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Often Hear These Words!

"DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS!"

Cæsar's delay to glance over a message cost him his life on his return from the Senate house.

Colonel Bahl, the Dutch commander at Trenton, was having a gay old time when a messenger handed him a letter stating that Washington was crossing the Deleware--he shoved the letter in his pocket without reading it until the sport was over--his troops were token and he lost all.

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AVENUE, MOYIE, B. C.

COAL STRIKE IS SETTLED

President Appointed Commission.

BOTH SIDES SATISFIED

The Miners will Go Back to Work Pending the Decision of the Commission.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The great anthracite strike is settled at last. A commission of six persons, with a seventh, Carroll D. Wright, as recorder, will adjust differences between operators and miners. President Mitchell of the miners' union will take the necessary measures to call the strike off. The president will urge immediate resumption of mining, and the operators are expected to begin next week.

The commission is composed of Brigadier General John M. Wilson, retired, as an officer of the engineers.

E. W. Parker, Washington, D. C., as an expert mining engineer. Mr. Parker is chief statistician of the coal division of the United States geological survey and editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal of New York.

E. E. Clark, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors, as a sociologist.

Thomas H. Watkins, Scranton, Pa., as a man practically acquainted with the mining and selling of coal.

Bishop Spalding, of Peoria, Ill.

Carroll D. Wright has been appointed recorder of the commission.

Will Start a Logging Camp.

Manager H. Cameron of the Moyie Lumber Co. received a telegram this week from the shareholders at Fairbault, Minn., instructing him to make preprrations for starting a logging camp. Sam Grant will be here within a few days, when definite arrangements will be made.

Laying New Steel.

Considerable new steel will be laid along the Crow's Nest line this fall and winter. The tunnel at the head of Moyie lake will also be enlarged.

Roadmaster Chas. Crossman will begin Monday laying new steel from Aldridge west for about 10 miles. He will have in the neighborhood of 40 men employed.

Good Shoes for Men.

The man who buys his Shoes from us needs judge only of the fit. We protect him in all points of style and Service. It's to our interest to sell you a satisfactory shoe and few know better than we the requirements of Shoe satisfaction.

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LOCAL NEWS.

E. J. Peltier was in town Monday.

W. L. Reid was in Spokane a few days ago.

Gus King returned to Spokane Wednesday.

Look out for R. Campbell & Co.'s historical ad.

G. R. Muir was at Cranbrook the first of the week.

J. M. Lindsay and family have left Marysville and gone to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Fullerton were registered at the Kootenay this week.

Mrs. Lacy passed through Moyie Thursday on her way to Nelson.

Don't forget the free lunch at Joe Niederstadt's hotel this evening.

J. H. Hawke got a splendid picture of the lake and boats last Sunday.

Prof. S. W. Murphy left Moyie Sunday to join his old partner, Prof. "Barney" Wilson, at Michel.

The post office is now open every evening, except Sunday, until eight o'clock.

J. H. Hawke, manager of P. Burns & Co.'s Moyie branch, was in Cranbrook Wednesday.

Under the new train schedule the west bound train arrives in Moyie at 9:20 a. m., and the east bound at 2:40 o'clock p. m.

Joe Niederstadt will serve a free hot lunch at his hotel this evening. He will be pleased to see his friends.

Constable Dow of Elko brought a prisoner this far Thursday and turned him over to Constable Drummond, who took him to Nelson.

The members of the Methodist church held a very enjoyable social last Thursday evening. It was also very successful from a financial point of view.

The usual Presbyterian service will be held in the hall next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 p. m.

A. Graham, grand master of the Odd Fellows for the jurisdiction of British Columbia, visited the Moyie lodge Thursday. He is making an official tour of his district.

A man named Hansen was arrested near Aldridge Thursday and put in the Moyie lockup. He is cearged with breaking into and robbing a cabin west of here some time ago. He will be tried at Creston.

Parents should endeavor to keep their children off the railroad and away from the station when trains come in. Several children have had narrow escapes lately. Constable Drummond says he will be obliged to to take the matter in hand if the parents do not.

Black Bass Have Arrived.

The shipment of black bass from the government hatchery at Ottawa arrived here Wednesday. The shipment was made in three barrels. Two of the barrels contained two fish each. These were about six inches long, but one was dead, however. The remaining barrel contained about 25 live live minnows and about 18 dead ones. The fish were taken to the upper Moyie lake and turned loose near the mouth of Lamb creek.

This is a small beginning in an attempt to stock Moyie lake with black bass, but it is to be hoped it will be a successful one. The board of trade will ask for further assistance in this line.

Wilson Got Three Months.

"Tug" Wilson was tried before Justices of the Peace Hope and Thomson last Monday on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Wilson had been cutting ties for Brenton & Nelson, and in settling up Mr. Brenton gave him a time cheque written with a lead pencil. Wilson objected to this, wanting one made out with ink. This Brenton did, but neglected to destroy the former. Wilson, in some unaccountable manner, got possession of both, and cashed the one written with ink with Hill & Co., and the one written with pencil with Joseph Niederstadt. He was found guilty and sentenced to three months imprisonment. Constable Drummond took the prisoner to Nelson the following day.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

Items of Interest Selected

FROM ROUND THE WORLD

R. Riesterer Is Dead.--Costigan Hurt.--Doukhobores are Stalled on Food Question.

The C. P. R. is likely to build its new refinery at Nelson.

The Provincial tax sale takes place next Thursday, October 23rd.

W. R. Hearst has been nominated on the Democratic ticket for congress in New York City.

It is said that Mitchell will waive recoguition of the union if the miners get a ten per cent raise.

A thousand feet of new hose and three new nozzles have been received by the Rossland fire department.

Jim Hill has declared that he will double the carrying capacity of his Pacific fleet next year in order to keep up with the C. P. R.

Rod Tolmie, for several years secretary of the Mine Owners' Association of British Columbia, has been appointed deputy minister of mines under Colonel Prior.

Messrs. Foss & McDonald have had their townsite registered, so that the name of Morrissey belongs to them and will not be used by any other interests in this province.

J. R. Costigan, K. C., met with a nasty accident in a runaway near Calgary last week. He was thrown from the rig, dragged a distance and his collar bone broken.

If the anthracite coal strike had not been settled this week, President Mitchell would have made an effort to call out all the union coal miners in the United States and Canada.

Henry Rose, who was convicted for the murder of John Cole, near Nakusp last June, and sentenced to be hanged on November 21, has had a death watch placed over him at the Provincial jail at Nelson.

Two celebrated cases have been won against the Northport smelter. One because a man's farm was destroyed by the chemical atmosphere from the plant, and the other for injuries received.

Cranbrook Herald: The condition of W. A. Prest has not changed, but the physicians entertain no hope for his ultimate recovery. He seems to be resting easy, yet it is feared that he may show signs of failure most any time.

R. Riesterer, the Nelson brewer, died at his home last Tuesday. Mr. Riesterer was interested with Mr. Niederstadt in the Moyie brewery. Mr. Riesterer was one of the most enterprising of Nelson's citizens. Personally he was of a genial disposition and made hosts of friends who will learn of his death with sincere regret.

The cattle, horses and sheep turned loose by the Doukhobors, were gathered up by the government agencies at Fort Relly, and sold by auction, the proceeds to be devoted to providing food for the Douks, during the winter—if food can be found to suit them. The prblem they are up against now is whether or not turnips have life. In the event of the question being decided in the affirmative turnips will be cut off their bill of fare.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in the southern division of East Kootenay district, B. C.

Commencing at a post planted on the West side of the Canadian Pacific Railway near the 344 mile post, thence West 80 chains, thence South 80 chains, thence East 80 chains, thence North 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

H. N. BRENTON.

Dated September 15th 1902.

FUEL IN ABUNDANCE SURROUNDS

MORRISSEY, B. C.

The recent strikes here and elsewhere show the importance of Coal and Coke.

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Any careful, intelligent investor who will examine the resources surrounding Morrissey, will become convinced that when he buys real estate here at present prices, he is purchasing at a low price property that will bring him splendid returns. Lots on easy payments.

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Thos. Crahan, Agt. MORRISSEY.

METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK—Bar silver, 50½ cents. Lead, $4.12½. Copper, $11.30.

LONDON—Lead, £10 13s. 9d.

EAST KOOTENAY STOCK.

	Asked.	Bid
Crow's Nest Coal	$125.00	$118.00
St. Eugene	50	40
North Star	19½	18
Sullivan	5½	4

Methodist Church Services.

Sunday school at 3 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Facts in Jonah's life."

We heartily invite you to this service. A. E. MARSHALL, Pastor.

We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Currency and Fair Play chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the Consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Snowslice tags to January 1st, 1904.

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Boarding and Day School conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph, Nelson B. C. Commercial and business courses a specialty. Excellence and swift progress characteaize each department. Parents should write for particulars. One month assures the public of the thoroughness of the Sisters' methods of teaching. (Next term commences Sept. 1st.)

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CRANBROOK.

'Tween Love and Duty.

A NOVEL.

BY ANNIE THOMPSON.

CHAPTER I.

The "Curfew" was yet several miles south of Tenerife; she ploughed her way northward, ignorant of her destination, driven steadily forward by a resistless power. Incessant action, incessant progress; never a moment's rest for her throughout the glaring day or the breathless starlit night. Oh, if that perpetual throbbing might cease for an instant—if for one brief interval perfect stillness might be realized!

A young man, stretched at full length on a deck chair, wrung his thin fingers in utter wretchedness, even moaned a little, since there was no one near to observe his misery. Throb, throb, throb; endless vibrating of the vessel; endless hissing of the foam-flecked water—when would the intolerable noise end, and healing silence reign? Healing Silence was not far off from him. He knew it, he wanted to steady his mind and think of it, but how was continuous thought possible in the midst of this jarring tumult?

The deck had been empty for a time; clatter and chink of plates and the hum of voices rising from the saloon, told that a meal was in progress there. Captain Hensleigh, Dr. Brand and John Cayford, were the first to emerge on deck after it. They had been talking about Alan Twiss, and, seeing that he lay in a sheltered position forward, they moved to the stern of the ship to continue their conversation.

"I suppose then, he will not last long," said the captain.

"Impossible to say. He never allowed me to sound his lungs until to-day; one of them is far gone, and the other affected. According to his own account he comes of a consumptive family, and has been ill two years at least. He may live for weeks or even months; he may die in a few days."

"Why don't you tell him of his danger?" asked John Cayford. "It does not seem fair to let any one drift so near death without warning."

"You or I may die before he does," returned the doctor laconically, "think of Simmons!"

Simmons was one of the crew, who had been washed overboard during heavy weather experienced between Hobart and the Cape. The Cape lay far behind them now; the light winds were in their favor; the sun rose daily in a cloudless sky, and shone over a sea so calm that a strong effort was required before the memory of that tragic time of storm could be revived.

"Would it do Twiss any harm to tell him?"

"It might; probably it would. He is so nervous and excitable."

"Perhaps he knows already," suggested the captain hopefully. "Did he ask any questions about his condition?"

"Not a question."

"He cannot know," insisted Cayford; "He makes constant reference to his return to Melbourne in the autumn."

"Oh, they often talk of plans that they are aware they will never live to carry out; excessive hopefulness is quite a feature of the complaint." The doctor lit his cigar and turned away to chat with some ladies who had just appeared on deck.

"You agree with me, Captain, don't you?" said Cayford earnestly. "He must be told."

"Well"—the captain hesitated—"I suppose Dr. Band has his reasons; it might do harm. I must say I should prefer to know, if I were in the poor young fellow's place. He talks more to you than to any of us, Mr. Cayford; I daresay you will have an opportunity to give him just a hint of his condition." Having made this reasonable suggestion, the captain felt that he was relieved from further responsibility in the matter. He too walked forward, stopping for a few moments beside the deck chair.

"Fine day, Mr. Twiss; how are you feeling?"

"Captain, are we far from Tenerife?"

As soon as the words were uttered, they seemed to be caught up and repeated by the throbbing engines and the hissing water—Are we far from Tenerife?—Are we far from Tenerife? Alan lay with his eyes closed, breathing painfully, forced to listen to the ringing sound.

The captain looked off to the horizon for his answer.

Three hundred and sixty knots since yesterday; this is Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday — if all goes well we shall be at Santa Cruz on Wednesday."

"Thank you."

"Oh, this intolerable noise; Santa Cruz on Wednesday—Santa Cruz on Wednesday — hissing and throbbing and ringing in his ears! Captain Hensleigh's expression was grave enough when he left the invalid.

Two or three ladies walking rapidly up and down the deck, now stepped softly up to the young man's side. As he made no movement, they began to talk in those aggravating whispers that are so much more penetrating than louder sounds.

"He is asleep," they assured each other.

"How wasted he looks!"

"You heard what the doctor said? He must be dying."

"So young, too!"

"And he has such a pretty profile!"

"Isn't it sad!"

They stole away on tip-toe.

John Cayford remained where the captain had left him. Death! He had never been very near to death before. It was long since his parents died, his recollection of that time was faint and vague; his only sister had died recently, but he was at a distance from her, and to hear of death does not produce the same appalling effect upon the senses as to see it. He was beginning to experience that crushing sense of impotence which overcomes strength when it is confronted by greater strength. He had never yet been forced to succumb to any difficulty, failure was an unknown experience to him; good luck, good management, and some shrewdness, had done much for him, and would do more. Implicit confidence in his own strength, was his unspoken creed. He was not a selfish man — he was quite as ready to use his abilities in the service of others as in his own; others, indeed, afforded him larger scope for exercising ingenuity, for they placed themselves in dilemmas which his forethought would not allow him to approach. Conscious of his own power, he loved to exert it, and to feel that people were dependent on it. This was the explanation of the close intimacy that had sprung up between himself and Alan Twiss. They had met for the first time at Hobart, and the weakness of the invalid was an irresistible appeal to the strength of his fellow traveller. With infinite patience and gentleness, Cayford ministered to the needs of his unfortunate companion; he humored his fancies, read to him, talked to him, carried him on deck when he was too feeble to walk, and sat for hours by his berth fanning him when he lay exhausted by the extreme heat. It really seemed as though some reviving hopefulness had been infused into the patient — Alan certainly rallied; but alas! three days ago there had been an attack of hemorrhage and the poor lad lost all the ground he had gained. Looking at him now, Cayford saw that he must die, and the sight was intensely distressing to him. His own perfect health, and strength, and good prospects, seemed like cruel insults offered to the sufferer; insults for which reparation ought to be made. But what could be done?

Alan had for some time been lying with his eyes closed, he now raised his head and beckoned to his friend to come near him.

"I wish you would bring a chair here, and place yourself so that we can speak without interruption," he said. "Those ladies will not keep away. They ask me every few minutes how I feel. If I cough, they raise their eyebrows and look at each other and shake their heads. I am tired of telling them how long I slept last night and how much breakfast I ate this morning."

"They mean well, Alan."

"Yes, I daresay. Wait until you have been worried as long as I have, and you will wish that people meant ill, for a change."

"Have you slept at all this afternoon?"

"No. How could I, with the sea always there whenever I look up? I wish you could shift me somehow, so that I shall not be forced to see it."

John easily changed the invalid's position, but the movement made Alan cough.

"Everything is against me!" he exclaimed fretfully, "I wanted to talk to you, and now I shall have to lie quiet."

"Suppose I talk to you, instead."

"Ah, do! Say something, anything that will keep me from listening to these never-ending sounds."

"What sounds?"

"That hideous grinding of the screw and churning of the water — no rest, no rest!"

John looked at him in astonishment, and with some alarm; he himself was not overburdened with imagination.

"What can I tell you that will be of interest, I wonder. You have lived in Glasgow; perhaps you know Feldrossan, a little fishing village on the Ayrshire coast, I was born there."

"I don't know it. Did you live there long?"

"Always until I went to Melbourne. I used to go up to Glasgow every day to business, but my sister and I lived at Feldrossan together."

"A sister," said Alan, "I would like to have a sister. I have a half-brother, a rascal — curse him!"

"Now, Alan, be quiet; don't excite yourself so absurdly. What is the use of saying things you don't mean, and will be sorry to think of presently?"

Alan sighed, and the color that had suddenly flushed his face died out of it as suddenly. After a long pause he roused himself.

"Santa Cruz on Wednesday. I am very anxious to get there."

"You expect to meet a friend, don't you?"

"Yes, if he is there; but I am not certain. He was there a year ago, and I have written to him since without getting any answer. He may have gone away, or he may be dead. If he is dead, I suppose I shall see him soon. I am dying, you know."

Meeting an intensely wistful gaze, that implored a denial of the assertion just made, John looked away hastily. He was filled with pity for the dying man, involuntarily he clasped his hand closely.

"I know, my poor lad," he said, "I know."

"There isn't any need to pity me," remarked the invalid. "The longer I have to live, the more I shall suffer, and I hate pain. But I am a coward about dying; I have seen people die, I know what to expect. Sometimes when I cough and can't get breath, I wonder whether it is beginning—the long gasping fight for breath, till one is choked. Bah! Perhaps if you were near and held my hand as you are doing now, it would not be so bad." He raised himself to look out over the waste of waters, and closed his eyes, shuddering. After an interval of silence, he spoke again. "I thought I should despair, if I failed to find Corbett at Tenerife; but you have been so good to me that I believe you will be willing to help me. Am I right?"

"What do you want, Alan? I will very gladly do anything for you that I can."

Alan told his tale, pausing often to rest himself and gather fresh strength to proceed.

"My father," he said, "was twice married; my mother, his second wife, died of consumption when I was a child. I have a step-brother, Richard, my senior by twenty years. When my father died, he left some house property in Glasgow between us two. Richard managed it, and paid me my share of the proceeds every year. He was a solicitor in partnership with my father. I had found employment in another legal firm; I did not care for the work, but I had to do something and no other opening presented itself. Mr. Anderson, my junior employer, took a very kind interest in me, shewing me many favors both in business hours and out of them. Part of the work I was entrusted with was the collection of rents, some in the country, some in town. Suddenly my health gave way. I knew I had taken a bad chill, but I was careless about myself until one day I had a violent attack of hemorrhage. Then I was forced to see a doctor, and he told me that unless I left Scotland at once I would be dead before the winter was over. My illness had made me very depressed and listless; I had no wish to leave Glasgow, because I had no wish to live. I thought I had rather die quietly at home, and that I could exist on the money Richard paid me yearly, until death came. But, when I explained my intentions to him, Richard startled me with the information that I was already considerably in debt. It appeared that our property had depreciated in value, and had for some time yielded less than sufficed to keep it in repair. Knowing me to be delicate, Richard said he had not liked to deprive me of the sum I had been accustomed to receive from him; so he had paid it to me out of his own purse. I was distressed at this, for I hated him, and could not bear to be under obligations to him. Then I received a kind communication from my employers; they had been asked to find some one to fill a place in a solicitor's office in Cape Town, and they offered to recommend me. Mr. Anderson urged me to take this chance; Richard also urged me to go, saying that if I would relinquish all claim to our joint property he would assist me by giving me £200, and would consider my past obligations cancelled. I closed with both offers, and went, taking passage in a sailing ship in order to benefit as much as possible by the sea air.

"When I reached the Cape two months later, I made some discoveries about myself. Letters were waiting me, and from them I learned that I was accused of theft. It appeared that I had received £50 from a farmer in payment for his rent, that I had given him a receipt for it, but had failed to convey the money to my employers. I was assured that in consideration of my ill health, of the irreproachableness of my former conduct, and of the fact that my brother had generously made good the deficiency, no proceedings would be taken against me: but the recommendation given me was cancelled, and the circumstances had been communicated to the gentlemen to whose office I was going. You thought I was quite respectable, didn't you, John; what do you think of me now?"

"Of course there was some mistake, you were not to blame. What proof had they?"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Asia.

Asia contains more than half of the people of the world.

Footlight Favorites.

"They say young Gotrox is infatuated with Lottie Lightfoot. He's a millionaire, isn't he?"

"I don't know. He was, but he has known her three or four weeks."

The Word Crowd.

Crowd was the old English name for a fiddle or violin.

Crabs and Peppers.

Sweet, green peppers are delightful accompaniments for fried soft shell crabs. Cut thin slices from the outside of the peppers, being sure to omit the white inner part, which is fiery. The strips are eaten with salt, like celery.

Finger Nails.

Those who notice the rapid growth of their finger nails should be happy, for it is considered to indicate good health.

The Zuyder Zee.

At present about 3,500 fishermen get a precarious living from the waters of the Zuyder Zee in Holland. If it were reclaimed, the same area (1,400 square miles) would support a population of at least 20,000.

Cochineal.

Seventy thousand cochineal insects go to a single pound of dry cochineal. The world's crop of cochineal is from 300 to 500 tons.

The Oldest Writing.

The oldest piece of writing in the world is on a fragment of a vase found at Nippur. It is an inscription in picture writing and dates 4,500 years before Christ. The University of Pennsylvania has it.

BOWSER AS A COOK

HE SIGHS FOR HEAD CHEESE AND TRIES HIS HAND AT MAKING IT.

Fixes Up a Weird Mixture and Partakes of It—Then the Unexpected Happens, and the Old Man Is "Humped Up" With Racking Pains.

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WHEN Mr. Bowser sat down to dinner the other evening, he looked about him in a dissatisfied way, and to Mrs. Bowser's inquiries as to what was the matter he replied:

"The fact is I have no appetite and don't care whether I eat or not."

"But your appetite has been all right up to just now. Have you been drinking a large quantity of buttermilk this afternoon?"

"What have I got to do with buttermilk?" he demanded in loud tones. "Do you imagine I go around guzzling down

"WHAT HAVE I GOT TO DO WITH BUTTERMILK?"

stuff like a hog? I tell you my appetite is off and wants to be coaxed back. The eternal sameness of your dinners tires me."

"I will have pork and beans tomorrow."

"Then you'll eat 'em all yourself. You don't seem to understand that I'm no lumberman or day laborer."

"If your appetite craves any particular thing, why don't you tell me and let me get it?" asked Mrs. Bowser.

"Well, I want some head cheese. It's just possible that you may have heard of such a dish some time in your life."

"Yes, I have. Our mothers used to make it."

"Yes, our dear old mothers used to make it," sighed Mr. Bowser, "and if I had a pound or two tonight it would sharpen my appetite up like a razor. Oh, for the little delicacies of bygone days!"

"You mean the grease of bygone days. There is nothing more greasy and heavy than head cheese."

"I mean what I mean. Head cheese is a delicacy. You'd deny it on general principles, of course, but if you had a proper interest in your table you'd see that such tidbits were placed before me."

Mrs. Bowser said no more, but she determined to set out next morning and find head cheese if any butcher made it, and she'd have at least seven dishes of it on the table for dinner. After dinner Mr. Bowser sat down to smoke and read, but at the end of five minutes got up to walk around and exclaim:

"By George, but I'm dying for a taste of head cheese! I wonder if it can be had in the butcher shops."

"I think I've seen it at the butcher's, but it was in the winter," replied Mrs. Bowser. "Such heavy stuff as that cannot be the thing to eat at this season of the year."

"Season be hanged! There's no more season for head cheese than for strawberry jam. I'm going out to look for some."

Mr. Bowser went to the nearest butcher's and asked for head cheese, and after a look at him the butcher replied:

"I quit making it two months ago. It's too late in the season."

"How too late?"

"Too hearty and greasy, you know, for spring."

"That's all bosh. When I was a boy, we used to have it the year round."

"And maybe you had boils and pimples the year round. You might try fat pork."

Mr Bowser glared at him and felt his gorge rise, but managed to hang on to himself and back out. He called at two more shops, but they were also out of head cheese, and he returned home to say to Mrs. Bowser:

"They can all go to thunder, and I'll sell this house and move out of the neighborhood the first chance I get! The idea that there is no head cheese to be found within a mile of us! It's a Jay town, that's what."

"I'll leave an order with some butcher tomorrow," said Mrs. Bowser. "I have no doubt he'll make up a small quantity to order."

"But I want it tonight and can't sleep without it. If you were a true wife, you'd have my interests at heart."

"Could I tell that you would suddenly crave for head cheese?"

"Certainly you could, but you were looking out for yourself. How is the stuff made?"

"I don't believe I know."

"And why not? It is your business to know. Suppose I said I didn't know how to saw a board in two?"

"I—I think there's pork and grease in it," she faltered.

"And you may think there's tar and gravel in it also. By John, but the woman of today has about as much idea of housekeeping as a cat has of playing the piano! It is costing me millions of dollars a year to run this house, and yet if I want a pound of head cheese I can't get it!"

Mrs. Bowser felt helpless in the matter and therefore wanted to drop the subject, but after walking about for a few minutes and glaring at the cat in a way to make the poor feline shiver Mr. Bowser suddenly declared:

"I believe I can make the stuff myself."

"I don't see how you can."

"No, of course not. But I do, and I'm going down to the kitchen. Should you want to go to bed before I get through don't wait for me."

He went down to the kitchen and the icebox, and in the latter he found some cold beefsteak, cold potatoes, eggs, celery, radishes, bananas and cheese. For a minute he stood and let his mind wander back to bygone days, but he couldn't remember how his mother made the dish he craved for. He had a dim recollection that she mixed things up and used a bowl and a chopping knife, and that was what he proceeded to do. If he used beef, there would be no grease, and if he threw in the rest of the ingredients he would have a salad out of it anyhow. As he chopped away at the beef he added the other things one at a time, and in the course of half an hour he scraped all into a dish, poured on olive oil and vinegar and peppered and salted it to his taste.

"By John, but I've struck it!" he softly exclaimed as he carried the first spoonful to his mouth. "This is the stuff to sharpen the appetite and make a man feel as if he could eat nails. It's head cheese and way beyond, and I believe if I was to put it up in paper boxes it would sell like hot cakes."

Mr. Bowser ate heartily. Whenever his appetite hesitated, he added a little more vinegar and set the wheels going again. Toward the last he found a Bermuda onion and a part of a pineapple and added them to the contents, and he enthusiastically decided that they increased the "twang." When he could hold no more, he went up to the sitting room. Mrs. Bowser had gone up stairs, and he sat down to finish his smoke and newspaper. All went well for a quarter of an hour, and a cricket was singing on the hearth and the cat rubbing against his legs when a sudden pain seized him. It lasted only two or three seconds, but by the time he had sunk back in his chair it came again, and this time it lifted him to his feet. The cat looked up at him in wonder, and he had doubts whether it was the toothache or a new corn. Not for long, however. The next pain humped him up and twisted him around and lifted his heels, and he yelled for Mrs. Bowser and fell upon the lounge.

"Well?" she asked as she came downstairs.

"I—I've got awful pains!" he gasped.

"What did you eat?"

"M-most everything. It must be a case of bilious colic. Lord, but how I suffer! Say, I'm a dead man!"

"I never heard of head cheese killing anybody."

"But it's killing me! Ouch! Woo! Woman, telephone for the doctor or I won't live an hour! By gum! By thunder! By John!"

Half an hour later the doctor arrived, and he worked over the patient for a long hour before he was ready to go. He had his hat on when Mr. Bowser piteously asked:

"D-doctor, will I l-live?"

"Oh, yes," was the cheerful reply. "Yes; an ass always lives to be sixty years old, no matter what he eats, and I believe you are only fifty."

M. QUAD.

Rare!

Aspiring Authoress—They say my style is rare.

Editor—Yes, I notice it isn't very well done.—Chicago American.

TEARING UP.

MOVERS getting ready
For the coming flit,
Hustling in the dwellings
Which they soon will quit.
Long and late they're working,
Often there's a sigh,
For but little progress
Meets the weary eye.

Tearing up the carpets,
Gouging out the tacks—
Work that's very trying
On the arms and backs.
Taking down the curtains
And the parts complex—
Task that's sorely testing
Muscles of the necks.

Rolling up spare bedding,
Tying up spare chairs,
Often wildly rushing
Up and down the stairs.
Taking down the pictures,
Brushing off the dust;
Now and then there's breakage,
Causing much disgust.

Packing up the dishes,
Now and then a crash—
Finest piece of china
Quickly gone to smash.
Clearing out the drawers,
Throwing things away—
Ribbons, cards and trinkets
That have had their day.

Nailing up the boxes
In which goods are packed;
Oft a thumb or finger
Fearfully is whacked.
Working on till midnight,
Rest for hours but few;
Up again at daybreak,
Finding more to do.

Movers getting ready
For the coming flit
Day and night must hustle,
And they're strictly "it."
No more time for folly,
No more time for play;
They must have things ready
For the moving day.

Haddock In England.

The value of haddock landed on English coasts is usually £800,000 greater than that of herring and constitutes one-third of the value of all the fish annually taken.

Kites and Partridges.

Kites have been used with great success as a means to stop partridge rising and flying from cover where it is wished to keep them for shooting. The birds will not rise when kites are flying above them, fearing, doubtless, attack.

MOVING THE MANITOBA C

A Herculean Task, But it Will Be Done in Due Time.

The correspondent of a [illegible] paper writes:—

Let us see how the Northwest, which furnished England 7,000,000 cwt. of wheat last year, her total importation from all countries and colonies being 22,000,000 cwt., is being handled now. The figures I am about to quote have been prepared from official sources. Unfortunately I am not able to obtain any data relating to the business of the Canadian Northern.

The elevator capacity on the Canadian Pacific west of Winnipeg is 16,500,000 bushels. At Fort William, Port William and Keewatin, on the Canadian Pacific at Arthur, on the Canadian Northern, there is an additional capacity of 7,000,000 bushels. At each point in the grain-growing district the agent keeps an order book, in which applications to the public, in which applications for cars are entered, the rule being first come, first served, being enforced. Cars are also furnished to elevators for loading at grain warehouses and where grain platforms have been built, he is supplied with cars to enable him to load direct from the wagon. The average load per wagon this year is 880 bushels. The average train bound from the grain districts to Winnipeg consists of from 45 to 50 loaded cars. At Winnipeg the trains are re-arranged, the average train of loaded cars hauled to Fort William being usually 45, carrying 40,000 bushels. Not counting the host of switchmen and others employed in making up trains at the various stations, and in receiving them at the terminals, or of the agents, inspectors, etc., who have to do with directing the traffic, there are employed, writing, 215 Canadian Pacific train crews, engine drivers, firemen, conductors and brakemen, averaging four men per crew, at work running trains from the wheat fields to Fort William. It takes from eight to ten days to haul a full car from the wheat fields to Fort William, bring it back empty in readiness for another load.

Last session the Canadian Pacific obtained power from parliament to issue new stock, the proceeds to be applied in part to the acquisition of new rolling stock. The engine shops at Hochelaga were also being enlarged and since early in the year 3,000 men have been employed constructing box cars, the machinists have been building locomotives. Further, a great number of cars and locomotives were being built for the company in other Canadian shops as well as in the United States. The upshot is that by the end of the year the Canadian Pacific has 35,000 more rolling stock on the Western Division than it had this time last year and 40 per cent. more motive power. The season for getting in the crop is, however, very short. Wheat does not begin to move in bulk till the end of September and the navigation usually closes at Fort William about the end of November. Therefore for all-water shipments to Kingston and Montreal it closes in the third week in November. Under such circumstances a tremendous crush is inevitable towards the end of the season.

Some day, perhaps, the Manitoba farmer will seriously ask himself if it is wise to shove all his wheat on the market within the space of six weeks or two months. In times past, when his crop was but an insignificant item in the world's production, his haste to get it sold and shipped before the close of lake navigation had little, if any, effect upon the price. But now that the total crop is approaching 75,000,000 bushels a year, and that he will soon have a large quantity and more for export, it would be well for him to consider whether he should not store at least a portion in his granaries until the spring, instead of rushing it all on in the Fall. In other lines of business, men take care that the market for their goods is not swamped by a sudden and excessive supply, and the Northwest wheat-grower ought, one should think, to be equally careful in that respect.

Rates by the Canadian Pacific to Lake Superior are as low as, in fact are an appreciable shade lower than those charged by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific to the farther end of Dakota and Minnesota. If the reader will look at the map he will see that the wheat belt in these United States is considerably nearer Duluth lake than the wheat belt of Manitoba is. But, mile for mile, Canadian Pacific rates are lower. For example, from Brandon to Fort William, 426 miles, the rate is 16c per 100 lbs., whilst from Manitou, on the Great Northern, the rate to Duluth, a distance of 561 miles, is 20c. The rate from Carman to Fort William, 427 miles, is 16c; from Norwich, on the Great Northern, 481 miles from Duluth, 18c; from Deloraine, 629 miles, to Fort William, 18c; and from Hamiota to Duluth, 627 miles, 25c. From Emerson, Man., and St. Vincent, Minn.; Gretna, Man., and Noonan, Dak.; Snowflake, Man., and Hannah, Dak.; Boissevain, Man., and Bottineau, Dak.—places facing each other on the international boundary—it will be found by reference to the tariffs that while the distance in each case from the Manitoba points to Fort William is greater than from the American points to Duluth, the rates by the Canadian Pacific to Fort William are just as low as those by the Great Northern to Duluth. In fact, much as the Great Northern rates are pronounced fair and reasonable by the State Railroad Commission and the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, I for one do not see why we in Manitoba should "holler" so loudly about railway oppression.

MOYIE LEADER.

MOYIE, B. C.

...ages, Without Money.

...and divine, John Donne, ...dean of St. Paul's in 1621, ...daughter of Sir George ...thout the consent of her par... was told by his father-in-law ...as not to expect any money ... The bridegroom went home ... this witty note, "John Donne, ...one, undone," which he sent ...ry father, and this had the ...storing them to favor. They ... poor at first, but things ...brighter, and they lived most ...gether.

...na Reynolds after Flaxman ...ed told him that this would ...ns an artist. When the hus... ...ted this to his wife, she re... ...at marriage should make ...ar her husband and to this ...er resolved that he should ...come and do everything that ... have done without matri... ...esponsibilities. "But how?" ...laxman. "Work and econo... ...joined the brave woman. ...d they do this that he found ...block is for an artist's good. ...s his harm," and they be...h ...t that they were made for ...r.

A Dumas Story.

...anger Dumas once went to ...terets, his father's native ... the unveiling of a statue to ...r of "The Three Musketeers." ...banquet in the evening the ...Dumas sat next to one of the ...habitants who, in perfect good ...ut without any tact, began to ...y of Dumas pere. ...said he, "he was a gay soul. ...er! How we loved him! He ...nd hearted and generous. The ... he came to Villers Cotterets ...a banquet in the Hotel de ...e forgot for some time after ...he bill. See that fat man over ...le was the butcher who fur... ...he feast. I should not be sur... ...f the meat were still owing to ...t that is nothing. He is proud ...day of being the purveyor to ...re Dumas."

...ory was an ironical commen... ...the set speeches of the after... ...he son was anxious then and ...ourie his father's score.

A Patient.

...doctor's office: The Doctor's ...Why didn't you tell that lady ...of that fur collar? You know ...ough it is the cause of her tak... ...Doctor—I didn't tell that simply ...I don't want to lose a patient. ...ive me up before she'd give up ...llar.

The Hot Time Comin'.

...ladies 'll soon be peepin' ...From winter's frosty bed; ...Keep you way, believers; ...Hot time's just ahead!

...stormy sky is clearin'; ...See the rainbow red? ...Keep your way, believers; ...Hot time's just ahead!

...ailroad between Coalzacoalcos ...alina Cruz, Mexico, which will ...new means of transportation ...n the Gulf of Mexico and the ...coast, has been completed re...

...Scientists have decided that the ...e workingman requires daily ...food not less than four ounces ...teids, two ounces of fat and ...n ounces of the carbo-hydrates.

...s been computed that the ...rate of the globe is 68 per ...5,780 per day, or 35,717,- ...r year. The birth rate is 70 ...nate, 100,800 per day, or 36,- ...0 per year to be 365¼ days in ...

C. C. Richards & Co., ...lemen—In June '98 I had my ... and wrist badly bitten by a ... horse. I suffered greatly for ... days, and the tooth cuts re... to heal, until your agent gave ... bottle of MINARD'S LINI... which I began using, and the ... was magical. In five hours the ...had ceased, and in two weeks ...ound had completely healed ...y hand and arm were as well ...er. Yours truly, A. E. ROY. ...ge Maker, St. Antoine, P.Q.

...never hear one girl say that ...er is too young to marry.

...is far better to have a police... ...call you down than take you up.

...self-made man is often the on... ...e who is satisfied with the job.

...rd's Liniment is best Hair Restorer.

...e mantle of charity protects a ...titude of amateur theatrical per... ...ers.

...course, a woman doesn't care ...ther her photograph resembles ...or not just so it is pretty.

...cumbers and melons are "forbidden ... to many persons so constituted ...the least indulgence is followed by ...cks of cholera, dysentery, griping. ...These persons are not aware that ...can indulge to their hearts content ...ey have on hand a bottle of Dr. J. ...Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, a medi... ...that will give immediate relief, and ...a sure cure for all summer com... ...ints.

...hen a married man falls down... ...rs he is sure to blame his wife ...the mishap.

...New York boarding house keep... ...attempted to commit suicide re... ...ly. Usually it is the boarders ...feel like taking a flier into the ...t beyond.

HAD LITTLE FAITH.

HOW A DOUBTFUL MAN WAS CONVINCED AND RESTORED.

A Story that Illustrates the Advantage of Reading and Being Guided by Newspaper Advertisements.

Lower Windsor, N.B., Sept. 29th.—(Special).—"I want to say that I believe that Dodd's Kidney Pills are the right medicine for Kidney Trouble."

This is the declaration of Mr. T. H. Belyea, postmaster of this place, who for a long time was the victim of a very severe case of this painful disease.

Mr. Belyea reads the newspapers, and after he had tried plasters, oils and liniments and all kinds of external remedies as well as doctors' treatments, with no good results, he began reading the testimonials of Dodd's Kidney Pills. He says:—

"This remedy was so highly recommended for Kidney Trouble that after reading some testimonials I concluded to try them for a short time, but I must admit that having tried so many things and failed to obtain a cure, I had but little faith that Dodd's Kidney Pills or anything else could or would help me.

"However, I did not use them long before I found out that they were all and more than was claimed for them.

"I used to have very bad spells, which of late years became so frequent and so severe that I was almost laid up.

"I received more benefit from Dodd's Kidney Pills than from any other medicine I have ever used and they certainly made a complete cure of my case.

"I feel as well as ever I did and have not the slightest trace of the Kidney Trouble that bothered me for so many years."

Mr. Belyea is not the first skeptical man that has been convinced by experience of the medicinal value of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

There are 147 Indian reservations in the United States.

When washing greasy dishes or pots and pans, Lever's Dry Soap (a powder) will remove the grease with the greatest ease.

In 1890 the railroads of the world were estimated at 370,281 miles.

HELP FOR MOTHERS.

Baby's Own Tablets Are What You Need When Little Ones Are Cross, Fretful and Sleepless.

If a child is cross, fretful and sleeps badly, the mother may feel absolutely certain that some derangement of the stomach or bowels is the cause. And she can be just as certain that Baby's Own Tablets will put her little one right. These Tablets cure all the minor ailments of little ones, such as indigestion, constipation, simple fevers, diarrhoea, worms and teething troubles. They are guaranteed to contain no opiate and can be given with absolute safety to the youngest and most feeble child. Every mother who has used them speaks of these Tablets in the warmest terms. Mrs. E. Bancroft, Deerwood, Man., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for stomach and bowel troubles, for simple fevers and teething, and I think them the best medicine in the world. They always strengthen children instead of weakening them as most other medicines do."

You can get Baby's Own Tablets at any drug store, or by mail post paid at 25 cents a box by writing direct to The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., or Schenectady, N.Y.

So Lowly, but So Great.

A humble tailor death had caught
Within his clutches grim,
Yet by his grave we stood and thought
How much we owed to him!

Pingpong Habit.

Mrs. Handout—Will you saw some wood?

Frayed Fagin—Sorry, mum, but I've got the pingpong wrist, and me physician says I need absolute rest.

Summer.

In these fair days the poet spies
The summer miss, the seaside fairy,
And to his home he quickly hies
To seize his rhyming dictionary.

Wise is the man who can distinguish between his friends and his enemies.

If you are not satisfied with the world you should hire a balloon and get out.

Minard's Liniment is the best.

It is generally supposed that when a man's heart pulsations go down to 40 a minute death will follow unless restoratives are administered. Parisian doctors are now, it is said, puzzled over a man, in one of the hospitals, whose pulsations have sunk as low as 18 a minute, although to all appearances he is well and strong.

Thoroughness.

Prof. W. Hodgson Ellis, Official Analyst to the Dominion Government, states that "Sunlight Soap has "a thorough cleansing power, with-"out danger to the clothing or skin." Women who want washing done thoroughly cannot use better than Sunlight Soap—Octagon Bar. Unlike common soaps, there is no damage to the clothing, and no danger to the skin; hence the saying: Sunlight Soap reduces expense. Try Sunlight Soap—Octagon Bar—next wash day, and you will see that Prof. Ellis is right. He should know. 218

MARKETS.

(Compiled from The Commercial)

WHEAT—The wheat markets have been quiet and firm in tone during the past week and there is little in the routine of the trade calling for special mention. In the speculative markets the outstanding feature has been the position of the September option in Chicago. There is evidently a large short interest in that option which is without the means of delivering the wheat to the buyers, and the consequence is that the price of contract wheat for September delivery in Chicago has advanced from 72c a week ago to 86c on Friday, an advance of 14c per bushel, and it is 11c over the New York price for same delivery. Other months in all markets show scarcely any change from the price they stood at one week ago.

Manitoba wheat has for the most part been dull during the week. Once or twice there have been slight spurts of activity when one or other of the exporters came into the market with orders for a large round lot, but wheat being plentiful and sellers ready to let go freely whenever a fair opportunity presented itself, these orders being few and far between, were filled instantly. Exporters seem to find it difficult to do business at the present prices, and the demand is irregular and never what can be called strong. Prices have not varied much during the week. On Monday there was some advance influenced by the advance in the United States markets, and No. 1 hard for September delivery sold at 70½c in store Fort William. On Tuesday the advance was lost and prices were down ½c. Wednesday showed another ½c decline, and since then there is practically no change. At the close of business Saturday prices were for September delivery 1 hard, 69½c; 1 northern, 67½c. For delivery first half October, 1 hard, 69½c; 1 northern, 67½c., and for delivery last half October, 1 hard, 69c; 1 northern, 67c; all in store Fort William or Port Arthur. No. 2 northern is 2½c under 1 northern.

Country Wheat—Farmers' deliveries are increasing at country points. They are being paid 58 to 60c for their best grades, according to rate of freight.

OATS—The market is weak and unsettled. The prospects for a large supply of not only oats, but of all kinds of feed is making it difficult to do business except in a hand to mouth way. No dealer is willing to load up with oats. Receipts of oats have increased considerably this week. No. 2 white oats are worth 26c per bushel in carlots, Winnipeg, or Fort William, and white feed oats about 25c. At country points farmers are being paid 20c per bushel for good oats.

BARLEY—The crop is hardly in the market yet and prices are steady at 33 to 35c for malting grades and 30 for feed, in cars on track. There are some enquiries for malting barley for eastern shipment.

HAY—$6 to $7 per ton for fresh baled in carlots on track, Winnipeg.

POTATOES—30c per bushel.

POULTRY—Spring chickens, 40 to 60c per pair, alive; fowl, 60 to 70c ducks, 9c per pound; turkeys, 10 to 11c, live weight.

BUTTER — Creamery—Prices are higher at 17½c to 18c per lb. f. o. b. factory points.

BUTTER — Dairy—The market is firm, and receipts of choice table grades are light. Commission houses are paying 12 to 14c for choice to finest dairy, commission basis. Winnipeg, in pails or bricks.

CHEESE—10c per pound is being paid for best makes, delivered in the city.

EGGS—The ruling price is 16½c per dozen for choice eggs, subject to candling.

DRESSED MEATS—Beef 6 to 6¾c; veal, 8 to 9c; mutton, 8c; lamb, 12½; hogs, 9 to 9¼c.

HIDES—No. 1 city hides, 6¾c; No. 2, 5¾c; No. 3, 4¾c. Kips and calf the same price as hides; deakins, 25 to 40c; slunks, 10 to 15c; horse hides, 50c to $1.

SENECA ROOT—There is very little root coming in and the market is quiet at 58c for clean, well dried root, at Winnipeg, with a range of 2 to 3c less for inferior quality.

LIVE STOCK.

CATTLE—The export movement from western ranges continues unabated. The cattle show fine condition. Best exporters are worth 4c per pound f. o. b. point of shipment, and butchers' grades 3 to 3¼c.

SHEEP—Receipts of sheep are ample for all requirements of the market and prices hold steady at 3½ to 3¾c per pound off cars Winnipeg. Lambs are worth 5¼c per pound.

HOGS—Demand is very active owing to the good sale for cured meats. Packers are mostly quoting 6¾c though we hear of 6¾c for some. Inferior grades ½c to 1c less.

MILCH COWS—Cows are scarce. Good milkers readily bring $45 in this market, the range being from $35 to $45 each.

HORSES—There is a good demand for work horses and an active trade is doing in these. Driving horses are also in good demand.

A Poem on Fate.

You cannot choose your earthly lot
Nor right all seeming wrongs.
The clam likes not
The chowder hot,
But that's where he belongs.

The Press Agent.

Basanio—What is the matter with Bluejowls tonight?

Rialto—His press agent has published a story about his extreme modesty, and he is trying to act the part.—Judge.

LOST HIS RHEUMATISM
By the Use of a Bottle of St. Jacobs Oil.

Sergeant Jeremiah Maher, of Ardcath, Royal Irish Constabulary, says: "My friend, Mr Thomas Hand, has been a great sufferer from rheumatism in the back and joints for the last four years, during which time he has applied many different methods of treatment, but obtained no relief whatever, and for the last two years has been unable to walk without a stick, and sometimes two sticks, and was in great pain constantly. I induced him to procure a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, which he applied with the most astonishing and marvellous effects. Before he had finished using the contents of the first bottle he could walk readily without the aid of a stick, and after a few applications from the second bottle he was free from pain, and has been ever since; and although fifty years of age and a farmer, he can walk and work without experiencing any pain or difficulty whatever."

England has forty ships engaged in the South African traffic, Germany eight and the United States only two.

People who are troubled with sleeplessness should drink cocoa instead of tea or coffee at the evening meal.

Dyspepsia and Indigestion.—C. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., writes: "Please send us ten gross of Pills. We are selling more of Parmelee's Pills than any other Pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint." Mr. Chas. A. Smith, Lindsay, writes: "Parmelee's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubled with severe headache, but these Pills have cured her."

Some men think it folly to lay up treasures in heaven, where it's ten to one they would never see them again.

"What's good to eat is bad to eat," says a chronic dyspeptic.

Why go limping and whining about your corns, when a 25 cent bottle of Holloway's Corn Cure will remove them? Give it a trial, and you will not regret it.

An old bachelor is a man who admits that he doesn't think he is smart enough to take care of anyone but himself.

The "smile" of the summer girl is usually ice-cream soda.

SIX OILS.—The most conclusive testimony, repeatedly laid before the public in the columns of the daily press, proves that Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—an absolutely pure combination of six of the finest remedial oils in existence—remedies rheumatic pain, eradicates affections of the throat and lungs, and cures piles, wounds, sores, lameness, tumors, burns, and injuries of horses and cattle.

"Good men, you know, are very scarce." "Yes, I know, and even bad men have to make themselves so at times."

WILSON'S FLY PADS

WILL RID YOUR HOUSE OF FLIES IN A FEW HOURS.

Self-reverence, self-knowledge, self-control: these three alone lead life to sovereign power.—Tennyson.

It is impossible that a man who is false to his friends should be true to his country.—Bishop Berkley.

"KELPION" (A STAINLESS IODINE OINTMENT.)

Endorsed by best English medical journals.
Supplied to British soldiers in South Africa.
For all Throat and Gland Troubles, Lumps, Abscesses, Old Sores, Ulcers, Felons, Skin Diseases, Eczema, Pimples, Stiff Joints, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sprains, Bruises, Piles, Cuts, Sore Feet, Pleurisy.
Sold by Druggists, 25c. Try it once.

A healthy definite purpose is a remedy for a thousand ills.—O. S. Marden.

Perseverance is failing nineteen times and succeeding the twentieth.—J. Anderson.

Minard's Liniment Cures LaGrippe.

Important Considerations.

Concerning modern literature,
It has been sadly hinted
That less depends on what is writ
Than how it's bound and printed.

Lamb Gourd of Samara.

In a book called "The Duke of Holstein's Travels Into Persia and Muscovy," published in 1636, there is an account of a curious vine product called the "lamb gourd," which runs as follows: "In the neighborhood of Samara, Russia, there grows a gourd which closely resembles a lamb in all its members. It changes place in growing as far as the stalk will reach, and wheresoever it turns the grass withers and dies. This change of the gourd plant the Muscovites call 'feeding.' They further say that when it ripens the stalk withers and that the outward rind of the gourd is then covered with a sort of wool, which they use instead of fur."

Scaliger also makes mention of the lamb gourd and says that it grows until the grass fails and that it then dies for want of nourishment. He also says that the wolf is the only animal that will feed upon it.

An Interesting Animal.

Proprietor of Menagerie—Walk up, ladies and gentlemen, and see our famous lion, Mustapha. He is as sensible as any human being. A French sergeant once pulled out of his foot a thorn on which he had stepped. What do you think the noble creature did? It devoured, one by one, in order of rank, all the superior officers of our sergeant until the latter found himself prompted to the grade of colonel. Walk in, gentlemen. Only a penny.—From the German.

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Ogilvie Oats
Delicious flavor. Free from hulls. Warranted Pure.
Put up in all sized packages.

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As now manufactured. The great FAMILY FLOUR.
Insist on getting "OGILVIE'S," as they are better than the Best.
HAVE NO EQUAL.

"First prize goods!"
Blue Ribbon Tea, Coffee, Baking Powder, Flavoring Extracts and Jelly Powder. Dont forget about them.

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IF SO USE EDDY'S
IMPERVIOUS SHEATHING
THE BEST BUILDING PAPER MADE.
It is very much stronger and thicker than any other (tarred or building) paper. It is impervious to wind, keeps out cold, keeps in heat, carries no smell or odor, absorbs no moisture, imparts no taste or flavor to anything with which it comes in contact. It is largely used not only for sheeting houses, but for lining cold storage buildings, refrigerators, dairies, creameries, and all places where the object is to keep an even and uniform temperature, and at the same time avoiding dampness.
Write our Agents, TEES & PERSSE, Winnipeg, for samples.
THE E. B. EDDY CO., Limited, HULL.

Housekeepers must find it difficult to decide which PACKAGE TEA is the best there are so many. If you try
GOLD STANDARD
It will settle all doubts.

IMPERIAL MAPLE SYRUP
The quality standard from Ocean to Ocean. Your money back if not satisfactory.
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W. N. U. No. 396.

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Knitting for us. Other inducements to right parties. We rent new machines. Send for particulars at once.
Ontario Furnishing Co. Toronto, Ont.

The alligator does not attain his full length until he is 50 years of age. When 1 year old his length is about 12 inches; at the age of 15 he has grown to two feet.

Mr. T. J. Humes, Columbus, Ohio, writes: "I have been afflicted for some time with Kidney and Liver Complaints, and find Parmelee's Pills the best medicine for these diseases. Those Pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when a cathartic is required. They are Gelatine Coated, and rolled in the Flour of Licorice to preserve their purity and give them a pleasant, agreeable taste.

furs, and especially of sealskins very much indeed, and when she invited anyone for a drive they had to leave such wraps behind.

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"The increase of the duty on lead could not be brought about without the readjustment of many of the tariff schedules. Lead is an important raw material in the manufacture of paints, gas and drainage pipes, bullets and shot. A sharp increase in the cost of this raw material would necessitate an increase in the duties on the finished products made from the raw material. An increase on the duty on pig lead would add to the cost of every house built in Canada. Because of this the building of houses would be restricted. Whenever the cost of anything is artificially increased—and if protection did not have this effect the manufacturers would not want it—someone pays the shot every time, and that someone is the last man in the chain, the consumer, the artisan and the farmer.

"The lead miners who think the better way to improve their condition is to agitate for lower duties on the articles they require in carrying on their business are on the right track. They cannot hope to make the demand for their product increase by making their product dearer; but if they can make it cheaper they will widen the area of their market. Let them ascertain wherein the present tariff pinches them, and agitate for an amelioration of the conditions that oppress. It is tariff reform, not protection, that they need."

The workmen of Great Britain do not like millionaire Carnegie, and they have shown their consistency by refusing to accept the offers he has made to give goodly sums for the building of public libraries, says the Nelson News. So strong is the feeling against him that his name is frequently hissed at when mentioned in public. The Homestead affair is not forgotten, they will have none of the blood money he offers, and they are not inclined to assist in bolstering up the spurious reputation for generosity. For spurious it is when it is remembered that he is not giving away one cent of his millions of capital, but only part of the interest his fortune is earning without an effort on his part. They have weighed him in the balance and found him wanting.

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NOTICE.

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Where located:—On Sullivan hill.

Take notice that I, Thos. T. McVittie, F. M. C. No. B 6025, agent for Chas. C. Farrell, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 43676, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1902.

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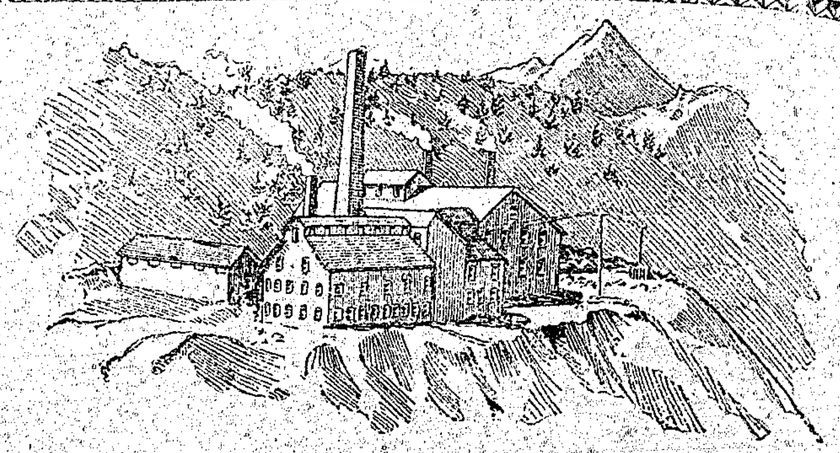

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