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TO OBSERVE CHRISTMAS

Churches Plan Entertainment.

MAKING PREPARATIONS

The Usual Midnight Mass will Be Celebrated.

Christmas in Moyie will be observed and celebrated in an appropriate manner this year.

At the Catholic church on Christmas eve there will be a Christmas tree. This feature will begin at seven o'clock. Then there will also be the Midnight Mass service. At this service solos will be sung by Mrs. P. J. Bonner, Mrs. J. Goupill and Mr. Thos. Jones. Mrs. James Whitehead will be organist.

The Presbyterians plan a Christmas entertainment for the evening of the 26th, which will likely be held in McGregor hall. A supper will be provided for the Sunday school children. A short entertainment and games will precede the distribution of presents.

At the Methodist church there will be an entertainment on Christmas night and already some extensive preparation is being made.

F. O. E. Election.

Moyie Aerie No. 855, Fraternal Order of Eagles, held a well attended meeting in McGregor hall Monday evening. One candidate was instructed in the mysteries of flying, after which officers were elected for the ensuing term. The following officers were elected:

F. J. Smyth—W. P.
P. F. Johnston—V. W. P.
E. A. Hill—Chaplain.
J. H. Hawke—Secretary.
B. J. Riley—Conductor.
Stein Consor—I. G.
Harry Lalonde—O. G.
Ben Obert—Trustee.

The officers will be installed in January.

In future the aerie will meet on the third Monday of each month in McGregor hall.

Board of Trade.

The Moyie board of trade held a meeting last Wednesday evening and ran through quite a batch of business in a short time.

It was reported that the the telephone system would be installed in Moyie as soon as the switchboard was received from Chicago.

The matter of procuring a bank for the town was further discussed.

It was decided to ask for the re-establishing of a small debts court in Moyie.

The committee on electric lights reported progress.

Meeting adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

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C. A. FOOTE
MOYIE, B. C

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Whitewater was wiped out by fire last Sunday.

Mme. Adelina Patti says she will never again sing for money.

Police of New York city arrest 122 persons each day for intoxication.

It is reported that a good strike has been made upon the Eureka near Sandon.

Over 22,000 umbrellas, lost in London, are taken to the police headquarters each year.

Within three years it will be possible to reach Pekin from London in 12 days, by rail all the way.

Two pairs of hands, one of a woman, the other of a male, have been found in a New York ash barrel.

"Big" Tim Sullivan of New York has made some heavy real estate purchases in Seattle, Vancouver and Spokane.

It is estimated that if the working children of Pennsylvania were placed shoulder to shoulder they would make a line twenty-two miles long.

There are 200 cases of smallpox in Springfield, Nova Scotia, and church services and all public entertainments are forbidden.

The United States consumes over 40 per cent of the world's production of tin without adding materially to the total output.

Charles E. Hughes, governor-elect of New York has filed an account of his expenses, showing that he spent only $918.

Spokane saloons are shy on "Tom and Jerrys," being due to the scarcity of eggs. Fresh eggs are selling at 50 cents a dozen and are scarce at that.

The Canadian Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada have recently purchased the Idaho mine on Monte Cristo mountain near Roasland.

F. F. Godenrath, a newspaper man well known here, was married on last Thursday at Seattle. The bride was Miss Eva B. Duncan, of Belmont, Ky.

The Elks lodge of Spokane has decided to give a Christmas dinner and entertainment that will surpass any event of the kind heretofore given for the benefit of the poor children of that city.

The C. P. R. has entered into a contract under which 150,000 acres of choice farming land, tributary to Victoria, will ultimately be cleared and subdivided into farms, orchards and market gardens.

As the result of the many disastrous wrecks in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and straits of Northumberland this fall, the federal government has decided to establish lifesaving stations along the Prince Edward Island coast.

Fernie Ledger: Dr. and Mrs. Higgins and Master Paul, returned from the Coast Tuesday. Mrs. Higgins has been away many weeks spending a pleasant vacation with friends. The Dr. has been gone but a few days, as his practice and hospital work demands his constant care.

Fire Visits Cranbrook.

Cranbrook had a narrow escape from what might have been a disastrous fire one last Wednesday morning. The building occupied by A. L. McDermott as a wholesale liquor store caught fire and the fire brigade had quite a task in subduing it. Some of the hydrants were frozen which added to the trouble. The fire originated in McDermott's bottling department, apparently from a small stove, the pipe of which was carried by a series of two or three elbows through as many wooden partitions. The damage will run to $5000. Alderman Joe Jackson owned the building, which was one of the first erected in the city.

No Opium In Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

There is not the least danger in giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to small children as it contains no opium or other harmful drug. It has an established reputation of more than thirty years as the most successful medicine in use for colds, croup and whooping cough. It always cures and is pleasant to take. Sold by the Moyie Drug & Stationery Co.

TO BE TRIED IN IDAHO

Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone.

TRIAL IN JANUARY

Supreme Court Refuses Habeas Corpus for the Miners.

The federal supreme court of Washington has denied the habeas corpus of Moyie, Haywood and Pettibone, the representatives of the Western Federation of Miners, who are now held in prison in Idaho on the charge of complicity in the murder of ex Governor Steunenberg, adversely to the men. The opinion was by Justice Harlan. The effect of the decision will be to continue to hold the men for trial in Idaho. They are now in prison at Boise, Idaho, though it was not charged that they were present when the crime was committed. From present indications the trial will take place in January.

Pavroll, $35,600.

Next Monday will be payday at the St. Eugene mine, and the amount disbursed will be $35,600. November having only 30 days accounts for the falling off from the payday last month, when it was $36,000 for October, with 31 days.

Reward Is Paid.

The men who captured the robbers of the C. P. R. train near Kamloops have received thier cheques, $11,500 in all.

Each of the five members of the Northwest Mounted Police, Sergeant Wilson, Corporals Shoebotham and Browning, Privates Stewart and Peters, $1350.

Constable Fernie, of Kamloops, $1350.

Constable Pearse, of Kamloops, $800.

F. E. Parker, (with constable Pearse) $500.

Each of the three Indians who assisted in the chase, $700.

Government Appointments.

It is rumored at Ottawa that Hon G. W. Ross is to be appointed senator to fill one of the two vacancies for Ontario.

It is also understood that W. H. P. Clement, of Grand Forks, is to be appointed to the supreme court of British Columbia, in the place of Duff, promoted. Clement was formerly of Toronto and afterward legal advisor of the Yukon council at Dawson.

Will Be Grand Affair.

The canvas has been laid on the floor of McGregor hall and everything is in readiness for the Miners' Union ball which will be held next Wednesday evening. Mr. R. O. Patterson, who will be master of ceremonies, announces that the grand march will start at 9:15 o'clock. Supper will be served at the Hotel Kootenay.

Preparing Assessment Roll.

A. C. Nelson, assessor for this district, was in town Tuesday arranging the assessment roll for 1907. Mr. Nelson says the school taxes for the present year will become delinquent on December 31st, after which date interest at the rate of 6 per cent will be added.

K. of P. Ball.

At their regular meeting Thursday evening the local lodge of Knights of Pythias decided to give a grand ball on the evening of Thursday, December 27th. The following committee was appointed: H. C. Livesley, W. H. Laird and E. A. Hill.

C. O. Demaurez, the well know watchmaker of Fernie, will be at J. J. Murphy's store in Moyie every pay week. adv.

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EXTRA SUPER STOCK OF UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY.

We say "ours" because when the ladies see the excellence of the garments we offer and find out how cheap they are, they'll just simply have to have them. It's the best and choicest lot and there is more style in it than any former lot you ever saw.

MacEachern
—AND—
Macdonald.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Routh returned from Fernie Tuesday.

Max Schulze arrived here this week from Elgin, Oregon.

Miss Ida Whitehead came home from Stettler, Alberta, yesterday.

W. H. Aldridge passed through Moyie yesterday on his way to Montreal.

The Moyie Odd Fellows will give their annual ball about the middle of January.

Mrs. F. J. McMahon, who has been visiting with her mother at Kimberley, arrived home today.

The Methodist church is to be lined with metal sheeting and other improvements made on the building.

Miss Howarth and her grandmother left today for Nelson, where they will spend the winter.

W. P. Bromley is opening a watch repairing shop in the Christian building on Victoria street.

R. J. McDonald was married in Cranbrook Monday and returned to Moyie with his bride the same day.

You should see the new Ladies Waists composed of silk and French flannel at R. Campbell & Co's.

Dennis Lynch, formerly a shiftboss at the St. Eugene, is again in Moyie after an absence of several months.

Geo. Powell was up from Cranbrook yesterday and installed a gasoline lighting system in E. G. Gwynne's store.

Sanford B. Snider, representing the B. C. Permanent Loan & Savings Co. of Vancouver, was in town most of the week.

G. T. McGregor will leave about the 17th of the month for his home in Fergus, Ont., where he will spend the winter with his family.

FOR SALE—Four room house and lot on St. Eugene avenue, Moyie. Apply to V. Camara or at this office.

Mrs. Harold Attwood left Thursday for the east to spend the winter. She will spend a short time in St. Louis and then go to her home in Nashville, Tennessee.

Mike Nugent returned Sunday from Kellegrews, Newfoundland, where he was visiting for several months. He was accompanied by his cousin, Miss Agnes Hartney.

Mrs Clyde Cobb arrived here last Saturday from Garden City, Kansas, to join her husband. They are making their home in the cottage formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. Barr.

Bride and Groom Honored.

There was an enjoyable gathering at the Manhattan hotel last Saturday evening, when Mrs. J. Goupill gave a spread in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cobb. Some 40 guest sat down to the tables. Short talks were made by several of those present.

Help Wanted.

WANTED:—Two sober reliable men for dairy. One competent to handle route and take charge, $45. Second good chore hand, $30. Or will pay $115 to party furnishing all necessary labor and board.

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METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK—Bar silver, 63¼ cents. Lead, $5.15.

LONDON—Lead, £19 7s 6d.

Moyie Public School.

Report for November.

SENIOR DIVISION.

General Proficiency.

Fifth Class: Arthur Crowe, 3429.

Fourth Class, Christina Blackburn, 3459; William Attwood, 3391; Mabel Lutner, 3218; Russell Hawke, 3119; Lillian Conrad, 2858; Lillian Schulze, 2418, Edith Hawke, 2331.

Third Class: Cecil Larson, 3060; Harry Crowe, 2798; Nina Attwood, 2619; Carl Nelson, 2592; Alverna Brenton, 2395; Loretta Brown, 1493.

Five others attended during the month, but they lost so many marks through absence that their names are omitted from the list. A number of the pupils in the Junior Division will be promoted to the Senior Division at Christmas.

DEPORTMENT.

Christina Blackburn, 100; Edith Hawke, 100; Harry Crowe, 97; Lillian Schulze, 95; Loretta Brown, 95; Nina Attwood, 95; William Attwood, 95; James Batt, 95; Mabel Lutner, 94; Ethel Brenton, 94; Cecil Larson, 94; Lillian Conrad, 91; Alverna Brenton, 89; Carl Nelson, 89; Russell Hawke, 88; Arthur Crowe, 88.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

Senior Second Class: Oscar Burch, 1338; Annie Saville, 1290; Vera Brown, 1240; Dorothy Blackburn, 1048, Frank Conrad, 920; Wellie Brenton, 876.

Junior Second Class: Edward Gibbons, 1212; John Blackburn, 1148; Roy Burch, 1132; Eva Stinson, 1034; Roy McEachern, 942; Willie Stewart, 592.

Two News Items.

The two following items, taken from the Rossland Miner, will be of interest to the residents of Moyie:

Miss Lily Dandurand, who has spent the past three months visiting relatives in Quebec and Pennsylvania, has returned to her home in this city.

Miss Rachel Clothier, who has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. J. Kirkup, for the past few months, left yesterday morning for Stockton, Cal. to join her brother George, who is superintendent of a mining property there.

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Her Sister's Betrothed

BY BERTHA M. CLAY

Author of "A Woman's Vengeance," "Which Loved Him Best," "Between Two Loves," "Fairy Gold," Etc.

(Continued.)

"We found ourselves in a situation to which there was no other issue. Only I wanted to find another pretext, not wishing to mix in this quarrel the name of the young girl who has since become my wife."

"The captain was known to be a formidable duelist."

"I know it, Monsieur, and it has been insinuated that fear drove me to murder; in a word, I am accused of cowardice. I appeal to all men of honor, to all men of my education: is such a thing possible?"

There was in his voice such an accent of truth, so much vibrating indignation, that a murmur of approbation floated through the audience. It was quickly repressed, however, and the president reminded the accused that he was there to reply to the questions addressed to him, and not to plead his cause.

The witnesses were then called.

M. Bertrand, brother of the victim, was the first to give his testimony. Although it was known that he could throw no light on the matter, he nevertheless excited a deep curiosity. He was a man of about forty, of sallow complexion, and with sharp, restless eyes. It was evident that to him the guilt of Robert d'Ancel admitted of no doubt. When reminded that the captain, and himself had never shown much fraternal affection, he protested that they were of the same blood; that this blood now cried for vengeance; that he would never rest until justice was done! He then related his arrival on the scene of the crime.

"It was Robert d'Ancel," he went on, "who sent me the despatch; he alone knew my address. During his school days he often came to spend a holiday at my home with my brother. When I saw him, therefore, I went to him with outstretched hand; but he pretended not to see it, and merely bowed, as if to a stranger. He seemed much preoccupied, very gloomy and exceedingly bored by the questions addressed him. This uneasiness struck me. I had been told that Robert d'Ancel and my brother were in love with the same young girl, and that the chances seemed in George's favor. Notwithstanding a certain roughness, my brother was always successful with women; he knew well how to soften his voice and his glance when he was in love, and the contrast between this sudden gentleness and his habitual bluffness was very seductive. When Robert d'Ancel refused me his hand, it gave me the impression that he was not a stranger to my unfortunate brother's death."

"Why did you not mention your suspicions at the time?" interrupted the president.

"How could I, Monsieur? M. d'Ancel was known and esteemed through the whole country, and seemed to hold an unassailable position. Beside, what proof could I allege against him? None. But the more I reflected over this sad affair, the more convinced I became that my first impression was right. George was a stranger in the vicinity and could have no enemies; if he had a few discussions, it is not admissible that these light quarrels would excite an implacable hatred. On the other hand, it is well known that Robert d'Ancel was passionately in love; it was the love of the man of study, of a man who has really had no youth, a sudden explosion with a violence that bordered on madness. As soon as he was rid of his redoubtable rival, his somber humor disappeared. His joy could not be concealed; he was so triumphant that the contrast with his former gloom struck everybody. When the news of his arrest reached me, it seemed to me that I had expected it since the day when I saw him standing beside my brother's body."

The servant, Isadore Benoist, was the next to testify. He was an ill-favored man, with a low brow, thick lips, and seemed very proud of the importance given him by this affair. At first he chose his phrases very carefully, but relaxed somewhat as he went on, feeling sure that this brilliant assemblage was listening attentively.

"You pretend to have overheard a violent quarrel between the accused and the victim?" asked the president.

"Yes, Monsieur. I went with my companions to get the remains of the breakfast, but was alone at that moment. As I could not hear plainly, I went nearer," replied the witness.

"You have, no doubt, a habit of listening at keyholes?"

"Oh, no; for I might be caught. But I admit that I am inquisitive, and was anxious to be well informed."

"What interest could this altercation have for you?"

"Well, you see, Monsieur, we have few distractions in the country, and the affairs at Coudroisee were often discussed in the kitchen. Each had his candidate; mine was the captain. First, because M'lle Levasseur encouraged him, then—"

"Then—go on."

"Then, Monsieur, people say that M. Robert d'Ancel should have married the elder, and not the younger sister. In fact, I was much amused by the affair, and was anxious to know what was going on. I did not reach the spot until the end of the quarrel, but I swear I heard threats."

"From M. d'Ancel?"

"Both were much excited; they were talking at the same time and not listening to each other. Finally the captain hurried away, and I had scarcely time to conceal myself behind a tree—"

"It was owing to your gossip after the crime that you were dismissed from service? Without proof whatever, you accused M. d'Ancel of being the murderer?"

"I was sure of it. As to my dismissal, the lady was a foreigner, and I was tired of waiting on a table where I could not understand a word that was said. I was on the point of leaving, when she gave me notice. Before another week, the whole country was as sure as myself that the baron had done the deed."

"It was to you that the peasant remitted the revolver when found?"

"Yes, Monsieur. I paid ten francs for it; but I do not regret my money, for in cleaning it I found the initials R. A., and I immediately brought the revolver to the authorities. My plan was to have him arrested by two gendarmes before the ceremony. But there was some delay. Besides, M. le Procureur, who knew the high standing of the two families, wanted to avoid scandal as much as possible. He went to the chateau himself, and I am told, was mistaken for a guest."

After this testimony the interest flagged. A few neighbors and friends who had known Robert in his childhood, were called, but their testimony was of no importance.

There was a ripple of excitement, followed by a deathlike stillness when the president said:

"Call Mlle. Levasseur."

Fatigue was forgotten, and all eyes and ears were strained to see and hear the most important deposition of the day.

When she reached the court house, in the midst of a surging throng, Marthe appreciated the kindness of her old friend, the Marquis, in obtaining permission to await her turn in a private room. In her nervous state it would have been exceedingly painful to feel herself an object of curiosity or compassion. She had slept but little the previous night, and was almost glad that the moment had come when she would rid herself of the nightmare that haunted her—like the wounded man who is anxiously awaiting the coming of the surgeon, and repeats to himself that once the operation is over he will be left in peace.

Yet, in spite of all, she still believed in that long-expected miracle, convinced that at the last moment the real culprit would cry out: "That man is innocent!" How often her imagination had evoked the scene—then she saw Robert free, proud and happy, and herself once more shut up in her solitude, burying her secret with herself. And all would be well. Robert would never know that she had loved him with passion; Edmee would never suspect at what price her happiness had been bought. The modesty of her soul, that sacred modesty, would be respected. The horrible sacrifice would be unnecessary.

And in the solitude of the little room in which she found herself, she held her breath in expectation. Sometimes a confused murmur would reach her from the court room. She knew that if the scene evoked in her poor tired brain was produced, this murmur would be transformed in acclamations, that nothing could prevent the burst of joy and applause. Then she would understand.

But time passed on, and this absurd hope became weaker and weaker, and finally vanished. Her agony now increased; she asked herself if her strength would carry her to the end. It must, since she alone could now save Robert. He would be saved! He would emerge from this place, where he was now seated like a vulgar criminal, with head erect. In the midst of her anguish, Marthe felt a sentiment of divine joy in thinking that it was from her hand, that hand he would not take, that he would receive freedom, the happiness of his whole life.

When the usher came to her, she was already standing, ready to go.

Nevertheless, as she caught a confused glimpse of the judges and the excited throng, she instinctively shrank back for a moment. It was no doubt thus, that Christian virgins, in the days of persecution, faltered for a moment when they found themselves suddenly in the arena, the center of attraction for thousands of spectators who had come to see them tortured. Then, Marthe turned to Robert. As she saw him, so altered, pale and emaciated, she was invaded by a compassion that almost transfigured her. He had suffered greatly, and she would put an end to his sufferings.

She mechanically answered the preliminary questions, but as she went on, she detected deep respect and compassion in the voice of the president. This gave her courage, and her answers came more distinctly and firmly.

"Rest assured, Mademoiselle, that this trial, to which we are forced to submit you, will not be of long duration," said the president, kindly.

"I am at your orders, Monsieur," she replied.

One of Marthe's greatest charms was her voice; it was singularly pure and sweet. Even when speaking low, it was distinctly heard. It was also felt that each word she uttered must be true and sincere. Besides, her extreme pallor, her evident suffering, excited the sympathy of all. She replied very simply, without a gesture, her hands clasped together in her muff, her eyes fixed on the president.

"You have known the accused for many years, I believe?"

"Since we were children together. His mother and my mother were intimate friends."

"Was he violent and passionate in his childhood?"

"Not at all, Monsieur. The child promised what the grave and studious man has become."

"You never heard him speak of his comrade, George Bertrand?"

"Never. Robert was at the Lycee, and we met less frequently as he grew older. I saw Captain Bertrand on the day I met my sister at the Honfleur station. I heard his name for the first time when M. d'Ancel introduced him."

"He was very soon admitted into the intimacy of your family?"

"He was constantly with Robert, Monsieur, and, as Robert was almost considered as a relative, the captain's visits were quite frequent. Moreover, we were receiving a great deal of company at the time, as I desired to make my sister's stay in the country as agreeable as possible."

"Did you not soon perceive that the captain was in love with your sister, and that M. d'Ancel was jealous?"

Marthe hesitated a moment, then replied, firmly:

"As soon as I understood that M. Bertrand was interested in my sister, I tried to warn her against him. I did not believe he could make her happy."

"And from that moment you thought of marrying her to your neighbor?"

"No, Monsieur," she said, after another moment of hesitation; "I did not think of it at the time. It was only later, when I understood that they loved each other, that this marriage was decided."

"Pardon me, Mademoiselle, if I am forced to question you on your private sentiments, but I am absolutely forced to it. At the time of the arrest, you tried to save the accused by declaring that on the day of the crime you were conversing with him in the park. Your sister's evidence destroyed this testimony. According to her, you were too ill to go out. On her return she found you exactly as she had left you a prey to such pain that you could scarcely lift your head."

Here the attention of the audience became such that even the slight murmur of the throng ceased.

In the absolute silence, Marthe's sweet voice rang out, clear and distinct:

"Monsieur, I have never told a falsehood. I would not lie, even to save my brother-in-law!"

"Your brother-in-law, it is possible. Pardon me, Mademoiselle, if I allude to a very delicate subject. But in your neighborhood you were believed to be betrothed to the Baron d'Ancel."

"It was a mistake, Monsieur, we were never betrothed."

"Although there may have been no engagement between you, a sentiment more tender than friendship might have led you to utter a heroic falsehood. A woman who loves will sacrifice everything, even her reputation, to save the man she loves."

"I have told no falsehood, Monsieur. When in spite of serious family reasons I consented to receive Edmee as my sister, I took solemn engagements with myself in regard to her. She is eight years younger than I, and I considered her somewhat in the light of a child. I believed I was doing my duty on that day in thinking of her future."

(To be Continued.)

CITY OF EDMONTON.

Canada's Most Northerly City Has Now a Population of 12,000—Grew From 1,200 in Five Years.

The building permits of Edmonton this year are over one million dollars in value.

Five years ago the city had 1,200 of a population; a conservative estimate now places the population at 12,000, and in great confidence the good people of the most northern city expect to have in another five years 35,000 inhabitants.

The city owns its public utilities, electric light, water works and telephone systems. For a thousand miles north wheat can be grown. Government statistics on the crop of 1905 show the average yield of spring wheat in the Edmonton district to have been 24.29 bushels, and winter wheat 24.51 to the acre.

Subserves Enormous District.

The city subserves an enormous district to the north. In that vast territory the inhabitants sleep in blankets made in Edmonton of Central Alberta wool and eat flour, oatmeal, bacon and butter made at Edmonton, the latter being enclosed in tubs of Edmonton manufacture. The doors and windows in the far northern residences are sent from Edmonton factories, and the cigars smoked are the product of one of its flourishing industries. Every package of merchandise that goes into that country bears the brands of some Edmonton house.

It is essentially a modern town, with yet a fund of historic associations. It was scarcely a village ten years ago, and nearly three-quarters of it have been built during the last four years. The city is one of the greatest primary markets for fur on the continent. It is rapidly becoming also a milling centre, there being now in the city and near-by territory, five flour mills and a cereal mill, with a flour mill of 250 barrel capacity under course of construction.

Enormous Supply of Coal.

Another obvious factor in Edmonton's development is the enormous supply of easily-mined coal of high grade, which underlies the city and surrounding district. This coal is so easily mined that it can be sold retail, and delivered into the cellars of citizens at a cost of $3.00 a ton. Coal of good steaming quality is delivered to mills and factories at a cost of not less than $1.50 per ton.

The buildings that are seen along the streets are not of the light, cheaply built class more or less temporary so often noticeable in a new town in the West. They are solid, massive, permanent structures. The water works and sewerage systems, together with the electric lighting, were taken over in 1902. The water is taken from the Saskatchewan, a glacier-fed stream which is absolutely free from organic matter. On electric lighting the city is making a good profit notwithstanding that rates are lower than in other Western cities, the revenue this year exceeding $50,000. The service is beyond criticism, and no town in Canada is better lighted than the new capital. There are now about 350 telephones on the Edmonton exchange (also a municipal enterprise). There is a farmers' line going through the Clover Bar and Agricola settlements.

A Mile of Cement Walks.

Notwithstanding the enormous cost of cement at such a distance from points of production, last year a mile of cement walks was put down, fourteen feet wide.

Some of Edmonton's public school buildings are structures which would do credit to any city in Canada. Alberta College, completed about a year and a half ago, has built an addition which doubles the capacity of the building.

With the coming of the new the old passes away. Recently the Old Inn of Edmonton was torn down, a place around which life centred forty or fifty years ago. They still tell the tale that when any traveler complained of the fare provided at the hotel he was gravely advised to go to the next, which was only 750 miles on, Portage la Prairie being the first stop after Edmonton that boasted an inn.

A curious fact is mentioned in connection with the suicide of James Hoyle, a Preston publican. A painter was engaged in painting the sign outside and had finished the last letter of Hoyle's name when he heard the report of a pistol and found that the landlord had committed suicide.

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From the use of Bileans both rich and poor are every day benefiting. One correspondent says: "I had to do laundry work to get the money for a course, but they gave me health." As a contrast to this Sir Charles Clifton Browne, of Deal (Kent), says: "Bileans cured me of biliousness and bilious headaches. I think they are a really good remedy." See Facsimile Box for some of the ailments Bileans cure. Of all druggists at 50c. a box, or post free from the Bileans Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price (6 boxes for $2.50).

200 YEARS AHEAD.

English Distance French Savants in the Building of the Greatest Dictionary—Race Contested 30 Years.

All unknown to the public a great race has been in progress for some time in the literary world between England and France. England has practically won, it is said, and will walk in about 200 years ahead of France.

This contest has been between the Oxford University Clarendon press and the Academy of France. Each is compiling a dictionary, which is to be absolutely the latest and most up-to-date book in existence. Already six dictionaries are extant, which are reckoned good and apparently supply all wants, but the French Academy and Oxford University declared in favor of something later. So more than 30 years ago Oxford started its gigantic task.

This gave the "immortals" of France a chance to hustle. They did. Before a year was out they also were at work on their dictionary.

Official reports from both sides show that the Oxford compilers have finished A to K, L to "mesualty," O to "piper," all of Q, and R down to "reserve." The volume containing N will be issued next month.

But the report from France is not so good. Oxford expects to have its whole task completed by 1914. The immortals have only reached the letter C and do not expect to complete that until 1908.

Some figures of the Oxford dictionary are interesting. In H the figures as compared with previous dictionaries are: Oxford, 16,013 words; Johnson's, 1,533; Cassell's, 6,893; Century, 9,690; Funk's Standard, 9,630.

From the beginning of volume I. to the word "infer," excluding from "graded" to the end of G, there are 16,516 columns, each of 10 1-8 inches long and 2 1-2 inches wide. If these were stood on end they would be fourteen times as high as Eiffel tower. There are 72 miles of lines, containing 13,221,181 words comprising 70,161,384 letters.

The Paris "immortals" will have to do a vast amount of work ever to catch up on this record. At the present rate of progress the academy dictionary will be completed in 250 years—or, perhaps, 200, if the new official spelling of the United States is ignored.

The first edition of the academy dictionary was begun in 1635 and finished in 1694. The last edition up to the one now in progress occupied 42 years, and was begun in 1835.

The slow progress of the "immortals" brings to mind the story of Buffon, the naturalist, and the crab. The wiseacres of his day puzzled how to define a crab in their dictionary. They finally voted to describe it as "a fish which walks sideways." Buffon was sent for and his opinion asked. The "forty" were much discomfited when the naturalist replied:

"Well, except for the fact that the crab is not a fish and does not walk sideways, it is a good description."

The Lord Mayor's Show.

The election of a new lord mayor to the civic throne, who the ensuing year is to be Sir William Treloar, naturally turns the thoughts of Londoners to their annual raree show on Nov. 9, the day on which they are permitted by ancient law to indulge in many extravagances which would not be permitted them on any other day in the year. It is a day on which a Londoner cannot be locked up for anything short of theft or violent assault. He can do almost what he pleases, with a policeman looking smilingly on.

It isn't the magnificence of the lord mayor's show which Londoners enjoy, for truly of late years it has seemed to have lost all its original splendor. It is the fun they get out of it.

The difficulty in securing some fresh idea with which to make the lord mayor's show different in its main features from its predecessors increases as the years roll by. For some time past interest has been created by the rumor that this year's pageant will differ from those of recent years.

It is now definitely stated the show will contain no cars or floats, but that their place will be taken by an entirely new feature, which should prove one of the most interesting, as it is the most original, that has been seen in recent years.

It will consist of representation in costume of seven centuries of city civic life, the representation being carried out by groups illustrative of the lord mayors of each century, with their sheriffs and high officers. Each group will be dressed in the correct costume of the period and will consist of ten persons, so that the total number of persons in the seven groups will be 70.

Such historic lord mayors as Fitz Alyn and Dick Whittington will be included, and this feature undoubtedly will overshadow all others in the procession, which otherwise will follow traditional lines.

Novel Honeymoon Trip.

Fifteen months immured within the rocky fastnesses of the headwaters of the McMillan River, in the far away Yukon, 225 miles from the nearest of their own sex and race—such was the experience of two women, both accustomed to culture and refinement, but who fought bravely against the elements while out of civilization. The two women are Mrs. Armstrong, an Englishwoman, and Mrs. George Leight, Canadian. The latter made her honeymoon trip into the wild country and shared the dangers and hardships of her miner husband. In a frail canoe they navigated the McMillan, Pelly and Yukon Rivers, and they returned to civilization bronzed and in perfect health, having endured privations with uncomplaining good nature.

AMAZING CREDULITY.

Witchcraft in London as Told at the Clerkenwell Sessions.

The London Daily Graphic says: An extraordinary story of witchcraft was told at the Clerkenwell Sessions on Saturday, when a Russian Jewess named Rachel Neuhans, aged 40, was indicted for having obtained £5 14s by false pretences from Mrs. Annie Samuels and £25 from Rosie Silberberg.

Annie Samuels, a charwoman, of Brunswick street, St. Georges, giving her evidence in Yiddish, through the interpreter, said her husband deserted her 21 months ago. Recently the prisoner called on her and asked her if she would like her fortune told for threepence. She laid out some cards, and apparently reading them, said: "Your husband has deserted you. I have power to bring him back again. Give me 2s 6d. I can relieve you of all your troubles and restore your husband, so that you will have to work hard no longer." She believed that and paid the money. The next day the prisoner asked for 1s 6d for candles, which being burned in a peculiar way, with pins stuck all round them, would attract the husband to his home again. On another occasion she made mysterious passes with her hands over the fire, on which she had carefully deposited a red brick. The husband did not return, and the prisoner explained: "I must have more money. The more you give me the quicker I shall bring him home." She paid £5 14s in all. Then the prisoner insisted on having a nightdress, some sheets and pillow cases. She was going to prepare these with a secret process, so that one night the witness would wake up and find her husband by her side. He would be wearing the nightdress and the pillow cases, which had been treated with something which had the wonderful power of preventing her husband ever running away again. (Loud laughter.) Her husband did not come back.

In answer to Mr. W. H. Sands, defending, Mrs. Samuels said she believed the prisoner to be a good witch who could perform magic. The witness produced a capacious bag out of which she brought a medicine bottle containing a magic liquid for sprinkling about the room, a paper packet containing some clippings from the back of a black cat, and some pins which she had to sew into her chemise. All these things were supposed to be necessary to restore her husband. (Loud laughter.)

Mr. Chester Jones (laughing heartily)—This is the funniest case I have ever had before me.

Fanny Samuels, the witness' daughter, said that the prisoner provided powders and uttered mysterious words to call her father back.

Mr. Chester Jones—A sort of incantation I suppose.

Mr. Sands (cross-examining)—Did you see the performance with the black cat?

The witness—Yes, and she threw something into the fire. It came out with a squeak. I had a fright and I ran away. (Laughter.)

Did she put the cat in the fire? A. I can't say what she did with the cat. Something was put on the fire.

Did the black cat frighten you? A. The squeak did.

You thought the prisoner a good witch? A. Yes; she showed us such miracles that she made us believe her. She produced a lot of Russian gold—handfuls—from her bosom, and said: "I don't want your money. See, I have plenty of my own. All will be returned when I have finished my work, but if you do not give me what I want I have the power to stop your husband from ever coming back."

Detective Sergeant Leeson said that during the five months the prisoner had been in London she had accumulated a large sum of money by these practices.

She was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment, and certified for deportation.

A Poet's Curious Compliment.

It was the habit of Richard Henry Stoddard, the poet, to always speak well of every one. No matter how bad the character of a person, the good gray poet invariably found some trait to praise. One day in his office on Park row some friend entered and asked him whether he knew so and so, and, if so, what was the man's reputation. It happened that the man had a shady reputation and was well known as a "gold brick" operator. The aged poet lighted his pipe and answered:

"Yes, I know him. He is the most energetic, progressive, irrepressible, good natured, artistic kind of an unmitigated rascal that I ever met."—

Heart relief in an hour.—A lady in New York State, writing of her cure by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, says: "I feel like one brought back from the dead, so great was my suffering from heart trouble and so almost miraculous my recovery through the agency of this powerful treatment. I owe my life to it."—19

Slight Mistake.

"Waiter, what does this mean? Twenty-five francs for two hard boiled eggs?"

"Very sorry, sir. Slight mistake, sir. I've given you the bill intended for the American at the next table."—Pele Mele.

The Oil Spot.

In the gulf of Mexico ten miles southwest of Sabine pass is a calm stretch of water two miles long and three-quarters of a mile wide. It is known as the Oil Spot and is always placid.

Rheumatism.

Rheumatism may often be cured by adding a little oil of turpentine to the warm or hot bath. Again, a little of the mixture formed by using fifty grams of green soap and thirty grams of oil of turpentine poured into the bath will be effective. It should be used at once after mixing, when the liquid becomes a foaming froth.

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BETTER UNDERWEAR

The Arab War Chant.

Captain Von Herbert describes how the sacred chant was sung by Osman Pasha's force in that last dreadful sortie from Plevna. He knows, for, as he says, "as a youngster of seventeen, being then in the Turkish service, I took part in the charge." It is a solemn four part chant for deep male voices, with intervals, the melody recurring again and again, of alternating harmonies hummed almost pianissimo, to the words, "Allah Akbar," and then again rising "to a great outburst on the fifth note." There is more than a suggestion of plain song, that song which drifted westward from the east.—Pall Mall Gazette.

The Greenfinch.

Among the cutest of English wild birds are greenfinches, which frequent old buildings and old walls for the sake of freshly caught insects and spiders in cobwebs, personal exertion being thereby saved. They are well aware of stores in the larders of spiders' webs.

Tokyo's Public Baths.

Tokyo has 800 public baths, which are used by 300,000 people daily.

The World's Births.

The world's births amount to about 37,000,000 every year, 101,370 every day, 4,224 every hour, or one and a fraction every second.

A Bank Note Curiosity.

A bank note that passed through the Chicago fire is one of the curios preserved in the Bank of England. The paper was consumed, but the ashes held together, and the printing is quite legible, and it is kept under glass. The bank paid the note.

Eyes and Nose Ran Water.—C. O. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, says: "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. It relieves in ten minutes."—50 cents.—17

English papers commend Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux's proposal to lower postage on British newspapers.

Have You Insured Your Skin?

A North-West farmer died recently from blood poisoning following the prick of a rusty nail. A tin tack on which he trod, penetrated a Chicago boy's toe, and he died later from lock-jaw. Both these deaths could have been averted if a box of Zam-Buk had been handy. The air is full of poisonous germs and microbes which settle on wounds, and—and what? If left to go their own way they set up festering, suppuration and frequently blood poison. If Zam-Buk is applied these harmful germs are killed and the wound is healed.

One of the greatest living chemists has proved that Zam-Buk has more power to kill harmful microbes in wounds than crude carbolic acid, and does it painlessly. A little Zam-Buk applied to a cut, a sore, a burn or a bruise which breaks the skin, prevents the wound from taking the wrong turn, and speedily heals it. Mrs. Bright, of Johnstone, N. B., says: "I got my finger poisoned by the prick from a needle, and as it got very bad I applied some old-fashioned remedies. It continued to get worse, and I then tried Zam-Buk. This both cleaned the wound and healed it and soon all trace of the injury was gone."

In cases of cuts, burns, bruises and other injuries Zam-Buk is the best "insurance." It is equally good for eczema, chronic ulceration, ringworm, scalds, sores, abscesses, inflamed patches, running sores, bad leg, old wounds, etc. Also for chapped hands. Of all druggists at fifty cents a box, or post free from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price. Six boxes for $2.50.

A white deer was recently shot by William Marshall of Sault Ste. Marie at Hayden, on the line of the Algoma Central.

When rheumatism doubles a man up physician and sufferer alike lose heart and often despair of a cure, but here's the exception. William Pegg, of Norwood, Ont., says: "I was nearly doubled up with rheumatism. I got three bottles of South American Rheumatic Cure and they cured me. It's the quickest acting medicine I ever saw."—18

Morals of Nature Study.

A contemporary writer says that under the pretence of nature study the fields and woods are robbed of their treasures, flowers being taken away by the armful where a few specimens would suffice. The things look best, he says, where nature has set them. Reasonably interpreted, this is sound ethics and good sense. Some things nature scatters in such profusion—daisies, lupine, golden rod, for instance—that they seem like a harvest of beauty which it would be a sin not to reap in due season. But it is a good rule in the school of nature not to take greedily more than is wanted, and not ruthlessly to destroy, moralizes The Toronto Star.

The good sportsman is opposed to extermination, and to the destruction of song birds and insectivorous birds. The use of the camera marks a further stage in the progress of humanity, and of true appreciation of nature. Some of the magazines have published wonderful pictures illustrating the habits of birds and beasts. Look at a likeness of a squirrel taking his breakfast on his table of pine, and compare it with the wretched creature turning a treadmill in a cage, and you will think that centuries must have elapsed between this barbarism and that civilization.

A Wonderful Machine.

The Taylor Construction Co. has a new excavator which it is intended will make rapid work on the trenching on the Edmonton city sewer work, and do the work of 100 men. The machine works on an entirely new principle, at least so far as Edmontonian experience is concerned. It weighs close to twenty tons, and it has a capacity, in good ground, of one hundred feet a day of trench 22 feet deep. It is moved by its own power on four large wheels similar to a steam shovel, but it has the advantage over a steam shovel that the work is done behind the machine instead of in front, so that the wheels are always on solid ground. A large leg, with a chain belt and steel brackets revolving like straw-carriers on a threshing machine, does the excavating, and a carrier carries the earth off to one side of the trench and clear of the machine. It will clear the trench out eight feet wide, sufficient for everything except the larger part of the main trunk sewer.

Coldest European Capital.

St. Petersburg is the coldest capital in Europe, the temperature in winter sometimes reaching 50 degrees below zero.

MRS. LOUIS LACOMB.

SUFFERED FOR MONTHS.

Operation Advocated—Saved by Peruna.

Mrs. Louis Lacomb, Hayward, Wis., writes: "I have followed your treatment so closely as I could and am now entirely well.

"We had two doctors and one said that I would have to have an operation performed before I could regain my health.

"We then decided to write you as my condition, as I had been suffering nearly a year with severe pains and headaches at times so that I could scarcely stand up.

"Now I feel so well after a short treatment with your remedy, and am so grateful that I do not know how to express my thanks.

"I thank you many times for the timely advice I have had from you."

The days of free coal mining around Estevan are practically over. Field after field is gradually being closed to settlers.

The Canadian Pacific Ry. are running a series of Winter Excursions to Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., from all stations in Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Corns cause intolerable pain. Hollaway's Corn Cure removes the trouble. Try it, and see what amount of pain is saved.

The next legislature of Saskatchewan will meet at Regina in the new Mitchallis block instead of the historic old buildings.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Thomas Shannon has bought the Copeland House at Pembroke, for $40,000.

Eating Arsenic.

The practice of eating arsenic is very common among peasants in the mountainous districts of Hungary and France. They claim that the poison enables them to ascend great heights without experiencing any difficulty in breathing.

Putting It On.

"That man Careless has a very swagger air. Has he money?"

"No. That's the reason he has the swagger air."—Detroit Free Press.

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Living twenty-two miles from a drug store the writer of the letter quoted below tells of the benefits obtained from the use of Dr. Chase's Medicines in times of sickness and suffering.

In thousands of lonely homes throughout the northwest the family depends almost entirely on Dr. Chase's Medicines and the receipts contained in Dr. Chase's Receipt Book as a means of maintaining health and combatting disease.

Mrs. Thos. Shiels, Stoughton, Sask., writes: "We have used nearly all of Dr. Chase's Medicines in our family with splendid results and send direct to you for them because we live twenty-two miles from a drug store.

"In Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills we found a cure for constipation, biliousness and kidney disease.

"I used several boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for nervousness from which I had been a great sufferer and it built me up and strengthened me wonderfully.

"Some years ago I had an ulcer on my ankle and though I tried many treatments of one kind and another could get nothing to heal it until I used Dr. Chase's Ointment, which I have also found an excellent cure for itching piles. We would scarcely know how to get along without Dr. Chase's Medicines."

The confidence which people have in Dr. Chase's Medicines can only be accounted for by the fact that they never disappoint. For nearly half a century they have been before the public and had a record of cures unparalleled in the history of medicine. These family medicines are sent by mail postpaid on receipt of price. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, 25 cents a box, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food 50 cents a box. Dr. Chase's Ointment 60 cents a box. At all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Tram Profits for Concerts.

Over £21,000 out of the profits of the Sheffield Corporation Tramways is being contributed in relief of the city's rates this year, being equal to about 4 cents in the pound. This successful municipal enterprise also provides a special fund, out of which grants are made to various objects not supportable out of the rates, such as the maintenance of municipal winter concerts and the preliminary expenses of an electrical exhibition which is being promoted by the corporation.

The Willis shoe factory, the latest of Seaforth's industries, has started manufacturing.

A CRIPPLE CURED.

Helpless and Bent with Rheumatism —Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"I was a helpless cripple. I was bent in form and could not straighten up. Crutches were my only means of moving about. I tried many medicines, but they all failed until I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—they cured me." George Schaw, of Short Beach, N.S., made the above almost startling statement to a reporter a few days ago. Mr. Schaw is now a well-built man, strong and broad-shouldered. Like thousands of other Nova Scotians, he is a fisherman and is constantly exposed to all kinds of weather, just the conditions to set the rheumatic poison in the blood at work. Mr. Schaw adds: "It is impossible to overrate the severity of the attack. The trouble was located in my back and right hip. I had to quit work and was mostly indoors. There was a time when I never expected to stand erect again, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills straightened me up again, not only that, but they made me the strong, hearty man you see me to-day. I can never describe the awful pain I suffered before I used these pills. I tried many medicines and had treatment from several doctors, but to no avail. My legs became so stiff that in order to move at all I had to use crutches. Finally the doctors decided that I was incurable, and told me they could render no further assistance. I continued to suffer day and night, and then came the turning point of my life. A friend from a distance came to see me and it was from him I learned that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were a great cure for rheumatism. At once I got a supply and began to use them. The first indication that they were helping me was when the pain grew less severe. In a few weeks more the swelling in my legs and hips began to leave, then my joints seemed to loosen up, and then it was not long until my crutches were thrown aside and I could straighten up. Then I began to go outdoors and soon was able to resume my work as well as ever. Since that time I have never been troubled with rheumatism or lame back. I can tell you my neighbors were all astonished at my cure; they all thought I would always be a cripple."

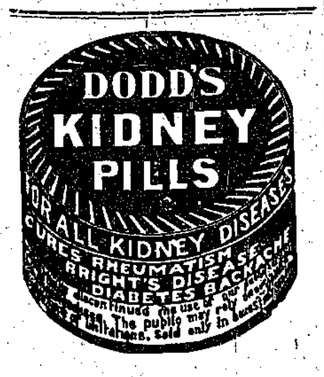
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure rheumatism by going straight to the root of the trouble in the blood. They make new rich blood that sweeps out the poisonous acid and soothes the jangled nerves. That is how they cure all troubles rooted in the blood, such as anaemia, indigestion, neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, general weakness and the special ailments that only girls and women folk know. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

It is proposed at Seaforth to revive the town's salt industry.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Corncobs as Fuel.

Wood has gone up in price to $7 a cord at San Antonio, Texas. This has brought on the suggestion that the people buy corncobs for fuel, since these are quoted on the market at $5 a cord. It is contended that corn cobs make god fuel. The wood dealers blame the railroads for the scarcity of wood. One dealer said that for forty-five days he had been appealing to the Railroad Commission and to the railroad for cars, and without success. A dealer was appealed to for a cord of wood, and he declined to sell that much to one customer, saying he could not sell more than a dollar's worth.—N. Y. Tribune.



A RELAPSE.

Within the city's din and dust,
'Tis heat and toil and friction,
I dwell, as many mortals must
Till saddened with affliction.
I called a doctor, one I knew
To be a skilled reliever
Of human ills. Said he, "Sir, you
Are stricken with hay fever."

Then to a cool resort I fled
As soon as time would let me
And felt all right in heart and head
Until new grief beset me.
She is a widow—oh, such grace!
How can I ever leave her?
A pretty grass one. Fatal case!
Once more I have hay fever!
—Nixon Waterman in Woman's Home Companion.

They Found the Man.

A good story is told in a recent issue of Wilhelm's Magazine of Hon. F. W. Aylmer, of Golden, B. C., relating to the early days when Mr. Aylmer came to the Pacific West in charge of a body of surveyors of the Canadian Pacific Railroad and was widely known as the "Hon. Frank Aylmer." One day while the men were at dinner eating ordinary camp fare, three rowdy lumberjacks came to the camp and asked to see the man in charge. Being told that he was "the Hon. Frank Aylmer," they became very insulting and loquacious. "Frank Aylmer—the Honorable Frank Aylmer!" the largest one in the crowd exclaimed in a sneering tone of voice; "the Honorable Frank Aylmer! Point him out to me that I can get a good look at him! Who is this Hon. Frank Aylmer?" A gentleman of husky, manly proportions jumped up from his seat at the table and fronted them. "Who are you?" the rowdy asked. "I am the Honorable Frank Aylmer," he replied, and then proceeded, in true Canadian style to thrash the three of them. At first, the man's rowdy companions wanted to stop in and help out their comrade, but the boys in camp compelled them to desist, and he finished up the three of them in succession. Mr. Aylmer today lives in Golden, and is one of the town's highly esteemed and respected citizens, numbering his friends by the score.

Croquet stands as high in favor today as it did, when Leech immortalized the game in the Punches of the sixties and seventies of the last century. Croquet is played in London and the country, at Ranelagh and at Hurlingham. Several men and women in smart society have become experts, and much high betting takes place when a match is in progress.—London M. A. P.

I was cured of a severe cold by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Oxford, N.S. R. F. HEWSON.

I was cured of a terrible sprain by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Yarmouth, N. S. FRED COULSON, Y.A.A.C.

I was cured of Black Erysipelas by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Inglesville. J. W. RUGGLES.

Dashing Romance.

He (sentimentally) — The eyes, you know, are the windows of the soul.

She (flippantly)—I suppose that accounts for their frequent glassy stare.—Baltimore American.

How Table Olives Are Prepared.

Our consul at Seville reports that to prepare olives in the most palatable manner they must be gathered unripe after the first autumn showers. Properly assorted according to size and quality, they are first washed in fresh water to remove particles of earth and leaves which usually cling to the fruit. Later they are allowed to soak in a solution of soda and potash, concentrated to between two degrees and six degrees of the Baume aerometer. If the solution be very concentrated eight to ten hours of soaking suffice; if diluted, the operation may continue for three or four days. After the solution has penetrated very nearly to the stone of the fruit, fresh water is substituted and renewed every two hours until it remains clean—a sign that the fruit has lost the caustic flavor which the solution had imparted to it. Next the fruit is pickled according to processes varying in conformity to the custom of each locality. Some use brine, others admix fennel and thyme, while not infrequently also salt and vinegar are employed. In this way whole olives are pickled. Whenever it is desired, on the other hand, that the fruit should imbibe a stronger savor of the pickle into which it is steeped incisions penetrating to the stone are made.—United States Consular Reports.

Trees in Sicily.

The ancient poets used to sing of the dense forests of Sicily. Today the mountains are bare. The question of reforesting is a difficult one. Attempts at starting new growth are frustrated by the peasants, who tear down fences and drive in their goats. Only under military protection could new forest trees be grown.

"I'm surprised at you," said Jigley, "trying to borrow a dollar from that fellow Hardupe. You're surely not in such awful need of money."

"No," replied Shrude, "but I felt sure Hardupe was. Anticipated him, that's all."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Afraid to Come Back.

"How can Skinnem afford to stay so long in Europe?"

"It's a good deal cheaper than it would be to come back here and pay his debts."—Detroit Free Press.

In Nature's Storehouse There are Cures.—Medical experiments have shown conclusively that there are medicinal virtues in even ordinary plants growing up around us which give them a value that cannot be estimated. It is held by some that nature provides a cure for every disease which neglect and ignorance have visited upon man. However, this may be, it is well known that Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, distilled from roots and herbs, are a sovereign remedy in curing all disorders of the digestion.

Training for Sunday School Workers.

The Committee in charge of the Fifth International Sunday School District proposes holding the Triennial Conference in Minneapolis sometime between the 15th January and the end of February next. The district includes the States of Wisconsin, Minnesota, South and North Dakota, and the Province of Manitoba, Canada. This Conference will last for three days. All members of State, Provincial, County, Township and all auxiliary associations are members of the conference and are invited to attend.

Following the Conference, there will be held a three days' School of Methods for all pastors and workers in every department of Sunday School work. This will be a week of inspiration and education never before equalled in the north-west. Those in charge of this work are—S. B. Harding, Waukesha, Wis.; A. M. Locker, Windom, Minn.; Rev. F. P. Leach, Sioux Falls, S. D.; Rev. J. Orchard, Fargo, N. D.; and W. H. Irwin, chairman, Winnipeg, Man. Particulars in regard to exact dates, the place of meeting in Minneapolis, entertainment, speakers, etc., will be announced later. For full information, address the chairman, or any member of the committee.

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It is estimated that the water-works revenue at Hamilton will amount to $225,000 next year, an increase of $15,000.

The Demon, Dyspepsia.—In olden times it was a popular belief that demons moved invisibly through the ambient air, seeking to enter into men and trouble them. At the present day the demon, dyspepsia, is at large in the same way, seeking habitation in those who by careless or unwise living invite him. And once he enters a man it is difficult to dislodge him. He that finds himself so possessed should know that a valiant friend to do battle for him with the unseen foe is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are ever ready for the trial.

The Gamewell company's fire alarm system has been decided upon by Edmonton and will be immediately installed.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

The Strathcona council have placed an order with a Vancouver firm for a portable cottage required as a nurses' home for the hospital.

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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 on 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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There is talk of an electric road from Seaforth to Brussels.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Sunken Treasure Search.

Salving operations for the recovery of the $5,000,000 treasure on the sunken East Indiaman Grosvenor, wrecked off Pondoland, Cape Colony, in 1782, will shortly begin. The Cape Government will receive 25 per cent. on anything recovered.

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According to a Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail Denmark and Germany have entered into a treaty to close the Baltic to fleets hostile to Germany in time of war.

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The fishermen of Marblethorpe, in Lincolnshire, are greatly perturbed by the prospect of not being allowed to use whelks as bait, which have hitherto been customary.

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Too Busy Then.

"How fur did de mule kick you?"

"Don't ax me. Think I had time ter measure de distance?"—Atlanta Constitution.

England Has Largest Eggs.

"Egg cups are bigger in New York than anywhere else in the world except England," said a globe trotter. "I can't say the same for the eggs, although the hens in this country perform their duty of helping to feed the human race pretty creditably. Still, they cannot come up to the English hens. Their contribution to the food products are extraordinary in size; hence the corresponding capaciousness of the egg cups. The further south you go on the continent the smaller the egg cups grow. In Egypt they dwindle away to the size of the average thimble. Their diminutive proportions are commensurate with the size of the eggs, however, which are the smallest laid by self respecting hens any place on earth. Place an ordinary Egyptian egg in the British cup and it is absolutely lost."—New York Press.

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HOMESEEKERS IN CALGARY.

All Sorts and Conditions of Men Make Tracks in Quest of Their Fortune.

Now is the advent of the homeseeker in the Western provinces. The woods—rather the prairies—are full of them, and the streets of a certain large town in Alberta, Calgary, writes a Toronto Telegram correspondent, are daily patrolled by squads of young fellows, most noticeably English, out to seek their fortunes in the alluring West. But the crowds of visitors are not confined to one nationality, and they are of all ranks—millionaires, who might buy a little piece of land, say 10,000 acres en passant, as a speculation—level-headed boys from good old Ont. "just out to look around and perhaps to locate," if it looked good to them—lucky fellows on a trip around the world—men looking for farms, and poor devils looking for anything they can get.

There is a sharp-faced Yankee from the American middle west, a "make or bust" land-seeker from "Iowa," on the lookout for cheap wheat lands. Says he sold his farm "down home in God's country" for $50 an acre.

Born and bred in the West, the Canadian prairie is to him only a repetition of his own land, with the improvements of a better Government and decent laws.

An Innate Gambler.

He is a gambler from the word go, this man from "Iowa," ready to take a chance on a possible frost or drought, trusting to luck and his own common sense to pull him through, which it invariably seems to do.

"We come from Bruce and we must be respected." You gather this from the conversation of a group of some half a dozen big fellows standing at the street corner. These shrewd, hard-headed sons of the Ontario peninsula, whose muscles were toughened in boyhood's days pulling out rocks and stumps on the old farm, can now direct their energy to the clean soil of the prairie with marvellous results. They, the Ontario farmers, are building up the West.

"Thought you'd hit the trail west again," said a voice.

I turned and confronted an old cattleman from Little Bow.

"Lots of new settlers coming in, eh?"

"They're sure comin' in bunches. Them American fellers think they know it all. Why, down south, places grass wouldn't grow, them dry years, I'll be —— if them 'Iowa' and Kansas farmers haven't growed first-class fall wheat, ploughin her up right on gravel beds, slappin' in the seed, and gettin' forty and fifty bushels to the acre. We've had rainy summers for a while, but just wait till she gets back to them dry seasons and they'll ketch it. Serve em' right for cuttin' up the range and spoilin' ranchin'. No, sir, cattle is good enough for me—ain't got down to mossback yet.

Irrigation Wanted.

"If they had water on the land—irrigation? Good scheme of the C. P. R. to get rid of some of their old deserty tracts between here and the 'Hat,' you bet. Guess they can raise bananas with irrigation."

Here he gave a wink and pointed to a group of new arrivals, a lot of well-dressed young Englishmen in riding breeches and boots.

"More of them slack-seated pants and leggins and checker board coats. This used to be a ranchin' country, but she's sure gettin' to be a regular museum with some of the specimens comin' in. Goin' rawnchin' are they? Gallopin' over the plains on a broncho and all that sort of thing. Like to see them shuntin' stock out on the bald-headed prairie, wind blowin' and 20 below, in that outfit. The sooner they drop rawnchin' for ranching and put on overalls in place of them glad rags and catch on to the fact that there's more forkin' manure than horse-back ridin' to the cow business these days, the quicker they'll get on.

"Pupils to learn ranchin'? That game ain't played out yet. No, sir! See that young feller across the street?

Premium Pupils Pay.

"No, he ain't no hobo. He's one of them pupils—pays $500 a year to Bill Lee out on Mud Creek for the privilege of doin' the chores—spends all his spare time lyin' round town lickin' up booze. Fat thing for Bill, but it only lasts a year, for the pupil's calculated to have learned it all by then. Bill says he's glad he's to git when his year's up. Wouldn't have him round the place no longer. Why, last summer him and another feller just busted Bill's mowin' machine and rake all to pieces, racin' in from the hay field with teams of bronks.

"Had one of them kind workin' for me once. Met him in town when I was lookin' for a man. Said he knew it all—could ride anything—forgot to say he couldn't ride a horse. The old woman ketched him one day standin' in a tub when he was choppin' wood; said he didn't want to cut his feet with the axe. That tub leaked afterwards.

Forgot the Steers.

"Awful forgetful young fellow he was. One day I sent him across to a neighbor to get some two-year-old steers out of his pasture. Now would you believe it, but he'd clean forgot what I told him, and when he stopped his cayuse at my neighbor's after ridin' through his garden patch and four flower beds, he said he didn't know if it was eleven two-year-olds, or two eleven-year-olds that he wanted.

"Price of beef? Away down out of sight. Like to hold my steers if I could, but guess I'll have to sell. Between the beef-buyers cinchin' a fellow up on the price and the mossbacks crowdin' in and fencin' up the country, the poor old rancher is up against it.

"Yes, this last rain has insured a crop, but things sure looked bad before we got it. The country was as dry as a bone, with the dust lyin' thick on the trails. Git plum choked up with dust every time I hit this town. Thanks, don't mind if I do."

Sunlight Causes a Fire.

The sun acting upon a powerful reading glass in the shop window of Norman Woodcock, chemist, of High road, Woodgreen, set fire to four packets of towels. The owner being out at the time a policeman climbed through a back window and extinguished the fire before it had time to spread.

Expectation of Life.

According to the English table of expectation of life, out of 1,000,000 children born the survivors at the age of sixty would be 182,350 males and 187,477 females, of whom ten years later there would be 114,370 males and 123,607 females, or a total of 237,977.

Day and Night.

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A schedule of prices for city labor has been drawn up by the Edmonton city council.

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The Canadian Pacific Ry. are again running their annual excursions to Eastern Canada from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the tickets being on sale November 24th to December 31st and good to return within three months.

The superiority of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is shown by its good effects on the children. Purchase a bottle and give it a trial.

The Dandelion.

A good time to exterminate the dandelion is in the autumn. It cannot be done by digging up the plant, for it is impossible to extract all of the root, and later on twice as many plants will spring up. The best way is to pour gasoline all around and into the center of the plant, and in a few days it will shrivel up and die.

Looking Backward.

Do you ever look back over your early and think how many times you have made a fool of yourself? We do.—Mancos Times-Tribune.

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"Our doctor said there was no cure for my wife as both her lungs were affected," says Mr. L. H. Walter, of Pearl Street, Brockville, Ont. "It was a sad disappointment to us both, just starting out in life, only married a short time. But before she had finished the first bottle of Psychine the pain in her lungs quickly went away, and after taking six bottles Mrs. Walter was a new creature and perfectly well again."

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Remove the cotton in a few minutes and smear with vaseline, and dust with talcum powder or flour. Occasionally lay over this a cloth wet with Liniment. 25 cents, three times as much 50 cents. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., Boston, Mass.

Prince Rupert, the new Grand Trunk Pacific terminal, is no place for a workingman as yet, say officials, and they have been warned against going there.

There is Only One Eclectric Oil.—When an article be it medicine or anything else, becomes popular, imitations invariably spring up to derive advantages from the original, which they themselves could never win on their own merits. Imitations of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil have been numerous, but never successful. Those who know the genuine are not put off with a substitute, but demand the real thing.

Walter Reid, an expert adviser of the Aero Club of the United Kingdom, makes the statement in an address that the latest prediction arising from the air travel fever is that they will be able to travel from London to New York in twenty-four hours.

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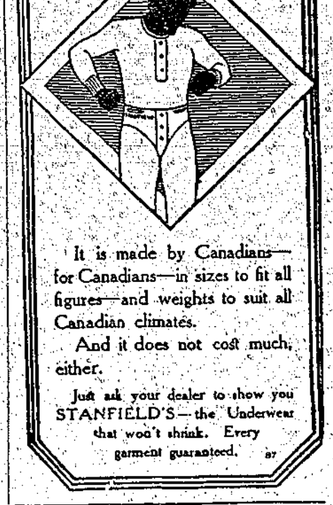

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Moyie is having many marriages.

What San Francisco seems to need most of all is a graffers' exclusion act.

Joe Martin to re-enter politics in B. C. Where did we hear that name before?

That haste makes waste is proved by the Chicago wind that blew 60 miles an hour.

Some day Moyie will have a fire and then the citizens will regret they did not look after their fire fighting apparatus.

The Delmonico heirs have put the famous restaurant of that name in the hands of a receiver. The growth of the New York hotels tells the story.

Miners Magazine: the working man who was furnished a carriage on election day to bring him to the polls to exercise his sovereign rights of citizenship, is now humbly walking to his work.

The Kansas farmer is in trouble again. Improved seed corn has resulted not only in a big crop but has produced ears too big for the present supply of shellers. Prosperity has its troubles—by Heck!

The Cranbrook Herald says that in case of an election "It is twenty to one that J. A. Harvey gets the nomination in this district." The Leader will here add that in case Harvey does get the nomination it is twenty to one he will be elected.

The British Columbia Parliament is at present made up of 42 members, 22 of these are Conservatives, 17 are Liberals, 2 are Socialists and 1 Independent Labor. The combined votes of Liberals, Socialists and Independent Labor would amount to but 20, against 22 Conservatives.

The natural life of the present Provincial parliament does not end until next November, and there is no earthly reason for an election to be held sooner. The business of the country is running along smoothly and there is no necessity for disturbing these conditions by a premature election.

The Greenwood Ledge asks: Why is it, a careless seven year old kid can drop a half burned match in an alley and burn up all the barns in a block, while an able bodied man has to use up a whole box of matches to get a wood fire started in a heater that has draft enough to draw all the furniture up the stove pipe!

Strikes come expensive to both the employer and the employee, as well as the common people. These are the figures given on the recent strike at Fernie: Loss of Coal Co. in profits, $100,000; cost of putting the mines in good condition, $50,000; wages lost by the men, $300,000; loss to the government in royalties, $20,000; total $470,000.

Executive Board Meets.

The executive board of the Western Federation of Miners convened in session at Denver, Monday, December 3rd. The board will map out a program of continuing the work of the organization. The rapid increase in membership during the past six months indicates that the next convention will be by far the largest convention in the history of the organization.

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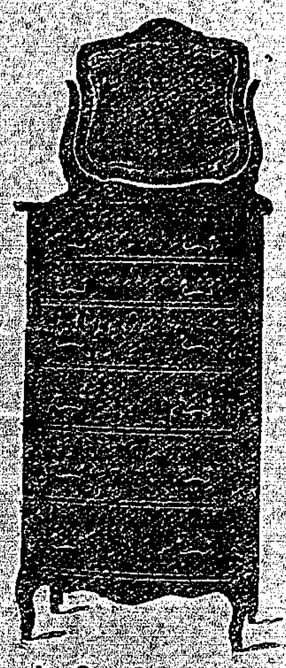

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