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Stroller's Column.

If the Dawson lawyer of whom the request was made for sending a list of names of retired ministers and farmers to the company desiring them the future of the Yukon is assured.

Jersey Red apples, Holstein pears, Clyde's cherries, Plymouth Rock plums, French Percheron peaches, Poland China gooseberries, Hameltonian currants, Maltese prunes, Scotch Collie apricots, Three Star Hennessey roses, "our leaders," the "Crimson Rambler" and Canadian Club Shrubbery—how blissful to anticipate that all these will be growing in the Yukon as soon as an army of retired ministers and farmers has gotten in its deadly work in the way of canvassing for orders.

For the benefit of the nursery company anxious to enter this field the Stroller can authentically inform it in keeping with a letter received by the local branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce from a London house asking for the name of the largest exporters (shippers) of butter and eggs of the Klondike.

The Stroller is very much pleased with the manner in which last night's hold-up was conducted. He does not wish it understood that he is in favor of holding up and robbing, but when it is done it is pleasing to know that it is done in a mild mannered and courteous way.

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The Food We Eat. Thrifty housewives when they are paying to the butcher the amount of their weekly account do not realize that a large part of the food for which they are settling is water—pure water.

It is not very generally realized how much water there is in solid food. Certain it is that no natural food is without water, varying in amount from 5 to 97 per cent, or only 3 per cent short of pure water.

Some solid foods contain more water than does milk. This is especially true of vegetables and fruits. Thus the turnip contains over 90 per cent of water, the cabbage nearly the same amount and the cucumber and vegetable marrow about 95 per cent, while among fruits the strawberry contains nearly 90 per cent of water, the apple 82 per cent and grapes 80 per cent.

Even the various meats used as food contain an amount of water far in excess of the amount of solid constituents. Thus three-fourths of beef and mutton consist of water, which is paid for with the rest at the regular rate per pound.

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Fishes contain from 40 to 80 per cent of water. The egg, one of the most powerful of nutrients, contains 65.5 per cent of water, the white consisting of 85 per cent and the yolk of 50.3 per cent.

The latter, of course, is the more nourishing part. As a rule, foods containing a small proportion of water are not fit for human consumption until they are cooked, which commonly means reducing them to a digestible state by adding water and boiling or baking, and so when they are actually partaken of they contain a good percentage of water.

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woman, secured by your suggestion, that there will be no trouble here from San Jose Scale, but there are other things with which to contend.

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"BROWN BROS. CO., 'NURSERYMEN, Ltd.' It made the Stroller leap for joy when he contemplated an army of tummy."

YUKON ICE WORM THE WONDER OF LONDON SCIENTISTS.

fruit tree canvassers scouring the Yukon with bundles of trees on their shoulders gliding merrily along from one farm house to the next, a distance of 187 miles.

It revived in the memory of the Stroller recollections of long ago when the fruit tree agent would blow in with a big sample book under his arm containing pictures of finer fruit than was ever seen except in books and at North Yokima.

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Let retired ministers and farmers might not readily respond to the offer to become agents for this nursery the Stroller has already taken the precaution to order by wire four dozen two-year-old orange trees, which he will attempt to cultivate in the "spare" room.

How sweet 'twill be to sleep once more where the orange blossom distills its perfume.

The request from the Ontario nursery to secure agents to canvass around the base of the North Pole is

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come back from up the Klondike with some meat? I need some money to buy some green paint and a brush.

You see, it is this way: When Limpin Grouse saw the jig was up he asked me to promise her that all the time that war'n't no snow on the ground I would keep her grave green.

I promised and have kept that promise. But now it looks zif that ain't goin' to be any snow. But that don't make no difference; that 's'ave is goin' to be kept green (sob) if I have to paint it."

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