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Town Jottings.

The Payne concentrator is going ahead very rapidly.

E. C. Chipman, provincial assessor, was in the city this week.

A. B. Gray who was very ill here some days ago, died in Nelson shortly after his return.

Bradstreet's man was here the other day. He says the country is not in a healthy condition.

Silverton and New Denver combined are going to try conclusions with the Slocan hockeyists.

The C. P. R. is going to spend a quarter of a million dollars on its Kootenay branches this year.

The Rossland school board is adding to its teaching staff and advancing the salaries of the teachers.

Even the Ledge has copied the Bluestreak's cock and bull yarn about a reduction of the Everett smelter rates.

Victoria has gone Liberal the first time in its history, electing Riley by 420 majority, for the House of Commons, over Barnard.

During the week the thermometer has run from 10 to 20 below zero. Three years ago, however, at this time, it went a few nights to 24.

They came within an ace of having a good healthy fire at the Payne residence the other night. Timely action when the fire was just taking hold saved the structure.

Chas. Walmsley has bought out his brother's interest in the draying business, and is now in harness. George is going to the Horsefly country in the spring.

A miner named Alexander Fraser was accidentally killed in the Last Chance mine on Wednesdsy. While working in the tunnel a cave-in took place, killing him almost instantly. He was said to be a steady, respectable man.

The Nelson Tribune has the Minnesota Silver Co. operating the Alamo mine. This probably has resulted from a confusion of names. That company is operating the Ivanhoe and not the Idaho or the Alamo. G. W. Hughes looks after the two latter.

The Methodists held a very pleasant social in the church on Thursday evening. Tea, music and recitations constituted the programme. The most satisfactory feature of it was that all were pleased with the entertaining lines of the evening.

A couple of chaps personated in the late Slocan municipal elections and got two months apiece for it. Served them right. Any man can vote in a British Columbia municipal election by paying a $5 business tax, and that ought to be cheap enough for any one.

On Wednesday an accident occurred to a miner at the Whitewater mine, whose name we are unable to learn. He was by some means knocked several feet down a shaft and badly bruised. Dr. Hartin, of Kaslo, came up to attend him.

C. E. Fielding, one of the locators of the famous Arlington mine at Slocan, has filed in Spokane his answer in the suit brought by Frank Watson against him and asks for $32,000. Watson had started suit against Fielding for $9,700, claimed to be due for services rendered. Fielding's answer makes some serious charges against plaintiff Warson, claiming that through misrepresentations he defrauded Fielding out of stock in the Arlington mines to the value of $32,000.

Mr. and Mr. T. Sharp are visiting friends in Nelson.

Lead and copper are going up a little in the London market.

Stock-taking is all the rage now. There is plenty of leisure to do it in.

L. Pratt, manager of the Last Chance, is on a short business trip to Spokane.

The Rev. "Father Pat" who used to be stationed at Rossland, died in Montreal on Sunday last.

W. D. Wrighter, of Spokane, and H. Coleman, of Pittsburg, both interested in the American Boy, were up to the property last week, and found things quite satisfactory.

There will be a hockey match Saturday evening between the Sandon Juniors and Kaslo clubs at Kaslo. A special rate has been secured on the K. & S. good to go Saturday, February 1st, returning good until Monday, at rate of single fare for 10 hockey players, and fare of $2.75 round trip for the public.

Section 22 of the School Act provides that in city school districts the qualifications for voters are the same as those for mayor, and clause 28 says no one can be elected a trustee who is not an elector. As one of the newly appointed trustees is not an elector for mayor he cannot be a trustee, even if properly elected. It is also a point of law whether or not a man can hold the dual office of trustee and alderman. Of course, the Board of Education in Victoria must decide these points.

Ald. Brown knows there was a mistake in not having school trustees mentioned in the aldermanic proclamation, and blames Mr. Cliffe, as sec. treas. of the board last year, for not having called the attention of the council to the law on the subject. It was the duty of City Clerk Lyons to have done that, as Mr. Cliffe is not paid for posting either the clerk or the council. This paper has frequently called the attention of the council to such things in the past and has never been thanked for it.

Mines and Mining.

The Neepawa is now going to ship regularly.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Reco mine will be held this month.

The Molly Gibson is now shipping 12 tons of ore daily, and will shortly increase the tonnage.

They claim to have found placer gold at Sumas, and there is a rush to that locality.

Geo. W. Hughes is shipping steadily from the Sunset. He meets with no phenominal finds, but a good streak of high grade ore.

The Payne has the lead in No. 8 or its lowest tunnel, but without any particular ore body so far. It has, however, an excellent showing in No. 6 tunnel.

The Silversmith, one of the Slocan Star group, is exceeding itself by leaps and bounds. Seventy-three sacks of ore were taken out in one day the first of the week. There are now in the face of the tunnel seven feet of ore, most of which is clean and of very high grade. Sacking and stoping are going on steadily and an orehouse will be erected at once. Byron White is not yet fully aware of the magnitude of this find, and many surmise that when he learns all the facts, he will order the opening up of the Slocan Star again in full force.

Coming to a Head.

Matters are coming to a head so far as mining in this country is concerned. It looks now as if we had seen the worst of things and that another year will not have elapsed before silver lead mining in B. C. is on a footing to make something for the owners, to give employment to miners and place commercial business on a much better footing. Rere is from the Spokesman-Review:

Nelson, Jan. 25—E. D. Sanders of Spokane, who is interested in the Sullivan Group Mining company, is a guest at the Hume. He has just returned from a visit to the property, in East Kootenay. Mr. Sanders says that his compay intends on the completion of its smelter and lead refinery at Marysville, in East Kootenay, to add a lead corroding works for the purpose of manufacturing white lead.

"What is the use," said Mr. Sanders, "of selling our lead for 1.2 cents per pound, when we can take the bullion and refine it into pig lead, take the pig lead and corrode it into white lead and get 5 cents per pound for it! We have made some inquiries into the question and have found out considerable about the business of white lead manufacturing. Formerly it took from three to six weeks to corrode lead, but under a new process the corroding can be accomplished in two or three days.

"The plant required for the new process, as I understand it, does not cost nearly as much as one for the old process. We believe that we will be the pioneer white lead manufacturers in Canada.

"So far as the smelter and lead refinery are concerned, we are rushing construction and the orders to the builders are to push matters, no matter what the exdense may be, to the end that the smelter and lead refinery may be completed by June 1. The frames of the smelter buildings are up. The fire brick is on the ground and so is most of the material for the furnaces. We have our powerheuse finished and the generators and water wheels should soon come to hand. The plant will have a capacity of 800 horse power and will be used to run the crushers and other machinery in our smelter. The C. P. R. trains run to and from Kimberly pass through Marysville and a spur has been constructed to our smelter site.

This is followed up as follows from the Montreal Star:

Montreal, Jan. 24.—It is understood the Canadian Paint company is considering the proposal to establish a factory for the manufacture of white and red lead and litharge from lead mined in British Columbia. The decision of the Canadian Pacific railway to establish a lead refinery has brought the matter to a head. Thousands of tons of lead are now imported, chiefly from Germany, some of it manufactured from lead ore actually mined in British Columbia. It is understood now that the establishment of a factory merely depends upon the government extending sufficient protection to the promoters. The cost of machinery, etc., is very high.

What would be best for this country all around immediately is reciprocity with the United States as then we would get there what the American mines get from the trust, about four cents for lead in bullion at present. If we cannot get that let us have reciprocity in tariff and exclude importations of lead in every form from Canada, manufacture to meet all requirements and then have choice of export in raw lead or manufactured, as markets offer; for our surplus. But one of these alternatives is the only salvation for silver-lead mining in Canada; and the sooner the people compel the Ottawa government to take action the better for the whole of Canada. It may compel Canadians to pay a little more, for a time, for their requirements; but it will give employment to many now out of it, and build up in this province a large consuming population for the products of the eastern provinces.

Curling.

If the prevailing cold weather continues, as yet there has been no one endowed with prophetical powers enough to forcast to the contrary) the indications are that the Bonspiel to be held here on this month will terminate successfully. The affair will continue for five successive days commencing on Friday the 17th inst. and ending the following Tuesday inclusive. In the matter of representation the 'spell will be well patronized from outside points as Nelson, Rossland, Revelstoke have so far signified their intention of sending rinks, but the number at the present juncture has not been determined upon. As well as the towns named it is expected that the Boundary and other points will swell the number. We annex a summary of the trophies so far arranged to be played for, viz:

Geo. Tuckett & Co. of Hamilton, will this year present four medals to the winner of their handsome cup.

The New York Life Insurance Co., donators of the Grand Challenge cup, have through their Winnipeg manager, J. G. Morgan, signified their intention of giving four gold medals with their cup.

The Hudson Bay Co. have given notice that they will again put up four valuable souvenirs to accompany their fine cup.

W. T. Oliver, Esq., gives four prizes to the losing rink in the finals for his trophy.

Sandon Curling Club will present four valuable prizes to accompany the Hon. C. H. McIntosh's all comers cup.

M. L. Grimmett, president of the Association, gives four prizes to accompany the Oliver cup.

E. R. Atherton donates a prize for points.

N. J. Cavanaugh's rink composed of Thos. Robertson, 1st; Chas. McLachlan 2nd; Thos. Brown, 3rd, and Nick Cavanaugh, skip, won the club schedule prize of four sweaters.

A new schedule is now being played for E. R. Atherton's prizes. Competition is keen.

Many of our townspeople were shocked on Monday evening to hear of the accidental killing of J. Roderick Robertson, of Nelson, in New York that day. The press reports say he was killed in the Murray Hill hotel by flying debris from a dynamite explosion. They are excavating in that city near that hotel for a tunnel, and by some means a store of dynamite exploded and did the work. Some 75 people in that hotel were either killed or hurt, and some hundreds were hurt or killed in the city altogether. Mr. Robertson was one of the most prominent and successful mining men in the Kootenays. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn his untimely end.

The following are the ore shipments from Sandon, for the week were:

Mine.	Tons.
Ivanhoe	40
Sunset	20
Last Chance	20
Aeco	20
American Boy	21

EPILEPSY CURABLE.

A DISEASE THAT HAS LONG BAFFLED MEDICAL SKILL.

Mr. M. A. Gauthier, of Buckingham, Gives His Experience for the Benefit of Other Sufferers from This Terrible Malady.

From the Post, Buckingham, Que.

We venture to say that in our town of 3,000 inhabitants few business men are better known than Mr. M. A. Gauthier, the young and hustling butcher of Main street. He wasn't, however, as energetic or as hustling a couple of years ago as he is to-day, and for a good reason—he wasn't well. Having gone into business ere reaching his majority his desire to succeed was such that no heed was paid to keeping the body in the state of health necessary to stand a strain, and in consequence of the extra demands upon the system it became run down to such an extent that epilepsy or falling sickness resulted, and these lapses into unconsciousness becoming alarmingly frequent he consulted physicians and took some remedies, but without beneficial results. Finally seeing Dr. Williams' Pink Pills advertised as a cure for falling sickness he decided to give them a trial. As to the result the Post cannot do better than give Mr. Gauthier's story in his own words: "Yes," said Mr. Gauthier, "for nearly four years I suffered from epilepsy or falling fits, which took me without warning and usually in most inconvenient places. I am just twenty-four years of age, and I think I started business too young and the fear of failing spurred me to greater efforts perhaps than was good for my constitution, and the consequence was that I became subject to those attacks which came without any warning whatsoever, leaving me terribly sick and weak after they had passed. I got to dread their recurrence very much. I consulted doctors and took their remedies to no purpose, the fits still troubled me. I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills advertised and determined to try them. I did so, and the medicine helped me so much that I got more and kept on taking them, until to-day I am as well, yes better, than I ever was, and am not troubled at all by epilepsy or the fear of the fits seizing me again. Thinking there may be others similarly afflicted, I give my story to the Post; it may perhaps lead them to give this great medicine a trial."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a positive cure for all diseases arising from impoverished blood, or a weak or shattered condition of the nervous system. Every dose makes new, rich, red blood and gives tone to the nerves, thus curing such diseases as epilepsy, St. Vitus' dance, paralysis, rheumatism, sciatica, heart troubles anaemia, etc. These pills are also a cure for the ailments that make the lives of so many women a constant misery. They are sold in boxes, the wrapper around which bears the full name—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Can be procured from druggists or will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

SNAIL RACES.

Some Florentian experts in snailology, finding time hang heavy on their hands, conceived the idea of accurately calculating the travelling speed of snails, and, with this end in view, it was decided to make a series of more or less elaborate experiments. Half-a-dozen of the molluscs were permitted to crawl between two points 10 feet apart. Exact time was kept from the start to the finish, and thus the average pace was ascertained. The experimenters reduced their figures into tables of feet, and thus found that it would take a snail exactly fourteen days to travel a mile.

Dyspepsia Specialist (irritably)—"But, madam, you must chew your food. What were your teeth given you for?" Female Patient (calmly) "They weren't given to me—I bought 'em."

EVENING WAIST.

32 to 40 Bust.

All waists of light fabrics made in baby fashion are in the height of style for evening wear and are both charming and almost universally becoming. The very pretty model illustrated is of louisine silk, in a soft shade of pink, banded with black velvet ribbon and finished with a drapery of pink tulle at the neck. Over the shoulders are black velvet straps, covered with embroidery in pink and white and held by fancy ornaments. All soft pliable materials are, however, appropriate and the waist can be raised either by being made high, with yoke and long sleeves or low with elbow sleeves, having the shoulders cut away or not, as shown in small drawings.

The lining is carefully fitted and closes at the centre front. The full soft back and fronts are simply gathered at upper and lower edges and arranged over the foundation. The extension straps are cut in one with the waist and covered with any desired material. The tulle bertha is shirred on indicated lines and arranged over the neck edge. When yoke and sleeves are desired they can be made of the same or contrasting material either as a separate guimpe with the lining for a foundation as part of the waist. The elbow sleeves are both fashionable and cut on exceptionally good lines, as the puffs fall exactly at the elbows so allowing perfect freedom for the arms.

To cut this waist for a woman of medium size 2 yards of material 21 or 27 inches wide, or 1⅞ yards 44 inches wide will be required with 2½ yards of all-over lace for yoke and long sleeves, 1½ yards for elbow sleeves and one yard of chiffon or tulle for bertha.

THE MOST THRIFTY PEOPLE.

Norwegians are surely the most thrifty of Europeans. The average age income of the inhabitants of Norway, according to the census of 1901, is 326 kroner, or about $85 a year. Small as this is, the people are able to save, for there is a savings bank for every 5,000 inhabitants, one depositor for every 2.8 inhabitants, with an average deposit of 119 kroner.

SOZODONT Tooth Powder 25c

Nearly eight million tons of British shipping pass the Suez Canal in a year out of a total of 11 millions for all nations.

THE MOST NUTRITIOUS.

EPPS'S

GRATEFUL-COMFORTING.

COCOA

BREAKFAST-SUPPER.

BRITAIN'S DRINK BILL.

There are in the Bible 3,566,480 letters. Britain's drink bill last year amounted to £160,891,718. This would allow Britons to place on each letter in the Bible £45 2s. 2¾d., and leave over £2,000 to spare.

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Good for Bad Teeth

Not Bad for Good Teeth

Sozodont Liquid 25c. Large Liquid and Powder 75c.
At all stores or by mail. Sample of the Liquid for the postage, 3c.
HALL & RUCKEL, Montreal.

SHE HAD HER WAY.

"I shall have to ask you for a ticket for that boy, ma'am."

"I think not."

"He's too old to travel free. He occupies a whole seat and the carriages are crowded. There are people standing up."

"That's all right."

"I haven't time to argue the matter, ma'am. You'll have to pay for that boy."

"I've never paid for him yet, and I am not going to now."

"You've got to begin some time. If you haven't had to pay for him you're mighty lucky, or else you don't do much travelling."

"That's all right."

"You'll pay for that boy, ma'am, or I'll put him out."

"That's all right. You put him off if you think that's the way to get anything out of me."

"You ought to know what the rules of this line are, ma'am. How old is that boy?"

"I don't know. I never saw him before. If you want a ticket for him you'd better ask that old gentleman on the other seat. He got it with him."

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

WITHOUT A CURVE.

There is a railway over the Egyptian desert which runs for forty-five miles in a straight line, but this is easily beaten in Australia. The railway from Nyngan to Bourke, in New South Wales, runs over a plain which is as level as a billiard table, for 126 miles in a mathematically straight line. There is hardly an embankment, nowhere a curve, and only three very slight elevations.

TAKE NOTICE.

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From all over America they testify to the merits of MINARD'S LINIMENT, the best of Household Remedies.

C. C. RICHARDS & CO

A Queer Joint Deputation.

A joint deputation from the churches and the amateur sporting associations is indeed, as a contemporary says, something in the nature of a curiosity. Such a combination recently waited upon the Chief Secretary of Victoria, Australia, to protest against the invasion of cricket and football matches in Melbourne by professional bookmakers. The clerical section wanted betting made a penal offence by act of Parliament; the sporting section would be content with powers to evict the bookmakers as "undesirable persons." The Minister considered the latter a reasonable proposal and promised to embody it in a bill.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

DRINKING A TOAST.

The origin of the word "toast" in drinking a health is interesting. The drinks most in use in the seventeenth centuries were sack, canary, claret, sherry and others, to which it was customary to add honey, sugar, ginger, cinnamon and other ingredients; also a piece of toast, which floated on top of the liquor and was supposed to give it an additional flavor. Later on, in the eighteenth century, Dr. Johnson relates: "A certain beau, being at Bath, pledged a noted beauty in a glass of water taken from her bath, whereupon another roysterer cried out he would have nothing to do with the liquor, but would have the toast—that is, the lady herself." From this incident, it is said, arose the habit of giving a lady's name to preface or flavor the drinking of wine. Hence a popular lady whose health was often drunk became "a toast" or "a great toast." Later the word has come to mean any sentiment which prefaces a drink.

West Australia's Premier

The new Premier of Western Australia, Mr. Alfred Edward Morgans, is another example of the fact that political preferment in Australia is not blocked by foreign birth or experience. Mr. Morgans was born in Wales, and was living in Mexico, where he was numbered among the friends of President Diaz, when the gold fields of Western Australia were discovered. He settled in Coolgardie, and in due course was its representative in the Legislative Assembly, where he was a strong supporter of Sir John Forrest, now a Minister in the Federal Government. Mr. Morgans is the principal proprietor of the Mount Morgans mine, on the Mount Margaret gold field, and has started fruit farming on an extensive scale.

Honey as a Perfect Food.

Few people know that honey possesses a great value as food on account of its ease of digestion and is especially desirable for those with weakened digestive powers. The nectar of flowers is almost entirely cane sugar. The secretions added by the bees change this to grape sugar, and so prepare it that it is almost ready for assimilation without any effort on the part of the stomach. The unpleasant symptoms from which some suffer after eating honey may often be removed by drinking a little milk.

Little Tiddle (nervously, to livery-stable keeper)—"Have you a very quiet horse? It must be like a lamb neither kick nor shy, and not go too fast." Livery-stable Keeper (eyeing him contemptuously) — "Certainly, guv'nor Which'll yer have — a clothes-'orse or a rockin'-'orse?"

"Don't you miss your husband very much now that he is away?" "Oh, no! At breakfast I just stand his newspaper up in front of a plate and half the time I really forget he isn't there."

Australia via Suez Canal is only 900 miles nearer England than it is by the Cape route.

PERSONAL POINTERS,

Gossip About Some of the World's Leading People.

King Edward VII. is the first British monarch to play golf since the days of James II.

The Sultan of Turkey has six sons and seven daughters, who are kept in the securest seclusion, the former never leaving the grounds of the house in which they were born.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie's coat of arms shows a reversed crown surmounted by a liberty cap. A weaver's shuttle and a shoemaker's knife are upon the escutcheon, Scotch and American flags are the supporters, and below is the legend "Death to Privilege."

Should the Baroness Burdett-Coutts live to witness the coronation of Edward VII. next June, it will be the third event of the kind she will have attended. At the age of sixteen she saw George IV. crowned, and she also attended the coronation of Queen Victoria.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt says that "the secret of her endurance is that she never rests. Fatigue," she adds, "is my stimulant. Instead of pulling me down, it spurs me on." She goes to bed at three in the morning invariably, and always rises at nine. As for the usual prescriptions for the preservation of health, they receive scant attention from her.

The most interesting member of the Danish Court is the Princess Waldemar. She is an artist, her special line being scenes from animal life, and judges declare that, if she had been stimulated by necessity, she might have rivalled Rosa Bonheur. She is to be found in her studio every morning, brush in hand, and clad in a long painter's blouse, at seven o'clock, absorbed in her favorite occupation.

A notable woman in her day has been buried in Wrexham Cemetery, England, in the person of Ann Blythe, widow of Sergeant-Major Ephraim Blythe, of the Royal Artillery. Mrs. Blythe was for twelve months in the trenches before Sebastopol with her husband, and shared the excessive hardships incident to the Crimean War. She was twice wounded. She survived her husband five years, and has died at the age of seventy-three.

Mr. Sidney Cooper, R.A., is within ten months of his hundredth year. His first picture was exhibited in the Royal Academy in 1834, and after sixty-seven years of painting he gives the following advice to aspiring artists: "Let your watchword be, 'I worship truth. Imitate Nature closely; paint her as she is, not as you fancy her. Man cannot improve upon Nature.'" This wonderful old man deplored that his working days are ended.

"Carmen Sylva"—Elizabeth Queen of Roumania—whose "Real Queen's Fairy Book" is one of the best gift-books published, is said to be a great worker. She rises at five o'clock and works at her desk until breakfast, after which time she devotes herself to her duties as consort of a King. Carmen Sylva's fairy stories are very popular in her own country, and one day in each month is devoted to reading the Queen's books in the public schools of Roumania.

Nobody needs to be told that the Queen of England is among the friendliest and homeliest ladies in the land. Sitting with a cottager on the Sandringham estate, in her Princess days, she took up a stocking to while away the time. "I rather pride myself on the way I can knit stockings," the Princess remarked; "I have just made a pair for the Prince, and——" The Princess was rudely broken off by the old lady's startled exclamation: "So the Prince wears stockings, do 'e? Well, well. Ah, your Royal Highness! only me and you, who makes these stockings, knows the 'orrible oles the men do make in the 'eels!"

Sir William Olpherts won the coveted V.C. at Lucknow by a characteristic act of gallantry. The old Perthshire Regiment, to which he was attached at the time, captured some guns from the enemy, but was about to leave them behind for want of horses to drag them away. Olpherts was too keen a gunner to consent to the abandonment of prizes of that sort, so he galloped back, under a perfect hail of lead, and brought up the necessary horses. No one thought he would get through alive; but he accomplished his object although he brought back several bullets as well as the horses, and it was some time before he was fit to take the field again.

The King of Portugal, although entirely against his doctor's advice, is a somewhat great meat eater, and thinks no form of cooking comes up to that of the English. When staying in England a few years ago he visited Lord Salisbury's beautiful seat at Hatfield. During dinner the conversation naturally turned upon the royal visit, and the Duke of York—now the Prince of Wales—who was present, said to the King, "Now what has impressed your Majesty most during your short stay in England?" The King of Portugal replied, thoughtfully, "Well, I think the English roast beef is very delightful!" "Oh!" laughed His Royal Highness; "but surely something else has impressed your Majesty as well?" "Ah!" enthusiastically replied the King, "of course! The English boiled beef is also delightful!"

The birth of a son to the Princess of Asturias, sister of the little King Alfonso of Spain and heir-presumptive to the throne, has revived a curious old ceremony of the Spanish Court. When the baby Prince was born the Prime Minister, the Presidents of the Congress and the Senate, the high functionaries of the Court, and the Commander of the Royal Halberdiers, to whom is entrusted the guarding of the Royal Family in the palace, were summoned to the ante-chamber of the Princess, where they waited in full uniform. The chief doctor then dressed the baby, and placing him on an immense silver salver took him to the father, who was also waiting in the ante-chamber, and to whom he said, "Sir, it is an infante" (a prince). The father then took the salver in his hands, and after kissing the baby, bowed to those present and showed them the new Prince, who will be christened Alfonso.

COULD DO HIS PART ANYWHERE

There are funny incidents in the life of a photographer. A man came in the other day and looked over all the samples, asking the price of each.

"Do you want a sitting?" I asked.

"I don't see nothin' like what I want," he replied.

I told him that if he would indicate what he wanted, I might arrange it.

"I don't know as you can," he said, "for I don't see nothin' at all like what I want."

I repeated what I had already said. He asked me to sit while he told me:

"You see, it's like this," he began. "I had a girl that I loved, and we was going to git married. She had her things made up, and we was all but ready when she was taken ill and died. And what I wanted was a picture of me sittin' on her grave weepin'."

I was touched at the homely story of grief, and told him I could send a man with him to the grave and have the picture taken as desired.

"It's some distance," he said. It's over in Ireland. I expect it 'ud cost a lot to send over your traps for what I want."

I said it would.

"I thought," he answered, "that mebbe you could rig up a grave here in your shop and I would weep on it, and it would do just as well. It's no trouble for me to weep anywhere."

THE FORCE OF CYCLONES.

Careful estimates of the force of a cyclone and the energy required to keep a full-fledged hurricane in active operation reveal the presence of a power that makes the mightiest efforts of man appear as nothing in comparison. A force fully equal to over 400,000,000 horse-power was estimated as developed in a West Indian cyclone. This is about fifteen times the power that can be developed by all the means within the range of man's capabilities during the same time. Were steam, water, wind-mills and the strength of all men and all animals combined, they could not at all approach the tremendous force exerted.

MECHANICAL WONDER.

Senor Torres, an ingenious engineer of Madrid, has invented a little machine which is described as the most curious of its kind that has ever been fashioned. It is a mechanical device for the solution of mathematical questions. Those who have tested it say that within thirty seconds it can solve the most difficult equation that can be framed. The apparatus looks like an ordinary mill for grinding coffee, its component parts being a crank and a number of copper wheels. When an equation is to be solved the crank is turned, and in eight or ten revolutions the solution is arrived at. Senor Torres has sent a model of the machine to the Academy of Sciences at Paris, and the French scientists who have examined it say it is one of the wonders of the age.

CHILDHOOD INDIGESTION.

Often Leads to Serious Trouble Unless Prompt Steps Are Taken to Check It—How This Can Best be Done.

Indigestion is a trouble that is very common in infancy and early childhood, and unless prompt measures are taken to control it the result is often very serious. It prevents the proper growth of the child and weakens the constitution, so that he is unable to resist other diseases that are more dangerous. Fortunately, however, the trouble is one that is easily controlled. Proper food—not too much, but absolutely pure—plenty of fresh air, and Baby's Own Tablets, freely administered according to the directions, will soon put the sufferer right, and make both mother and child happy. Mrs. W. E. Bassam, of Kingston, Ont., is one of the many mothers who have proved the truth of this statement. She says: "When my little girl was about three months old, she had indigestion very badly. She was vomiting and had diarrhoea almost constantly. She was very thin, weighed only four pounds and although she had a ravenous appetite her food did her no good whatever. I had tried several medicines but they did not help her. Then I heard of Baby's Own Tablets, and procured a box. After giving her the tablets for a few days the vomiting and diarrhoea ceased, she began to improve at once, and grew plump and fat. I always give her the Tablets now when she is ailing and the result is always good: Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine I have ever used for a child."

These tablets will promptly cure all the minor ailments of little ones, such as sour stomach, indigestion, colic, constipation, allay the irritation accompanying the cutting of teeth, etc. They are good for children of all ages, and crushed to a powder or dissolved in water can be given with absolute safety to the youngest infant. If you cannot obtain Baby's Own Tablets at your druggists, they will be sent post paid at 25 cents a box by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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MILTON L. HERSEY, M.A.Sc.,
Provincial Analyst for Quebec.
Montreal, Dec. 23, 1901.

BISCUIT POST CARD.

The most curious letter which has probably been written and received in the course of the present war has just been safely delivered by the postal authorities of England. It was written on an ordinary square of Army "hard-tack," the address and stamp being placed on one side and the communication on the other, the biscuit being thus transferred for the nonce into a post-card. Paper, it appears, was scarce at the camp where the writer was on duty, whence the peculiar requisitioning of the Army "cracker" which has reflected so eloquently the effectiveness of the baker.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

To give some idea of the tremendous growth of the English language it may be mentioned that the words and phrases under the letter "A" have increased in fifty years from 7,000 to nearly 60,000. So enormous, indeed, has been the growth of the English language that it would be practically impossible for the most learned man to be acquainted with every word. Intelligent persons, even those engaged in the learned professions, do not make use of more than from 6,000 to 8,000 words all told, although there are properly belonging to our language over 200,000.

Seven-year-old tea plants yield 4 ounces of leaves apiece, or 700lb. of tea to the acre.

BRONCHITIS—A Serious Disease.

Becomes Chronic and Returns Year by Year or Develops Into Bronchial Pneumonia, Croupous Bronchitis, Asthma or Consumption.

The real dangers of bronchitis are sometimes overlooked. It is too serious a disease to trifle with, and for that reason everybody should be familiar with the symptoms

Children are most liable to contract bronchitis, and, if neglected, it becomes chronic, and returns year after year, until it wears the patient out or develops into some deadly lung disease.

The approach of bronchitis is marked by chills and fever, nasal or throat catarrh, quick pulse, loss of appetite and feelings of fatigue and languor.

Bronchitis is also known by pain in the upper part of the chest, which is aggravated by deep breathing or coughing, until it seems to burn and tear the delicate linings of the bronchial tubes.

The cough is dry and harsh, and is accompanied by expectoration of a frothy nature, which gradually increases; is very stringy and tenacious and is frequently streaked with blood.

There is pain, not unlike rheumatism, in limbs, joints and body, constipation and extreme depression and weakness. In some people, the exhaustion amounts almost to nervous collapse, delirium follows, and in young children convulsions may follow.

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The Mining Review.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1902.

A RIP VAN WINKLE.

It may not be generally known Sandon has a veritable Rip Van Winkle who has just emerged from his hybernation; but it has all the same. Last week the Bluestreak, as a masterly journalistic scoop, declared in a double column, double leaded article surrounded by a border, on the first page, that Johnstone, of the Everett smelter had been here a few days before, made an unheard of cut in smelter rates, a private contract with the Last Chance and the American Boy for smelting and fled the country "quickerin you could say Jack Robinson." Not satisfied with monopolising this scoop, he wired it to his kidneyed brother, of the Nelson Tribune, to give that print also a scoop over all contemporaries. The wire appeared, but Monday's issue contained this piece of editorial sack cloth and ashes:

The Sandon dispatch which appeared in the Tribune on Saturday was rather misleading in that it admitted of the construction that the Everett smelter had made a break, in the matter of treatment rates, which was not contemplated by the smelters at Nelson and Trail. So far from this being the case the rates quoted are those which were decided upon some weeks ago by the three smelting concerns purchasing Slocan lead ores. There have been rumors in the press of the Slocan of independent action on the part of the Everett smelter, but no evidence of it appears in the new rate, which it is credited with having quoted to the American Boy and Last Chance mines, as it is common to Nelson and Trail as well as the Everett smelter, and one which was first made public weeks ago was thought might possibly be somewhat further reduced by all three concerns.

Everything that is truth in this celebrated scoop appeared in an editorial in this paper on the 4th of last month. When Bluestrek wakes up from his slumber, he becomes "a hell of a fellow" and wants to advise the slumbering world of his unapproached enterprise and intelligence.

"Justice" under civilizasion is getting to be simply the worst of rottenness to the core. The other day the County-Treasurer of Essex, Ontario, was found to be a defaulter to the extent of $1,600. When confronted with it he said his salary was but $1,450 a year, he had to pay $500 to an assistant, which left him but $950, insufficient to live on. He was compelled to take county money to live on, but if given a chance he would make up the deficiency. He was given the chance, and now walks around a respectable and honorable citizen. A poor man with a family in Sandon has not enough work to keep his family in the necessaries of life. He take a ham from a grocery, he is hauled up for it, he pleads inability to keep his family from starving, but if given time he will pay for the ham. His plea is no good, he is sentenced to a term in gaol. If Canada had justice, the man who had $950 a year and could not live on it would have been declared the thief, and the Sandon man would have been given a chance to protect his small children from starvation.

One of the great drawbacks to Sandon is the great tendency of the citizens to send out of town for many of the articles they require alleging they cannot procure them in the city, when in fact the buying outside is the main reason why many things that might be kept here are not kept. No business man is disposed to carry goods he cannot sell, and often the reason goods not kept as unsaleable is because they are bought outside. If the business people would only get into their legitimate lines and carry nothing else, and the public would come to the conclusion it was most honorable to deal with houses in the locality in which they made their own livings, nearly everything the people could ask for would be kept here. A printer is not disposed to put in a plant for which he cannot get a paying business, and a wise dry goods man is not likely to put in goods that his proper customers buy outside and so on all along the line.

Manitoba last year raised 85,000,000 bushels of wheat that netted the farmers $45,000,000. The province has 250,000 people, 175,000 of whom were engaged in raising that crop, or $257 per capita. British Columbia with its 177,000 people mined $20,000,000 worth of minerals. All told there were less than 15,000 people engaged in that production or say $1,330 per capita.

School Matters.

Last week we quoted the following section of the new school law, showing how and when trustees should be elected:

"The nomination and election of the board of trustees SHALL BE HELD AT THE SAME TIME, and by the same returning officer or officers, when possible, and conducted in the same manner as the municipal nomination and election for mayor would be conducted, &c."

In the face of this our city clerk in the proclamation nominating mayor and aldermen, overlooked this law altogether, and when he and the new council saw that all the surrounding city councils had elected their trustees, awakened to the mistake and made the matter right (?) by nominating and electing a new school board on the 27th, giving just five clear days notice. They now make a scapegoat of the words "when possible," and say it was not possible to have held the two elections at the same time. The only impossibility about it is that of the clerk to fully understand the meaning of English law and the English language. The words "when possible" refer to the selection of the same returning officer, and not to the same days for nomination and election, as they may find out later on.

What they should have done when they found their mistake, and not taken the law into their own hands, was to have asked the government for instructions. The gentlemen selected were Messrs. Geo. Houston, E. R. Atherton and Thos. Brown, all respected citizens and as fit for the positions as any other three men available. What we object to is their illegal election, and the fact that not one of the number has children going to school. They are not, therefore, as likely to take the same interest in educational matters as men with pupils attending school.

The late, and for that matter the present school board, who legally hold office until their successors are appointed, last December consulted all the parents in town with school children, and they found them nearly unanimous in favor of continuing the second teacher, and the second was engaged in consequence. The first act of the illegal board, however, is to dismiss the assistant teacher on the ground of economy. Our city council can pay their clerk from $15 to $25 a month more than the surrounding cities pay for the work he does, as we showed last fall by correspondence from outside cities; they can keep a city team in the stable eating their heads off doing nothing; they can pay for a bogus proclamation every two or three months through lack of qualifications of the clerk; they can pay heavy solicitor's bills educating this clerk on matters he ought himself to understand before taking such an office; they can unnecessarily pay Dr. Gomm's smallpox bills, but they cannot employ a second teacher, but force parents and children out of town, as their action will certainly do, to get a school education elsewhere.

It is quite true our school population at the immediate present is not large; but it has been over 60 since the fire, and may be much more than that at any time after the mines resume shipping provided we have facilities for them. Even with present attendance the school is graded, embracing everything from the alphabet to advanced mathematics, and no one teacher can do all justice. The school has to be wrecked by the council that they may have the more money to spend in fancies.

HOPEFUL VIEW

The hopeful view consumptives take of their own cases is strongly in their favor. Each year is showing a larger percentage of cures.

One of the best reasons for good hope is the record of Scott's Emulsion as a medicine for consumptives. So long as the system is strong enough to use medicine of any kind it can use Scott's Emulsion.

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12 Minutes for Lunch.

That is the average time spent in a large city restaurant by three thousand lunchers. It takes three hours to digest a fresh egg soft boiled; three hours to digest a boiled apple dumpling; three hours to digest fresh roast beef. In fact, three hours is about the time required to digest the average twelve minute lunch. The object of the hasty lunch is to let the busy man get back to his office work. But when the brain is active, the stomach is inactive for lack of necessary blood. The natural consequence is indigestion, and indigestion opens the door to many diseases.

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"It is with heartfelt gratitude that I send this testimonial which I wish you to publish with my name and address," writes Mr. Willis Seaman, of Washingtonville, Orange Co., N. Y. "I had stomach trouble from childhood and suffered with it more or less as I grew up. At the age of 26 I was broken down with dyspepsia. My suffering was terrible. Could not eat without distress. Could only eat a few certain things and was not able to work half the time. Every thing I tried only gave me temporary relief. My wife finally persuaded me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets.' I took six bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two vials of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.' I then felt so well that I stopped taking medicine. Several months have passed and I can do the hardest kind of work, can eat anything that is set before me and enjoy it. I am 27 years old and this is the first time I have ever been well."

Free. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser in paper covers is sent *free* on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing *only*; or 50 stamps for cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the board of license commissioners for the City of Sandon, to be held after the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by me for the Star Hotel, situate on Reco Avenue, in the City of Sandon, on block 4, West Kootenay district, to Michael Kirlin, of the City of Kaslo.

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Dominion of Canada.

Synopsis of Regulations for Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the North-West Territories, and the Yukon Territory.

COAL.

Coal lands may be purchased at $10.00 per acre for soft coal, and $20.00 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at such rates as may from time to time be specified by order in council shall be collected on the gross output.

QUARTZ.

Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miner's certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $10.00 per annum for an individual, and from $50.00 to $100.00 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner having discovered mineral in place may locate a claim 150 x 1500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.00.

At least $100 00 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500.00 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 per acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon Territory of an area not exceeding 100 acres

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of royalty on the sales not exceeding five per cent.

PLACER MINING, MANITOBA, AND THE N. W. T., EXCEPTING THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee $5.00 renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan river claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggins, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1,000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

DREDGING IN THE RIVERS OF MANITOBA AND THE N. W. T., EXCEPTING THE YUKON TERRITORY.

A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan river, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental $10 00 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.00.

DREDGING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental, $100.00 per mile for first year, and $10.00 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty, ten per cent on the output in excess of $15,000.00.

PLACER MINING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten days if the claim is within ten miles of mining recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim, and each person in his or its employment, except house servants, must hold a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consist of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee is $15.00. Royalty at the rate of five per cent charged on the gross output of the claim, with the exception of an annual exemption of $5,000.00.

No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim for each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and free miners, not exceeding ten in number, may work their claims in partnership, by filing notice and paying fee of $2.00. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, by giving notice and paying fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.00, or in lieu of work payment may be made to the mining recorder each year for the first three years of $200.00 and after that $400.00 for each year.

A certificate that work has been done or fee paid must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made, and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

HYDRAULIC MINING, YUKON TERRITORY.

Locations suitable for hydraulic mining, having a frontage of from one to five miles, and a depth of one mile or more may be leased for twenty years, providing the ground has been prospected by the applicant or his agent; is found to be unsuitable for placer mining; and does not include within its boundaries any mining claims already granted. A rental of $150.00 for each mile of frontage, and a royalty of five per cent on the gross output, less an annual exemption of $25,0 0, are charged. Operations must be commenced within one year from the date of the lease, and not less than $5,000.00 must be expended annually. The lease excludes all base metals, quartz and coal, and provides for the withdrawal of unoperated land for agricultural or building purposes.

PETROLEUM.

All unappropriated Dominion lands shall, after the first of July, 1901, be open to prospecting for petroleum Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities he may acquire 640 of available land, including and surrounding his discovery, at the rate of $1.00 an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by order in council.

JAMES A. SMART.
Deputy to the Minister of the Interior

Ottawa, Dec. 25th, 1901.

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DR. JOHNSON AND MUSIC.

How the Great Man Acknowledged a Deserved Rebuke and Promised Amendment for the Future.

In a recently published volume of reminiscences is included the following anecdote of Dr. Johnson. The story was related to Mrs. Bowdler by Mrs. William Deane (formerly Miss Johnson), the niece of Sir Joshua Reynolds:

During one of my visits to my uncle when I was young and shy, he requested me to sit at the head of his table, on a day when he expected a large party; amongst the guests were Cumberland, Garrick and Dr. Johnson. I trembled at the name of the latter, and in consequence of his presence begged that mine might be dispensed with. My uncle laughed at my folly, would not attend to my entreaties, and assured me if I would provide a good dinner that nothing more would be required of me by his old friend, who probably would not trouble his head about me in any other capacity. I did my best as to the dinner, and took my place at the head of the table, determining not to offend by my words, by dint of not speaking at all. The conversation, by some unlucky chance, turned upon music, to which Dr. Johnson was totally insensible. Whereupon, he indulged his eloquence at the expense of his sense in a violent philippic against the art itself, concluding by his opinion, most positively delivered, that no man of talent, or who was in any degree capable of better things, ever had, ever could, or ever would devote any portion of his time and attention to so idle and frivolous a purpose. I happened to be exceedingly fond of music, which conquered my fear of the sage, and prompted me to say to my next neighbor, "I wonder what Dr. Johnson thinks of King David?" He (which I did not intend) heard the remark—started, laid down his knife and fork, got up, walked to the head of the table—as I thought, to knock me down—but I did him injustice, for, laying one of his large hands on each of my shoulders, he said, "Madam, I thank you. I stand rebuked before you and promise that on one subject at least you shall never hear me talk nonsense again!"

The Origin of Newfoundland.

It was a Beothuk Indian legend that when God made the world he swept the universe of the refuse and cast it into the sea; and when the white men came from the rising place of the sun they called the heap Newfoundland and chose it for a dwelling place. It may be so. In its remoter parts Newfoundland might easily be taken for the leavings and rejected materials of the work of creation, there cast away. It is as fertile as an ash-heap; which, moreover it resembles in that it contains scraps of everything which entered into the making of the world—iron, copper, coal, gold, and all other treasures under the ground. The interior is a soggy, rock-strewn barren, an interminably vast waste, where not so much as a shrub is to be seen, and no man chooses to live. Stunted forests fringe the coast, a skinny growth of pine and spruce, and birch, through which you may walk miles in vain search for a schooner's spar. The shore line is rock, in some places swept by flood and fire, bare of all soil—grim, naked rock. To many a Newfoundlander a sandy beach would be as great a wonder as a horse.

HIS OWN WORK.

"These biscuits," said Mr. Henry Peck, "are quite as good as mother used to make, I'm sure."

"Why, Henry!" his wife exclaimed, "I certainly am surprised!"

A blush of shame suffused his delicate features, for he realized that self praise was a fault most untecoming in one of his gentle breeding.

Mrs. Potts—"I will give you something to eat if you will take this soap and water and give your face a good washing." Hungry Higgins—"Not much, I may be purty hungry, but, thank goodness, I ain't starvin' yet."

"TRIAL BY BATTLE."

Case That Led to Change in English Jurisprudence.

The Dymoke claim in England to the king's championship reminds one of the antiquity of the office, which was established by the conquerer after the battle of Hastings; when the dignity was conferred on Robert de Marmion, Lord of Fontenay. But the championship is closely interwoven with the trial by combat.

How many Britons are aware that trial by combat formed an essential part of British jurisprudence until the beginning of the reign of George IV., or how it ended? At that time, there being a charge of murder against a certain Abraham Thornton, the gentleman was advised by his counsel to claim his right of "trial by battle." Accordingly, when brought before the court of king's bench he flung down his gage.

A solemn argument was afterward held on the case, when the judges were unanimous that he was entitled to wage his battle. The nearest male relative of the deceased, a lad of 16, being manifestly unable to meet Thornton in combat, declined any further proceedings. The public feeling was so much outraged that the attorney general of the day immediately introduced a bill for abolishing the right of appeal in all criminal cases, a bill which, however, did not pass without opposition.

DEBTORS IN SIAM.

Deb)ors in Siam, when three months in arrears, can be seized by the creditor, and compelled to work out their indebtedness. Should a debtor run away, his father, his wife, or his children may be held in slavery until the debt is cancelled.

Great Britain buys a million pounds weight of sponges a year.

COSTLIEST FEATHERS.

The tail feathers of the *feriwah*, a rare member of the bird of paradise family, are the most expensive known, and the only tuft existing in England is valued at $50,000.

Mrs. Wyles—"Did your husband give you anything for a birthday present?" Mrs. Styles—"Indeed, he did." "Did it have your name on it?" "Yes, and my husband's name too." "That's just like selfish man. He must share the gift with you." "But he didn't." "What was his name doing on it, then?" "It wouldn't have been any good without it. It was a cheque."

"What's the matter with Bashleigh?" "Absent-mindedness, that's all." "Nonsense! The man's cut and bruised frightfully." "Yes. He tried to stop a runaway motor-car by jumping in front of it and waving his coat at it."

Tomkins (a visitor)—"Do you quarrel with your neighbor about his hen coming over your back garden?" Popkins—"No, we've got over that now." Tomkins—"Buried the hatchet?" Popkins (grimly)—"No; buried the hen."

Saturday is the worst day of the week in London for fires. In ten years London had 3,893 Saturday fires, against 3,002 on Monday, the day they were least frequent.

In England in 1800 a horse called Phenomenon trotted 17 miles in harness in 53 minutes, a record never beaten in England.

Niece—"Aunt this is our new vicar, who has called to see you." The Old Lady—"Indeed! I am glad to see you, and I hope you will call as often as the last incumbrance did."

The Royal Geographical Society, with 3,500 members, is the largest of British learned societies.

The sun's diameter decreases at the rate of five miles in a century. Its present diameter is 860,000 miles.

India produces 170 thousand out of the world's crop of 800,000 tons of tobacco.

THE FARMER DIDN'T BITE.

A Yankee farmer was smoking his after-dinner pipe at his barnyard gate the other day when a waylarer, who didn't differ in looks from the ordinary tramp, came along and passed the time of day, and inquired:—

"Am I speaking to Mr. Blank?"

"Yes, my name is Blank," was the reply.

"And is this your farm?"

"Yes, sir."

"He buried heaps of money."

"Yes."

"Not half of which has ever been found."

"No."

"Has it ever occurred to you that some of this plunder might have been buried right here on your farm?"

"No, it never has," replied the farmer.

"Suppose," whispered the wayfarer, as he dropped his voice and looked round—"suppose I could point out the exact spot on your farm where Captain Kidd buried $100,000 in gold?"

"Waal?" calmly queried the farmer.

"Would you be willing to set me out a square meal and give me an old coat and a pair of shoes?"

"No—couldn't do it."

"What! Not in exchange for $100,000 in gold?"

"No."

"You don't want to know where a fortune lies buried within forty rods of where we are standing?"

"No—don't care to know the spot."

"See here, my friend," said the wayfarer, "what kind of a man are you?"

"Jest a farmer," was the reply.

"And you don't want $100,000?"

"No."

"Wouldn't even give me a dinner if I pointed out the treasure to you?"

"No. If you want a dinner you'll hev to dig 'taters to earn it."

"And you positively refuse the piratical fortune waiting to be uncovered?"

"I dew. Thar's a hoe, and thar's the 'tater field, and if you don't want to dig you'd better git along!"

"Has anyone come along here with this story this summer?"

For answer the farmer pointed to one of the gate-posts on which thirty-nine notches were cut, and added:—

"I think about as many more had cum along before I begun to keep tally!"

"I see!" replied the wayfarer, as his face lengthened a foot or more. "Great Scott, but I was laboring under the impression that I had struck a fresh field and a soft snap! Gimme that hoe, and you go in and tell the old woman to have my dinner ready in jist twenty minutes by the clock!"

How Gas Eats Up Your Oxygen.

Some interesting calculations have been made to show why extra ventilation is necessary at night when the rooms are lighted. A man may exist for an hour in a fair sized room hermetically sealed if he has no light burning. Place a lighted candle in that room with him, and his existence will be shortened by fifteen minutes. If he had a lamp instead of a candle, he would live only half an hour. If he had two good gas burners, he would scarcely have time to make his will, for he would not live more than five minutes.

Subsidences in the Black Country.

Quaint are the results of "crownings in" or mining subsidences in the Black Country. Years ago, a cow, while going along the road at Dudley, disappeared in the chasm of a sudden subsidence. Later a horse and cart went in the same way, and were seen no more. Now, at the Foxyards, another horse has gone below, at least all but its head. That is above the ground. The poor thing found practically a living grave. The Foxyards is that portion of the coal field owned by Lord Dudley, where the famous "outcrop" of coal is to be seen, and now practically honey-combed by the old bell-pit system of working the coal.

Irish horses are worth to-day 2½ times as much as in 1855.

Unclaimed Gold.

It is shown by official returns to Parliament that in the English chancery there is about £56,000,000, or say, $280,000,000, of which all but about $6,000,000 is kept subject to the orders of the court in cases now before it. This sum of $6,000,000, known officially as "dormant funds in chancery," is the only amount in chancery for which owners are not absolutely visible, and for a large part of these dormant funds owners are pretty certainly known.

The statement ought to have some effect on the well established business of finding "heirs" for vast estates. Dozens of astute persons, disinclined for ordinary labor, have made comfortable livings out of credulous people who have contributed to funds to secure these estates, to which they believed themselves entitled as heirs. The claim agents have not restricted their operations to any one country—Canada, the United States, the Continent of Europe, the British colonies, have provided a living for them. Great Britain and Ireland have done so too, though it is American estates that have been used as bait in England to some extent.

An Ancient Urn.

At Crathie, Deeside, several fragments of an ancient urn, and many small fragments of human bones in an advanced state of decay, have been found about five feet below the surface of the ground. The fragments of the urn are of very rude construction, and have circular markings, which seem to have been made by an impression of the human nail. Several years ago a number of urns were found at Balbridge, Durris, about one and a quarter miles west of Nether Mills. These were of a more artistic design and finish.

The Maid's Advantage.

A small and very unsophistocated English maid of all work when warned by her first and newly married mistress to be home by ten o'clock on the occasion of her "evening out" could not conceal her amusement at the idea. "Lor', mum, I kin take care o' myself, I kin!" she remarked. "You ain't near so fit to be out alone as I be. Why, you couldn't walk dahn the Pentonville road after dark without being spoke to an' follered an' havin' bits o' paper pinned on your back!"

Why They Are Tramps.

An English University professor, during his summer holiday, has, says London Tit-Bits, been traveling about England asking every tramp that he met why he didn't work. He interviewed 2,000 vagrants, and, classing them according to the various reasons they gave for not earning their daily bread in an orthodox manner, we get the following: 653 said they were willing to work, but could not obtain any; 445 could not give any reason that would hold water; 301 thought that no one ought to have to work, and if some people were foolish enough to do so — well, they intended living on those said people; 407 were on their way to procure work at distant towns, having in their possession letters promising them employment at the said towns, and the remaining 194 were waiting for relatives to die and leave them their money.

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Elora, Ont., Jan. 13 (Special). Mrs. Maxwell of this place has written for publication a very strong letter in which she claims that Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured her of Female Weakness after she had tried almost everything else.

This good lady, according to her statement, suffered for a long time with kidney trouble, enduring the greatest pain with a dizziness and headaches that made her very ill. She was passing through what is always a critical period in every woman's life and her troubles were considerably increased by this. Indeed her life was for a time in great danger.

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A VILLAGE PENSION FUND.

The Sussex village of Catsfield, England, has established an old-age pension fund, and at the present time upwards of £300 is in hand for the purpose of maintaining the old people when they are no longer able to work. At the annual meeting, over which Mr. T. A. Brassey presided, it was stated that the subscriptions for the past year amounted to £108, and pensions amounting to £107 had been paid. So successful has the scheme proved that other villages in Sussex contemplate following Catsfield's example.

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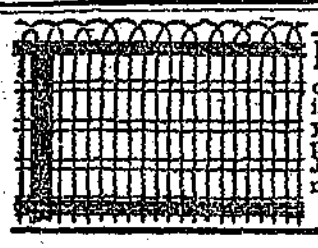

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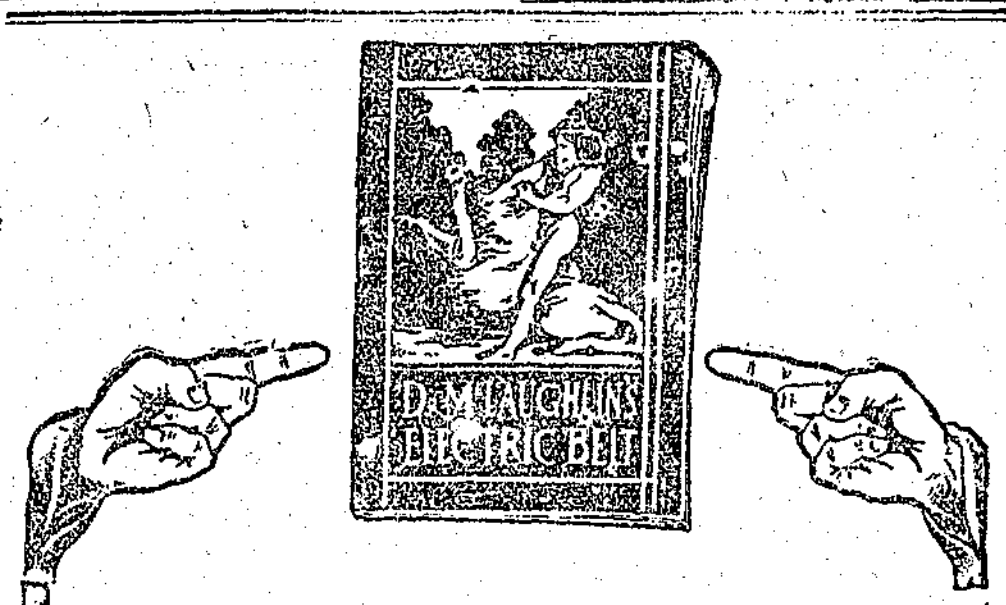

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ENTRY.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situate, or if the homesteader desires, he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the Local Agent for the district in which the land is situate, receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of $10 is charged for ordinary homestead entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES.

Under the present law homestead duties must be formed in one of the following ways, namely:

(1) By at least six months, residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years;

(2(If the father or the mother (if the father is deceased) or any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of the law as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If a settler has obtained a patent for his first homestead, on a certificate for the issue of such patent countersigned in the manner prescribed in the Dominion Lands Act, and has obtained entry for a second homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by residence on the first homestead.

(4) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of the law as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

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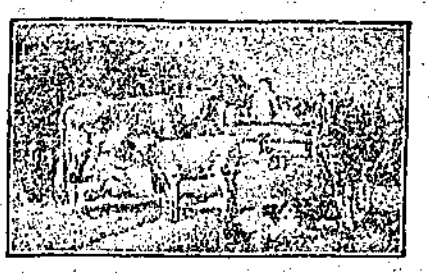

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