second and third medals in each of the four classes. In a few days the awards of these and of the 2,000 other prizes offered will be known by the pupils who throughout the country are eagerly awaiting the news.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

Odd Uses of Sugar

If all the sugar that is eaten in the course of a year were to be equally divided, every person in the world would have at least twenty pounds. But besides being used as food, sugar has many industrial uses. It is the cheapest form of a chemically pure carbohydrate, and is often used in place of starch, dextrin, or glucose. Sugar is frequently put in compounds for removing and preventing boiler scale. It is used in the manufacture of shoe-blacking, transparent soap, copying-ink, and inkrollers for print-presses. Certain explosives contain from six to forty per cent. of it. It is employed in dyeing establishments, by tanneries for filling leather and in a large number of other industries. Sugar has a hardening and strengthening action in mortar. The mortar used to rebuild the Museum of Natural History in Berlin consisted of one part lime, one part sand and two parts sugar. Even a very small quantity, however, even as little as one-quarter of one per cent, exerts a very harmful effect on cement.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

Aluminum Servant of Man

When the history of our age is written the story of aluminum is going to occupy a prominent page, says Harpers' Weekly. It is quite as wonderful as the story of electricity, the all-pervading giant that lay hidden for ages in murky clouds, in masses of coal, copper and soft iron, and in myriads of waterfalls, until Franklin and Morse and Edison put him in harness and made him one of the most useful and ingenious servants of man. Aluminum, which constitutes nearly one-twelfth of the earth crust, lay obscure until Sir Humphrey Davy in 1808, declared that clay and many clayey rocks depended upon some metal as a base.

A Lark's Lofty Flight

Some Bavarian officers experimenting with a balloon 6,000 feet aloft noticed a little black speck which seemed to accompany them and which they thought was one of the cards they carried for throwing out reports and that the dropping of the balloon drew it along, but on looking at the barometer they found that the balloon was rising and not dropping. Suddenly, however, a loud chirping showed that it was a lark which flying at this extraordinary height, had been frightened by the balloon.

Take things easy, if they don't belong to others.

Life in Macedonia

We arose early one February morning and left our fairly clean hotel in Neapolis for four hours of travel over the modern road near the Via Egnatia, which should take us to ancient Philippi. Our vehicle was a somewhat dilapidated hack, such as Americans are familiar with at almost every considerable railway station but surprisingly comfortable conveyance for this part of the world. Rattling down some steep, roughly paved streets we came to the centre of the great Roman aqueduct and ascended another steep street on the other side of the market place.

Early as it was, we found that the people of Kavalla were up and doing. The stalls of the fruit men were attractive with oranges, pomegranates, lemons and dates. The vegetable dealers displayed a tempting array of cauliflowers, cabbages, onions, okra, leeks and potatoes.

As in all eastern cities, there was no privacy. The cook was preparing his breakfast on the sidewalk, the shoe-maker was plying his awl, the tailor his needle, and the blacksmith was shoeing his horses almost in the very street.

NERVOUS PEOPLE MADE CHEERFUL

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Rebuild Shattered Nerves

Good blood—rich, red blood—makes all the difference between health and sickness. If the blood is thin and watery, the health of the whole body suffers. The sufferer becomes nervous and irritable; the stomach fails in strength and the appetite becomes poor. Food does not give the necessary nourishment, and the first feeling of weakness passes, as time goes on, into a general breakdown in the health. The case of Mrs. Angelique Gagnon, of St. Jerome, Que., illustrates the truth of these statements. Mrs. Gagnon says: "I am fifty years of age and up to a few months ago always enjoyed the best of health. Then I began to feel run-down and weak, without patience or ambition. My appetite grew poor, and my nerves seemed to be on edge, and the least noise or worry would make me irritable and nervous. Life became an actual burden and I could no longer look after my household duties. My doctor prescribed and ordered a change, saying that I was a nervous wreck. I tried to become interested in other things but failed, and my condition was really deplorable. I continued in this condition for several months, gradually going down, and as my doctor was not helping me I was easily persuaded by a friend to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After taking the pills for a few weeks I could see an improvement, and I gladly continued using them for a couple of months, when I found my health fully restored. I am more than thankful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me, and I gladly recommend them to all who are weak, nervous and run down."

By making rich, red blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure such cases as Mrs. Gagnon's. In the same way they cure nervous headaches, neuralgia, indigestion, rheumatism, St. Vitus dance, and the ailments that come to growing girls and women of mature years. If you are at all unwell start to-day to cure yourself with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, what they have done for others they will surely do for you, if given a fair trial. Sold by all druggists or by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by addressing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

At first it has been contended, men used both arms indifferently, and those who when fighting pushed the right side forward had the advantage of shielding their hearts and so lived to produce descendants who inherited their tendencies. Be this as it may, there is no doubt that the two sides of the brain have different functions, and right or left-handedness is by no means restricted to the arms alone. One investigator was very often able to recognize left handedness by the examination of the left eye. The centre of speech is on the left side of the brain of a right handed person and on the right side of a left handed person. Children show unmistakable evidence of two speech centres, though one atrophies owing to the preference given to one hand. Nevertheless experiments show that it can be successfully resuscitated.

Not Stationary

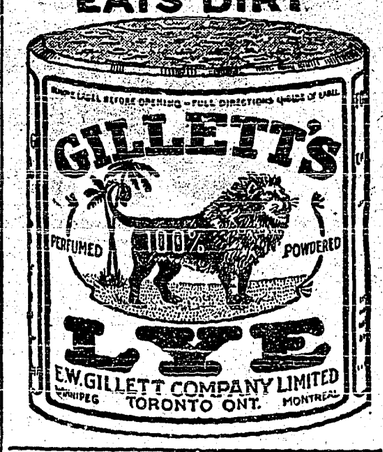
A carpenter who had been engaged to build a cabinet for paper envelopes and other office supplies in a local commission house was busy at his task when one of the bookkeepers inquired:

Is that going to be a stationery cabinet?

No, I don't think so, replied the worker. At least I have instructions to put casters on it.

An ordinary piano contains about a mile of wire. Genius will yet benefit humanity by inventing a wireless piano for amateurs.

GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT



RAILWAYS AND CARTAGE

Canadian Railways Cancel Tariffs Covering Cartage Points in Dominion

Railways of Canada have issued notice of cancellation of tariffs covering cartage points in Canada, effective October 1, 1913. On and after that date shippers and consignees will be expected to make their own arrangements for cartage.

It is stated that this action on the part of the transportation companies in the result of the failure to renew existing contracts with the cartage companies at present prices, the latter claiming that owing to increased cost of supplies, labor and other matters entering into the performance of the service, they must have increased compensation. On the other hand, the railways contend that it is impossible to increase their burden of such extra expenses for the very reason given by the cartage companies—namely, increased expenses.

The change in conditions at cartage points in Canada, it is pointed out, is in line with practices which have long prevailed at American Cities, where the public are obliged to make their own arrangements with the cartage companies for deliveries to or from the railway terminal.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Tanning by Electricity

A new electric tanning process, invented by the Swedish scientist, Dr. A. Groth, and applied on a practical scale in an English works, is attracting much attention, and one of the prominent electrical firms is to take it up for commercial use. With this method, the hides are put in special vats along with metal conductors, so as to carry out an electrolytic action, and this will tan the hides in much less time than usual, for instance, six weeks as compared to several months. Leather of better quality is produced in this way, and the method gives a perfect and solid tanning. Various electrical devices in the shape of regulators, also safety apparatus for over-current, make the process almost an automatic one.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

A Scotch caddie is almost certain to be a shrewd observer of men and things, and he is frequently gifted with a sharp tongue of his own.

Lang Willie was for many years a well-known figure on the St. Andrews golf links. On the occasion of Louis Kossuth's visit to St. Andrews a public dinner was given in his honor and Willie applied for a ticket to the bailie who was in charge of the arrangements. The worthy man curtly refused the application, saying to Willie that it was no place for the likes of him to be at the dinner.

No for the likes of me? was Willie's indignant rejoinder. I've been in the company of gentlemen from 11 to 4 o'clock maist days for the last thirty years, and that's mair than you can say!

A teacher in a big elementary school had given lessons to an infant class on the ten commandments. In order to test their memories she asked:

Can any little child give me a commandment with only four words in it?

A hand was raised immediately.

Well? said the teacher.

Keep off the grass, was the reply.

Now Its See America First

I thought they were going to Europe for the summer?

When did they tell you that?

Last November.

Oh, everybody was going to Europe for the summer last November.

Johnny, said the mother severely, some one has taken a big piece of ginger cake out of the pantry.

Johnny blushed guiltily.

Oh, Johnny, she exclaimed. I did not think it was in you!

It ain't all, replied Johnny. Part of it is in Elsie.

THAT **"Blue" Feeling** When you feel discouraged and all the world seems to be against you—that's your system's way of telegraphing you that something is WRONG and needs HELP.

It may be that your liver is tired and refuses to work, or your digestive organs have had too much to do and need care. Perhaps you have been eating the wrong kind of food, and your blood is too rich or impoverished. What you need is a tonic.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

will give the required aid. Tones the entire system. The weak stomach is made strong. The liver vibrates with new life. The blood is cleansed of all impurities and carries renewed health to every vein and nerve and muscle and organ of the body. No more attacks of the "blues." Life becomes worth while again, and hope takes place of despair.

Insist on getting Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Sold by dealers in medicine.

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WILSON'S FLY PADS

Ask your Druggist or Grocer to show you the new plan for killing all the flies in your house or store in one night, and have neither flies nor fly killers about in the daytime.

GREAT BRIDGES

Facts of Great Structures Across the Tay and Forth

Not the least of the extraordinary feats of the redoubtable bridge-builder, Sir William Arrol, was the fact that at one time he carried on two such gigantic contracts as the Tay and Forth Bridges. It was a striking tribute to his great powers of organization and to his genius for engineering on a mammoth scale. The construction of the Tay Bridge was only half-finished when he made a start with the gigantic undertaking which now spans the Firth of Forth, from the designs of Sir John Fowler and Sir Benjamin Baker. Over a year was spent in the preliminary preparations alone—the designing and making of special plant, the erection of workshops on shore and the thousands and one things essential to the success of such a large scheme. The cost of temporary plant ran to half-a-million sterling, and included thirty steam and other barges, tugs, launches and boats, sixty steam cranes and winches, fifty hydraulic cranes, forty-eight steam engines and hydraulic jacks, hand-cranes and drilling machines almost innumerable; not to mention one million cubic feet of timber and sixty miles of wire. The enormous nature of this engineering wonder of the world may be gathered from the following figures: The total length is over a mile and a half, and consists of two spans, each nearly a third of a mile long; two spans of six hundred and seventy-five feet each. In the piers there are about one hundred and twenty thousand cubic yards of masonry, and in the super-structure over forty thousand tons of steel and some fifteen thousand tons of iron.

The building of the Tay Bridge was an opportunity for a display of his engineering genius which the ambitious bridgemaker eagerly welcomed. A rigorous examination revealed the old foundations to be insecure, and it was decided to build an entirely new bridge a short distance farther up the river. Within five years from its commencement—1882 to 1887—a remarkable erection, over two miles in length, and constructed at a cost of seven hundred and fifty thousand pounds, spanned the estuary, a structure strong enough to defy the fiercest gale that ever blew. It was the greatest engineering triumph of the age, until it was eclipsed by a greater—the Forth Bridge.

Most infants are infested by worms, which cause great suffering, and if not promptly dealt with may cause constitutional weaknesses difficult to remedy. Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms and will so act upon the system that there will be no recurrence of the trouble. And not only this, but they will repair the injuries to the organs that worms cause and restore them to soundness.

He Wouldn't Do

We were going along at an awful speed, he said, I didn't see the dog, but I heard his ki-yi, so I ordered the chauffeur to stop. Going back, we found an irate woman standing over her dead dog—one of the ugliest dogs you ever saw. She met us with a tirade of strong remarks, telling us in no uncertain terms what she thought of us and motorists in general, finishing up by calling us the murderers of her dog. It was then that I thought I would pacify her. Madam, I said, I will replace your tone of voice, you flatter yourself.

The Way of It

Some men make fools of themselves for a pretty girl and a lot of others don't even have that excuse.

Doing a Man's Part

What are you doing for our cause? asked a suffragette worker.

Doing, replied the man, I am supporting one of your most enthusiastic members.

Lost Caste

Three generations will think I am the President of the Ananias Club, the shade of General Sherman moodily remarked.

What's the matter? asked Napoleon.

Why Carnegie has abolished war and the theologians have abolished hell, replied Sherman.

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THE HANDY HAND CLEANER

Keep a can at your office, workshop or home. Always useful, antiseptic. Good for your hands. All Dealers sell Snap.

SNAP COMPANY, LIMITED, - Montreal.

Genius Oil Painter

It is told of Leonardo da Vinci that while still a pupil, before his genius burst into brilliancy, he received a special inspiration in this way:

His old and famous master because of his growing infirmities of age felt obliged to give up his own work and one day bade Da Vinci finish for him a picture which he had begun. The young man had such reverence for his master's skill that he shrank from the task. The old artist, however, would not accept any excuse, but persisted in his command, saying simply: Do your best.

Da Vinci at last tremblingly seized the brush and, kneeling before the easel, said the following prayer: It is for the sake of my beloved master that I implore skill and power for this undertaking. As he proceeded his hand grew steady, his eye awoke with slumbering genius. He forgot himself and was filled with enthusiasm for his work.

When the painting was finished the old master was carried into the studio to pass judgment on the result. His eyes rested on a triumph of art. Throwing his arms around the young artist, he exclaimed: My son, I paint no more.

Plan for a Larger Milk Yield

What virtue is there in hereditary when it comes to abundant milk production per cow? Many a dairyman notices a cow is good, her heifers may turn out good milkers, sometimes they do not. What is the trouble? Apart from such considerations as feed, care and health, look for one moment at the possible value of the sire. If the cows bred to a particular bull have dropped good milking progeny; that bull came from good milking ancestry. There is the virtue of heredity worth thousands of dollars to our dairying industry. The melancholy reflection is that scores of these good milkers can be traced to sires that have been sold for beef long before their real value had become known.

Every dairyman who is doing anything at testing his individual cows, and all progressive dairymen appreciate the far reaching benefits of such study, knows that it would be worth at least 1,200 pounds of milk extra per cow to secure the right bull. All members of cow testing associations should co-operate in the purchase of good pure bred sires, changing them round after two years in one section, and prove thereby the immense value of heredity in their own herds.

Where Colleges Fail

Any effort to benefit the nation must be made through the child. To enlarge further the scope of agricultural teaching in the high schools or the universities will gain but little for the people. Such effort will but develop the latest talent of the few, who will soon begin to exploit their knowledge for personal ends.

Knowledge acquired after 16 lacks the elements of unselfishness. Such knowledge tends toward self centering ends. It is a waste to give more to institutions for higher learning, for they have already proved themselves inadequate in developing a conscious citizenship.

The college graduate is not always a desirable attachment to a working community. Expert knowledge we must have, but the expert who has not learned through doing, lacks balance, the soul ballast that streams of sweat and corded muscles give to the man who equalizes life through the development of both the mental and physical self, a life rounded by experience and contact with actualities.

The Printer Pirates

An instalment agent had sold an album to every man in the composing room. The terms were 25 cents down and 25 cents a week, albums delivered on the first payment. We all promptly sold or hooked our albums and declined to pay even the first weekly instalment. The agent as a last resort decided to complain to the foreman. He came into the office about 8 p.m. and the foreman spied him as he entered the composing room.

Boys, said the boss printer in a tone loud enough for every one in the room to hear, why are we like pirates?

We all gave it up.

Because, announced the boss, we'll give the album man no quarter.

The album man turned and left and we saw him no more.

A number of men gathered in the smoking car of a train from Little Rock to another point in Arkansas were talking of the food best calculated to sustain health.

One Arkansan, a stout, florid man, with short, gray hair and a self-satisfied air, was holding forth in great style.

Look at me! he exclaimed. Never had a day's sickness in my life. All due to simple food. Why gents, from the time I was twenty to when I reached forty I lived a regular life. None of these effeminate delicacies for me. No late hours. Every day, summer and winter, I went to bed at 9; got up at 5. Lived principally on corned beef and corn bread. Worked hard, gents—worked hard from 8 to 1. Then dinner; plain dinner; then an hour's exercise, and then—

Excuse me, interrupted the stranger, who had remained silent, but what were you in for?

A ring at the telephone drew the office boy.

Lady to talk to you sir, he said to the senior partner.

The senior partner took up the receiver and stood at the phone for several minutes.

Then he laid the receiver down and went back to his desk.

Twenty minutes later he raised the receiver, said a few words and pregently hung it up.

Then he turned to his partner.

It was my wife, he explained, she was still talking and hadn't missed me.

The Foolish One—Isn't Kate foolish? She'll catch her husband flirting some day.

The Wise One—That's how she did catch him.

FROM GREAT LAKES TO THE ROCKIES

WOMEN SING THE PRAISES OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Saskatchewan Lady Adds Her Testimony to What Has Already Been Said of the Great Work Dodd's Kidney Pills are Doing.

Caesarville, Sask. (Special)—The scarcity of female help in a new country subjects the women of the prairies to unusual strain, and careful observation has established the fact that this strain first makes itself felt in the kidneys. For this reason Dodd's Kidney Pills are making an enviable reputation from the Great Lakes to the foothills of the Rockies.

Everywhere you will find women singing the praises of the great Canadian kidney remedy that has banished their pains and weariness, and brought them back to health. Among the many is Mrs. Edgar Cowen, an estimable lady of this place.

"I have found Dodd's Kidney Pills very beneficial," Mrs. Cowen states. "If anything I can say will help any sufferer I am glad to add my testimonial to what has already been said."

The kidneys strain all the refuse material out of the blood. If they are out of order this refuse remains in the blood, and becomes poison. That's why sound kidneys mean pure blood and good health. Dodd's Kidney Pills make sound kidneys.

Dining on Books

With the exception of minerals it is difficult for one to find on the earth's surface substances that do not tempt the appetite of some sort of animal. The list of queer articles of diet includes the earth, which is munched with satisfaction by the clay eater, and the walrus hide, which the Eskimo relishes as much as John Bull his joint of beef.

It is not generally known, however, that men, as well as mice and bookworms have eaten dinners that have consisted only of books.

In 1370 Barnado de Visconti compelled two Papal delegates to eat the bull of excommunication which they had brought him, together with its silken cords and leaden seal. As the bull was written on parchment, not paper, it was all the more difficult to digest.

There was also an American general who had signed a note for 2,000 florins, and when it fell due compelled his creditors to eat it. The Tartars, when books fall into their possession, eat them, that they may acquire the knowledge contained in them.

A Scandinavian writer, the author of a political book, was compelled to choose between being beheaded or eating his manuscript boiled in broth.

Izaac Volmar, who wrote some spicy satires against Bernard, Duke of Saxony, was not allowed the courtesy of the kitchen, but was forced to swallow them uncooked.

Still worse was the fate of Philip Oldenburger, a jurist of great renown who was condemned not only to eat a pamphlet of his writing, but also to be flogged during his repast with orders that the flogging should not cease until he had swallowed the last crumb.

Quotations That are Wrong

Some of the most frequently used quotations are not quotations at all, but in many cases convey the opposite meaning of the original wording.

Fenimore Cooper, for instance, thought he was quoting from the Bible when he spoke of an inscription being so devised that he who runs may read, signifying that it was easier to run than read.

If Cooper had looked in his Bible he would have found in the book of Habakuk that the passage he tried to quote was: Write the vision and make it plain that he may run that readeth it. The vision was a warning and the reader was to flee from danger, but the Cooper version has survived the original and practically put it out of use.

A popular chronic misquotation is that of the passage in Hudibras, which says: He that complies against his will is of the same opinion still. Authors and public speakers without number have twisted that into: A man convinced against his will is of the same opinion still, forgetting that a man who was convinced could not possibly remain of the same opinion for if he was of the same opinion he would not be convinced.

Theodore Roosevelt publicly declared that Washington in his farewell address said: To be prepared for war is the most effective means to promote peace. But the first President said nothing of the sort in his farewell address. In his first message to Congress he said: To be prepared for war is one of the most effective means of preserving peace, and he spoke of other means as well.

Novelists do not seem to be very strong in their knowledge of the Scriptures somehow, and Sir Walter Scott, in 'The Heart of Midlothian,' attempts to point a moral with the words: Our simple and unpretending heroine had the merit of those peacemakers to whom it is promised as a benediction that they shall inherit the earth. The fact is that the peacemakers did not receive any such promise, but it is said that the meek shall inherit the earth.

Pro.—They say lightning never strikes twice in the same place.

Kohn—Well, what's the use?

Son of the house to caller—I want to see you 'cos father says you made yourself.

Caller—Yes, my lad, and I am proud of it.

Son of the house—B-but why did you do it like that?

Major Bangstick (of Indian Army) Tell your scoutmaster that now I'm home I shall be pleased to help him, if he'd like it, with field work and so on.

Horace—Thanks, awfully, dad, but—er—are you quite up-to-date? Drills are altered a lot since you were home last.

ONTARIO WOOD SUPPLIES

Light Thrown on Forest and Trade Conditions by New Government Bulletin

Over 1200 wood-using industries in Ontario contributed the data for a bulletin on this industry now being issued by the Forestry Branch, Ottawa. Thirty four different kinds of wood are being used by these industries and the detailed information regarding the various uses to which such woods are put, should be of considerable value not only to the manufacturer by showing new means of waste disposal, but also to the house holder by indicating what native woods are best fitted to replace the more expensive imported stock, for interior decoration, furniture and flooring.

The bulletin also shows incidentally the increasing poverty of Ontario with regard to the more valuable work woods. Almost half of the thirty-four kinds of wood used are obtained principally from outside sources and three and one half million dollars are annually sent out of the province for imported wood stock. The imported oak alone costs one million six hundred thousand dollars annually, for this tree has become commercially extinct in Ontario while the hickory and chestnut groves of southern Ontario have also, almost entirely disappeared. Even good clear white pine is becoming hard to obtain and its market value is steadily rising for it represents twenty one per cent of the total wood consumption in Ontario for industrial purposes.

Of more interest to the small consumer of wood-products are the side lights the bulletin throws on the possibility of substituting cheap home grown woods for the expensive foreign species now used so extensively. Recent tests made of their physical properties have demonstrated the suitability for certain purposes of many native species, hitherto despised by the dealers. For hardwood flooring in place of the oak and maple now in general use, may be substituted the home grown birch and beech which take a high polish and have the advantage of being considerably cheaper. Likewise for interior finishing, the expensive oak can be very closely imitated by stained black ash and stained birch is almost indistinguishable from mahogany, while stained red gum requires an expert to distinguish it from the costly Circassian walnut. The now expensive white pine is being replaced, where durability is not a requisite, by the cheaper spruce, basswood and elm. Poplar and balsam fir are two of the most common trees in Ontario and that they have wider uses is evident from the fact that poplar is highly valued for hardwood flooring in Manitoba while balsam fir is perhaps the most widely used native species in the Maritime provinces.

The bulletin also indicates the existence of a market in Ontario for sumac, apple and cherry logs. The lumber cut from them being worth $30, $46.50, and $44.50 per thousand feet board measure respectively. The Forestry Branch has already been instrumental in securing sales of the wood of worn out apple orchards and is desirous of further serving the public along these lines. The bulletin on The Wood-using Industries of Ontario can be had gratis from the Forestry Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. A similar report dealing with the Maritime Provinces will appear shortly.

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. Phillippe, Que.

Novel Musketry Practice

A report comes from Vienna of the utilisation of the cinematograph for instruction in musketry. The firing squad is posted in front of a cinematograph screen, and a moving colored picture of the battlefield is thrown on it from behind them. Each man has to pick up his target, take aim and fire. When a shot is fired the film stops for a second, and the hole made by the bullet in the screen is illuminated by a flashlight behind it, which shows the position of the hit with reference to the target.

Answered

Pa, what is meant by idle curiosity? A very good example of idle curiosity my son, is a twelve-dollar a week shoe clerk asking the price of automobile tires.

The equator is an imaginary line, running around the earth, said the boy who likes to tell what he has learned at school.

An imaginary line, repeated the great railway financier, absent-mindedly. Who is promoting it?

Aunt—How's this, Bobby? I hear that the little boy next door gets promoted at school much oftener than you do.

Bobby—Well, his father's a promoter.

A Sure Remedy

The story is told that when M. Poincaire, the new president of the French Republic, first entered politics one of his political opponents taunted him with his youthfulness.

I may be young, M. Poincaire replied, but I promise you that something shall be done every day to wipe out that disadvantage.

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Correcting the Answer

At a horse-stealing trial out west a jury was gathered and shut up in a room after a brief trial, and when an hour had gone by a mob burst in and unceremoniously demanded what the verdict was.

Not guilty, said the foreman.

That won't do, said the leader of the mob fiercely. You will have to do better than that. And he shut the jury up again.

In half an hour the door was opened once more.

Well, gents, your verdict, said the leader.

Guilty, the foreman replied.

There were hurrah from the crowd and the leader said:

Correct. You can go now. We strung him up an hour ago.

Potatoes and Power

One forsees the triumph of the potato, unforseen by William Cobbett, not so much as a food, but as a means of motion. Coal is giving out; petrol is going up in price and down in production. The supply of both is limited and must come to an end, but there comes the cheer that alcohol will be the motive force of the future. Petrol and coal may give out, but the earth will always grow potatoes. Potatoes can produce alcohol and alcohol can drive engines. In the potato we seem to have discovered the secret of perpetual motion.

Real Gratitude

Pessimists declare that the days of gay romance are dead—that there is no spirit of chivalry left in the breasts of the men of modern times.

They are all wrong. Here we have the story in the daily papers that a man in Ohio left all his money to the girl who refused to marry him years ago. That's gratitude for you!

Hard to Tell

There were a lot of old shoes on the street when I went out this morning.

Wedding or a cat fight, do you suppose?

Altruistic

Rose—He said he would kiss me or die in the attempt.

Marie—Well?

Rose—He has no life-insurance, and I pitied his poor old mother.

Why don't women dress sensibly? If they did, half the industries of the world would go to smash.

Another One on Twain

Mark Twain at a dinner at the Author's Club, said: Speaking of fresh eggs, I am reminded of the town of Squash. In my early lecturing days I went to Squash to lecture in Temperance Hall, arriving in the afternoon. The town seemed poorly billed. I thought I'd find out if the people knew anything at all about what was in store for them. So I turned in at the general store. Good afternoon, friend, I said to the general storekeeper. Any entertainment here tonight to help a stranger while away the evening? The general storekeeper, who was sorting mackerel, straightened up, wiped his briny hands on his apron and said: I expect there's going to be a lecture, I been selling eggs all day.

Comfort for the Dyspeptic.—There is no ailment so harassing and exhausting as dyspepsia, which arises from defective action of the stomach and liver, and the victim of it is to be pitied. Yet he can find ready relief in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, a preparation that has established itself by years of effective use. There are pills that are widely advertised as the greatest ever compounded, but not one of them can rank in value with Parmelee's.

Her Portrait

The painstaking artist, anxious to please, remarked to prospective customer:

I can paint you a portrait of your wife which will be a speaking likeness.

H'm. Couldn't you do it in what they call still life?

It may be better to give than to receive, but few of us are in a position to keep it up indefinitely.

Good Advice

A young lawyer who has recently hung out his shingle here, was retained by a criminal with $5 and a very poor defense.

Well, you got a case, son, said his proud father.

Yes, dad.

And what advice did you give your client?

After listening to his story I collected what money he had and advised him to retain a more experienced lawyer.

The dread of ridicule extinguishes originality in its birth.

Tired and Weak Nerves Exhausted

The feelings of fatigue and languor which overcome so many people at this season of the year tell of the exhausted condition of the nerves.

It is impossible to keep up the action of the heart and the vitality of the nerves when the blood is thin and watery, and this is why nearly everybody needs tonic treatment in the spring.

Some of the symptoms are restlessness, purposeless activity, insomnia, absent-mindedness, tired gait, lack of ambition and enthusiasm, head-ache and neuralgic pains, dyspepsia and feelings of languor and depression.

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John Carpenter, who works at Schermerhorn's camp was struck by a tie Saturday and sustained some broken ribs and also broke his right forearm.

R S Ross, who has had the management of the local bank during the absence of Mr. Fowler, left yesterday for Cumberland whence he will remain for a short time before returning to Vancouver. He speaks very highly of the pleasant time he spent while in Creston and leaves the valley with regrets.

J. P. Baston, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce force of Nakusp is visiting for a couple of weeks in town and renewing old acquaintences.

ONE CAUSE OF WASTE.

It is stated on good authority that the annual loss to the apple industry of the country by the codling moth alone amounts to over $12,000,000. The annual loss to our truck growers from insect pests amounts to about 20 per cent of the crop, but by judicious methods of control this might be reduced to 5 per cent. This shows the need of up to date methods to reduce the high cost of living.—H. P. Hitchings, Experiment Station, Orono, Me.

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WATER NOTICE.

For a Licence to Take and use Water.

Notice is hereby given that I Ashley Cooper, of Wyndell, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 10,000 gallons of water out of a number of springs which flows in a westerly didection through lots 6 and 3 of 4595 and empties into lot seven near same. The water will be diverted at some point higher than road and will be used for irigation and domestic purposes on the land described as lots 6 and 3 of section 43 of 4595.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 26 day of August 1913. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Ashley Cooper (Applicant).

MINERAL ACT
(Form F)

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Skookum Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located on Summit Creek adjoining the Bayonne Mine. Take Notice that I, A.H. Green, acting as agent for Joseph Campbell. Free Miner's Certificate No. 40310B intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate fo Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, Must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

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