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Committee Appointed to Consider and Report on Agricultural Association

MOVING PICTURES AT MERCANTILE HALL

The Empire Amusement Co., of Nelson, had arrangements completed to put on a picture show in Mercantile Hall tonight and Saturday night but owing to the fact that the G. N. Express Company neglected to forward their films it was necessary to postpone the entertainment for tonight.

The manager, Mr, W. Johnson assures us that the show Saturday night will combine the best features of the two entertainments, so that the public will make no mistake in braving the weather to see this big 6 reel show.

For program see ad. on page 8.

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

ALICE SIDING NEWS

On Saturday night the 22nd. about forty of the residents of Alice Siding met at Scotty Todd's house and enjoyed themselves dancing until 10.30 p.m. when they were called to order by the Floor Manager, Clarence Pease, who in a neat speech told them that that the object of the party was to organise a Social Club for the purpose of Dancing and Amusement.

Tqe Club was then organised with the following officers.

A. W. Mason, President,

W. A. Pease, Secretary-Treasurer.

Committee

C. Pease, R. Smith, J. R. Miller.

It was decided to hold a Dance every Fortnight. Clarence Pease was appointed Floor Manager for the next Dance, December 6th. Dancing was then resumed until 12 o'clock when Refreshments were served by the ladies

Songs, and other amusements were indulged in until the Wee Sma' Hours

Every one enjoyed themselves in great shape.

A. M. Todd came down from Creston for the Dance, and joined the Club.

Thomas Douglas and E. Butterfield were up from Duck Creek, the two former joining the Club. C. Carlson and W. Johnson also joined.

W. Corbett has Just finished building a wood shed and digging a well for the School.

On Saturday evening last a most successful gathering celebrated their first meeting of a Social Club at Mr. Scottie Todd's house. About 43 members of both sexes were enroled and they spent a most enjoyable evening dancing, singing, and various games were indulged in until the small hours when the best fun commenced to see some of the party plodding their way homewards through the snow. Merry Nights generally ends with sorrowful mornings.

Much praise is due to the Ladies and Gentlemen who so ably carried out their various duties more especially to the Ladies who so liberally supplied cakes and other dainties when the inner parts required sustenance. We hope the Club will be a success as something is needed to liven this neighborhood up. Everyone is cordially invited to join the movement which will hold its meetings at the same address every alternate Saturday.

Boar for service Government-bred Yorkshire White Pedigree Boar registered Oak Lodge Duke of Agassiz 36278 Fee $2.00. Young pigs for sale. Mann & Foot, Alice Trail.

For up-to-the-minute Xmas cards call on THE CRESTON REVIEW.

L. O. L. WILL GIVE HOME-TALENT CONCERT

Creston Loyal Orange 2095 will give a Grand Concert in Mercantile Hall on Tuesday evening next, December 2nd commencing at 8.15 sharp.

The program, which we print on the back page of this issue, consists of 19 numbers all the work of our home talent and made up of instrumental music, vocal solos and duets, readings and recitations, and in presenting this program the Orangemen do not need to feel that they are asking any favors but on the contrary that they are giving a very fine entertainment for a very reasonable price, 25c and 15c.

The Manager of the Creston Junior Hockey Team is in receipt of the following letter:

Dear Sir:—

We would like to arrange with you for a series of Games this winter, and would ask you to kindly let us have a reply stating what dates will be convenient for you after, of course, skating opens up here.

A prompt reply will greatly oblige. Please take notice that this is a Junior and not Intermediate Team.

Yours respectfully,

Fernie Junior Hockey Team

Box 28 Per Ray Giddings

Rubber shoes and gum boots at A. Mirabelli.

Printing as you like it at the Creston Review.

We have been requested to publish a warning to huntsmen that the pheasants are protected and that anyone shooting them leaves himself open to prosecution. Notices to this effect will appear in a few days in all prominent places. At the present time the birds have spread out and have been seen as far away as Duck Creek.

SIRDAR NOTES

Mrs. Dennes has returned from Proctor where she has been visiting her sister.

Mrs. McVicar and Miss Anderson were Creston visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. Turcliffe of Proctor who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Dennes, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Soasby and Mrs. Neilson have returned from a visit to Cranbrook where they were the guests of Rev. Mr. Flewellyn.

Mrs. Dow of Creston is the guest of Mrs. Foosby for a few days.

Rev. Mr. Blake of Creston held service in Sirdar School house, Tuesday last.

DUCK CREEK NEWS

W. J. Cooper and E. Uri were Creston callers on Friday..

The 2nd. Annual Christmas Tree will be held under the auspices of the Duck Creek Social Club on Friday December 20th. at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Hook who has been spending a few weeks with her mother Mrs. J. J. Grady left on Monday for her home in Kootenai, Idaho.

Jim Johnson and Joe Wigen were Creston callers Saturday.

Billy Johnson, D. Butterfield, and Paul Hagen spent Monday in town

The Christmas tree committee are busy making up their order for presents

The Christmas tree fund now stands at $10.00. We would like to raise another $1.00.

WARNING, All persons are warned not to shoot two Pheasants that have been seen several times in this district.

PUBLICITY IS STILL THE KEYNOTE

As proud of Kootenay and as much delighted with every fresh evidence of growth as a young father with his son and heir, F. E. Simpson, former proprietor of the Cranbrook Herald, and a pioneer newspaper man of the interior, reached Nelson last night on the Coast train and registered at the Hume.

"Dad" would rather talk of British Columbia as a whole than eat, and he sees a new, greater and more wonderful future for this country every time he visits it.

Two years ago he went to England and was so anxious to talk British Columbia that he used to stand outside the railway offices in Charing Cross and expound to the crowds of prospective settlers the possibilities of and opportunities of this province.

He has recently returned from a six weeks' visit to the United States and while there found no difficulty in frequently getting together a crowd of men eager to learn of British Columbia. Nearly everyone seemed to be interested in the Dominion.

Mr. Simpson states that he has now retired from business and has settled down at Victoria.

The capital city is recovering rapidly from the effects of the financial stringency, the large outlay on such works as the new breakwater, railway terminals, the $1,000,000 Hudson Bay building and other improvements doing much to keep the city in its normal condition of activity.—Nelson News.

For Rent—Candy store. Apply to Creston Review.

Rev. J. T. Ferguson, D.D. of Calgary, will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church, morning and evening, Sunday, November 30.

Mr. Geo. A. Neal of Prince Albert, Sask. arrived on November 21st. on an extended visit to his sister Mrs. Geo. Henderson Wilson, he has not seen for 18 years.

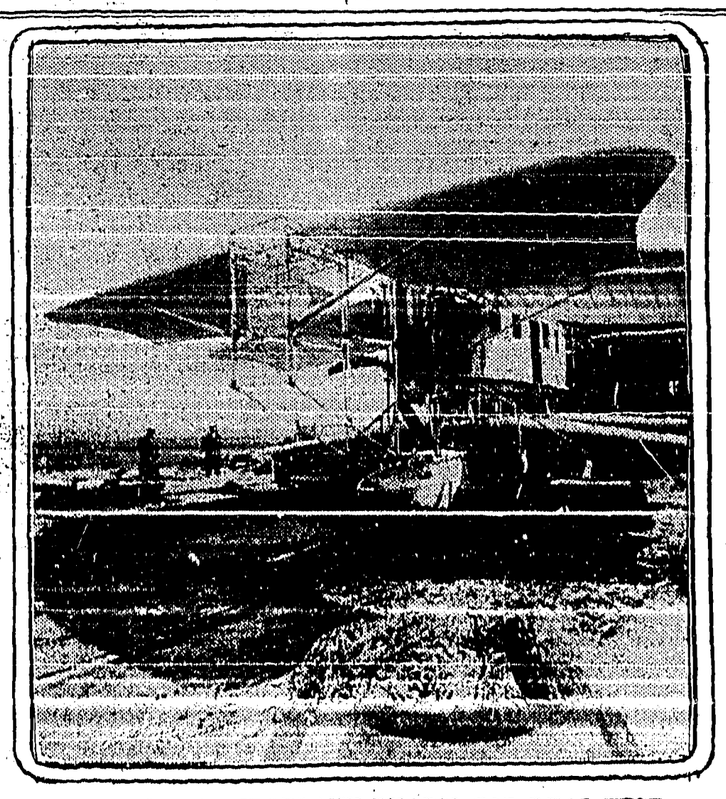
MEETING TO DISCUSS FOREST PROTECTION

This year, for the first time, the annual meeting of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association will be held in Canada. This Association is made up of the various forest fire organizations on the Pacific Coast of the United States, and represents the combined effort of private owners of timber lands, various Western States, and the Federal Government, in the prevention and control of forest fires.

This meeting—the most important yearly gathering of timber owners in the United States or Canada—will be held at Vancouver, B. C., December 15 and 16. At the meeting in Seattle last year one-third of the standing timber of the United States was represented and there were present over thirty men prominent in Western Canada forest affairs. It is not a public meeting to discuss forestry generalities nor is the time taken up by set papers. In the presence of representatives of the lumber trade, railroads and other interests involved, the practical men who are actually doing the private state, and government protective work describe and debate their field methods and adjust their differences.

One of the most interesting features at Vancouver will be a frank debate between British Columbia lumbermen and the government over the merits and demerits of that province's forest policy and methods. Other topics will be: experiments in state co-operation and compulsory patrol; logging camp rules and precautions; slash and right-of-way burning; forecasting hot, dry winds; supply, report and payroll system; lookout, map and signal system; forest telephone building; wireless auxiliaries, and railroad regulation and co-operation. An unusual attraction will be an exhibit of all devices and instruments used in American forest protection.—Conservation.

Creston L. O. L. No. 2095, will hold a big Concert in the Mercantile Hall on Tuesday, December 2nd. 1913 at 8.15 P.M. Programme on page 8. The best of local talent. Admission will be 25 cents.



NEW HYDRO-AEROPLANE READY FOR REAL TEST

The Batson hydro-aeroplane, built to carry both passengers and freight, which has been under construction on Dutch Island, near Thunderbolt in the neighborhood of Savannah, Georgia, is now ready for a tryout.

To the layman the craft looks a little top heavy, the flying part of the structure being the height of a man's head above the boat body. There are 12 wings, eight are arranged above the upper work, four on each side, while the other four are immediately above the decks of the boat body. The craft, the inventor expects will skim along the surface of the water at sixty miles an hour, rise from the six to forty-five miles an hour and in the air be able to maintain a hundred miles an hour. Three powerful engines have been installed. The crew will consist of six men beside the pilot. The vessel is equipped with wireless telegraphy. The great propellers are arranged in the central part of the machine fore and aft.

GRAZING ON DOMINION FOREST RESERVES

The new regulations for Dominion Forest Reserves, which recently went into force, make full provision for the grazing of live stock on such reserves as frequently contain considerable acres of grass-land. The method to be followed is similar to that in successful operation on the National Forests in the United States.

The number and kind of stock to be admitted into each reserve is determined each year by the Director of Forestry according to the capacity of the reserve,

In a case of many applications for grazing rights on any one reserve, the number of stock which any one person is entitled to pasture is fixed by a 'grazing unit,' based on the number of stock which can be carried during the winter by a homestead or small ranch, the object being to give settlers without large grazing areas of their own. the same facilities as those who have such areas. But

But, where there is no danger of over-grazing, the number of stock grazed by any one person on a reserve may considerably exceed this 'grazing unit.'

Application for grazing permits must be on special forms and should be made to the Director or local forest officer before the first of March

Small resident farmers who are dependent on the forest reserve for range for their stock receive first consideration. The Director of Forestry fixes the dues for grazing permits for each forest reserve, but the minimum dues for cattle or horses are to be five cents per head per month, and the maximum dues are to be ten cents per head per month.

The rate of dues charged for sheep is to be one-fourth that charged for cattle.

Previous to these regulations only actual settlers living in the vicinity were permitted to graze cattle (not to exceed fifty head). on these reserves, and very little garzing was done.

But these new regulations permit the grazing of a much larger number of stock by a much greater number of stock-owners, and also make available to the Dominion Forest Service, a source of revenue second only to that derived from the management of the timber on these reserves.

Four room house to rent, Apply to S. A. Speers.

CHRISTMAS 1913 PUBLIC NOTICE

The Public are asked to mail all matter for delivery at Xmas Old Country mail should be posted not later than the 5 th. December, for points East of Winnipeg by the 18 th. and points West of Winnipeg not later than the 20 th. also please "note" that from December 5 th. to January 1 st. inclusive. These persons whose names begin with letters from A to K will receive their mail at No. 1 wicket, and from L to K from No 2 wicket Money Orders can be obtained from 8 A.M. till 11 A.M. and from 12 A.M. till 6 P M.

By order,

Postmaster,

Creston, Nov. 28, 1913.

You should see our line of Xmas cards. We print your name, etc. The price is very reasonable. Come and see.

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DISTRIBUTION OF SEED GRAIN AND POTATOES

By the instructions of the Honorable Minister of Agriculture a bistribution of superior sorts of grain and potatoes will be made from the Dominion Experimental Farms during the coming Winter and Spring to Canadian farmers The samples for general distribution will consist of spring wheat (5 lbs.), white oats (4 lbs) barley (5 lbs.), and field peas (5 lbs.).

These will be sent out from Ottawa.

A distribution of potatoes (in 3 lb. samples) will be carried on from several of the experimental farms, the Central Farm at Ottawa supplying only the provinces of Ontario and Quebec. All samples will be sent free, by mail.

Applicants must give particulars in regard to the soil on their farms, and some account of their experience with such kinds of grain (or potatoes) as they have grown, so that a promising sort for their conditions may be selected

Each application must be separate and must be signed by the applicant.

Only one sample of grain and one of potatoes can be sent to each farm.

Applications on any kind of printed form cannot be accepted. If two or more samples are asked for in the same letter only one will be sent.

As the supply of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply early; but the applications will not necessarily be filled in the exact order in which they are received. Preference will always be given to the most thoughtful and explicit requests. Applications received after the end of January will probably be too late.

All applications for grain (and applications from the provinces of Ontario and Quebec for potatoes) should be addressed to the Dominion Cerealist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

Such applications require no postage.

If otherwise addressed delayed and delay and disappointment may occur,

Applications for potatoes from farmers in any other province should be addressed (postage prepaid) to the Superintendent of the nearest Branch Experimental Farm in that province,

J. H Grisdale,

Director, Dominion Experimental Farms.

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

On Tuesday evening at the home of the Truscott boys occurred the celebration of a double birthday, when a housefull of friends gathered to wish the celebrators many happy returns of the day. Earlier in the month Percy attained his majority but as the other son and brother, Charlie was expected West about the time of Mrs. Truscott's birthday, the 25th. it was decided to combine the celebration and the visitation and have one big time, and according to Will, it was a big time. Charlie left today for his home in Battleford, carrying away very pleasant memories of his visit and looking forward to the date of his return. He is especially well impressed with the valley as an agricultural proposition and will doubtless be the means of sending us some good settlers, in the future.

H. N. Whitford, of the Commission of Conservation, Ottawa, and who is compiling a report for his department as to the resources of this district, was in town a few days this week.

Young cattle bought. Apply to C. Blair, Erickson. 46tf.

W. A. Whitmore, Government Inspector of Buildings, and J. Carmel, Government Agent at Nelson, were in town this week looking into the matter of the construction of the new lock-up.

ARE YOU TIRED

Do you feel constantly tired so that everything is done with an effort? It is an indication that the Kidneys are not doing their work of filtering the impurities from the blood.

GIN PILLS

will help you. They restore the Kidneys to their normal healthy condition and give you back your old time energy and desire to be up and doing. From all Druggists, 50cts. per box or 6 for $2.50, or direct from

National Drug and Chem. Co. of Canada Limited, Toronto.

Your money back if Gin Pills do not cure. 180

THE WINDOW AT THE WHITE CAT

By Mary Roberts Rinehart

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CHAPTER IV

Little Miss Jane

What did you do with that bag? demanded the man with the gun, and I felt his knee on my chest.

What bag? I enquired feebly.

Don't be a fool, he persisted. If I don't get that bag within five minutes I'll fill you as full of holes as a cheese.

I haven't seen my bag, - said stupidly. What sort of a bag? I heard my own voice, drunk from the shock. Paper bag, laundry bag—

You've hidden it in the house, he said, bringing the revolver a little closer with every word.

Go in and look, I responded. I do not know anything about a bag, but if you will give me your word there was nothing in it belonging to this house I will take you in and let you look for it.

The next moment he had lowered the revolver and clutched my arm.

Who in the devil's name are you? he asked wildly.

I think the thing dawned on us both at the same moment.

My name is Knox, I said coolly—John Knox.

Knox! He snatched the candle from me and, holding it up, searched my face. Then good God—where is my travelling bag? I am Harry Wardrop, and I have been robbed, Mr. Knox. I was trying to get in the house without waking the family, and when I came back here to the front door, where I had left my valise, it was gone. I thought you were the thief when you came out, and—we've lost all this time. Somebody has followed me and robbed me!

What was in the bag? I asked.

Valuable papers, he said shortly.

You are certain you left it here?

Where you are standing.

Something glistened beside the step, and I discovered a small brown leather travelling bag, apparently quite new.

Here it is, I said, not so gracious as I might have been. I had suffered considerably for that travelling bag. The sight of it restored Wardrop's poise.

By jove, I am glad to see it, he said. I can't explain, but tremendous things were depending on that bag, Mr. Knox. I don't know how to apologize to you for I must have nearly brained you.

You did, I said grimly, and gave him the bag. The moment he took it I knew there was something wrong. He hurried into the house and lighted the library lamp. Then he opened the travelling bag with shaking fingers. It was empty!

It's a trick, he said furiously. You've hidden it somewhere. This is not my bag. You've substituted one just like it.

Don't be a fool, I retorted. How could I substitute an empty satchel for yours when up to fifteen minutes ago I had never seen you or your grip either.

He dropped into a chair, and after a pause: I was followed in Plattsburg. Two men watched me from the minute I got there on Tuesday. I changed my hotel, and all of yesterday—Wednesday, that is—I felt secure enough. But on the way to the train I felt that I was under surveilliance again, and by turning quickly I came face to face with one of the men. I thought he was a detective. You know I've had a lot of that sort of thing lately, with election coming on. He didn't get on the train, however.

But the other one may have done so.

When we drew in at Bellwood station I distinctly remember opening the bag and putting my newspaper and railroad schedule inside. It was the right bag then. My clothing was in it and my brushes.

I had been examining the empty bag as he talked.

Where did you put your railroad schedule? I asked.

In the leather pocket at the side. It is here, I said, drawing out the yellow folder. For a moment my companion looked almost haunted.

The whole thing is impossible. That valise was heavy when I walked up from the station. I changed it from one hand to the other because of the weight. When I got there I set it down on the edge of the porch and tried the door. When I found it locked.

But it wasn't locked, I broke in. When I came downstairs to look for a burglar I found it open at least an inch.

He stopped in his pacing up and down and looked at me curiously.

We're both crazy, then, he asserted gravely. I tell you I tried every way I knew to unlock that door and could hear the chain rattling. Undoubtedly you are ignorant of the way this house is fastened up at night.

Nevertheless it was unlocked when I came down.

The sound of a smothered exclamation from the doorway caused us both to turn suddenly Standing there in a loose gown of some sort, very much surprised and startled, was Margery Fleming.

What is the matter, she asked uncertainly. I heard such queer noises.

Mr. Wardrop was trying to break in, I explained, and I came down. On the way I had a bloody encounter with an open door.

I don't think she quite believed me. She looked from my swollen head to the open bag and then to Wardrop's pale face. Then I think, womanlike, she remembered the two great braids that hung over her shoulders and the dressing gown she wore, for she backed precipitately into the hall.

It is only half past two, I said, glancing at my watch. We might look around outside.

Reticent as he was, his feverish excitement made me think that some thing vital hung on the recovery of the contents of that Russia leather bag. But we found nothing.

As I look back on that night the key to what had passed and to much that was coming was so simple, so directly and yet we missed it entirely. It was some time before we learned the true inwardness of the events of that night.

I was almost unrecognizable when I looked at myself in the mirror the next morning, preparatory to dressing for breakfast. My nose boasted a new arch like the back of an angry cat, making my profile Roman and ferocious, and the lump on my forehead from the chair was swollen, glassy and purple. I turned my back to the mirror and dressed in wrathful irritation and my yesterday's linen.

Miss Fleming was in the breakfast room. I have carried with me during all the months since that time a mental picture of her as she stood there in a pink morning frock of some sort. But only the other day, having mentioned that to her, she assured me that the frock was blue. So I amend this Miss Fleming in a blue frock was facing the door when I went into the breakfast room. Of one thing I am certain, she held out her hand.

Good morning, she said. What a terrible face.

It isn't mine, I replied meekly. My own face is beneath these excrescences I tried to cover the bump on my forehead with French chalk, but it only accentuated the thing, like snow on a mountain top.

The purple peaks of Darien, she quoted, pouring me my coffee. Do you know, I feel so much better since you have taken hold of things. Aunt Letitia thinks you are wonderful.

I thought ruefully of the failure of my first attempt to play the sleuth, and I disclaimed any right to Miss Letitia's high opinion of me.

Before any one comes down, Miss Fleming, I said. I want to ask a question or two. What was the name of the maid who helped you search the house that night?

Annie.

What other maids did you say there were?

Delia and Rose.

Do you know anything about them? Where they came from or where they went?

She [illegible]

(To be Continued)

She gave her husband a pocket case for his birthday.

Anything in it?

Yes, the bill.

BABY LOVES HIS BATH

With CUTICURA SOAP

No other keeps the skin and scalp so clean and clear, so sweet and healthy. Used with Cuticura Ointment, it soothes irritations which often prevent sleep and if neglected become chronic disfigurements. Millions of mothers use these pure, sweet and gentle emollients for every purpose of the toilet, bath and nursery.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold throughout the world. A liberal sample of each, with 32-page booklet on the care and treatment of the skin and scalp, sent post-free. Address post-card: Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Dept. 21D, Boston, U. S. A.

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A SOARING SKYSCRAPER

Six Stories Without Foundation is Unique Departure in Building

In New York one of the most unique departures in building construction ever attempted is in progress. The twelve story building of the Consolidated Gas Company now being erected at Fifteenth street and Irving place has six stories that are practically soaring in midair without foundation.

The Engineering News explains the phenomenon as follows:

As the old building is not strong enough to bear this additional weight it was decided to suspend six of the seven additional stories from heavy girders, the girders themselves being supported on steel columns 250 feet high, reaching to the ground, alongside the old building. The seventh additional story rests on the girders.

The largest girders are sixty-three feet long, eight feet deep, and weigh forty tons each. They are at an elevation of 250 feet above Fifteenth street. The eight girders, having a total weight of 300 tons were conveyed to the foot of East Fifteenth street on one lighter. They were carried singly from there to the job on trucks of special construction each drawn by thirty-four horses. The truck wheels were of steel and had eighteen-inch treads. The girder were unloaded from the trucks and placed upon the street by means of a large steel stiff-leg derrick with a seventy-foot boom, installed on the nineteenth floor of the new building. The girders were lifted one at a time, by this same derrick and placed in their respective positions. The actual hoisting and placing of the girders required twelve hours, distributed over Aug. 1 to 3; the last girder, weighing forty tons, being lifted and placed in twelve minutes.

The uplift at the outer ends of the derrick sills was taken by steel beams and one and one-fourth-inch steel cables, the latter carried down five stories and there attached to the columns at their intersection with the floor girders. In addition, nine adjacent panels of the building structure were diagonally braced in both directions with steel cables, to resist all tendency toward racking the building horizontally. No vibration was detected when the girders were set in place.

To Develop Zinc Mines

After listening to statements by members of the Board of Trade and mining men of the district, in which the necessity for the continuation by the Dominion Government of experiments in the treatment of complex zinc ores and for the appointment of a royal commission to make a thorough investigation into the requirements of the mining industry was urged, Hon. Louis Coderre, Secretary of State and Minister of Mines, has despatched Dr. Eugene Haanel, director of the Federal Department of Mines, instructions to authorize E. Didolph to proceed at once with the work at the zinc plant in Fairview. Expenses of the work will be covered by $30.000, which remains of the grant of $50.000 originally made for the purpose of experiments in methods of treating zinc ores.

Warts are unsigh ly blemishes, and corns are painful growths. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove them.

Explained at Last

O'Keefe—'Tis sthrange how slow an arthic explorer thravels whin he's goin' towards the pole and how fasht he covers the ground comin' frum it.

O'Shea—Naw'hin sthrange about it, bedad! Shure, don' th' law iv gravitation tache us that it's harder to go up thin to come down?

Possible Mourner

And there was not a soul to mourn his death.
Oh, well, there may be some time.
How can there be?
His widow may marry again.

Harry was a cowboy bold
Who went out on a bat.
He whirled his lasso once or twice
And where was lariat?

The boss isn't round loudly proclaiming who he is.

BUILT RIGHT

Stomach, Nerves and Thinker Restored by Grape-Nuts Food

The number of persons whose ailments were such that no other food could be retained at all, is large and reports are on the increase.

"For 12 years I suffered from dyspepsia, finding no food that did not distress me," writes a Wis. lady. "I was reduced from 145 to 90 lbs., gradually growing weaker until I could lea my bed only a short while at a time, and became unable to speak aloud.

"Three years ago I was attracted by an article on Grape-Nuts and decided to try it.

"My stomach was so weak I could not take cream, but used Grape-Nuts with mill. and lime water. It helped me from the first, building up my system in a manner most astonishing to the friends who had thought my recovery impossible.

"Soon I was able to take Grape-Nuts and cream for breakfast and lunch at night, with an egg and Grape-Nuts for dinner.

"I am now able to eat fruit, meat and nearly all vegetables for dinner, but fondly continue Grape-Nuts for breakfast and supper.

"At the time of beginning Grape-Nuts I could scarcely speak a sentence without changing words around or 'talkin' crooked' in some way but I have become so strengthened that I no longer have that trouble." Name given by Can. Ian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

Postum [illegible] explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

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

Making His Point

The correspondence was brief but to the point. The letter she received was as follows:

Dear Madam—We take pleasure in shipping to your address thi fine Persian rug, for which we shall be glad to receive your check. If you do not desire the rug, please return it. Very truly yours, etc.

I never heard of such impertinence! cried the lady. The idea! And she replied as follows:

Dear Sirs—I have ordered no rug from your store, and I see no reason why I should go to the expense of returning a thing I don't want and which was sent to me unsolicited. Respectfully yours, etc.,

In due time she received this communication:

Dear Madam—I am sending for that unsolicited rug. Will you return the favor and send for the unsolicited charity entertainment tickets? Twenty-four lie on my desk.

ZAM-BUK

MRS. A. SAICH, of Cannington Manor, Sask., Writes:—"My brother suffered severely from eczema. The sores were very extensive, and burned like coals into his flesh. Zam-Buk took out all the fire, and quickly gave him ease. Within three weeks of commencing with Zam-Buk treatment, every sore had been cured."

This is but one of the many letters we are constantly receiving from people who have proved the healing powers of Zam-Buk. For eczema, piles, sores, burns, cuts and all skin troubles there is nothing like this wonderful balm. No skin disease should be considered incurable until Zam-Buk has been tried.

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ECZEMA

COOKING A HEDGEHOG

Bake it in Clay into a Solid Mass and Carve it With an Axe

When a Maine Indian has the choice of a hedgehog, a skunk, a woodchuck and a muskrat for dinner he will select the first named invariably and take the skunk as second choice, leaving the woodchuck, which is the only one of the lot a Maine white man will taste, to the last. Unlike the skunk and the woodchuck, which are lean [illegible] for a few months in the fall, or the muskrat, which is never fat and which has a strong flavor in spite of parboiling, the hedgehog is always in edible condition and has meat that is as tender and white as that of a spring chicken.

The method of cooking a hedgehog is so simple that a novice can learn in one short lesson. When the epicure is permitted to make a choice he should shun the large old males, which at times weigh thirty or forty pounds. The preparation consists in removing the viscera, washing out the interior and filling the cavity with slices of fat pork, peeled raw potatoes, sprigs of spearmint and wild celery from the brook.

Then, without removing the quills or skinning, the body is plastered thickly with wet clay from the nearest bank. The muddy, bulky mass is thrust into live coals and covered with blazing fagots to be roasted for two hours.

On removal from the coals, the clay is found to have been baked into a hard solid mass, which must be broken open with an ax or a heavy stone, whereupon the skin and quills of the animal cling to the clay wrapping and fall away, leaving the clean white meat ready to be eaten.

A Statesman

At a meeting of a woman suffrage organization in Kansas City, Kan., it was suggested that the members talk to their servants and other women workers with a view to forming an estimate as to the strength of suffrage sentiment in that particular locality. One member, who has employed the same washerwoman for the last six years, reported that she put the question to this worthy lady.

Are you in favor of votes for women? the suffrage woman asked.

I don't pay attention to politics, the washerwoman replied. I leave all that to my husband.

Well, how does your husband stand on woman suffrage?

He don't stand at all. He believes in women staying at home and minding their own business.

How many families do you wash for?

Six.

And what does your husband do, Mary?

He ain't doing anything right now—unless he found something this morning.

Men Are so Uncertain

Why did you jilt that man who wanted to marry you?

Because, replied the prima donna, I couldn't decide whether he was in love with me or merely wanted to hear me sing for nothing.

Force of Habit

He was an old merchant who had built up a big business by advertising.

John, said his wife, what do you want on your tombstone?

Oh, I've answered, it isn't very important what the text is so long as it gets good space and is well displayed.

Testing Butter Moisture

A number of inspectors employed by the dairy and cold storage branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, are now on a tour of the country taking samples of butter in order to ascertain if the provisions of the Dairy Act are being complied with as regards moisture content. Nearly one hundred samples have been taken in eastern Ontario already, and only three were improper.

A Fine Voice

Smith—Your wife has a fine voice.

Jones—Yes, one of the best in the world; otherwise it would have been worn out several years ago.

Tragic

What is more tragic than to forget on 'the morning after' that convincing excuse you gave the night before?

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An Old New York Grave

The oldest grave in Trinity churchyard, New York city, so far as can be determined, is that of Richard Churcher. The stone on the grave indicates that the boy died at the age of five and a half years, April 5, 1681.

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Jill—Well the poor tramps have got to sleep some place, you know.

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Not so Bad

Poor man, she said, stooping over the victim who had just been dragged out from under her automobile. Have you a wife?

No, he groaned. This is the worst thing that ever happened to me.

The Fixed Charge

How do you go about ordering a dinner? inquired the man from a rural district.

Well, I see how much money I have, take out the waiter's tip and then spend the change on myself.

Follows Instructions

The father of a small family tells us this one:

My wife instructed our little boy when he was invited out to lunch the other day that when he asked to have a second helping of cake he should refuse. You must say: No, I thank you, I have had enough, said she. And don't you forget it.

He didn't. When asked if he'd have some more cake he said: No, I thank you, I've had enough, and don't you forget it.

GOOD BLOOD THE SECRET OF HEALTH

To be Healthy You Must Keep the Blood Rich, Red and Pure

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are useful in any disease caused by thin or impure blood, and the list of such diseases is astonishingly large. Anaemia literally means a condition in which the blood is thin and watery. Chlorosis is a form of anaemia most common to growing girls. In rheumatism the blood becomes thin more rapidly than in any other disease. After an attack of la grippe or acute fevers the blood is always thin and impure, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the tonic to use during convalescence. When the blood is poor and thin the stomach suffers. The food ferments, gas and certain acids form and the trouble is pronounced indigestion or dyspepsia. The nerves receive from the blood all of their nourishment to keep up their energy and repair waste or damage. Some forms of paralysis are caused by thin blood. The progress of locomotor ataxia is stopped in many cases when the blood is made pure, rich and red. This is only partial list of the troubles having their origin in impure, watery blood, and all can be cured by supplying the blood with its missing constituents.

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A Stage Episode

A breeze blew down the valley,
They set it up again
Stage scenes, you know,
Are apt to grow
Topheavy now and then.

Only 1 per cent. of the cablegrams sent overseas are concerned with family or private matters. The rest are commercial, journalistic or official.

If the harem skirts are to contribute to the emancipation of woman much will depend whether they have pockets or not.

Mistress (to newly arrived Norwegian girl)—Can you cook?
Girl—Naw.
Mistress—Can you do washing?
Girl—Naw.
Mistress—Can you wait on table?
Girl—Naw.
Mistress—Well, what can you do?
Girl—Ah can milk reindeers.

An Even Break

The roads today are overrun by automobiles.

Well, the roads haven't got anything on the pedestrians.

No man is Stronger Than his Stomach

The Medical Adviser by R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N.Y. answers hosts of delicate questions about which every man or woman, single or married ought to know. Send 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing. Address as above.

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Wrecked by Locusts

A Spanish aviator nearly lost his life by colliding with a swarm of locusts. He was flying at a height of sixty feet when he ran into the swarm which so blinded him that he lost control of the machine and fell to the ground. It was regarded as remarkable that he escaped without injuries.

Bread in Germany

The Germans comparatively do not eat much bread. On many tables of well to do persons it is never eaten at the principal meal of the day.

Fish in the Sea of Galilee

Bible students may be interested to know that there is still good fishing in the sea of Galilee. Dr. Ernest W. Gurney Masterman, who has practiced medicine in Galilee, made a special study of fishes found there and in a recent book says that he found forty-three varieties, twice as many as can be found in the British Isles. The fishermen are taxed a fifth of the value of the fish caught, the revenue going partly to the sultan and partly to a pasha in Damascus.

Minard's Liniments Cures Burns, Etc.

Deserves no Credit

When a man can do a thing that you can't observed the philosophical boarder, you generally explain it on the theory that it's nothing for him to be proud of—he's merely gifted in that direction. Can I have another cup of coffee, Mrs. Irons?

What They Do With Wood in Germany

In Germany, says the Scientific American, wood is too expensive to be burned, and it is made into artificial silk worth $2 a pound and bristles worth $4 a pound, into paper, yarn, twine, carpet, canvas and cloth. From sawdust parquetry flooring is made. The materials for this may be bought by the pound and then mixed so that the householder can lay his own hardwood floors according to his individual taste and ingenuity.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

Why George Exploded

I never knew that George had such a frightful temper.

How did you discover that he has one?

He took me to a baseball game, and when I asked him why they didn't make the bats square and the diamond round the language he used was terrible.

A Bourget Tale

The following story is told by the Matin, says the Observer.—A lunatic was being questioned by a doctor.

Tell me, my friend, asked the medical man, did they treat you well in the State infirmary?

Thanks, doctor, not badly. How did they treat you?

And what interested you chiefly down there?

Oh, certainly the frequent visits of an old chap who came and sat down in my cell, put on his eyeglass, and asked me the most idiotic questions. Ever thing I repli he wrote down in a little notebook Of course the poor fellow was mad.

The visito. was M. Paul Bourget.

Increase of Militia

The militia is becoming more popular in Canada. Figures compiled in the Department of Militia and Defence show that the establishment of the active militia to-day stands at approximately 73,900 officers and men, an increase of 8,000 in a year.

Fisherman—Here comes another dead fish Pat. The river's full of them. What's the meaning of it?

Pat—Shure, I cannot tell at all, at all, sorr, onless it's this terrible fut and mouth disease.

GENIUS OF A PAINTER

Da Vinci's Prayer and Triumph of Art While still a Pupil

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 L. Vinci finish for him a picture which he had begun. The young man had such reverence for his master's skill t at 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 pr yer: 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.

DOCTORS CONDEMN OILY LINIMENTS

Public are Warned Against Strong Smelling, Oily Liniments Containing Harmful Acids and Amonia

Many people have clung to the old-fashioned idea that a thick, greasy liniment is the best kind. Doctors say not—and they know.

Recently a number of these white, oily liniments were analyzed and they were found to contain an enormously high percentage of harmful acids, and such irritating chemicals as amonia, etc. For the moment they may cause a warm sensation when first applied, but their continued use never cures rheumatism, and only deteriorates the skin, sets up inflammation, and causes endless trouble.

When the doctor warns you to quit using a white, oily liniment—do so. He knows that a thick liniment can't penetrate, can't sink through the pores and reach the seat of the pain.

When asked his opinion a few days ago, an important physician stated that he considered a strong, penetrating pain-subduing liniment, such as "Nerviline," to be superior to any of the white ammonia liniment. In his twenty-five years of practice he had witnessed cases of rheumatism, sciatica, and lumbago that simply would not respond to ordinary treatment—but Nerviline cured them. The same physician also spoke of the great advantages of keeping a preparation like Nerviline in the house, because of cramps, diarrhoea, stomach disorders, earache, toothache, headache, and such minor ailments. Nerviline is a first-class cure. There is scarcely an ache or a pain, internal or external, that Nerviline won't cure. In thousands of homes no other pain-relieving medicine is used. Fifty years' continued success nd the endorsement of the profession are proof that Nerviline is the liniment for the home.

All is Well

Your letter came. Glad you bought a team of horses. Hilda is sick. She has diptheria, and she will die, I think. Clara died this eve. She had it too. We are quarantined. Five of Fisher's family have got it. My wife is sick. She hain't got it. If this thing gets worse we may have to get a doctor. Them trees are budding good. Everything O.K.

A Safe Prediction

Well, what is your opinion of the political outlook now?

My opinion of it is that there is going to be a lot of useless talk before anybody is elected and that the man who is chosen will not succeed in satisfying everybody who votes for him.

CRIED NIGHT AND DAY

Mrs. Adelare Ouillette, St. Bruno, Que., says: "My little boy cried night and day from stomach trouble and nothing seemed to help him till I got a box of Baby's Own Tablets. They soon made him well and happy again. I have also found them valuable at teething time." Thousands of other mothers have the same praise to offer not only for stomach trouble and teething troubles but for all the minor ills of little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Who Left the Auto

Among the articles left by forgetful passengers on the South Eastern & Chatham Railway are a motor car, forty bicycle, 3,000 umbrellas, four sewing-machines, carved stone idols, and theatrical scenery.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its actions, while fully effective, is mild.

Much of the original to be observed about us doesn't show many signs of originality.

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A FAMOUS WOMAN DETECTIVE

Mrs. Goodwin of the New York Police a Real Sherlock Holmes

In the Woman's Home Companion appears the following account of Mrs. Isabella Goodwin, the famous detective in New York city in connection with the police department:

Here is a real Sherlock Holmes who has been instrumental in the capture of hundreds of lawbreakers without smoking a single pipeful of tobacco. She is Mrs. Isabella Goodwin, police matron, recently promoted to detective of the first grade on the New York city force with a salary of $2,250 a year in recognition of her services in procuring the capture of the taxicab bandits, whose reckless exploits had startled the city. Mrs. Goodwin is a widow, forty-seven years old, the mother of three children, and her home life is as peacefully busy as that of any village housekeeper. Since the death of her husband, a roundsman on the police force, fifteen years ago, until her recent promotion Mrs. Goodwin served as a police matron incidentally exercising her gifts as a detective in quietly gathering evidence against hundreds of dangerous frauds and quacks.

Her elder son is a detective of the first grade, her sister is a department store detective, and her daughter also has already manifested ability in detective work. When the taxicab bandits after robbing two bank messengers of $25,000, had seemingly baffled the police Mrs. Goodwin was enlisted in the case. By impersonating the sister of the landlady of a boarding house frequented by friends of the robbers she was enabled gradually to pick up information that was invaluable to the authorities in running down the criminals. It was this case that won her promotion and official standing as a detective, by through her fifteen years of service she had already done an enormous amount of even more valuable though less sensational work in obtaining evidence against over 500 dangerous swindlers—astrologers, palmists, fortune tellers and crystal gazers, psychics, trance mediums, Hindu magicians, quack doctors and surgeons and others that in the large cities prey upon foolish people, almost unmolested because of the difficulty of proving that they actually violate the law.

Patriotism is Remembered

It was the breaking of a teapot in the American invasion of one hundred years ago that gave Ellerbeck avenue, Toronto, its name.

John Playter, grandfather of John L. and Albert Playter of North Riverdale, lived at the time of the American occupation of York, on the east bank of the River Don. After the evacuation of York by the British troops the American commander learned that John Playter had the custody of some valuable documents and a large quantity of silver money. Playter buried the treasure left in his charge.

An officer and some men were detailed by the commander to go to the Playter home and take charge of these valuables. They found Mrs. Playter engaged in preparing the supper. The men demanded to know the hiding-place of the treasures. Mrs. Playter remained silent and persistently refused to divulge the spot where they were buried.

In a moment of rage the officer whipped out his sword and flourished it, knocking over a tea-pot.

He left when he saw that the woman was unmoved

When a street was cut close to the cottage a couple of years ago the little incident of the tea-pot was remembered and the road was named Ellerbeck, after the maiden name of the woman whose firmness had defeated a detail of soldiers one hundred years before.

Delicacy Did the Trick

Albert J. Beveridge, America's best dressed politician, said in Chicago of a corrupt boss:

He's very virtuous—oh, very virtuous.

A millionaire once went to him and said:

I want to get in the senate. Will you sell me your support?

No, sir! the boss answered, striking himself upon the chest. No, sir! I am a freeborn American citizen, and I will sell my support to no one.

But, said the millionaire blandly as he drew out his check book and fountain pen—but if you won't sell me your support, perhaps you will rent it to me for the term of this campaign?

Now you are talking, said the boss, in a mollified tone.

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Southern Hospitality

I had been driving all day in a remote part of southern Georgia and at nightfall stopped at a cabin occupied by one man. He was very rdial and asked me to spend the night with him. When we sat down to supper I was somewhat disturbed to observe that the meal consisted of a single large dish of potatoes. Without apology the man, with a wave of his hand toward the dish, said in a loud, hearty voice:

Stranger, take one.

He paused a moment and continued in a still louder tone:

Stranger, take two!

Another pause, and then even louder and more earnestly:

Stranger, take mighty near all of them.

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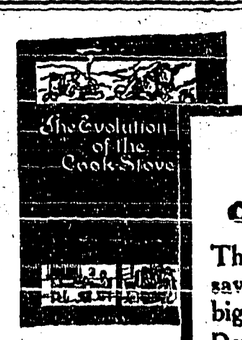

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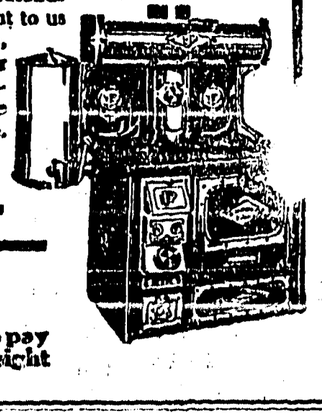

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His Design

Why did you insist on having your wife join the Suffragette club?

Because, replied Mr. Meekton grimly, I want to see that Suffragette club get all the trouble that's coming to it.

No Such Luck

Book Agent — Don't go into that house! There is scarlet fever there.

His Coworker—I couldn't catch it if I wanted to. I carry health insurance.

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The late Jay Gould would have laughed to scorn any one who predicted that in the next generation his family name would disappear from the transportation interests of the country. And yet this is just what has come to pass.

In succession the Goulds have lost control of the Western Union Telegraph Company, the Missouri Pacific Railway and the Manhattan Railway, the latter two systems having become Rockfeller properties. After twenty years in the presidency of the Manhattan Railway Geo. J. Gould is now forced out of that place and his brothers and other heirs of the estate go out of the directorate with him. The eldest son of Jay Gould is still a very rich man, but he has become a mere moneylender and the once potent name has been wiped off the railroad and telegraph map of the United States.—Province.

MR. BORDEN

Mr. Borden has gone away for a holiday and a rest before undertaking the very arduous duty of leading the Government and the House if Commons during the forthcoming session. Forthwith there comes the usual crop of suggestions as to his reason for going. The Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto Globe said a week ago that the Prime Minister was troubled with insomania and a nervous breakdown, but so far as we have observed the Ottawa papeas have not said anything about this, and the story may only be an illustration of the rather tactless way in which the personel side of politics is often treated in this country.

We think it would be in in bettea taste for the Liberal press to reserve speculations based upon the supposed state of Mr. Borden's health until he has returned from his holiday, from wrich were sure all Canadians, without distinction of party, will hope he will receive great benefit.

While speaking on this on this subject we would like to add that the practice in Canada is to make the responsibility of political and executive leadership, whether in the Federal or the provincial capitals, as onerous and irksome as possible.

Almost anything unkind is said by their opponents about public men while they they are living; all the good things are reserved until after they are dead. A little of the milk of human kindness would not be astray in politics.—Colonist.

The Putumayo Indians.

The Indians of the Putumayo district of Peru, whose brutal abuse by the rubber companies has aroused the world, are described in a recent issue of "Folk-Lore," by Capt. T. W. Whiffen, who apparently lived among them before they were subjected to the white man's kindly attention. According to Capt. Whiffen, they are a pretty hard lot themselves. For example, they kill the second twin at birth, and the mother always drowns a sickly or deformed child. They kill their prisoners and eat them. In fact, they were still in the stone age when Capt. Whiffen studied them, and, contrary to the opinion of Dr. Martin, had never been any higher in the evolutionary scale. Their only social function was a kind of dance, to which the participants and audience were summoned by the beating of drums so loud that it could be heard for a distance of eight or ten miles. One of the curious customs described by the captain was their method of using tobacco. The leaf was made into a "treacly decoction," and this was "licked ceremonially" by friends in the tribal palaver, and also as a sort of binder—like an oath—in making a contract.

Novel Auto Cab In London.

When the automobile taxicab appeared and gradually swept the old hansom from the streets of London, many were the lamentations of old clubmen at the disappearance of their beloved "London gondola," which had served them so well ever since they could remember. The bodies of the old Londoners, who mourned the passing of the hansom, would turn in their graves if they could see the "novel autocab" which is now appearing on the streets of London. It is a weird-looking thing, like an old-fashioned Sedan chair, hitched on to the side of a bicycle, and is the latest invention. It runs on three wheels and is driven from the saddle of the attached cycle. Hooded like a taxicab, it can seat three persons, two on the back seat, and one on a pivot seat. As it consumes little petrol, the fare will be only half that of the taxicab.

Preaching In Kilts.

Rev. L. Branford, of Islay, Scotland, is a cleric who habitually wears the kilt. In doing so he merely revives a custom which was once universal among the Highland clergy.

Up to about a hundred years ago the Highland priests not only wore the kilt on all occasions, but they had their own tartan, the main color of which was dark blue. Further, the Highland cleric of the old days usually went about armed to the teeth. When on the Sabbath he would be preceded on his way to church by his servant bearing his broadsword and pistols. When the minister ascended the pulpit he took his weapons with him, placing them in a conspicuous position on the pulpit ledge.

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A contributor to Farm and Fireside writes:

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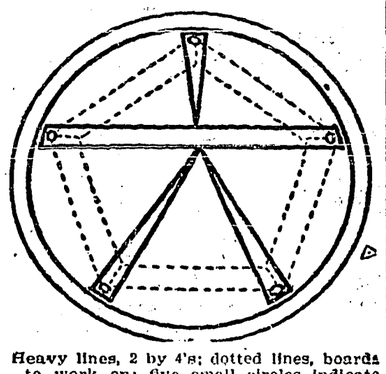
"One can easily figure from these deductions what a reckless loss to the farm is a fire in the chaff pile or stalk field. The cutaway and disk harrows will chop these bulky materials up ready for the plow where they can be turned under. If you want to fatten the old farm, stuff it with organic matter."

FOR A SILO SCAFFOLD.

Directions For Making Necessary Part of Concrete or Tile Structure.

Should any one be thinking of building a concrete or tile silo the accompanying cut might help in building the scaffold. After the foundation wall is laid get five poles at least eight feet higher than you expect the silo to be. Set inside of the wall deep enough to hold poles in place. Lay



Heavy lines, 2 by 4's; dotted lines, boards to work on; five small circles indicate position of support poles.

SCAFFOLD INSIDE SILO.

[From National Stockman and Farmer.]

the silo as high as you can from the ground; then take 2 by 4's or 2 by 6's and build frame for scaffold as shown in cut.

Leave plenty of room for poles to work easily; then floor as shown by dotted lines in cut. Attach a pulley to each pole and raise when ready. Then spike a piece under scaffold on pole. One scaffold does it all. The scaffold should have just play enough to let it slide up easily. Sometimes if it is too loose a wedge to hold it firm while at work should be put in.

The idea of having the poles longer than the silo is high is to get pulleys high enough for last raise.—National Stockman and Farmer.

Chicks Need Cleanliness.

Drinking dishes and feeding troughs for chicks are likely to become dirty and insanitary unless special precautions are taken, according to Professor J. G. Halpin of the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin. Drinking water should never be placed in common dishes or vessels where the chicks may get in with both feet, but "sanitary" fountains, either homemade or purchased, should be used. These should be cleaned and scalded at frequent intervals. Wet mashes when fed in wooden troughs mold unless all refuse feed is scraped off and the troughs are placed on end so that they may dry in the sun. Neglect of these two simple matters may cause considerable loss.

Coverings For Silage.

The use of heavy tarpaulin to cover the surface of silage during summer feeding is being practiced quite successfully by some of the readers of the Kansas Farmer. The tarpaulin is very carefully spread over the whole surface of the silage, and the silage is removed from half the surface only at each feeding, alternating from one side of the silo to the other. In this way a thicker layer can be removed from the surface fed from daily. The tarpaulin cover retards the tendency to spoil on the surface left untouched.

IN THE SHEEPFOLD.

Unless you want your sheep to snuffle all winter keep them in out of the fall rains.

Be sure the sheep barn has a tight roof, a dry floor and good ventilation, with no drafts.

It is a mistake, and a serious one, not to provide an abundance of pure water for the flock during the winter. It is poor economy to let a flock quench its thirst by eating snow.

An abundance of roots fed with a little grain will bring a flock through the winter in the best of shape for profit.

Keep the sheep in out of every storm. The feet and the backs of the flock should always be dry.

SELECTING THE BOAR.

Beware of Mongrels and Culls With a Long Pedigree.

In selecting a boar to head the herd the first desire should be to secure a good individual for a reasonable price, not a low priced boar of a mongrel type, but a representative animal from one of the pure breeds from a prolific family of heavyweights and good feeders. Never use a mongrel because he has good form, writes H. A. Stone in the National Stockman. One never knows what such a sire will produce when mated with good sows. Often their litters are disappointing as to size and quality. A poor pig makes an expensive porker when matured. Look at your herd of sows critically as to size, length of body, length of leg, shoulders, hams, head and general conformation and see where you can improve by judicious mating with a boar which will correct many of these defects in their offspring.

Now may be found good specimens of all the different breeds at the fairs. It is not necessary to buy a show boar at a fancy price. Often the breeder has just as good in his herd at home which can be bought for less money. Don't buy a cull of any one because he has a pedigree and you can buy him cheap. But get a good one from a careful breeder who has taken pains to develop his herd. I do not advocate extreme high prices, although a breeder would win out quicker with a high

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priced boar than with a high priced stallion or bull, for the progeny are more numerous.

A boar that has been well fed and well cared for by a breeder who has developed him properly will not thrive and meet your expectations if turned into a lot with a herd of sows, and left to shift for himself on corn and oats. If you adopt such a radical change do not blame the breeder if the boar fails to do well. Inquire of the man from whom you buy how the pig has been fed and cared for and then comply with the methods he is used to and you should have good results. A boar properly developed should be ready for light service at nine months of age. He could be used once on alternate days without impairing his future usefulness and should be a reliable stock getter for ten years. If he gets too large for young sows use a breeding crate.

Pure Breds In the Dairy.

Some five years ago a young man started dairying with a good scrub dairy, but became dissatisfied and gradually stocked up with a few pure bred Holstein heifers. Today these two and three year old heifers are milking from fifty to sixty pounds per day and when fresh milked over sixty and seventy pounds per day with first and second calves. You could not make this young man believe that scrubs are just as good, for experience has taught him better. The only thing he is kicking about is that he didn't start with pure breds at first, and the reason he didn't was because he at first took advice of pessimists who had been and are still and probably always will be milking scrub cows.—O. L. Prindle in Ohio Farmer.

Selecting a Dairy Bull.

In selecting a bull to head the dairy herd it is not enough that the animal be a pure bred and registered bull, says George R. Samson, instructor in animal husbandry at the Oregon Agricultural college. He should be both of these, it is true, but in addition he should be from an advanced registry dam. If this is impossible because there are no advanced registry cows in the locality the bull should be the calf of a cow which is known to be a fairly heavy milker, a high tester and a persistent milker. His sire should be a register of merit animal, if possible.

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Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 19 h day of November, 1913, at the offices of the Provincial Constable at Creston, B.C. or the Department of Public Works, Victoria, B.C.

Intending tenderers can obtain one copy of plans and specifications for the sum of ten dollars ($10) by applying to the undersigned, which will be refunded on their return in good order.

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J. E GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.

Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C. Nov. 17th. 1913. no20

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Immigration Detention Hospital Building, Vancouver, B.C." will be received at this office until 4 00 P.M. on Monday, December, 29th. 1913, for the erection of the above named building.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department, at the office of W. Henderson, Esq. Resident Architect, Victoria, B.C. and on application to Mr A. J. Chisholm, caretaker, Public Building, Vancouver, B.C.

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Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

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The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

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Root Crops For Dairy Cow.

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ALL SORTS OF ANIMALS.

Great care should be used in watering the horses. A little and often is the best way.

Moldy or filthy grain is one of the worst things that can be given the calves, as it is productive of numerous digestive ailments.

The cows that are on pasture should have free access to salt. The dairy cow needs this all the year around, but especially just at this season.

You frequently hear the question asked, "What is the best size of flock for the average farm?" Generally speaking, from forty to sixty ewes make the best size of flock for a quarter section farm.

If you are not situated so that you can let your hogs out draw a load of earth and throw it into the pens now and then. The hogs will work it over and take a lot of comfort doing it. Makes them grow faster too.

Peel's Crossing Sweeper.

Sir Robert Peel used to live in one of the Whitehall Gardens houses about to be swept away for the new offices of the Board of Trade, and even when Premier continued to reside there among his beloved pictures, only transacting his official business in Downing street. So late as 1894—45 years after Peel's death—a charge used to figure in the British Estimates for an annuity to the man who swept the crossing in Whitehall traversed by Sir Robert on his way from Whitehall Gardens to No. 10 Downing street.

WHAT'S INSIDE AN APPLE?

Structure of Fruit Is More Complex Than Is Generally Supposed.

The inside of an apple is to most people merely a delicious whitish pulp and a few brown seeds in a more or less edible core wrapped up in a prettily colored skin. The real structure of the apple is by no means so simple. A scientific examination shows it to be far more complex. The accompanying photograph shows a cross section of a Baldwin apple. It has been treated first with alcohol and then with cedar oil to make the structure of the different parts show up better in the photograph.

The outer part, marked A, which is the part generally considered the fruit, the part that is eaten, is really corresponding to the outer wood of a tree or the stem of a plant, while the real fruit is the part marked D, known scientifically as the carpel, the dark triangular marks in the middle of the photograph.

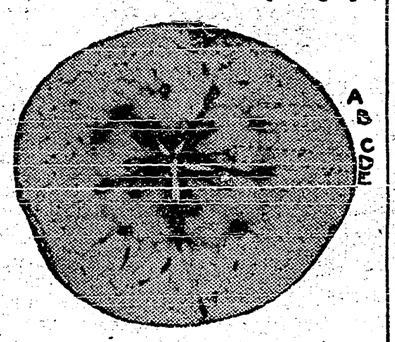

Photo by Oregon Agricultural college.

CROSS SECTION OF AN APPLE.

The dark spots, marked B, are the main arteries, of which there are ten, that carry the food through the network of veins seen in the outer section. This system of arteries and veins is entirely separate from that which feeds the fruit in the middle. The five sections marked C might be likened to five plums set down close together with a stem grown up around them (the fleshy part of the apple.) These the horticultural scientist now calls "drupes." The outer part, with the pretty skin, is furnished by wise Dame Nature to make the apple attractive so it will be carried about and the seeds distributed.

The picture is taken from a bulletin on "Gross Morphology of the Apple," by H. J. Kraus, the first of a series on "The Pollination of the Pomaceous Fruits" to be issued from the research laboratories of the Oregon Agricultural college experiment station. Mr. Kraus treats the subject in a thoroughly scientific manner, going into careful detail as to the structure of the different parts of the apple and their relation with a view to establishing his contention that pollination, for instance, of a yellow apple with pollen from a red apple affects the inner fruit rather than the exterior.

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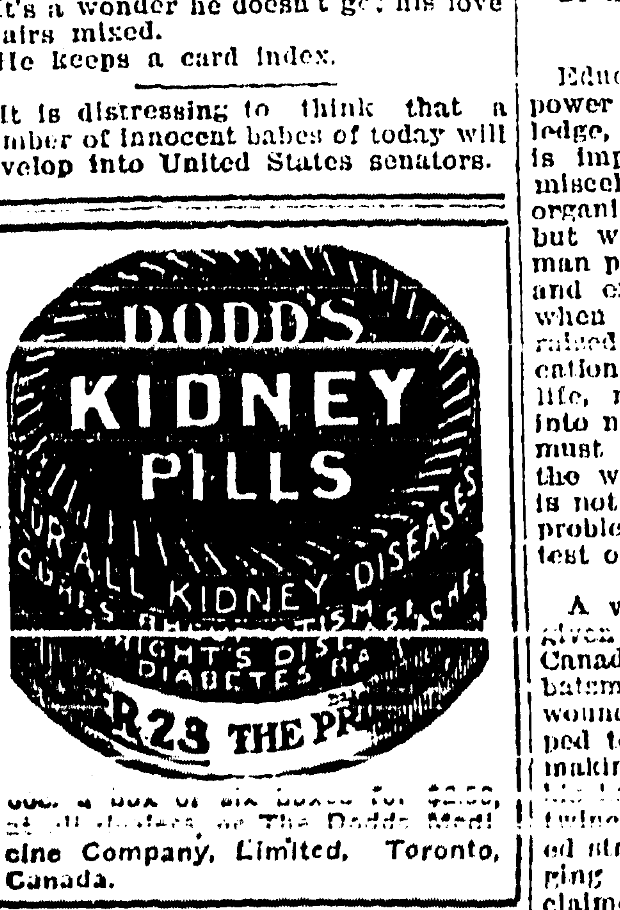
It is one of the rules of the postal union that all such cards must be in French as well as in the language of the country from which they are sent.

A Bridge of Ants

A species of ants which spin silk is common in hot countries. The ants nest in trees, binding the leaves together to make their nests. The silk used for this purpose is not secreted by the adult ants, but by the larvae. In order to attach the silken threads and draw the leaves together the ants must carry the larvae about from one leaf to another. When two distant leaves are to be drawn together a remarkable method is employed. Five or six ants form a chain bridging the gap between the leaves in its mandibles. A number of such chains will co-operate in bringing two leaves together.

Algy writes to seven girls.
It's a wonder he doesn't get his love affairs mixed.
He keeps a card index.

It is distressing to think that a number of innocent babes of today will develop into United States senators.



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AN HISTORIC SPOT

Old Room at C.P.R. Offices in Montreal to be Reconstructed

The old room at the Canadian Pacific offices in Montreal, in which Sir William Van Horne as, successively, manager and president, sat and pored over the map of Canada and drew his plans, and thought out great undertakings, is being knocked out of all rememberable shape of its former self to correspond with the great scheme of reconstruction.

In this room Sir William used to receive his visitors, varied as to importance and distinction.

The great ones of the earth have foregathered in the old room which has almost an historic significance. Men like Sir Henry Irving, Mathew Arnold, Lord Alverstone (a Sir Richard Webster), Lord Iveagh, Prince Arthur, His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and many others belonging to the old world aristocracies and Illuminati, have chatted in the old room where Sir William, getting down the maps before him, used to evolve his policies of extension and consolidation—when he had time to think of more general things than the paying of the wages—in the early days.

Some of the older officials, who remember the room so well, and the many times they have appeared before the president to discuss large things with him, as well as to enjoy the president's epigrams (when he had a moment to spare for them), feel a little sentimental regret that its glory has departed.

Gentle Reminder

It was midnight. The man had entered the house as quietly as possible. His shoes made some noise. He had just reached the door of the bedroom when he heard some one moving in the bed as if about to get up, and he paused. The sound of a woman's voice floated to his ears.

If you don't take your boots off when you come into this house, it said, there's going to be trouble, and a whole lot of it. Here it's been raining for three hours, and you dare to tramp over my carpets with your muddy boots on! Go downstairs and take them off this minute!

He went downstairs without a word, but he didn't take off his boots. Instead he went straight out into the night again, and the pal who was waiting for him saw a tear glisten in his eye.

I can't rob that house, he said. It reminds me of home.

Why the Burglar laughed

One of the most interesting collections of burglars' tools is that possessed by Canon Horsley, rector of St. Peter's, Walworth, England, who years ago was chaplain at Clerkenwell and Pentonville. A short time ago he took to a bazaar a big assortment of skeleton keys, jemmies, crowbars, and a photograph of Charles Peace, once a member of his congregation. The canon is an authority on burglaries, and tells a good story of a burglar who used to carry pieces of doctored liver for silencing dogs. One night he entered a house, saw a dog's staring eyes in the hall, and at once produced the liver. The animal did not move and on close inspection the burglar discovered that the dog was stuffed. Here is a joke! he thought and laughed so uproariously that the members of the household awoke and he was caught.

New York's Speedway

Drivers of fast horses in New York city have the costliest speedway in the world. It cost $3,000,000 and is reserved by the city for the special use of drivers of fast horses. It begins at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and extends north to Dyckman street, a distance of four and one-quarter miles.

County Fairs

I remember, I remember,
The fairs that used to be.
No aviators circled
Above each pole and tree
Nobody ever rubbered
Toward the orb of day
Save when some young balloonist
Let his toy one get away.

I remember, I remember,
The race track at the fair,
No racing devil wagons
Raised any dust cloud there.
No motor cycles, whizzing,
Led racers to their fate
Old Dobbin did his half mile
In just three forty-eight.

I remember, I remember
How simple were the shows—
No moving picture experts,
No dancers shy of clothes,
One clown, one bag of popcorn
One lemonade and there
You have the joys in toto
Of that dear county fair.

Education

Education is ultimately tested by its power to develop efficiency, knowledge, wisdom and enthusiasm. It is important to distinguish between miscellaneous information and well organised knowledge. Not how much but what kind of knowledge does a man possess is the vital point. Facts and experience are valuable only when they are properly related and raised into general principles. Education today must deal with actual life, must give the student insight into nature, man and society. Studies must be kept in fruitful relation to the world of experience. Knowledge is not power until it is put to solving problems. Solving these is the true test of efficiency

A very remarkable decision was given in a cricket match in Western Canada in the old cowboy days. The batsman's bat-handle had become unwound, and he had several times stopped to gather up the slack. But in making a big hit his bat flew out of [illegible] end of the twine round his fingers, the stretched string catching the balls and dragging them off. His wicket was exclaimed, but the umpire preferred the formula: Lassoed wicket, and gave him out at that amid great mirth.

A Forgotten Burns Poem

Dr. Samuel Johnson's letter to the Earl of Chesterfield, one of the classics of English literature, now has a companion piece in a recently discovered poem by Robert Burns, hitherto unpublished, says the New York World. The poem was found in the possession of Mrs. John Moffatt of St. Andrews, Scotland, and, as told in the preface by the poet, it was composed and presented to the nobleman addressed "upon being called up from the servants' hall, where he had been sent to dine along with them, to add to the entertainment of his company. The poet adds: On presenting which he put on his hat, turned on his heel and retired.

There are thirty-one lines in the poem, the closing part of which is as follows:

Among our lordship's hopeful guests
There must be here some sad mistake
I would not play for such a stake
Be a buffoon for drink and meat,
At a poor earl's tax paid seat!
No, die my heart, ere such a shame
Descends on Robert Burns' name!

AN OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

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A Suggestion

At the dinner table on board an ocean liner one man was much annoyed by the vulgar manner in which his next neighbor ate.

He tried to take no notice of the man, but after watching him pick a bone in an extremely primitive fashion he could not control his feelings any longer, and turning to the offender he said:

Don't you really think you would be more comfortable if you took that bone out on the mat?

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Even Britons Admit It

Captain (to umpire, who has received a severe blow)—Jove, it's a nasty smack! But cheer up; it's all part of the game.

Heroic Umpire—Yes, sir, and the cricket was getting a bit slow, wasn't it?

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff

Not His Job

A seedy-looking man applied to the late Mr. d'Oyley Carte, in the days of his management at the Savoy, for a job. Mr. Carte was just then trying some candidate for the chorus, and as the man was very persistent he turned to the pianist and asked him to play an accompaniment for him. With some hesitation the stranger raised his voice.

What do you mean by this tomfoolery? shouted Mr. d'Oyley Carte. You have the impudence to ask me for a job?

I ain't no singer, replied the man. I don't want to sing. I'm a stage carpenter and only sang to please you!

Pictures to Teach Farmers

The Department of Agriculture for Ontario is nothing if not wide awake. Thanks to its activities, the quality of agriculture in the province during the last decade has substantially improved, as official figures show. Learning that the moving picture machine was being utilized elsewhere for agricultural demonstration work, the officials of the Department have been studying the possibilities of the cinematograph for the extension of their own work. It is believed that moving pictures would be particularly [illegible] of the lectures which for some time have been an attractive feature of the farmers' institutes.

A woman with a charge account often forgets that the first of the month has a way of coming round.

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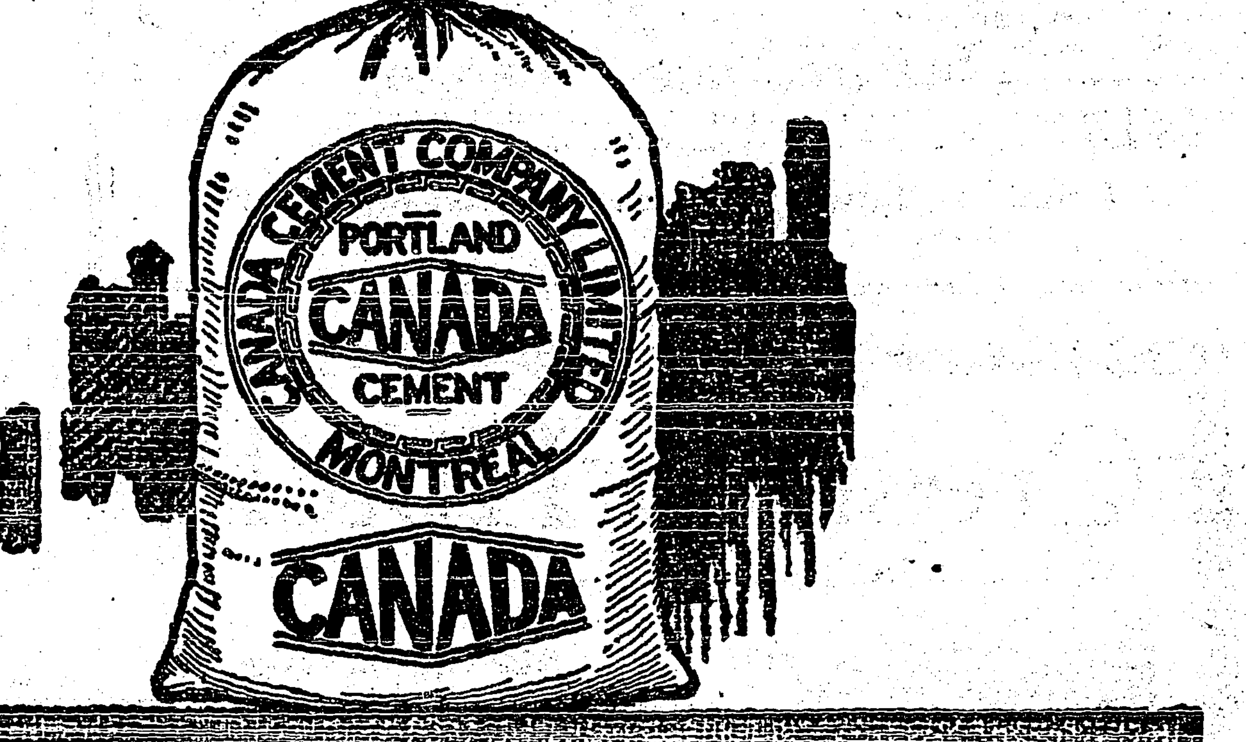

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A Legend of Lace

According to Melchior de Vogue, the legend of lace is as follows: A Venetian sailor gave his ladylove a frond of spreading seaweed to keep him in memory while at sea. But the girl found that the seaweed was rapidly drying up and disappearing. So she caught the fine branches and leaves of the plant with thread against a piece of linen and, working on, with her thoughts following her lover, invented lace.

Animal Ages

A horse lives twenty seven years but both lion and camel attain the age of forty.

Nell—Don't you think Miss Antique keeps her age remarkably well? Belle—Sure. She never gives it away.

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A Household [illegible]dy

Any Man

A well-known university professor, says The Youth's Companion (Boston) who has been taking much interest in the woman's suffrage movement, was persuaded to carry a banner in a parade that was held in New York some months ago. His wife observed him marching with a dejected air and carrying his banner so that it hung limply on its standad, and later she reproved him for not making a better appearance.

Why didn't you march like somebody, and let people see your banner? she said.

My dear, meekly replied the professor, did you see what was on the banner? It read: Any man can vote, why can't I?

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Extraordinary Kindness

Mrs. Blinks is an awfully kind hearted woman. There is hardly another like her in this town.

What charities is she most interested in?

I don't think she is interested in any charity, but she had a dressmaker in her house the other day, and when I asked her to give me the woman's address she did it without trying for a moment to convince me that it would be useless to try to engage her.

A Severe Blow

Is the editor-in-chief in? asked the visitor as he strolled into the magazine office at eight o'clock in the morning.

No, sir, answered the charwoman, politely. He doesn't get here so early. Is there anything I can do for you?

Perhaps you can. I suppose you are not connected with the poetical department of the magazine?

Ah, yes sir, was the quick reply.

You are? And what do you do?

I empty the wastepaper baskets, sir.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

A Soft Answer

There isn't one man in a million who would be so mean to his wife and children as you are, remarked the wife bitterly.

Now, that's what I admire in you dear, ventured the husband slowly, you have such a head for figures.

His Task

Dorothea—What were you doing after the accident?

Herbert—Scraping up an acquaintance.

Never mind, old man. It'll all come out right in the long run.

In the long run, yes, but I'm only trained for a sprint.

It is comforting to observe that the crazy people always take a view contrary to our own.

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Translantic Record

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BATTLE WITH A MANEATER.

The Wounded and Maddened Monster, In a Paroxysm of Dying Rage, Caught the Explorer In His Jaws and Shook Him as a Terrier Would a Rat.

David Livingstone, the famous African explorer and missionary, once had a singular encounter with a wounded lion that almost put an end to the explorer's remarkable career before it had fairly begun. But the story must be unfamiliar to many persons who have never read Dr. Livingstone's books. The adventure occurred while he was living among the Bakatlas, not far from the present town of Mafeking. This account is from his own narrative:

The people of Mabotsa were troubled by lions, which leaped into the cattle pens by night and destroyed their milk and draft animals. They even attacked the herds boldly by daylight, and although several expeditions against the wild beasts were planned the people had not the courage to carry them through successfully.

It is well known that if one in a troop of lions is killed the others leave that part of the country. I therefore went out with the people to help them destroy one of the marauders. We found the animals on a small hill covered with trees. The men formed round it in a circle and gradually closed up. Being below on the plain with a native schoolmaster named Mabalwe, I saw one of the lions sitting on a piece of rock. Mabalwe fired at him, and the ball hit the rock. The lion bit at the spot as a dog does at a stick or stone thrown at him, and then, leaping away, broke through the circle and escaped. The Bakatlas ought to have speared him in his attempt to get out, but they were afraid.

When the circle was reformed we saw two other lions in it, but dared not fire lest we should shoot some of the people. The beasts burst through the line, and as it was evident the men could not face their foes we turned back toward the village.

In going round the end of the hill I saw a lion sitting on a piece of rock, about thirty yards off, with a little bush in front of him. I took good aim at him through the bush and fired both barrels.

The men called out, "He is shot, he is shot!" Others cried, "Let us go to him!"

I saw the lion's tail erect in anger and said, "Stop a little till I load again!" I was in the act of ramming down the bullets when I heard a shout, and, looking half round, I saw the lion in the act of springing at me.

He caught me by the shoulder, and we both came to the ground together. Growling horribly, he shook me as a terrier dog does a rat. The shock produced a stupor like that felt by a mouse in the grip of the cat. It caused a sort of dreaminess, in which there was no sense of pain or feeling of terror, although I was quite conscious of what was happening. This placidity is probably produced in all animals killed by the carnivora, and, if so, it is a merciful provision of the Creator for lessening the pain of death.

As he had one paw on the back of my head, I turned round to relieve myself of the weight and saw his eyes directed to Mabalwe, who was aiming at him from a distance of ten or fifteen yards. The gun missed fire in both barrels. The animal immediately left me to attack him and bit his thigh. Another man, whose life I had saved after he had been tossed by a buffalo, tried to spear the lion, upon which he turned from Mabalwe, and seized this fresh foe by the shoulder.

At that moment the bullets the beast had received took effect, and he fell down dead. The whole was the work of a few moments and must have been his paroxysm of dying rage. In order to take out the charm from him the Bakatlas on the following day made a huge bonfire over the carcass, which was declared to be the largest ever seen.

Besides crunching the bone into splinters, eleven of his teeth had penetrated the upper part of my arm. The bite of a lion resembles a gunshot wound. It is generally followed by a great deal of sloughing and discharge, and ever afterward pains are felt periodically in the part. I had on a tartan jacket, which I believe wiped off the virus from the teeth that pierced the flesh, for my two companions in the affray have both suffered from the usual pains, while I have escaped with only the inconvenience of a false joint in my limb.

Old China.

The beauty of old china is often destroyed by brown spots which appear on the surface. An effective way to remove these is to bury the dish in the earth, covering it completely. The darker spots require more time to remove them than the lighter ones. This method will not harm the most delicate china.—New York Telegram.

Universal.

"There is one thought which comes daily to every man."

"What's that?"

"That nothing is too good for him."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Either I will find a way or I will make one.—Sir Philip Sidney.

THE LOVELIGHT IN HIS EYES.

He Thought That Was What Made All the People Stare.

"You have read in novels how a great emotion will transform a man's countenance, how a poet's face in the hour of inspiration sets the sparrows singing on the housetops. My own features are of the commonplace type—nobody thinks of regarding them twice—yet I, too, have had my experiences, declares a contributor to Punch.

"They occurred on the morning when I received a letter from Phyllis, which said briefly, 'Yes, I think so.' Not much in that, you may say, but when I tell you it was the delayed answer to a proposal of marriage you will understand. Shortly after reading it I stepped out into the street to walk to the office.

"What a walk that was! The light in my eyes seemed to brighten the very sun; the song in my heart was echoed from a hundred motorbuses. Never have the winds of May wooed so winningly a February morning.

"Every man I met turned his head as if loath to take his eyes from my irradiated countenance. Every girl seemed to take the keenest pleasure in my happiness and smiled at me prettily as if infected by its contagion. 'Tis well,' I thought (in blank verse), 'that Phyllis now is pledged to me or, by my troth, these flattering glances shot from beauty's eyes might make my heart unfaithful.'

"It was only when I reached the office and looked in the glass that I discovered the large black smudge on the end of my nose."

COURAGE OF NAPOLEON.

The Way It Carried Him From Aspern-Essling to Wagram.

Professor J. Holland Rose in "The Personality of Napoleon" writes of Napoleon's courage. He says that his personality "never stood forth so grandly as after a defeat." The most serious blow in the middle part of his career was that dealt him by the Archduke Charles at Aspern-Essling, northeast of Vienna. The Austrians were nearly double him in strength. The bridges over the Danube had been broken down in his rear. His great marshal, Lannes, had been killed, and, in fact, he had suffered a terrible reverse. All his generals were for retreat, but he withstood them, and Professor Rose ranks the next six weeks "among the most glorious of his military career." He secured new troops, deceived his enemy by false movements and finally defeated him at Wagram.

But a decline came to such a prodigious man. He himself said at St. Helena that he had been spoiled by success. It was natural that the victor in fifty pitched battles and innumerable smaller engagements should come to believe himself omniscient and invincible. It was this hardening of the mind that betrayed him into the Russian campaign, that caused him to refuse all compromise in 1813 and 1814 and that led him to defeat by his inferiors, Wellington and Blucher, at Waterloo, just as Hannibal was finally beaten by his inferior, Scipio, at Zama.

Putting Trees to Bed.

An interesting method of protecting peach trees from frost during the winter has been practiced for several years at the agricultural experiment station at Canyon, Colo. Early in November the earth is removed from a circle about four feet in diameter round each tree, and water is turned in to saturate the soil. When the ground has become soft the tree is worked back and forth to loosen the roots and is then pushed over on its side. The branches are brought together and fastened with a cord, and burlap covered with earth is put over them.

Thus the trees lie snug until spring, when the covering is gradually loosened and finally removed, and they are raised and propped up.—Rocky Mountain News.

But She Hadn't.

"What's the matter, old chap? You look as if you hadn't had a wink of sleep all night."

"I haven't. You see, my wife threatened never to speak to me again if I didn't come home last night before 10 o'clock, and I didn't."

"I see. You're finding out the lonesomeness of solitude because she kept her word, eh?"

"Not by a jugful. I wish she had."—Exchange.

Shut Her Off.

First Deaf Mute (making signs)—Did your wife complain because you stayed out till after midnight? Second Deaf Mute (chuckling)—Did she? You should have seen her! But when it began to get monotonous I just turned out the light.

Fox Hunting.

In communities where fox hunting is considered a sport catching one is the cardinal offense. The rule in fox hunting is that you may chase the quarry, but you must not overtake it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Mother's Tongue.

"Don't you realize the power of the mother tongue?" asked the young man who professed interest in literature.

"Yes, and so does father," replied the young woman.—Buffalo Express.

Mostly All Talk.

"I don't feel quite well, doctor. Do you think I could go to a coffee party this afternoon?"

"Certainly, miss. Your tongue is all right."—Fliegende Blatter.

YOUR MILLINERY.

In the Fall Hats Women Will Look Older.

In the majority of fall models women will look older. This is because the bonnet, mushroom and bell shapes have given way to the hat with an upturned brim, and to be strictly in style the brim must turn at the back.

If you are young and fair to look on, by all means wear a chin band on your new fall hat. This can be of velvet ribbon, taffeta or moire or of tulle and

JAUNTY BLACK VELVET SAILOR HAT.

malines. It can have a fastening by means of a hook and eye, or the streamers can be tied at one side, coquettishly, under one ear or just in front. The chin band will be noticeable on hats for afternoon and evening this season.

One "cap" is of velvet, with a puffed crown and a visor which comes down in front. At one side is a panache mounting to great height and giving a dashing effect that would look well with a military suit. On a black velvet hat for evening there is used chantilly lace for the brim and for the wired bow at the back that holds the turned up brim. The illustration shows an exceedingly stylish piece of millinery—a jaunty sailor of black velvet, with fancy quills. The upstanding medici ruche worn with this chapeau will add ultra chicness to any costume.

TRAVELER'S LUNCH.

Home Fare Often Better Than Dining Car Meals.

To pack lunch for a traveler requires much more finesse and care than if you were preparing for a day's picnic. Traveling is apt to be tiresome, for long hours of riding, even in a comfortable twentieth century train, have many drawbacks, and if a lunch is to be enjoyed on the road the same must be the acme of daintiness. Many travelers prefer to carry several meals instead of patronizing the dining car service when going on a long journey, and if each meal is packed separately and offers enough variety there is no reason why the last should not be as enjoyable as the first. Have white, clean pasteboard boxes, wrap each in a white paper and mark neatly. Use the best grade of white paper napkins, dishes and waxed paper. A small fruit knife or butter spreader, aluminium fork and spoon and a collapsible cup can be carried in one's grip.

When using these recipes remember all measurements are level. Use a graded half pint measuring cup and sift flour before measuring.

Pimento Cheese Sandwiches.

One soft cream cheese, one teaspoonful of cream, one canned red pimento, one teaspoonful of pimento oil; mash the cheese with the cream to a smooth paste, cut pimento into small bits, add that and the oil which will be found in the can, mix well and then spread on unsweetened crackers.

Boston Sandwiches.

One cupful of baked beans, two thin slices of bacon, one teaspoonful of ketchup, one teaspoonful of mustard sauce, steamed brown bread. Run the beans through a fruit press, cut the bacon into tiny cubes and fry to a golden crispness; drain off the fat and add the cubes to the beans; add other ingredients and run to a smooth paste; spread between thin buttered slices of brown bread.

Marshmallow Fingers.

Split lady fingers and spread with marshmallow icing, put a little sprinkling of ground almonds between, press together and ice on both sides, placing a half blanched almond on each center.

Deviled Macaroni.

Boil, blanch, drain and chop four ounces of macaroni rather fine. Rub two tablespoonfuls of butter and two tablespoonfuls of flour together, add one-half pint of milk and stir it till boiling. Press three hard boiled eggs through a sieve or chop them very fine, and add them to the thick sauce. Add one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, one-half teaspoonful of salt, a few grains of cayenne pepper, a grating of nutmeg and one tablespoonful of onion juice. Now mix in the macaroni and a small quantity of cayenne. Put in individual shells, cover the top with breadcrumbs moistened with melted butter and fry them into a golden [illegible] When done make an indentation with the back of the spoon in the center of each, put in [illegible] ketchup or [illegible] at once.

BABY MIDSHIPMEN.

In the Old Days When Children Were Sent to War.

Among other improvements in the art of war as attained by the world in these later days is the abolition of the practice of sending children to sea, as was the case when the midshipmen of the old "oak walls" of England often were boys of less than fourteen years.

The Marquis of Dufferin and Ava in telling about the siege of Bomarsund, in the Crimean war, which he witnessed from the frigate Penelope, related this story of one of these little fellows.

"What pleased me most during the whole business," he says, "was the gallant behavior of a little midshipman, a mere child, thirteen or fourteen years of age. About the time when the fire became pretty hot I happened to come across him, and, as he seemed to be as much out of a job as myself, I touched my cap and took the liberty of observing that it was a fine day, to which he politely replied that it was.

"Encouraged by his urbanity, I ventured to ask him how long he had been at sea, to which he answered, 'I have only left my mamma six weeks, but I ain't going to cry on her majesty's quarterdeck,' a remark which I think as worth recording as many a one made by more illustrious heroes. Soon after this, however, a man was killed close to him, and the little fellow fainted and was taken below."

OUR USELESS BUFFALOES.

They Have Passed Away Because They Were Economically Unfit.

As a typical species of American fauna the buffalo had his place in our history, but take him by and large he was a rather useless beast, with no adaptability for civilization. He served his purpose on the plains when men led a nomadic life there and existed on his rifle. But as soon as the range land, over which the buffalo "roamed in countless thousands," became fit for settlement the buffalo was decidedly de trop.

Very little of him was fit to eat. He was worth a bullet when there was no other meat to be had, but a people accustomed to modern steaks and roasts would find him not overappetizing once the novelty were off. In a word, the buffalo was economically unfit, and he went the way of the unfit.

Had he been conserved he might now be affording opportunity for big game hunters to enjoy themselves in moderation. They are really the only persons who have suffered by his disappearance. To preserve the buffalo as a specimen in our zoos is proper. He is a curiosity and has a historical value. But entirely too many tears have been shed over his destruction. One steer was and still is worth a dozen bison.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Japanese "Movies."

Even the remotest towns in Japan have their moving picture shows, and in large cities they seem to be nearly as plentiful as on this side of the Pacific. In Yokohama there is a whole street of them, and, as the program of each is endless and each picture is announced in huge symbols on a separate variegated banner flying from a tall bamboo pole, the aspect of Theater street is startlingly unique. The pictures illustrating the sensational points of the programs above the entrances and at their sides have a certain quaintness about them, which is accentuated by the fact that they are all originals, not mere stereotyped advertisements printed in raw colors. The "getas" or wooden sandals of the spectators are deposited on a rack before the entrance to a moving picture show, for where other people take off their hats the Japanese leave their shoes.—Popular Mechanics.

Basketball.

Basketball was the invention of one man and was completed at a single sitting. In 1891, in the course of a lecture at the Young Men's Christian association in Plainfield, Mass., the lecturer spoke of the mental processes of invention and used a game, with its limitations and necessities, as an illustration. James Naismith, who was a member of the class, worked out basketball that same night as an ideal game to meet the case. It was presented the next day in the lecture room and put in practice with the aid of the members of the gymnasium. From there it spread to other branches of the Young Men's Christian association and subsequently to athletic clubs and the general public.—New York Press.

An Optimist's Epitaph.

The Carlsbad invalid has ordinarily a surprisingly robust appearance. He looks strong. Scoffers say he has to be to live through the rigors of the cure. There is an apocryphal legend of an epitaph in a Carlsbad churchyard:

I was well.
I hoped to be better.
Here I am!

—Harper's.

Important to Him.

An old lady was telling her grandchildren about some trouble in Scotland in the course of which the chief of her clan was beheaded. "It was nae great thing of a head, to be sure," said the good old lady, "but it was a sad loss to him."

Spanish Peasants.

In Spain the peasant works all day and dances half the night, yet rarely is his food varied from black bread, onion and watermelon.

Things that never could have made a man happy develop a power to make him strong.—Phillips Brooks.

PALPITATION OF THE HEART.

It Is Usually Caused by Nervous or Digestive Troubles.

Palpitation is rarely if ever due to any disease or weakness of the heart. It is almost invariably the result of nervous or digestive trouble. The beat of the heart arises within itself. There are nerves in the muscles of the heart, and they regulate its beating, although the speed or rate of the beating is not of their choosing. If they were not held in check they would set a rate about double that which is actually maintained.

The heart is supplied from the brain with two pairs of regulating nerves. One pair, the cardio motor nerves, act only to spur up the heart to quicker action. They are usually inactive, waiting the occasion for applying the spur. The other pair, the cardio inhibitory nerves, are always in action. It has been said that the heart runs in a pair of tightly held reins, and the simile is true, for these nerves check the speed.

Fear, worry, disorder of the stomach or nervous system causes these cardio inhibitory nerves to relax; then the heart begins to race. There is nothing the matter with the heart itself, and no one need be alarmed about that organ just because it beats too rapidly. Its palpitation is due to a psychological or a physical cause, something that has caused the relaxation of the reins and allowed the cardio motor nerves to apply the spur.—New York World.

CHATTY WELSHMEN.

Most Talkative, It Is Said, of All the British Islanders.

Is the Welshman the most garrulous man in the British isles? The result of an impartial test by a London newspaper has shown that for actual talkativeness the typical Welshman heads the list; next in order come Irishmen, then Scots, and last of all the Englishman.

Unobtrusively made in a number of well known London restaurants, clubs and public places, the tests invariably gave the same results. By means of a test watch the following table was compiled:

Welshmen—Very talkative, animated in manner and speaking at an average rate of 200 words a minute.

Irishmen—Also very talkative, but less animated in manner; average rate of speech, 160 words.

Scotchmen—Far less talkative and deliberate in manner; spoke at an average rate of 120 words.

Englishmen—Almost silent, rarely the first to speak; dogmatic and deliberate in manner, speaking 100 to 120 words a minute.

The comparative silence of the men, in striking contrast to the vivacious chatter of the women folk, was as usual noticeable. A curious detail was that dark men were always the bigger talkers.

Labadists of Holland.

There is a sect in Holland known as the Labadists, among whose members the use of mirrors is strictly prohibited. Their founder, Jean de Labadie, a seventeenth century Calvinist minister, attracted many followers, but after his death they dwindled down, and now they are found only in a few remote villages of Friesland. Traveling in Holland in 1893, Lecky lit upon a colony of Labadists. "Intermarrying mainly among themselves," he writes, "they have quite a distinct type—a singularly beautiful one, with their delicate lips and a curious air of refinement. They are fishermen—very prosperous—and their houses, with their china and silver ornaments and prints of the house of Orange and great Bibles with silver clasps and perfectly preternatural neatness, are very interesting to see." — London Chronicle.

Tale of a Lost Will.

A lost will found in a ceiling at Chatsworth reminds us of the curious case of Lord Hailes' will. He was a Scotch judge, and when he died in 1792, as no testamentary paper could be discovered, the heir-at-law was about to take possession of the estates to the exclusion of his daughter and only child. She sent some of her servants to look up the family mansion, which she had to give up, and from some window shutters there dropped out upon the floor from behind a panel the missing will, which secured her all the family estates and property. Why do people take the trouble to make, sign wills properly attested and then conceal them? Can they enjoy a posthumous joke?—London Spectator.

Tidy to the Last.

In "Glimpses of the Past" Miss Elizabeth Wordsworth tells this story:

One stormy day a fishing smack was wrecked and fast sinking. When the skipper came on deck he found the mate busy swabbing.

"What's the use of that, Jack? Don't you see she's sinking?"

"Yes, master, I know it; but, for all that, I'd like the old gal to go down clean and tidy."

The Manifestation.

"Papa," said the young girl sweetly, "I feel it in my bones that you are going to buy me a new hat."

"Ah, do you?" chuckled papa. "In which bone do you feel it?"

"Well, I'm not sure, but I think it's in my wishbone."

In a Way.

"Are you acquainted with Mrs. Hiffy, your fashionable neighbor?"

"Only in a roundabout way. Her cat hoards at my house."—Kansas City Journal.

IS LINK WITH NELSON

AGED TORONTO WOMAN HAD UNCLE ON "VICTORY."

Mrs. John Campbell Is Niece of Gunner's Mate on Board Famous Flagship at Trafalgar and Can Well Remember His Stories of the Great Sea Fight—Rose High In His Profession.

She was just a gentle, kindly faced old woman who lay and smiled in the sunshine. "Here's a gentleman to see you," said her daughter, and a slim hand came groping out from beneath the bedspread, till it met the fingers of the stranger and enclosed them in a grasp, the strength of which was a surprise.

The younger woman stooped beside the bed. "He wants to speak to you about your uncle, who was at the battle of Trafalgar," she explained, and a flush of pride and pleasure came to the wrinkled cheeks of the old lady.

She is Mrs. John Campbell, aged eighty-two years, and lives with a married daughter at 15 Bishop street, Toronto, says a writer in The Toronto Telegram.

Her uncle, John McMurchy, of Mulreese, in the Isle of Kilmeny, off the coast of Argyllshire, was a gunner's mate aboard the Victory at the battle of Trafalgar, where an English fleet of twenty-seven ships defeated the combined fleets of France and Spain, numbering thirty-three ships in all. Mrs. Campbell has been in this country for thirty-three years. She is a widow, who has been blind for nearly half a century. With increasing age slight deafness has come upon her, but her mind is still clear as to the manner of man her uncle was.

"A tall man and strong," she said when questioned regarding him. "Last time I saw him his face was clear and bright as a young man's should be. He fought the French for twenty-four years. Aye, twenty-four years," she mused. "Was 'pressed' when he was nineteen, taken prisoner at his first fight, and held in France for a year; but he made them pay for that—he made them pay for that.

"A great and a brave man he was. Gentlemen came from all o'er the country to speak tae him of Nelson an' the fights wi' the French." She was losing the preciseness of speech which marked her first words. "I couldna tell ye all that was said for

MRS. JOHN CAMPBELL.

some of the men only spoke English, an' t'was kin' o' hard on me those days, was English, for I first learned the Gaelic—an' I hae it yet," she said proudly.

"But I was tellin' ye about my Uncle McMurchy, the graun' man that he was. Reared me like a very daughter, he did, for he had neither chick nor child of his ain. Oft I hae heard him tell o' that bluidy battle o' Trafalgar. He was gunner's mate on the Victory, an' it was his crew helped fire the first broadside. An' I've heard him tell o' the shot which felled Nelson, an' how the admiral raised himsel' up on his elbow an' continued gien' orders whiles the life's blud ebbed away.

An' I mind him tellin' the gentlemen who came to see him, that Nelson truly said, 'Thank God, I ha' done my duty,' before he died, to say naethin' o' words to the effect that the enemy were beaten.

"He helped carry Nelson below, an' then went back to the fight, where the bluid was boilin' in the men that served the guns that day, so that some men were crying, and the wicked among them were swearing terrible things against the enemy—an' they fought, an' fought, till they won the battle. For so my uncle told me an' others beside.

"Some brave thing my uncle did about the time of the battle of Trafalgar—I dinna ken just what t'was now, for he was not the man to talk o'er much of what things he had done—led the captain of the ship to say, 'McMurchy, ye can hae whatever you like; name it, an' it will be given tae ye,'" she smiled. "An' what do you suppose he asked for? Why, nothing more or less than that half of his pension should be paid to his wife after his death. She was much younger than him, and she lived to get about thirty pounds a year from the Government, to say nothing o' prize money, an' the like, which had made my uncle quite a well-to-do man."

Her voice began to falter a little, but after a moment's pause she went on. "Oh, ay, I come o' guid stock. My uncle was as high rank as he could be when he left the service, an' all the officers had a guid word for him, for he was a graun fighter an' a great an' willing worker." She paused again, then, "Why wouldn't he be?" she said. "All his fowk were born beside the sea, or made their living on it, captains an' sailors, an' fishermen, an' a'. But I'll be bidden." "I'm tired wi' talkin', though it's done me a deal o' good to speak to someone concerning my uncle who fought at Trafalgar, an' many other places in the wars with the French an' the Spanish."

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Wharf at Ainsworth, B.C.," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M., on Monday, November 17 1913, for the construction of a Wharf at Ainsworth, Kootenay District, B.C

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of J. P. Fordo, Esq., District Engineer, at Revelstoke, B.C.; C. C. Worsfold, Esq., District Engineer at New Westminster, B.C., and on application to the Postmaster at Ainsworth, B.C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and the place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the persos tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the ceeque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

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Department of Public Works,
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There have been large donations, received from the Old Country, of useful and pretty articles suitable for Christmas gifts. The stall for plain sewing will have aprons, dresses, blouses, tea aprons, and children's frocks. A large variety of woollen caps and hoods will be shown.

There are to be toys of all description; trumpets, air ships, pistols an caps, stuffed animals, and others too unmerous to mention.

The dolls will represent one of the best and prettiest stalls as there are so many different kinds and the prices will suit all purses. The usual candy stall with its dainty home made sweets will be bigger and better than ever.

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5	Solo	"The Kerry Dance" Mrs. Ada G. Downs	Mol
6	Duet	"The Magic Hour" Mrs. Carpenter and Mr. Staples	Rocke
7	Solo	"Anchored" A. B. S. Stanley	Cowa
8	Reading	From Dr. Drummond Mr. Levesque	Selecte
9	Solo	Mr. A. J. Collis	Selecte
10	Solo	"Only Baby Fingers" Miss Dorothy Carpenter	Murchio

PART 2

1	Instrumental Duet	Festival Procession March Mrs. Fowler and Mr. Collis	Rathbu
2	Solo	"Good Bye Sweet Day" Mrs. F. L. Carpenter	Vannal
3	Reading	The Village Blacksmith Mr. W. Truscott	
4	Solo	Mr A. J. Collis	Selecte
5	Reading	"Women and Work" Miss Gertrude Gilpin	
6	Solo	"Children Asleep" Mrs. Ada G. Downs	Le Moi
7	Reading	Miss Bessie Hurrey	Selecte
8	Solo	Mr. Murdock	Selecte
9		God Save The King—Tiger	

Admission Adults 25 cents Children 15 cents.

ROD AND GUN IN CANADA for November (Publisher, W. J. Taylor, Ltd. Woodstock, Ont.) sustains its reputation as the leading Canadian Magazine devoted to the interests of sportsmen. Big game hunting in British Columbia is described in several well written and illustrated articles; "A Labrador Room" is discripive of a Labrador fishing village: "My Visit to an Alberta Trapper," details a successful day on the trap line; "How to Keep Game from Spoiling" contains some valuable information for the hunter of big and small game; "When Riley Tied Hanlan" is by way of variety and is reminiscent of the famous Barrie Regatta when all the world's big scullers had a try-out for the Championship. The regular departments were well maintained.

Pigs for Sale— 8 weeks old. Apply to F. K. Smith, Creston. 44-45

The approach of the Christmas season makes timely some interesting facts about toys. Federal experts figure that the American child is now using in a year something over $20,000,000 worth of playthings, of which $11,000,000 worth are made in this country and $9,000,000 worth are imported, says the Newark Star. Germany continues to be the chief purveyor of toys to the American market, chiefly dolls which make up one-fourth of all this class of imports. One reason why foreign-made playthings are such close rivals to the home product is that toymaking in European countries is an industry that engages the cheapest kind of labor, that of children, as to paraphrase an old jingle, "the children of Germany take pleasure in making what the children of America take pleasure in breaking."

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