ok at that Chinaman,' said then he nudged me to look of a well dressed lady who in she was in search of and in her lips while she cfosed hen taking the coin from it in her hand until it was

r lips ?' said the doctor.
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ccur to you that the pracus one and the source of in many people imagine? now where the coin was it it in her mouth? May it ng to the coin, and when the lips, it there should old sore there, or, as it not sore there, or, as it-reputer of the tissue, the se would find lodgment son guilty of the practice wit bappened that there matter with her. The gious disease will attach h, and now you can see reapmit disease not only ransmit disease not only a lip that is commonly but by inhalation.

added the doctor with 'is nat only dangerous, y disgusting, and I can by so many ladies are Francisco Call.

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Jean Blewett of the 'Toronto Globe' one of the many clever writers who are ornaments of the upper Canadian press, passed through Moncten lately, and since her return to Toronto she has written a and published the same in 'Tne Globe.'

There are many points about Mrs. Blewett's article which would lead one to suppose that she had not stopped at all on her way through our city except for the twenty minutes set apart for breakfast and change ton with the idea of almost photographic accuracy. But the resident of Moncton who better, merely laughs to himself, really existed, and describe it so graphiand strong, on their way to the railway machine shops. It is worth looking at, this workingman's daily parade. There are grim tags, and jalls over their their slender ones. The dinner pail is a feature, it swings in the right hand of old man

poetry in that charming bit about the loving hands that filled the dinner pail! hind them." wide scope, but if Jean Blewett saw a dirner pail in the hand of each of the railway nen she must have either happened on a day when they were all starting off on a picnic or else their wives had decided on housecleaning with a singular unanimity, and forbidden them to come home to din-

hands of a Moncton workman, especially a railway shopman, is the rarest sight in the world, so when you meet a man carrying a tin dinner pail you can set him down at description of its pig infested river banks? tin dinner pail you can set him down at once as a brakeman, fireman or driver on the train, and as a rule he seldom goes to work either at the same time or in company with the man who work in the shops. Once in a while a man who lives some dis-tance out of town, may take his dinner with him in bad weather, or a watchman may be ceptions, and the rule is for the Moncton

down the middle" now if there is one distinctive quality above another—, apart from the famous "bore", that the Petitodiac possesses it is the deep rich chocolate tint of its mud, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and to have this mud with its rare color, and the for accuracy it was necessary to have the for accuracy it was necessary to have that for accuracy it was necessary to have chart of 365 4dys in the solar year, but they do not seem to have realized that this extra quarter day was in excess, and provided for it as it is provided for in the Gregorian calendar.

"On what ground," asked the Court, "does the petitioner base his demands for changing his name?" "On the ground, replied the petitioner's attorney, "that he were Methodists, gave him the name of John Wesley. He now wishes to have it water out of his lungs (though no water is the really believed what she was writing, the seaweed which has accumulated at the which would be utterly unintelligible as

AS OTHERS SEE THEM.

banks of the river cast up by the tide of and a lot of hogs munching the same with great enjoyment, and taking solid comfort in the mud, which pleases the most astute researches of savants have

first place there is no seaweed ever cast up and published the same in the course of work in more ways than one, and it has offered a good deal of amusement to the citizens of and cast up on the river bank, below the nesday is from Woden, or Odin, one of the sugar warehouses. Secondly Moncton, though it is not by any means as large as Toronto, is a regularly incorporated city, and amongst the bye laws framed by its ward of aldermen is one which prohibits pies of the trinity.

There is nothing of especial importance minutes set apart for breakfast and change of cars on the arrival of the Quebec express. But nevertheless her description is so minute that it would impress a ably well enforced. I do not think a pig parts who had never been in Monc- could be found within the city limits fo love or money, unless it might be reposing calm and beautiful in death outside some wonders how many miles away from the stih a curiosity as a live pig did exist in city Mrs. Blewett was when she wrote her the city I am sure even if he were as 'long article, what authorities she consulted when lean, and bristly' as Mrs. Blewett so preparing it, and is lost in admiration of graphically describes him, he would still the powerful imagination which enabled the know better, being a Monoton hog, than gifted writer to see so much more than to loat around in the slippery mud of the Petitcodiac river where one false step would cally. Here is one fine bit of imaginative send him sliding helplessly down to certain "The first sight we see in the death amongst the quicksands or in the early morning is a troop—not the red coated troop of the Halifax thoroughfare—but the brawny troop of workmen, a thous-ing fodder as seaweed, even if he could get it; so it is scarcely fair of Mrs. Blewett to insist on forcing him into such a very incongruous position for the dramatic effect grim faces, and jolly ones, stout frames and his presence lends to her article. The writer closes her sketch with a very charming touch about an old farmer who, strange and youth and you find yourself to say she encounters lounghing about the wondering about its contents. Who filled whart at seven o'clock in the morning in to say she encounters lounghing about the the pail? And was it a labor of love with the heart of the city, waiting like herself her? There you go swinging your dinner to see the bore come in at an hour when pail Mr. Workingman, and there's a wife a mother, a sister looking after you and a poor thing you would be without her care, the arrival of the bore, which "scare; the wits out of the greedy, growling pigs

making those pigs growl, because by so doing she had deprived the poor beasts of the last remnant of probability and stamped them so hopelessly artificial. But she wrote an interesting article all the same, and has a great eye for interesting detail wherever she obtained her information. Only, is it quite fair for a journalist so widely quoted as The fact is that a dinner pail in the Jean Blewett to send abroad such an erroneous impression of any maritime

> GEOFFREY CUTHBERT STRANGE. TIME MEASUREMENT.

of the star Sirius and consisted of 365 days. They were 12 months of 30 days each, and the rule is for the Moncton distance of the Rule and the rule is for the Moncton distance of the Rule and the rule is for the Moncton distance of the Rule and the Rul There were 12 months of 30 days each, and at the close of the year five days were intercalated. All reckoning was by this year. The festivals were celebrated by it,

them greatly.

Now to anyone who has ever spent a day in Moncton, and knows anything about its geographical position, the absurdity of this statement will be at once apparent. In the first place there is no seawed ever cost to the statement will be at once apparent. In the lift of October. midwinter, about our Christmas time, and by the tide here, and if Mrs. Blewett saw anything that looked like it, she is probably rather short sighted, and must have mistaken one of the old baskets in which the raw sugar is packed when it is imported for the refinery. made and the courts of justice held; Wed-

have in this regard is based on the Penta-teuch. The only information the Jews posbutcher's stall in the city market. And if the modern Turks, they divided their year

the expression of so many years. In the carly times the elipse of historical events was chronicled from central figures, as kings or great chieftairs who had won remown. In Rome and Athens reference was made to a magistrate when an occurrence of that year was mentioned, and as the companies, and wrecking tugs work the same way Baylonian and Assyrian events were chronicled from the term of office of the limu much more frequently than from a teries cope, and the want of a better early in the recording passitions at the first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu much more frequently than from a uteries cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better early in the store of the limu first cope, and the want of a better time measurement. Men's views were broadened, and the invention of eras was begun. The Chinese began a time of the store of t

bave been observed show a chronology of at least 4,700 years' duration, and their seven surfmen. If you want to see what The Egyptian year began with the rising

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The only information the dever possess of distronomy was obtained from the Asyrians. Like the ancient Greeks and the modern Turks, they divided their year into 12 months of 22 and 30 days attern at the modern Turks, they divided their year into 12 months of 22 and 30 days attern at the property three and acometimes every two years to 1 amend inaccurate measurement. They had six reasons—seedtime, whiter, cold easons. The 1 dws. I have formed the seed of the great lake, and one, only one, is on a interest, summer and hot season. The 1 dws. I have formed the seed of the great lake, and one, only one, is on a five travent, the seed of the seed

historians assert that they had a year measurement similar to our Julian system go on navy vessels or into a life sauing.

ome of the Signs of Longevity Noted by Physicians and Savants.

Every one is interested in the question of long life as applied to himself, and all

and the reactionary influences of environment.

'The primary conditions of longevity,' he continues, 'are that the heart, lungs, and digestive organs, as well as the brain, should be large. If these organs are large, the trunk will be long and the limbs comparated in sitting and short in standing. The hand will have a long and somewhat heavy palm and short fingers. The brain will be deeply seated as shown by the orifice of the car being low. The blue hizel or brown hazel eye, as showing an intermission of temperament, is a favorable indication. The nostrils being large, open, and free indicates large lungs. A pinched and helt-closed nostril indicates small or weak lungs.'

These are general points of distinction from those of short-lived tennencies, but, of course, subject to the usual individual exceptions. Still, it is well acknowledged that the characteristics noted are expressions of inherent potentiality, which have been proven on the basis of abundant statistical evidence.

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