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A NEW THEATRE

H. C. Kerman Will Erect Store and Home for Moving Pictures

I. J. Gill started excavation operations this morning on H. C. Kerman's lots next to W. K. C. Manly's block. The report spread through the city that Mr. Kerman had let a contract for a two storey brick building, 60x100. Mr. Kerman, on being seen by The Sun, stated that it was his intention to erect a one-storey brick block, which would be used for store purposes and as a moving picture theatre. There will be a basement under the entire building. After he had let the contract for the excavation of the basement, he said, the lessee of the thestre threw up his lease, and this might delay operations somewhat, but he expressed the belief that the building would be completed this fall.

METEOROLOGICAL

The following is the maximum and minimum temperature for each day during the past week, as recorded by the government thermometer on Cooper Bros.' ranch:

	MAX.	MIN.
Friday	81	46
Saturday	70	43
Sunday	70	33
Monday	71	32
Tuesday	75	39
Wednesday	72	40
Thursday	60	37

Ranfall during week, 0.00 inches.

Pushing Work on Power Line

Work is being rushed on the power line being built by the North Washington Power and Reduction company from Republic to Danville, to connect with the line of the West Kootenay Power & Light company, says the Republic News-Miner. This is a high tension, three-wire circuit line.

Pleasure in Work

It is not the opportunity to do just what we like that makes life successful, but the resolute will to like what we have to do and get out of it the best that is possible. There have been wondrously beautiful lives made out of seemingly poor material; they are being made all the time and all around us. The good fortune of being able to do as we please is as nothing compared to being able to find pleasure in what we have to do.

Apples for Insomnia

People ought to know that the very best thing they can do is to eat an apple just before retiring for the night. Persons uninitiated in the mysteries of the fruit are liable to throw up their hands in horror at the visions of dyspepsia which such a suggestion may summon up, but no harm can come even to a delicate system by the eating of ripe and juicy apples before going to bed. The apple is excellent brain food, because it has more phosphoric acid in easily digested shape than any other fruit. It excites the liver, promotes sound and healthy sleep and thoroughly disinfects the mouth. This is not all, for the apple prevents indigestion and throat diseases.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

W. A. Williams, manager of the Granby emelter, returned on Saturday from Hidden Creek, where he has been for a couple of months superintending construction work on the Granby's new smelter. He will return horth today or tomorrow.

J. R. Jackson, M.P.P., and Miss Jackson, Arthur Roberts, Midway; Duncan McIntosh, Robert Wilson, Greenwood; T. S. Larsen, Rock Creek, and Jas. Dale, Bridesville, attended the annual re-union of the old-timers in this city on Monday.

Mrs. S. J. Miller and daughter Conny returned from Vancouver the lajer part of last week. Mrs. Miller has been spending a couple of months in that city for medical treatment.

O B. Smith, superintendent of the Granby mines at Phoenix, arrived in the city yesterday from Hidden Creek. He went ud to Phoenix today.

Misses Bernice and Madge Bradley have returned to their home in Danville from a summer's visit to Illinois and other middle west states.

E. E. Gibson, of the West Kootenay Power & Light company, made a trip of inspection to the various Boundary towns this week.

J. C. Stutz, a mining man of Danville, has gone to Nelson, where he will act as foreman for the British Columbia Copper company.

W. A. Johnson, of Vancouver, grand master of the I.O.O.F. in British Columbia, visited the local lodge the latter part of last week.

C. H. Niles, manager of the local branch of the Candian Bank os Commerce, returned on Tuesday from a business trip to Calgary.

D. A. McBride, of Bridesville, one of the oldest pioneers in the Boundary, attended the pioneers's convention here on Monday.

J. A. Lawson, who has spent the summer at Danville with his son, A. J. Lawson, has returned to his home in St. Louis.

W. R. Dewdney, government agent at Greenwood, attended the pioneers' convention in this city Monday evening.

W. H. M. May, of Nelson, school inspector for this district, visited the Grand Forks schools on Tuesday.

Jimmy McDougall left on Tuesday for Greenwood, where he will remain until he grows tired of the town.

John Kirknp, of Rossland, government assessor jor this district, arrived in the city on Tuesday.

Albert Biner, manager of the Phoenix brewery, visited his parents at the Hotel Colin on Tuesday.

I. A. Dinsmore, of Greenwood, chief constable for this district, was in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bradley, of Danville, have returned home from a trip to New York.

Olaf Lofstad, the Argo tunnel man of Greenwood, was in the city on Tuesday.

G. W. Averill has returned from Alaska, where he has been for over a year.

Bob Yuill, the pioneer prospector of Phoenix, visited the city on Tuesday.

Neil McCallum made a business trip to Greenwood on Monday.

Thomas Hardy, of Miday, was in the city on Sunday.

In London Town

Regular Customer—I shall want a large quantity of flowers from you next week for my daughter's coming out.

Flower Woman—Yes, mum. You shall 'ave the very best for 'er, pore dear. Wot were she put in for?

SHIP MUCH FRUIT

Packing House is Now the Busiest Place in the Valley

The packing house of the Grand Forks Fruit Growers' association is the busiest place in the valley these days. The building is so crowded with fruit and workmen that it is difficult for a sightseer to gain admittance. From now until the end of the shipping season there will be very little loafing done around that building. Four carloads of fruit were shipped this week.

The annual reunion of the Okanagan and Kettle River Pioneers' society was held in the Davis hall, in this city, on Monday evening. The attendane was larger than has been present at these reunions for a number of years past. Some new members were admitted. After the business meeting an elaborate banquet was served in the hall. Speeches, vocal and instrumental music, dnd reminiscences of pioneer days took up the time until midnight, when the gathering dispersed. The next reunion will be held at Rock Creek.

On the Sun ranch there is a new berry now in a healthy condition. It is called a Himalaya berry, and was imported from Michigan by the owner. It resembles a blackberry, and is of excellent flavor. The canes, or vines, are hardy and prolific bearers. One of its strong recommendations is, that it lengthens the berry season a couple of months. It commences to ripen at the end of the raspberry season, and remains in season until late in the fall. It will undoubtedly grow in popularity as it becomes better known.

The macadamizing of a mile and a half of the wagon near Tom Powers' ranch was completed this afternoon, the men finishing the work at the Great Northern crossing. This piece of permanent road building has been carried on under the foremanship of Ed Ruckle. The highway is a credit to the valley.

The piles of concrete blocks near Dr. Kingston's residence would look a great better if they were converted into a nice, up-to-date hospital. The chances are that if construction on such a building should be started tomorrow, it would be needed when it is completed, in view of the fact that the city is now a railway divis onal point.

The ranchers of the valley are now very busy digging potatoes During the week three carloads have been sold, two by the Big Y Orchard company and one by Tom Lawrence.

The Kettle valley orchardists have finished picking their plum crop.

It looks now as the cement sidewalk on Bridge street would be completed in the conrse of a week. Galipeau & Co. are making rapid progress with the work.

Fred Roney has been released from the Cottage hospital, having recovered from the effects of a third operation for blood poisoning, contracted about six months ago by being accidentally hit in the face by a brass shell.

The latest fad for preventing baldness is to eschew headgear in and out of doors. Buying theatre seats a dozen rows removed from the stage is said to have the same effect.

The school trustees will meet in the high school building at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, September 21, for the purpose of awarding the contract for the construction of a $17,000 addition to the public school building.

A sitting of the Doukhobor commission will be held in the new court house next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Counsel has been secured for the citizens. The commission has consented to allow the committee representing the citizens to bring in a report or resolution covering their side of the case. The committee hopes that all the citizens who can possibly do so will attend the inquiry.

Owing to the presence of considerable silica in the ore and the inefficiency of the Greenwood smelter to treat the same, the Lone Star mine at Danville has closed down indefinitely. When a concentrator can be built at Boundary to treat the ore successfully, operations at the mine will be resumed.

Hugh Glaspell, principal of the public school, has taken the initiatory steps in the formation of a cadet corps in connection with the school. Parents desiring to have their children join the corps, should notify Mr. Glaspell to that effect at once.

Born—In Eholt, on September 15, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Gowans, a daughter.

Jordun the barber returned home this evening from a month's vacation trip. The tin cans that had been saved up for his reception had to be returned to the back alleys before being called into service. It was a false alarm.

J. D. Robert was fined $300 in Rossland this week for keeping the bar in his hotel open on Sunday.

Borrowing money is a dream; paying it a nightmare.

The Overseas club will meet in the Davis hall next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The big Spokane Interstate fair opens a week from next Monday.

Special Meeting Grand Forks Produce Association

A special meeting of the members of the Grand Forks Produce association is called for Saturday, September 21, at 8 p m., in the Miners' Union hall. The adoption of regulations and bylaws, governing the association, will come up for consideration. All members are requested to attend.

The Liberal Policy

"Larger markets for the Canadian farmer." That was the central theme of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech at St. Clef on Saturday. That is the Liberal policy as declared by the leader of the party and cordially endorsed by every one true to Liberal principles.

BUYS LAND GRANTS

Provincial Treasurer Hands C.P.R. a Cheque for $1,109,000

VICTORIA, Sept. 17.—A cheque for $1,109,000 was handed by the provincial treasurer yesterday to J. S. Dennis, of the Canadian Pacific railway, in payment for land grants made to the British Columbia Southern and the Columbia & Western railways, and the lands become once more the property of the province. The lands comprise 2,550,000 acres granted to the British Columbia Southern, and 1,225,000 acres to the Columbia & western. The price paid is 45 cents per acre, which would make $1,510,000, but against this the province had a credit of $401,000 paid as interest on lands on the Shuswap & Okanagan railway, part of the bargain embodied in the legislation of the last session being that the Canadian Pacific should refund this amount.

The Columbia & Western lands are resumed subject to F. Augustus Heinze's ownership of an undivided half interest in 580,000 acres. Heinze, during his visit here last week, suggested that the government should buy his half interest from him, and the government is supposed to be not altogether unfavorable to the idea, but no price was fixed, in fact the matter did not go beyond the suggestion.

Uses for Useless Metals

An immense fortune, according to economic geologists, awaits the man who can invent a use for tellurium. This mineral is one of the by-products of copper refineries and of plants working up gold telluride ores. At present it is all thrown away, as it is absolutely no good to anybody. Only a few years ago tungsten was in very much the same position as tellurium is nbw. Then it was found to be highly useful in the manufacture of incandescent lamps and tool steel, till today it would seem probable that with a cheaper supply it will become one of our most important minor metals. Selenium is another substance which has just come into its own. Up to a year ago no commercially important use for slenium was known, although for some three or four years it was one of the ingredients entering into a secret process in the glass industry. It is now well known among scientists that selenium is an agent in coloring glass red, and in decolorizing glass by the use of small amounts to neutralize the green of ferrous iron. A French scientist has also utilized it in an invention by which pictures may be transmitted by wire. Like tellurium, selenium is a by-product derived from the refining of copper. Apparently about twenty tons a year are now utilized.

Copper Shipments

Shipments of blister copper from the Granby company's smelter in this city for the past week amounted to 349,000 pounds, bringing the total shipped for the year to 15,529,500 pounds.

America's Most Popular Writer

More than two hundred American papers, with a combined circulation of over 10,000,000 print daily the 'Lineless Rhymes' of Walt Mason, so that he, without doubt, has the largest reading public of any writer in the country.

So says the American Magazine, and quotes this as a sample of the most popular reading in the U.S.A. In lineless rhymes Mr. Mason tells of a conversation between Charles I. and the headman on the scaffold:—

Charles the First, with stately walk, made the journey to the block. As he paced the street along, silence fell upon the throng; from that throng there burst a sigh, for a king was come to die!

Charles upon the scaffold stood, in his veins no craven blood; calm, serene, he viewed the crowd, while the headman said aloud:—

Cheer up Charlie! Smile and sing! Death's a most delightful thing! I will cure your hacking cough when I chop your headpiece off! Headache, toothache—they're a bore. You will never have them more! Cheer up Charlie, dance and yell! Here's the axe and all is well!

I, though but a humble dub, represent the Sunshine Club, and our motto is worth while: "Do not worry—sing and smile!"

Therefore let us both be gay, as we do our stunt today; I to swing the shining axe, you to take a few swift whacks.

Lumpty-doodle, lumpty-ding, do not worry, smile and sing!

Cutting Red Tape

In his youth the late Sir William S. Gilbert, the dramatist, was employed in one of the Government offices in London. On his first appearance there he noticed that one of the senior clerks was trying to do his work while toppling about in a chair from which one castor was missing.

The clerk, who found the situation annoying, vented his vexation freely.

Why don't you have the chair mended? asked young Gilbert?

The department will mend broken chairs, but the loss of a castor doesn't come within the regulations, explained the clerk. Unless the chair-leg is broken they won't undertake repairs.

Then you have your own remedy, said Gilbert, mildly.

For a moment the elder man looked hard at the promising young recruit but said nothing at the time. At five o'clock, as his colleagues began to file out of the office they saw him seize the poker and, with one blow smash the chair-leg. The next morning he had a new chair.

No so Dusty

'Twas not the month of March, but all the same 'twas gusty and dusty—uncomfortably gusty and dusty, in fact.

Particles of the earth in the form of grit filled one's eyes, ears, nose and mouth, and scraps of Tory newspapers chased shreds of Liberal publications with horrid glee, and with Labour leaflets at their heels.

Mrs. Frigid, after much struggling against the bluster, at length reached her destination—the grocer's shop.

Yes, ma'am? beamed Sandem, hastening forward and pawing the counter with eager anticipation.

A pound of tea—and quickly! came the tart retort.

Yes'm. Certainly. Very dusty to-day, isn't it?

Sadly Mrs. Frigid turned her eyes from the scales.

It always is, she retorted bitterly. And the wind shrieked its applause.

Skin All Covered With Eruption

N. Henri Tardif.

Tried Many Remedies 3 or 4 Years. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

A Quebec man, N. Henri Tardif, of St. Casimir, writes in a letter dated Mar. 31, 1911: "I had a very bad skin, all covered with eruption, eight years ago. I have had all of both my shoulders covered with it, and the high part of my arms, and my face, but it was the worst on my shoulders. I tried many different remedies to cure it, but nothing was any good. At last I went to an apothecary. He asked me if I had ever used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I told him no, and I bought a box of Cuticura Ointment and a cake of Cuticura Soap. I used three boxes of Cuticura Ointment, but I am glad of the same, for Cuticura Soap and Ointment completely cured me of my skin eruption. I spread the Cuticura Ointment on all my sore parts, and I think that in washing my face with the Cuticura Soap, it hindered my eruption from itching and burning. I tried many remedies during three or four years but Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured me." (Signed) N. Henri Tardif.

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HUDSON BAY TIMBER

Experienced Cruiser Describes Split Lake Conditions

Interesting observations with regard to the timber of the Hudson Bay Region (the southern part of the old district of Keewatin) are found in the 1911 report of the Director of Forestry, published as part of the Annual Report of the Department of the Interior for 1911.

Mr. J. T. G. Whyte, an experienced timber cruiser and fire ranger (who has since been drowned while in discharge of his duty) reports on the conditions of the forest around Split Lake on an area of about 2400 square miles. This whole territory was originally covered with forest. The islands in Split Lake still bear Spruce, Tamarack and Jack Pine, large enough for railway ties, poles and lumber.

All the rest of the country has been burned over at least once within the past forty or fifty years, and the timber which dates from the last fire, rarely exceeds three or four inches in diameter. The shores of Split Lake have been burned over, on an average once every season. Fortunately in this district the soil is usually deep, and can always support another crop of trees. The presence of merchantable forests in protected situations proves that the young forest now started will become sufficiently valuable to support sawmill and pulp industries and supply a large population, if it can be protected from fire. Very little of the land traversed by Mr. Whyte is suitable for agriculture.

Mr. J. T. Blackford, fire ranger at Oxford House, reports similar conditions on about 5400 square miles of territory in that region.

Settling a Dispute

I must insist, sir, exclaimed the pompous person, that the device is a fire plug.

And I am equally confident that it is a water-plug, retorted the mild individual.

Now, my dear sir, puffed the pompous person, this device was put here primarily as a plug on which to attach a hose in case of fire in the vicinity. Therefore it is absolutely impossible that it can be anything but a fire-plug.

You are entirely wrong, declared the other. This plug was placed here to supply water. Consequently it is a water plug. If it supplied fire—why, then of course, it would be a fire-plug.

The pompous person stopped a passing pedestrian.

Sir, he began, I desire to appeal to your intelligence. This gentleman has become involved in an argument with me. He insists that this device is a water-plug, while I, with equal confidence, claim that it is a fire-plug. Will you kindly settle the question for us?

Certainly, replied the pedestrian. You say this is a fire-plug, and your friend declares it is a water-plug. Just let me investigate.

He looked carefully at the plug and rapped it gently with his cane.

I greatly fear you are both wrong, he finally remarked. This appears to be an iron plug.

The Song of the Sea

There is a lullaby sweeter than all—
Sweeter, far sweeter, than any to me,
Morpheus calling his flock, we are told
Drowsily, sleepily into the fold—
'Tis the Song of the Sea.

Few can there be who are mute to its call
List unresponsive; if conscience is free,
People and things all unconsciously seem
Merged in the web of a beautiful dream
By the Song of the Sea.

There is a lullaby sweeter than all—
Sweeter, far sweeter, than any to me;
Luring, enticing the weary to peep
Into a region of quiet and sleep—
'Tis the Song of the Sea.

Heckler (to orator)—Hi! guv'nor, do your support early closing?

Orator—Certainly I do, my friend.

Heckler—Then shut up.

Razors of Centuries Ago

We wear things and use things daily, of the origin of which we have not the slightest idea, and were we to be asked concerning their history we would be at a loss to answer.

This was illustrated when two young men well but quietly dressed, were admiring a well-known picture of life in the time of Julius Caesar which was exhibited in a shop window. One of the men remarked, while looking at the picture, that he wondered how the Romans kept their faces smooth, and whether they ever shaved; and if they shaved, what were their razors like? Neither of the men could answer the question, and so they immediately consulted various authorities on the subject and found to their surprise, that razors were used for shaving in a very early part of the world's history.

The Egyptians used some kind of a razor, though the Levitical code expressly forbade the shaving of the beard. It is believed the primitive shaving instruments were made of sharpened flints. Savages in the remote islands scattered throughout the Pacific, still use two pieces of flint of the same size for this purpose and pieces of shells or shark's teeth are also used.

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Gentlemen,—In June, '98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I began using. The effect was magical; in five hours the pain had ceased and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

Yours truly,
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Threshing With Oxen

The methods and implements of agriculture in Cyprus are still somewhat primitive, and the light wooden plough, drawn by oxen, merely turns up the soil a few inches. Steam ploughs, self-binders, etc., are unknown here but every effort is being made by the Agricultural Department to induce the peasantry to adopt more scientific methods and modern implements.

Ploughing commences in January, after the winter rains, and about March or April the field is cross ploughed. Sowing begins, as a rule, after the autumn rains, and the harvest takes place at the end of May, June, July, and August. The grain is threshed out in a peculiar manner. It is placed on the threshing floor, and threshed out by means of a yoke of oxen, attached to a board studded with flints, on which sits the driver and the combined weight of the driver and the roughness of the flints breaks the grain. The straw, which is much broken in this process, is mixed with chaff, and used as fodder.

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George—She sings nicely, doesn't she?

Tom—Oh yes, when she sings they have to close the windows.

George—My goodness! What for?

Tom—Her voice is so sweet it draws the flies.

McAldrews (the chemist at 2 a. m.)—Two penn'orth of bicarbonate of soda for the wife's indigestion at this time of night, when a glass of hot water does just as well—

Sandy (hastily)— Weel, weel! Thanks for the advice. I'll no bother ye, after all. Good nicht!

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Practical Advice

Mr. Lovelor was one of those people who on every possible occasion consulted his solicitor. Nothing pleased him more than to go to law. The lawyers regarded him as an invaluable asset.

I have been grossly insulted! he exclaimed, rushing into the office of his solicitor for the seventh time in three days.

In what way, asked the solicitor, somewhat wearily.

My next-door neighbor has declared he will pull my nose next time he meets me. What shall I do about it?

Well, said the former, as if he had given the case due deliberation, I should soap it, then it will slip through his fingers. Good day! My bill will follow in due course.

Soft corns are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Cure will draw them out painlessly.

She's as pretty as a picture, said the young man.

Yes, replied the young woman, with a glance at her rival's complexion, and hand-painted, too.

Yankee (boasting of American heat)—It's so hot it burns the wings off the flies.

Pat—That's nothing to Ireland. We have to feed hens on ice-cream to keep them from laying boiled eggs.

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One of the girls at an examination in grammar in Maynooth School, when asked why the noun 'bachelor' was singular, blushingly answered:—Because it is very singular they don't get married.

She went up to the head of the class

Cabby (observing fare looking at his old horse)—One of the old sort, he is. Many's the time, afore he took to cabbin' 'e's bin over the sticks, I warrant

Fare—Quite believe it. He's over four pretty crooked ones now.

A WOMAN'S WISDOM.

The worried mother wakes up to hear her baby's heavy breathing—a little cough—perhaps the croup or whooping cough. She does not want to send for the doctor when perhaps the trouble does not amount to much. Finally she thinks of that medical book her father gave her, The Common Sense Medical Adviser, by R. V. Pierce, M. D.* She says "just the thing to find out what is the matter with the little dear." Two million households in this country own one—and it's to be had for only 31c. in stamps—1,000 pages in splendid cloth binding. A good family adviser in any emergency. It is for *either sex*. This is what many women write Dr. Pierce—in respect to his "Favorite Prescription," a remedy which has made thousands of melancholy and miserable women cheerful and happy, by curing the painful womanly diseases which undermine a woman's health and strength.

MRS. ZUBERT AND BABE.

"My desire is to write a few lines to let you know what your valuable medicine has done for me," writes Mrs. MARGARET ZUEBERT, of 323 S. Bentalou Street, Baltimore, Md. "Before the storck came to our house I was a very sick woman. I wrote you for advice which was kindly given and which made me a different woman in a short time. After taking the first bottle of 'Favorite Prescription' I began improving so that I hardly knew I was in such a condition. I did my own housework—washing and ironing, cooking, sewing, and the worst of all nursed three children who had whooping cough. I hardly knew of the advent ten minutes before—so easy was it. The baby is as fat as a butter-ball. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the best medicine for any woman to take when in this condition. I recommend it to all my friends."

Dr. C. Gordon Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist, says, referring to the infantile death rate from intestinal diseases and diarrhœa spread by the house fly, he believes that the so-called harmless fly is yearly causing the death of thousands of infants, as well as spreading the germs of typhoid fever.

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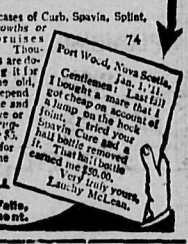

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It is in its position as a substitute for ivory that the new material has caused most surprise, however, because it has the appearance of being another instance of improving upon Nature. The new ivory takes a very high and lasting polish, and will probably not lack a commercial field for itself, as natural ivory continues to grow scarcer and dearer year by year.

The good widow was about to sell her household furniture, her rugs, plated ware, and what not. As she was going over these articles her eyes filled with tears; a host of memories rose to her mind, and, laying aside a half-dozen knives, she said:—

Oh, dear! I can't let these go. They've been in poor George's mouth too often!

King of the Barbers

The sudden death of Chaudri Lala Meah, the head barber of Madras, at Veerappa Varar, Coil Street, Mylapore, recently, has disclosed interesting details about the working of the barber fraternity of Madras.

The fraternity has been in existence for over 120 years. Chaudri is commonly known in the North of India as barrister, or vakil, but the post amongst the barbers of Madras carries a much higher position. He is their head and their judge. He has eight councillors, or jurors, and he decides cases that come up before him with their aid.

The Chaudri's post is a life appointment. When he dies, forty days after his death a mass meeting of barbers is held, and the vacancy is filled.

The elected man from precedence should have been a juror, should be a man of good birth, education, and character. The barber fraternity of Madras now consists of 160 Mohammedan barbers, and will meet at the Mohammedan barbers' mosque in Portuguese Church Street, North Georgetown, which is supported by the Mohammedan barbers of Madras, and by the fines levied by the Chaudri, to elect their Chaudri from one of the jurors, and place on the jury one of their own men.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have *so much faith in its curative powers that they offer* One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Information Lacking

This was about the fifteenth time that the prisoner had been accused and brought to trial for theft. Unfortunately, on this occasion the lawyer who was to defend him was ill.

Your honor, said the prisoner to the judge. I should like to have an adjournment. My lawyer is not well.

But, replied the judge, you were caught with your hand in the gentleman's pocket. What can your counsel say in your defence?

Precisely, your honor; that is what I am curious to know.

FAMILY RUNT

Kansas Man Says Coffee Made Him That

"Coffee has been used in our family of eleven—father, mother, five sons and four daughters—for thirty years: I am the eldest of the boys and have always been considered the runt of the family and a coffee toper.

"I continued to drink it for years until I grew to be a man, and then I found I had stomach trouble, nervous headaches, poor circulation, was unable to do a full day's work, took medicine for this that, and the other thing, without the least benefit. In fact I only weighed 116 when I was 26.

"Then I changed from coffee to Postum, being the first one in our family to do so. I noticed as did the rest of the family, that I was surely gaining strength and flesh. Shortly after I was visiting my cousin who said, 'You look so much better, you're getting fat.'

"At breakfast his wife passed me a cup of coffee, as she knew I was always such a coffee drinker, but I said, 'No, thank you.'

"'What!' said my cousin, 'you quit coffee? What do you drink?'

"'Postum,' I said, 'or water, and I am well.' They did not know what Postum was, but my cousin had stomach trouble and could not sleep at night from drinking coffee three times a day. He was glad to learn about Postum but said he never knew coffee hurt anyone." (Tea is just as injurious as coffee because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.)

"After understanding my condition and how I got well he knew what to do for himself. He discovered that coffee was the cause of his trouble as he never used tobacco or anything else of the kind. You should see the change in him now. We both believe that if persons who suffer from coffee drinking would stop and use Postum they could build back to health and happiness." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

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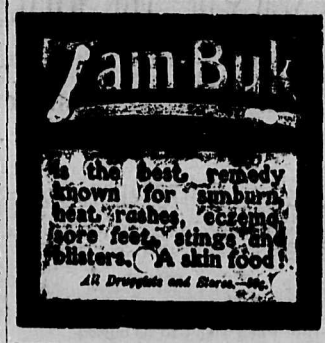

An Elephant Dentist

The elephant at the Riverdale Zoo acts as its own dentist. A short time ago it pulled a tooth which had been bothering it, the operation being witnessed by a number of persons who were watching the animal at the time.

It appeared to be in pain, and worked its trunk round in its mouth as though to dislodge something unpleasant. At last, after moving its trunk frantically, the animal drew something from its mouth. It cast the tooth thus extracted out of the enclosure. The molar was large, and had evidently broken off in the gum, as all the root did not come out.

The crown was in a good state of preservation, but there were signs of decay lower down.

DISTRESS FROM INDIGESTION

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A well-known American soldier, General Nelson A. Miles, became reminiscent at a dinner one evening.

There is a lot of humor, real humor, to be found on the battlefield, he said. I remember the case of a retreat which was really a rout. In this retreat the commanding general, as he galloped along like the wind, turned to an aide-de-camp who was urging his horse to the limit, and asked:—

Who are our rear guard?

The aide, without the slightest hesitation replied:—

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The Population of the Ocean

A striking proof of the vastness and variety of the population of the sea is furnished by a committee of the zoological department of the British Association in that part of the Irish Sea surrounding the Isle of Man.

Out of the 1,000 species marine animals collected 224 never before had been found in that region, 38 were previously unknown as inhabitants of the British waters, and 17 were entirely new to science, indeed, they were animals whose existence had never been suspected.—New York Herald.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

A noted professor of music, a German, was supervising the work of an orchestra at rehearsal, and he became much annoyed with the conductor for his erratic use of the baton. Stopping the band, he said to the culprit:

Mistaire Jones, you would make a beautiful conductor—for zee omnibus; you vas always behind.

About Thunderstorms

Thunderstorms never occur in the Arctic regions. The nearer the equator the more severe are the electric manifestations.

In certain parts of Central Africa the average run of thunderstorms is 250 days per year, yet there are some very curious exceptions. In Sumatra and Java, both very hot climates there are only ninety-two storms yearly, and in Borneo only about fifty. The Gold Coast of Africa has only about sixty a year, which is less than occur in Florida, though the latter country is outside the tropics.

In Java there is a thunderstorm every day for five months. Perhaps the most astonishing fact in regard to thunderstorms is that the island of Mauritius, which is only 550 miles east of Madagascar, has on an average only one thunderstorm in eighty years.

Yet in Madagascar the lightning is more destructive than anywhere else in the world, the annual death roll being over three hundred.

Rather Too Smart

Mrs. Gayboy had friends to tea, one of them being the wife of a learned professor.

I wish I knew where George was! remarked the hostess, referring to her rather dissipated husband.

The professor's lady drew herself up.

I presume, my dear, she said primly, you mean you wish you knew where he is?

Oh, no I don't! retorted Mrs. Gayboy. I know where he is. He is upstairs in bed, with a bruised eye and a fearful headache. I want to know where he was!

Unsatisfactory Evidence

The witness was a young German immigrant whose evidence was required in an accident case.

Now, Britzmann, said the examining counsel, what do you do?

Ah vos bretty vell, replied the witness.

I am not inquiring as to your health. I want to know what you do.

Ah vork!

Where do you work? continued the counsel.

In a vactory.

What kind of a factory?

It vos a bretty big vactory.

Your honor, said the lawyer, turning to the judge if this goes on we'll need an interpreter. Then he turned to the witness again.

Now, Britzman, what do you make in the factory? he asked.

You vant to know vot I make in der vactory?

Exactly! Tell us what you make.

Dwenty shillings and sixpence a week.

Then the interpreter got a chance to earn his daily bread.

Paddy was driving home from the market with his ass and cart when he was accosted by a police-sergeant, who charged him with overloading the donkey.

What weight, he asked, is an ass able to pull?

Faith then, answered Pat, yourself ought to know best. How much can you pull?

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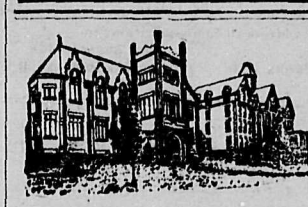

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1912

THE real estate trade negotiated by the city council with H. C. Kerman last week does not, when looked at from the viewpoint of a disinterested observer, appear to have been made in the best inerests of the city. The incident has been the subject of many warm debates in the business community during the past week, and some ugly innuendos have been made against the council. Mr. Kerman was given two of the choicest lots in the city for one of doubtful value near the Kettle Valley line tracks. For this good trade on Mr. Kerman's part, no blame can be attached to that gentleman, because every man is entitled to make the best business bargain that he possibly can. The council claims that it was in duty bound to transfer Mr. Kerman's lot to the Canadian Pacific railway, as per the recent agreement with that company. This is true. But the citizens' committee negotiating the railway agreement had an undertaking with Mr. Kerman that he would sell his property to the city for the price he paid for it and the accumulated taxes without interest, amounting to about $950. And it is only a short time since the city refused an offer of $1000 for the lots given in exchange for Mr. Kerman's property. It is stated that the council refused to set a price on these lots. These facts have stirred the indignation of some of the heaviest ratepayers; and they certainly tend to show that the council did not exercise proper business methods in negotiating the deal. At the enhanced value of real estate in this city, the two lots could readily have been sold at public sale for $1600 $1700. The surplus, after paying for Mr. Kerman's lot, would have paid three aldermen's salaries.

A NELSON witness this week testified that the Doukhobor cheap labor is a menace to the fruit growing industry in this province. Why stop at fruit growing? Their cheap labor is a menace to every industry in which the Douks engage.

LAST week an English suffragette, in order to obtain an audience with Winston Churchill, had herself sent to his residence by parcels post. A woman endowed with so much cunning and such quick and ready reasoning faculties is surely better qualified to cast an intelligent ballot than some of the whiskey-soaked and ignorant male portion of the population.

OUR local contemporary knew all the facts in the recent real estate transaction. But it never said a word. It has its nose too deep in the city treasury. More of this anon.

IN British Columbia the moose is protected by the government; but in the United States the bull moose is being attacked by all parties.

IF the flying machine is to be used as an engine of destruction in modern warfare, it would have better if it had not been invented.

Rather Annoying

A gruesome story reaches us from a certain hospital. On its staff fs a surgeon who is famous for the celerity of his operations. The other day he had twelve on his list. When he polished off the eleventh he asked where the twelfth was. "Oh, No 1 refused to leave his bed," he was told. "What a pity," said the surgeon. "That means that I have performed the wrong operations on all the others, for I took 'em in the order of the list."

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NEWS OF THE WORLD

Most Important Events of Past Week Told in Brief Paragraphs

FRIDAY.

S. Musik, of Winnipeg, comes to life when about to be buried.

Cost of promotion in New York police force saidto be $15,000.

British Columbia horses and cattle win championships at Ottawa.

Striking car men hold Duluth under mob rule; governor asked to send troops.

Vancouver holds second place as manufacturing centre of westean Canada.

Sea chest belonging to Lord Nelson discovered in Sydney; was on board the Victory.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier fires his first gun at Marieville,Que., in his through Canada tour.

Trades and Labor Council at Guelph discusses Lemieux act and asks for its repeal.

General Nogi, commander-in-chief of Japanese forces, and his wife commit suicide when funeral of emperor starts

President Taft sends ultimatum to Mexico's president; must protect foreign interests or resign. United States will intervene if demands are not complied with.

SATURDAY.

Ten degrees of frost reported in Alberta.

Five drown near Chicago when canoe capsizes.

Japanese are iucensed at rumors of wholesale suicides.

Three are killed and many injured in tornado in New York state.

Governor general and party to enter province today from Lagan, Alta.

Government crop report reduces the estimate by ten million bushels.

Last mail of season from Seattle to White Horse by steamer goes by Dolphin.

Mrs Chamberlain denies report of Hou. Joseph Chamberlain's low condition; was out walking yesterday.

Western railways will be given an opportunity to explain why they should not be restrained from increasing freight rates

MONDAY.

Governor-general will open the new hospital in Kamloops today.

Sir Edward Carson will hold a demonstration to induce Ulsterites to resist home rule.

General Count Nogi was not aware of his wife's intention to commit harikari twenty four hours before his death.

General Pascual Orozco, Ja., supposed to be the commander-in-chief of the Mexican rebels in disguise, captured on American territory.

Bag containing 6000 sovereigns fonnd by natives digging at River Bank' believed to have been buried during the time of the siege of Ladysmith.

Dr. H. B. Bryce, medical superintendent of the Dominion government, delivers solemn warning against influx into the large cities of those who belong to open lands.

TUESDAY.

Teamsters strike in Edmonton.

Wheat yield in northern Alberta is heavy.

Fierce fight between the police and deputies in the Hungarian diet.

Twelve hundred miners strike at Cumberland. Nanaimo mines not affected.

Sixteen persons are killed when the Chester-Liverpool express crashes into a bridge buttress.

The British consular service will be placed at the disposal of the Canadian commercial interests.

Five hundred Chinese soldiers burned to death in a forest fire started by retreating Mongolians.

Carden hall, Cheshire, one of the most famous timbered mansions in England, is destroyed by fire.

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NOTICE

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TAKE NOTICE that I, Jacob M. Paulsen, Free Miner's Certificate No. 35818B, for myself and as agent for William H. Hoffman, executor, and Rosa Major, executrix, of the will of Catherine Hoffman. Free Miner's Certificate No. 35817B. Intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining crown grants of the above claims

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Cerificates of Improvement.

Dated this 4th day of May, A.D. 1912.

JACOB M. PAULSEN.

WEDNESDAY.

New Canadian history criticizes our militia system.

William G. Wills, of Hamilton, kills his wife, then commits suicide.

Governor general and party arrive in Vancouver; city presents brilliant spectacle.

Canadian Pacific railway agrees to compromise, and telegraphers' strike is avoided.

Canadian Mining Institute, in session at Victoria, urges appointment of a minister of mines.

New emperor of Japan invested with the insignia of the garter by a representative of King George.

General Nogi is regarden as a demigod by the Japanese people; shrines will henor his memory.

THURSDAY.

Perfect weather in Vancouver for the royal visitors.

Ulsterites covenant to use all means necessary to defeat home rule.

Canadian fruits will be displayed at the Festival of Empire, London.

Canadian Mining Institute, in session at Victoria, recommends seismograph department.

Ladysmith coal miners decide to strike in sympathy with the men who have gone out at Cumberland.

Western Associated Boards of Trade, in session at Moose Jaw, condemn land swindles.

Woodrow Wilson says trusts flourished under Roosevelt; ridicules proposed industrial commission.

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The Undiscovered Country

One of the chief attractions that the profession of medicine holds out to young men is its undiscovered country: its opportunities for research and exploration, in which the best type of mind rests and refreshes itself while it works. The same is true of certain other fields of science. Happy is the man who tills them, for he knows not what precious truth his plowshare may unearth, what great discovery may spring from the most casually planted seed. Do the young men of today understand that agriculture has become one of the most enchanted fields?

To the old-time farmer it would have seemed the height of absurdity to compare individual clover heads, to determine which was the best to breed from. Two heads of timothy are no more unlike than two heads of clover, yet the hay produced by the progeny of one head has been known to weigh twice as much to the acre as that produced by the offspring of the other. It was scientific plant-breeding that made this discovery.

Look at the milkweed. Its tender young leaves make excellent greens, but how about the silky floss that floats from the seed-pods, and the "milk" that exudes from the severed stalk, and the fiber, tough as flax, that composes the bulk of the stalk? Some one, some time, will find a way to use them profitably.

We have as yet no cure for pear-blight, peach-yellows, wither-tip or scaly bark, although each is a source of great loss to fruit growers. Some investigator of plant diseases will find the remedy, and count his reward as much in the intellectual joy of the discovery as in the knowledge that he has saved his own crops and added to the wealth of the country.

Soil investigations, plant physiology, insect pests and parasites, diseases of animals, the preservation of eggs—these are only a few of the unexplored corners of the farm.

Old prospectors say that although hunting and digging gold is one of the hardest forms of manual labor, it is one of the least tiring. The hours fly because there is always the lure of possible nuggets just ahead. To those who see its limitless opportunities, agriculture offers a similar satisfaction. No man will find farming a dull business who has the good sense to fix upon some specialty for investigation, and the brains to discover what nature so surely yields to persistency.—Youth's Companion.

Women and War

Women, by nature tender and compassionate, ought to be bitterly opposed to war. But it is a fact that women have again and again urged men on to war; the gentlest of women have from time immemorial admired the fearless and powerful warrior who could beat down his opponents with a single blow. Women have suffered much from war, but they have not in the past done much to end it.

It is a fundamental human instinct, working for the preservation of a virile race, that compels the woman, who dreads the sight of suffering, to admire the bravery of the man who is willing to risk his life in battle. But in these latter days we have learned that there is moral as well as physical courage, and that there may be bloodless victories, more glorious than Gettysburg or Waterloo.

Women have realized this more fully, perhaps, than men. Florence Nightingale and Clara Barton have won undying fame by their self-sacrificing labors to mitigate the horrors of war. It was a woman, Baroness von Sutner, who persuaded Alfred Nobel to devote part of his fortune to founding a prize for those who advance the cause of peace. In every country women are foremost in the promotion of that cause.

When men come to love justice and mercy more than military glory, it will be partly because the pity that women feel for the victims of war has caused them to delight no longer in the blood-stained heroes of the battlefield. And then, at last, war itself will cease.—Youth's Companion.

Just Obeyed Orders

"Drive like the deuce," shouted Smith, springing into a taxi.

With a lurch the car darted forward and away they went like lightning through the fog. Crash! They took off the wheel of a passing wagon. Hi! hi! They missed flattening out a small child by two-ninths of a hair. Clang! They upset a milk cart. People shouted, constables impotently held up their hands as the taxi dashed up one street and down another, taking corners on two wheels and threatening every lamp post with destruction.

At last after half an hour's furious racing, they slowed up in a narrow thoroughfare, and Smith poked his head out at the window.

"Are we nearly there?" he asked, breathlessly.

The chauffeur turned in his seat and shouted:

"Where did you want to go, sir"

Mutual

A well known judge standing at the door of a ballroom, when a very beautiful woman passed him.

"What a lovely woman," whispered the judge, but so loudly that the lady overheard his remark.

Turning her head, she recognized the speaker. "And what a good judge," she said, with a smile.

Personal Christmas Cards

A new sample book of the "Art" series of Personal Christmas Cards for 1912 has been received at The Sun office. These cards proved very popular last year. The designs this year are prettier than last year. The prices range from $1 per dozen upwards. Order early.

For Sale, at a Big Bargain—Five-room house and one lot on First street. Bath-room and toilet in house; good cellar, stable and wood shed; lots of small fruit. For price terms and further particulars apply on premises. W. J. Meagher.

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REV. CHAS. SAGER,
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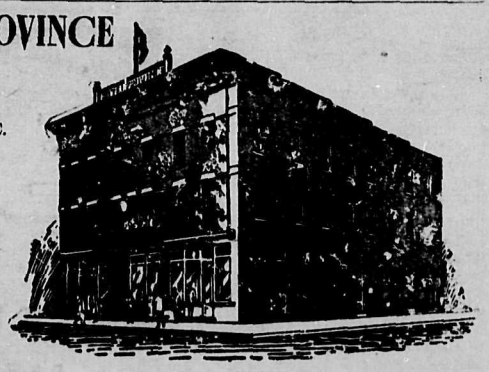

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2. If any person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrearages, or the publishers may continue to send it until payments are made, and collect the whole amount whether the paper is taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

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4. If a subscriber orders his paper stopped and the publisher continues to send it, the subscriber is bound to pay for it if he takes it out of the post office This proceeds upon the ground that a man must pay for what he uses

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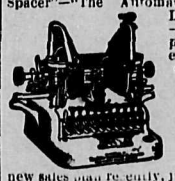

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This notice was posted on the ground on the 30th day of March, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Fairview

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

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In Doubt

Ten days C.B.! roared the colonel, angrily.

As he was marched out of the orderly room the delinquent was heard to indulge in insubordinate mutterings.

Twenty-one days, thundered the colonel, and the offender retired, observing that it would hardly give him time to settle down.

Make it a hundred and sixty-eight hours' cells cried the colonel, whereat the incorrigible Tommy openly gave his C.O. permission to keep the game up all day.

Cancel all previous sentences and remand him for court-martial, was the order.

Now, look here, expostulated the unrepentent private, let's clear up one point. Are you really the colonel of the Slogshire Light Infantry or some bally auctioneer.

Baboo English

The baboo English of India is usually commercial; but recently a baboo lawyer offered a fine example in a defence of a woman client.

My learned friend with mere wind from a teapot thinks to browbeat me from my legs, he asserted. He had probably a "tempest in a teacup" in mind. I only, seek, he continued earnestly, to place my bone of contention clearly in your honor's eye.

An Indian station-master, having been annoyed by a certain female milk-hawker, addressed the following remonstrance to her employer.

Honored Sir,—I beg you will remove your handmaiden of milk, as she is not a good-fellow, and we cannot stand her cheeks.

Something Like That

Teacher—The right to have more than one wife is called polygamy. What is it when only one wife is allowed a man?

Willy—Monotony, ma'am.— Lippincott's.

HOT WEATHER AILMENTS

A medicine that will keep children well is a great boon to every mother. This is just what Baby's Own Tablets do. An occasional dose keeps the little stomach and bowels right and prevents sickness. During the hot summer months stomach troubles speedily turn to fatal diarrhoea or cholera infantum and if Baby's Own Tablets are not at hand the child may die in a few hours. Wise mothers always keep the Tablets in the house and give their children an occasional dose to clear out the stomach and bowels and keep them well. Don't wait till baby is ill—the delay may cost a precious life. Get the Tablets now and you may feel reasonably safe. Every mother who uses the Tablets praise them and that is the best evidence that there is no other medicine for children so good. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

While carrying a ladder through the crowded streets of London, the other day, a big Irishman was so unfortunate as to break a plate-glass window in a shop. Immediately dropping his ladder, he broke into a run; but he had been seen by the shop-keeper who dashed after him and caught him by the collar.

See here! angrily exclaimed the shop-keeper when he had regained his breath. You have broken my window.

Sure I have, assented Pat; and didn't you see me running home to get the money to pay for it?

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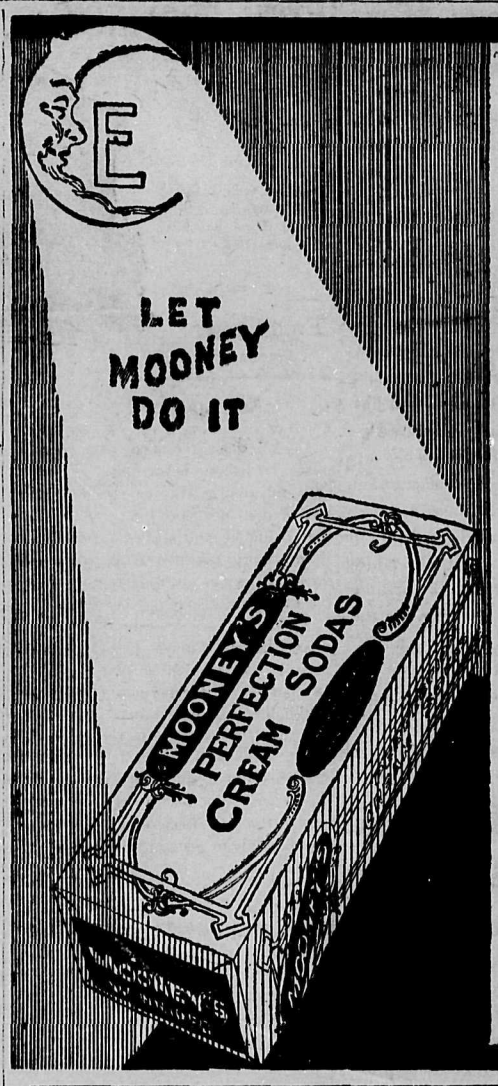

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Get the big package or the sealed tin—both of them damp proof, dust proof, dirt proof—and

"LET MOONEY DO IT"

The ladies had retired to the drawing-room, and the gentlemen, left to their coffee and cigars, were discussing the respective charms of English and foreign beauties.

Well, said the host, after most of the guests had aired their views, I will say this. I have kissed the witching French girl, the dainty Japanese, the dark-eyed Indian maiden, the lively American miss, and Spanish, Italian and Portuguese girls, but my wife's lips are sweetest of all.

Then a bronzed young subaltern called out from the other end of the table—

By gad! and that's a fact, sir.

The Foe of Indigestion.—Indigestion is a common ailment and few are free from it. It is a most distressing complaint and often the suffering attending it is most severe. The very best remedy is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills taken according to directions. They rectify the irregular action of the stomach and restore healthy action. For many years they have been a standard remedy for dyspepsia and indigestion and are highly esteemed for their qualities.

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A pompous and long-winded judge, in the midst of an unusually long and tedious address to the jury, suddenly noticed that one of the jurymen had fallen asleep. The indignation of his lordship was boundless. Rapping sharply on his desk, he aroused the slumberer, who seemed not at all abashed at being thus caught napping. After scanning him angrily for a few moments, the judge, in his most sarcastic tone, said—

So that's the way you attend to your duties is it? Do you think your opinion will be of any use when I send you out to determine the fate of the prisoner?

Yes, sir, the juryman replied quietly, I think so.

Oh, you do, do you? said the exasperated judge. Pray tell me, sir, how long have you been sleeping?

I don't know! was the reply. How long have you been talking?

108 Canadian farmers will receive cash prizes (twelve in each Province) in our big

1912 FARMERS' PRIZE CONTEST

WE held a contest last year in which 36 prizes were offered. This year there will be three times as many prizes (108) and therefore three times as many chances for you to win one of them. You do not have to use a large quantity of cement to win a prize. Many of last year's prize-winners used comparatively little cement.

THE contest is divided into three classes and in only one of these (Class "A") does the amount of cement used count in deciding prize winners. Class "B" is for doing the *best* concrete work (the size makes no difference). Class "C" is for sending in the best and clearest *description* of how any piece of concrete work was done.

THERE will be four prizes (First, $50; Second, $25; Third, $15; Fourth, $10) in each class in each Province. Thus you have only to compete with other farmers in your own Province, and not with those in all parts of Canada. This gives you the best possible chance to win a $50 prize.

IT COSTS NOTHING TO ENTER—There are absolutely no "strings" to this offer. There is no entry fee or red tape to bother with. You cannot lose, because the improvements you make of concrete in competing for the prizes will be more than worth their cost. We have a book, *"What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete,"* that will give you all the information about the use of concrete you can need. It will be sent to you free when you ask us for complete particulars of the Prize Contest. Ask for particulars to-day. Just say "Send me, free, your book and full particulars of the 1912 Prize Contest," on a post card and mail it *to-day.* **Address Publicity Manager,**

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Manager—Really! Well, I hope it'll draw better than you do!

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Irate Father—I'll teach you to kiss my daughter!

Young Man—Not necessary sir! I have just learnt.—Tit-Bits.

Unless worms be expelled from the system, no child can be healthy. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is the best medicine extant to destroy worms.

Salesman—Here you are, gentlemen—the greatest invention of the age!

Passer-by (stopping to listen)—What is it?

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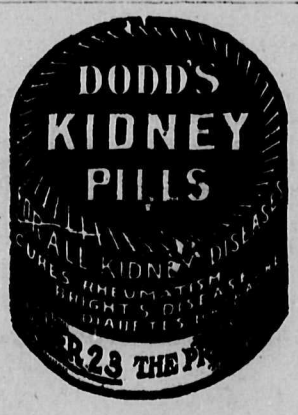
Three men were injured in the crowd that rushed to buy.

Nellie—Mr. Hotchpotch, what do *you consider the most delicate form* of flattery?

The Chappie—Telling a married man he don't look it.

Little Boy (to gardner)—Jones, why do you always pull your barrow behind you, instead of pushing it?

Jones—'Cos I 'ates the sight of the beastly thing.



Never Thought of it

Gibbs—I can't find "aeroplane" in this dictionary.

Dibbs—Have you looked on the fly leaf?—Boston Transcript.

Attacks of cholera and dysentery come quickly, there seldom being any warning of the visit. Remedial action must be taken just as quickly if the patient is to be spared great suffering and permanent injury to the lining membranes of the bowels. The readiest preparation for the purpose is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It can be got at small cost at any drug store or general dealer's, and it will afford relief before a doctor can be called.

Divination

I am very observant, sir, and from the way you winced when I stamped on your foot, I conclude you have pedal afflictions

Say no more. I acknowledge the corn.—Baltimore American.

The Struggling Lawyer (pompously)—Anything unusual happen while I was out?

Office Boy (after some thought)—Yes, sir. There wasn't any debt collectors called.

Young Lady—Well, Mrs. Smith, won't you have another piece of cake?

Old Lady (eyeing the ham sandwich)—Well, mum, if it's all the same to you I'd rather 'ave a taste o' summat as has drawed breath.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

Elderly Gentleman—Now then you naughty boy; I'll have you locked up! You know you're not allowed to smoke. You'll never live to grow up, to be a man like me if you do that!

Promising Youthlet—If I'm goin' t'r 'ave whiskers and a face like yours, I don't want to grow up guv'nor!

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BOWSER INVESTS.

And His Wife Also Discovers a Good Thing.

SEES MILLIONS IN CATTAILS.

Raising Ostrich Feathers in a Swamp. Mrs. B.'s Ill Timed Humor in Proposing the Manufacture of Leather From Orange Peel.

By M. QUAD.

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OH, no, Mr. Bowser didn't kick open the gate nor bang the front door nor throw his hat on the floor instead of hanging it on a peg—not this time.

He opened the gate as tenderly as one handling dynamite—almost waited to knock at the door—and when he had entered the hall he carried a fatherly smile on his face.

No glaring at the cat as she came forward, no turning up his nose at the dinner, no declaring the coffee to be the worst slop ever set before a man with a palate not made of sheet iron.

Just good. Just real good. Just nice and sweet and lovely. Just so lovely that Mrs. Bowser wondered if the honeymoon was to come back after all the long years.

In High Good Humor.

At times while the meal lasted Mr. Bowser smiled blandly, at other times complacently. He also uttered a chuckle now and then and poked himself in the ribs for a good fellow, a sharp fellow, a fellow that knew a gold brick from a summer squash.

And Mrs. Bowser also smiled and made throaty sounds and put on knowing looks, and the cat winked at the cook, and all went off like a New

"CONVERT LEMON PEELS INTO ALLIGATOR SKINS."

Hampshire church deacon sliding down hill on an ox sled and tipping over the barns in his path.

"Now, then," began Mr. Bowser as he finally led the way up to the sitting room, "you are, of course, aware that something good has happened."

"Yes, dear."

"I have long wished to be a million aire."

"I know."

"Well, the day has arrived at last."

"I'm so glad!"

"I knew you would be. Mrs. Bowser, you have never considered me a brainy man, have you?"

"Why, you are not a great statesman!"

Some Confessions.

"Just an average man that goes sloshing around? I know enough to jump over the fence when I hear an earthquake coming, but not enough to be secretary of state. That's about the way you sized me up, I take it

"Yes."

"I don't blame you, for I haven't seemed to amount to much heretofore. But now, however"—

"Yes—what?"

"Right here in my head—in my brain pan. Brains got to working at last Result—$1,000,000."

"You don't tell me!"

"Astonished, are you? Found a new Bowser? Not a great statesman like Chauncey Depew, but he hauls in a little $1,000,000 from a simple idea Just as easy as rolling off a log, and yet all the great minds of the world have passed it by for centuries."

"You astound me, Mr. Bowser!"

"I thought I should. Mrs. Bowser, you were born and brought up in the country"

"Yes."

"You have seen thousands of cattails growing in swamps?"

"Yes."

"They grow on long stalks, and at the end there is something that looks like a banana. It's called a plume."

"I know. I have gathered hundreds of them."

The Great Idea.

"Well, a farmer brought one into the office today. The instant my eyes lighted on it I got an idea—the idea—the million dollar idea."

"To sell them to school children for real bananas?" asked Mrs. Bowser.

Mr. Bowser smiled at her indulgently and asked:

"What does a fine ostrich plume cost?"

"Why, you can go as high as $20."

"Where do most of them come from?"

"Africa, I believe."

"Right you are, and the demand is always away ahead of the supply. The profit on a $6 plume is $4.50. Suppose, Mrs. Bowser, that we didn't have to send to Africa or California for ostrich plumes. Suppose we counted the ostrich right out of the business. Suppose I could furnish $10 plumes at a clear profit of $9.90 to myself."

"But how can it be possible?"

"Ha, ha, ha! Where do the cattails come in? See?"

"You would make them into ostrich plumes?"

"With the use of various dyes. That's the secret; that's the idea. The farmer has three acres of swamp grown up to cattails, and I leased it for $50 a year. He went away grinning, but he'll sing a different tune when I begin to haul in my $1,000,000. Going up there tomorrow to begin gathering stock. What do you think?"

Mrs. B.'s "Good Thing."

"It's wonderful, but I must tell you that I've got something most as good. I don't think there's more than $500,000 in it, but that will help some."

"But I don't like the idea of you making investments without consulting me," he replied as his smile faded.

"Oh, but I didn't have to invest a dollar. The idea came to me as it did to you—in a flash."

"Well, what is it?"

"You—you won't give it away?"

"Of course not!"

"Well, how many oranges does the world consume every year?"

"Millions."

"Say billions, Mr. Bowser. What becomes of at least two-thirds of the peelings?"

"Thrown aside."

"That's it. There you are. Suppose all these peelings could be saved. Suppose one even had to pay 50 cents a bushel for them."

"By a Chemical Process."

"And then what?"

"By a chemical process turn them into leather—yards and rods of leather—the same leather you see in most of the shoes advertised."

"But what chemicals would do it?" asked Mr. Bowser after sitting for a moment as if stunned.

"I'm still experimenting on that, but I think that epsom salts and chloride of lime will do the trick. I figure that I can make the leather for about $10 an acre and sell it for a thousand. After the first year I may sell out to the leather trust. They are in the market for a good thing. I should ask you to come in with me, but you'll be busy with your cattails."

"Woman, what—what is this?" shouted Mr. Bowser as he stood up.

"And I think I might convert lemon peels into alligator skins," she went on. "Just think how many could be picked up at Coney Island in a day by a hustling boy!"

"I don't understand, by thunder, I don't!"

He Catches the Point.

And then he caught the smile on Mrs. Bowser's mouth, and when she was forced to laugh aloud he roared:

"Insulted! Insulted and humiliated in my own house! By the living jingo, but this is too much—too much!"

"But those cattails! Those ostrich plumes!"

"Mrs. Bowser, I leave the house! I leave it never to enter it again! No living, breathing woman can make a fool of me!"

"But you know"—

"Too late! Too late!"

And he stamped down the hall and was in such a hurry to get outdoors that he carried his hat in his hand and his overcoat on his arm. He did not go far or stay away long, however. He went over and told his story to the druggist, and the man of hair dyes and plasters soothingly said:

"Bowser, there is just one way you can get ahead of that wife of yours."

"How?"

"Get admitted to an idiot asylum."

True to Form.

The Anonymous Correspondents were holding a reunion.

Veritas had told a fish story.

Fair Play had sung a comic song that he knew one of the others was intending to sing.

Justitia had occupied twice the time that had been allotted to him.

Pro Bono Publico had made a speech advocating a wide open town.

Vindex had been called a liar and had not resented it.

Pax Vobiscum had raised a fuss because the cigars were five centers.

"Gentlemen," spoke the toastmaster, "I should like to hear a few words from our silent friend on the other side of the table, whose name I seem to be unable to recall."

"Never mind me," said the silent friend. "I'm Vox Populi; I never talk except when I have something to kick about."—Chicago Tribune.

Cause For Thanksgiving.

Even if you are not getting what you want be thankful that you are not getting what you deserve.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Honeymoon Lie.

She—And you say that you have always avoided blaming me. I'd like to have you mention one instance.

He—With pleasure. I remember right after we were married I ate a pie you baked, and when the doctor came I told him it was clams.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Doomed.

The dove of peace her pinions loosed
And softly sang this sad refrain:
"No matter now how high I roost,
They'll get me with an aeroplane."
—Washington Star.

Can't Keep From Harping on It.

Generally the trouble with a man who does another a favor is that he can't forget it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Bad Advertisement.

Hairdresser's Wife—Dad, Charley says please don't come into the saloon for a bit.

Dad—And why not, pray?

Hairdresser's Wife—I ain't sure, but I think he's booking a big order for his new hair restorer.—Sydney Bulletin.

Johnny's Surmise.

"But, pa," whimpered Johnny, "ma's spanked me already for bein' sassy to her."

"Well, I'm going to wallop you for it, too," retorted his father. "And do you know why?"

"Well," said Johnny, resolved to get the greatest amount of satisfaction out of a hopeless state of affairs, "I guess it's becuz what's sass for the goose is sass for the gander."

Whereupon pa laid it on just a tride harder.—Harper's Weekly.

As Pope Said, Differently.

Nearly every man feels that he would be a great deal healthier if he only had some different kind of a job.—Puck.

Nothing Too Good.

"Captain," said a wealthy passenger who was about to take his first trip across the ocean, "I understand this ship has got several water tight compartments?" "Yes, sir," was the reply. "Captain," the passenger went on decidedly, "I want one o' those compartments—don't care what it costs!"

Wires Tangled.

Thomas A. Edison was accepting blandly a reporter's apology for an error in a quotation.

"Oh," Mr. Edison said, "I am rather well used to being misquoted. Electrical terms are always confusing to the lay mind. No wonder. Listen to this."

Here Mr. Edison drew a telegram from his pocket.

"I got this telegram from an assistant electrician this morning," he said. "Listen." And he read:

"'Wire with no outside outside. Put inside wire outside and outside inside. Need more outside for inside.'"—

Not a Contemporary.

That was a grand idea of Joe Weber and Lew Fields to get their old company together as nearly as possible. But there is such a thing as carrying realism too far. One day Weber was scanning the chorus of the new show.

"Where'd you get that grand old lady, Bill?" he asked of William Raymond Sill, pointing to one girl who should have been at home rocking her youngest grandchild to sleep.

"A newspaper man asked me to place her," said Sill.

"What newspaper man?" asked Weber. "Horace Greeley?"—Cincinnati Times-Star.

AN OLD FASHIONED ROOM.

WHY, don't you remember the little square room?
'Twas out in the "L" where the white locusts bloom
Dropped down on the shingles so snowy an' sof',
An' little boys sobbed all the plasterin' off
For skates or for somethin' that, likely as not,
Before they'd done teasin' an' coaxin' they got,
For where is the parunts in Christendom ain't
Partial t' little folks' style o' complaint?

An' when it come time t' git ready for bed
A little boy shadow climbed on up ahead,
Excep' when he got there he'd growed up so tall
He reached to the pepper pods strung on the wall.
He aped you an' mocked you an' tagged you about
Till you blowed both the lamp an' the shadow boy out,
An' all there was left was the stars shinin' through
The little bits winders an' blinkin' at you!

In winter 'twas snowy, an' one broken pane
Would let in the snow, an' in summer the rain
Would drip down the hole where the plaster was gone
An' wan't so partikler of what it dripped on
An' like enuff peck y' in the eye or the ear
Until you was swimmin' in rain pretty near,
An' mother would scold, but your father says, "No!
A plenty o' rain helps a little chap grow."

It wasn't the best, but I'll bet y' tonight,
With all of your worries an' sleepin' so light,
You stretch out your bones on your new-fangled bed
An' long for the scent of the bloom overhead,
You hark like enuff for the drip o' the rain
Or look for a sight o' the stars through the pane,
An' then 'fore you know, spite of worries an' gloom,
You've dropped off to sleep in an old fashioned room!
—John D. Wells in Buffalo News.

Such Is a Literary Career!

Booth Tarkington was talking in Indianapolis about a novelist of the "highbrow" type, one of those half starved novelists whose reviews are much more remarkable than their sales.

"As this novelist, shabby and cold," said Mr. Tarkington, "was walking in Fifth avenue one wintry afternoon there glided past the magnificent motorcar of a publisher who had brought out one of the poor fellow's books at a heavy loss.

"The publisher signaled to his chauffeur, the car stopped, and the novelist, in reply to a wave of the millionaire's hand, presented himself at the window of the car humbly.

"The publisher, wrapped in furs, said:

"'There's a great big manuscript nearly falling out of your hip pocket. If you weren't so well known'—

"Here the publisher removed the superb Havana cigar from his mouth and laughed a loud, scornful laugh.

"'If you weren't so well known,' he repeated, 'I guess you'd have had your pocket picked.'"—Washington Star.

"Dibbles started to church last Sunday."

"That was a step in the right direction."

"True, but unfortunately a step was as far as it went."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Teacher—How old would a person be this year who was born in 1884?

Over Sophisticated Scholar—Was it a man or a woman?—Lippincott's Magazine.

My wife finds fault with my shoes,
My wife finds fault with my tie,
My wife finds fault with my views,
And I find fault with her pie.

My wife finds fault with my clothes,
My wife finds fault with my size,
My wife finds fault with my nose,
But I find fault with her pies.
—Buffalo Express.

Invading the Enemy's Country.

"In pursuance of a plan I have had in mind for some time," announced Pastor Goodsole at the close of his sermon, "I have rented a small room in an apartment house in a fashionable neighborhood and expect to open a mission Sunday school there on the first Sunday in May. I don't know, brethren, where the children who attend it are to come from, if, indeed, any children attend it at all, but it will be there all summer and may be regarded either as an opportunity or as a reproach. We will now sing our closing hymn."—Chicago Tribune.

The Third Person.

I know a man, accounted wise,
Who thinks himself an ancient make
Of musket. Breakfast food supplies
His powder and a Hamburg steak
The bullet, while a flannel cake
Acts as the wadding. Then away
He shoots for all that fighting day—
Shoots to his car, shoots to his work,
Shoots here, shoots there,
Shoots everywhere
A dollar may be thought to lurk;
Shoots out to luncheon, shoots to drink,
Shoots home at night too tired to think,
Shoots through the news and, spent at last,
Drops, thankful that the day is past.
For all this stress from dawn to sleep
He gets his victuals, clothes and keep.
Ho, ho! A foolish man is he—
And very much like you and me.

Points for Mothers

Correcting Children in Public.

A habit that parents have acquired is that of reproving their little ones in public, causing them endless mortification. There is something very small in the idea of wishing to cause a child humiliation and pain, and yet there are hundreds of parents who do it ten times a day, meaning only the best for their children. The parent's sole thought is, "I'll shame my little one so that he'll never do such a thing again," forgetting what marks that shame will leave on the child's character.

Every one has met the mother who is continually nagging at her children. For instance, she will choose the opportunity to say to her little girl, when the room is full of guests, "For goodness' sake, Betty, can't you sit up straight? Here's just the way you're bunched over." Then a caricatured imitation of the child's drooping shoulders is given. Or else it is, "Can't you be still one moment?" or "I never saw such an awkward child in my life," each one of these remarks sending a sharp sting to the heart of the little girl, already self conscious under the eyes of so many people. Yet this is a most conscientious, devoted mother.

Once in awhile one meets a mother who realizes the pangs that humiliation brings to children, and she does the wise thing. For instance, such a mother does not send her mischievous son away from the table when there are guests present with a sharp reproof for misbehaviour. She calls him pleasantly to her side, whispers to him to wait a few minutes, then to excuse himself and go to his room. This spares him the needless pain of public exposure. You may be sure that the son of such a mother would grow up quite as obedient as the boy with the nagging parent, and the first boy would have the perfect breeding which comes from constant association with well bred people.

Children's Manners.

Good manners as well as charity should begin at home; therefore parents cannot begin too early to teach their children how to talk and how to behave.

A child should say "Yes, father," "No, Mrs. Blank," or "Thank you, Miss So-and-so," never "No, sir," "Yes, ma'am," or merely "Yes," "No" or "Thank you." The latter forms of speech are used by servants only.

A child should always wait to be spoken to by an older person. He or she should never interrupt in a conversation.

A boy can hardly learn too early that he should stand when a woman or young girl enters the room or comes to the dining table after he is seated. All children, both boys and girls, should be taught to stand whenever they are spoken to by older persons. No child should remain seated when older persons are standing in the group of which they are members.

To lose one's temper with a child is one of the greatest mistakes a parent can make. In a child's mind to be "mad" is naughty; therefore when father or mother is angry or irritable the child notices it and feels that if his or her parents can do this why should they scold the child for the very same fault? Example means everything to a child; therefore if you want your child not only to be good and clever, but to have good manners and to talk well, remember you parents set the example in all.

Nightrobe For Baby.

It is essential that infants and small children should be well protected at night, as they are very apt to kick the bed covering off, sometimes with serious results in the way of croup and colds.

Therefore, it is best to provide your young children with long nightrobes made of flannelette or soft, thin flannel that completely cover their little feet.

Make the robe or gown perfectly plain and have it button in front.

The back width is cut about six inches longer than the front and finished with a deep hem in which buttonholes are worked. Finish the front breadth with a hem and sew on flat buttons, then when baby goes to sleep button the gown over at the bottom so he cannot possibly uncover his little limbs.

The sleeves of the gown are made plain and long enough to cover the hands.

Above the hands a little casing is placed and a drawstring or ribbon serves to close the sleeve like the top of a bag, thus keeping little hands snug and warm

NEWS OF THE CITY IN BRIEF

W. H. M. May, inspector of schools, was in town on Monday and Tuesday in answer to the request of residents at the head of Smelter lake for a school in their vicinity. It is possible that a school will be established there under the name "Haliday." While in town Mr. May undertook to define the new school district of Berrydale, on Deep creek, which established this spring.

W. J. McIntyre and Gaston Lequime requime returned on Wednesday from a three days' hunting trip to Lynch creek They say game is plentiful in that section. Evidently they left their ammunition at home, because they returned empty handed. They were too honest to make a bluff by purchasing a few birds and deer from other sportsmen on their to the city.

Peter A. Z. Pare now feels confident that he will finish clearing his twenty acres of land next summer. It ie about six years since he started on this work, and he intend to take it easy when it is completed. If every many now living had cleared as much land, the next generation would have to make a very close search for hard work to do.

There are twenty-five men and five teams are now at work on the Grand Forks-Phoenix wagon road. The work so far has been of a very heavy nature, necessitating a liberal use of powder. Joseph Darragh, who is in charge of the work, thinks the road will reach the Canadian Pacific railway crossing at Gro Denoro in about a month.

The citizens' meeting in the city hall on Monday night was well attended. Fred Clark presided. The Doukhobor situation was discussed generally, and arrangements were made to procure a list of witnesses to testify at sitting of the commission here next week.

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J. A. McCallum, purchased the steel works at the tax sale last week. Mr. McCallum has not yet decided whether to convert the building into an incubator factory or a dance pavilion.

The C. P. R. section house near the stock yards in the West end is being moved farther in order to make room for additional sidetracks.

Wm. Farmer is making good progress on the construction of his double residence near the Hotel Pacific in the West end.

Bricklaying has been started on W. K. C. Manly's and the Boundary Trust & Investment company's buildings.

The residence of George L. Elkins, in Phoenix, was destroyed by fire last week.

The walls of the new $45,000 post office will be completed in about two weeks.

Last Wednesday ended the mid-week half holiday season during the present year.

The Sun's new heading, printed for the first time in this issue, was designed by T. P. O'Farrel, of this city.

Take your repairs to Armson's Boot and Shoe Hospital, Bridge street, Grand Forks.

Valuable Maps

The Sun has received ten new maps of British Columbia districts from the office of the surveyor-general. They have recently been compiled by the department, and include maps of the province, the northern interior of Vancouver island, pre-emption maps of the Nechaco and Fort George-Quesnelle districts, sheets of Nelson and Rossland, a map of southwestern British Columbia, and one of the west coast of Vancouver island. The pre-emption maps of the Nechaco and Fort George-Quesnelle districts are particularly valuable at this time. Any of The Sun readers interested in that section of the province are invited to call and examine them.

ORE SHIPMENTS

The following are the returns of the ore production of the Boundary mines for the week, and also for the year to date:

Granby	24,049	839,811
Mother Lode	6.241	337,839
Rawhide	6,012	158,187
Jackpot		12,237
Athelstan		340
Emma		4,901
Napoleon	342	6,878
Lone Star		2,022
Others	340	10,440
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Granby	24,900	920,435
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Mining Stock Quotations

SPOKANE, Sept. 19.—The following are today's opening quotations for the stocks mentioned:

	Bid.	Asked
Granby Consolidated.	57.00	60.00
B. C. Copper.....	5.25	5.75

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