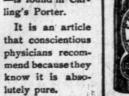
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AN ISLAND OF WIDOWS.

Every Husband Residing Upon It Was Drowned by the Sinking of a

Off the coast of Norway is a small island called Aarlud which boasts the unique distinction of being peopled ex clusively by widows. The circum stances under which this state of affairs was brought about are no less curious than distressing.

A short time since a man arrived on the island from Haugesund, on the mainland, with his wife and family, to participate in the spring egg gathering. While testing his ropes on a cliff preparatory to commencing his search he happened to make a false step forward over the cliff. He was instantly killed. As there had not been a death on the island since 11 years-before, when a boy was killed by a bowlder from the same cliff falling on him, the occurrence naturally cast a gloom over the small community established there. This consisted of some 30 fishermen with their families. As a mark of sympathy and respect all the men de termined to attend the funeral of the unfortunate, which was to take place at the cemetery at Haugesund, on the mainland. But during the proceedings at the burial ground a tremendous gale arose. When the men returned to their smack the storm was at its height.

After carefully considering the situation the 30 fishermen determined to sail for Aarlud, and having taken advantage of the opportunity to replenish their household supplies the boat was rather heavily laden. Their progress through the angry sea was most anxiously watched by the people on the mainland, who, when the boat had gone the distance of about a mile and a half from the coast, saw that the vessel was in great distress. Efforts were at once made to go to its assistance, but the heavy sea beat back every boat that was launched. A few moments afterward the unfortunate smack plunged forward into the trough of the foaming waves and forever disappeared from mortal view. Every one of it. 30 occupants was drowned, and on the following morning their bodies were found along the beach.

News of the disaster was as speedily as possible conveyed to the island. Every wife in the place had, by the dreadful event, been made a widow, and out of 30 as many as 28 were left without any means of support. These women are now receiving assistance from the Norwegian government, which is credited with the intention of settling a number of single men on the island as soon as arrangements can be made. Until that is done, however, all its women must of necessity remain widows.

The Philosophy of Perspiration. "There are many troubles which you cannot cure by the Bible and the hymnbook," said Henry Ward Beecher, but which you can cure by perspiration and a breath of fresh

There is a large paradox, in the philosophy of perspiration. The hotter the healthy human body becomes the more freely it perspires, and yet the more freely it perspires the cooler it

Many persons try to keep cool by evolding all unnecessary exercise and lounging in the shade. That is entirely unphilosophical. Perspiration, instead of being a symptom of suffering from the heat, is a sign of relief therefrom. And it may be accepted by all persons in normal health that moderate exercise, sufficient to induce a liberal moistening of the skin, is the best specific that can be prescribed for their daily use in hot weather. None suffer more torture on a sultry day than those who make it their special effort to avoid perspiring.

London's New Drink. Half a dozen London clubs of importance have complained bitterly that their bar receipts are falling off discouragingly since their members came to accept as the proper beverage for summer what is now the popular London drink. This is made of barley water, properly mixed with lemon sugar and ice, and it originated in the guards' clubhouse Its fame spread from that headquarters, and other clubs were not slow ir borrowing the recipe. The barley water combina tion gained favor wherever it was introduced, and this is not believed to be wholly due to the fact that it is distributed gratuitously. None of the clubs which offer their members this refreshment charges anything for it. The consequence is that Scotch and and more expensive drinks have ceased to be called for .- Argonaut.

Protecting New England Beaches. The protection of beaches along the New England coast is being successfully accomplished by the "groyne system." These "groynes" consist of a se ries of posts planted firmly in the sand, with close planks extending from post to post. The "groyne" is constructed at right angles to the beach, and its position prevents the waves acting on it injuriously. Sand is intercepted by the planking, rapidly forming a new beach and preventing erosion.

Utilized the Rats. A Waterloo man of infinite resource and sagacity has utilized rats to lay the telephone cables through the con duits. Several cats were turned loose in the conduit with a ferret after them, to which was attached a cord. Through 700 feet of the conduit the merry chase was carried, and the rats emerged into daylight at the other end just a few feet ahead of the ferret, which was probably impeded somewhat by the cord.—Des Moines Leader.

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have died broken-hearted. There may be angels in the world -men say so-but a good woman is better suited to our atmosphere.

To have given a woman something save the benefit of a doubt has at

es helped her amazingly. Until we realize that pleasure and happiness are not always closely related we shall suffer much disap-There are few things more unbear-

able than finding when too late that

we have wrongly accused a friend. Women novelists appear to women tives: also a few fierce phrases and marry off the heroine. The sole way to escape adverse criticism is to get oneself walled up.

to a knave, but rather better than to

ornaments and worse books they should be merciful to men who buy-Praise Allah when the rich ask you

to dine, but if you are worldly-wise you will praise nothing save him. Surely, God especially loves that woman to whom He has given a sense of humor. The persidently scintillating person

is the detestation of the truly wise.
"Misery loves company," love iso lation, and joy a crowd.

It is estimated that the following are the 14 great wonders of the world. Those of the Old World were: 1. The Egyptian Pyramids, the base of the largest covering 111 acres of ground. 2. The Mausoleum erected

The Wonders of the World.

Mausolus, King of Caria 3. The temple of Diana at Ephes-4. The walls and hanging gardens

at Babylon, said to have been 87 feet thick, and 60 miles long.

5. The Colossus of Rhodes; a brazen statue of Apollo, 105 feet in height

6. Statue of Jupiter Olympus Athens, made of ivory and gold.
7. The Pharos of Ptolemy Philadelphus, a lighthouse 500 feet high on the Island of Pharos; in Egypt. The wonders of the New World are 1. The art of printing.

2. Gunpowder. 3. Optical instruments, such as the Telescope and Microscope.

4. Steam Engine.
5. Labor-saving Machinery. 6. Electric Telegraph. 7. Photography.

A Long Term Note. A remarkable case was tried in the Somerset county court at Somerville the country town hips of Somerse county sold a horse to a Somerse man. The latter gave a note for \$50 in payment. the note paid little attention to its wording, but went to the bank to have it discounted. cials refused to discount the note, as it read: "I promise to pay 100 years after date," etc. The man with the note was greatly excited when he discovered the time of the note, which he had not noticed at all, and promptly brought suit against man who gave it. The case came up in court at Somerville The defendant claimed that he was perfectly able and willing to pay the when it came due, but protested that there was no law that compelled him to do so before that time. It was in black and white on the note, and the judge h d nothing left to do but dismiss the case .- Plainfield (N.

Dr. Reik, writing in the Cosmopolitan, says that the excessive use of alcohol and tobacco affects the eyes very seriously, and that for people tobacco is a poison and produces a lesion in the nerve of the eye leading to blindness. The most important thing of all, however, in order to take care of the sight, is to get sufficient light to work and read by. The most desirable location of a light to read by is from above, behind, and to the left of the body. Of artificial lights the incandescent electric is the best, though the use of incandescent mantles has much improved gas light. Where coal oil is the only illuminant the so-called student lamps make a very satisfactory light.

Walls of Cannon Balls.

In some new bank buildings that are being erected in London, says the Sussex (Eng ) Daily News, it has been decided to trust neither police, private custodians nor safes: walls connected with the money vaults are to have old-fashioned cannon balls closely embedded in them, the idea, of course, being that the rounded surfaces of the cannon balls will cause burglars' tools to slip, and there will be no chance of picking the walls to pieces quickly en-

Germany's Large Cement Trade

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The Dead City of Yortan. At the upper course of the Kaikos River, not far from the ancient Stratonikela, the French employer Gaudin has discovered a very ancient ne-cropolis. A large quantity of stone vessels and pre-historic implements was also found. The ruins extend LITERARY NOTES.

The Presbyterian Review, published by The Poole Publishing Co., Toronto, contains a large amount of interest-ing matter in its issue of Nov. 29, just to hand. On the front page of the to hand. On the front page of the cover is an excellent picture of the the Rev. H. D. Hossack, M. A., LL. B., editor. There is also an illustrated article on the work of Rev. Wm. Meikle, who has been stated pastor of Cooke's Church, Toronto, during the vacancy; also on Rev. A. B. Windhester, minister-elect of Knox Church, Toronto; on Rev. A. J. McLeod, late Principal of the Regina Industrial School. The number contains an excellent reproduction of the central figures of those about the moderator's desk, at the Historical Moment when the Covenant of Union was signed uniting the two Scottish churches. The

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YEAR. The new monthly, The Ladies' Magazin -the Canadian woman's newspaper—is in its second issue with the Christmas number, and already its promised growth in strength and brightness is very apparent. The December number appears in a handsomely tinted cover, and its columns are of real interest to family readers, admirably printed and profusely illustrated. There is a beautiful full mage frontigniese, three brightsteries. and profusely illustrated. There is a beautiful full-page frontispiece; three brightstories; an illustrated article on the work of the Victorian Nurses; a sketch, "Christmas with the College Girls," two pages of fashion notes; the Month's Weddings, with portraits—one of the popular features of the Magazine; "The Table on Christmas Day" with illustrated receipts; "The Knaek of Happy Gift-Making," and other holiday tions; Answers to correspondents; and suggestions; Answers to correspondents; and a rage of news from Canadian women's societies. The whole number is bright—one of the best, and in price the cheapest Christmas publication of the year—and a credit to Canadian journalism. Ten cents a copy.

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