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Poetry. OPEN THE DOOR. Open the door for the children, Tenderly gather them in; In from the highway and hedges, In from the places of sin, Some are so young and so helpless, Some are so hungry and cold; Open the door for the children, Gather them into the fold. Captain Gabrielson stated that he left Boston on Saturday, bound for Windsor, N. S., for a load of plaster rock. The vessel had a good passage until reaching Mt. Deserret Rock, when a thick fog set in, and he decided not to make the Bay of Fundy that night. He ran up nearer the coast and, in doing so, mistook the fog whistle on Liberty Island for that on Seal Island, and before he realized it the schooner was in the breakers on Camp Island, one of a group of islands known as The Brothers, at the entrance to Machias bay. A heavy sea was running at the time from the southeast, and he decided to abandon the vessel, which he did at half-past five Sunday afternoon. The nine men spent a fearful night in the darkness, which was made blacker by the fog, for they did not know where they were and had every reason to believe that the little boat would be dashed to pieces on the rocks. The fog continued until yesterday afternoon, when it lifted and land was sighted. The rowed hastily into the bay before the fog shut in and succeeded in reaching Roque Bluff. Great Russian Project. WASHINGTON, July 10.—Mr. Herbert H. D. Pierce, first secretary of the U. S. embassy to Russia, has been in Washington several days, on leave of absence from his post. Speaking to a reporter of the Associated Press of the trans-Siberian railway Mr. Pierce said: "The people of Russia are gradually realizing how nearly completed the trans-Siberian Railway is. I was told recently by Prince Hilkoif, minister of ways and communication, who has charge of this great work, that he expected to make a trip round the world in forty days during the coming Paris exposition, going by way of the trans-Siberian route. The original purpose of Russia was to make the route one for military and strategic purposes, linking the capital and other large centres with the naval rendezvous at Vladivostok. But now commerce and travel over the road has quite overshadowed the strategic part, and Russia finds that she has opened a highway which is to be one of the great channels of the world's traffic. Mr. Pierce was asked concerning the recent reports of widespread famine in Russia and the appeal issued in London for relief. "There really is no cause for fear," he said, "as I am familiar with this appeal for relief and while not wishing to question any charitable or philanthropic movement, I think it is only just to Russia that it should be known that the distress is confined to rather small and remote regions and that Russia herself has coped with the situation thoroughly and successfully. TO CONSUMPTIVES. The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free of charge), a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, CATARRH, BRONCHITIS and all Throat and Lung Affections. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing, will please address, REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, 33-177, Brooklyn, New York. Marvellous Instinct of a Cat. The marvellous instinct of an animal is said sometimes to be a sure warning of impending danger. It seems to be the case of the pet cat of the steamer City of Kingston. The animal, a large yellow one of no particular recommendation except its purring proclivities, has long been attached to that vessel, and not even the most persuasive coaxing could induce it to leave the confines of the ship. It has never been known to miss a trip. When the Kingston arrived in Seattle from Victoria early Sunday morning, for some mysterious reason the feline went ashore, and when the time came for the departure for Tacoma, which resulted in disaster to the Kingston, the animal refused to be coaxed aboard. Finally, a saucer of milk proving unavailing, one of the ship's crew took the cat in his arms and carried it aboard the vessel. It is now alive and the admiration of all hands at Yesler wharf.—Seattle Post Intelligencer. COOK'S NEW BLOOD FILLS. A GOOD INDEUMENT.—The Farm Journal is chock full of gumption and it has the largest circulation of any farm paper in the world. It is good everywhere. We offer it for a short time as a prize to advance-paying subscribers to the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE a year ahead and the Farm Journal five years, all for the price of our paper alone. St. John's, N. F. July 13.—Another evidence of the British determination to

force a speedy settlement of the French shore question was afforded by the action of the colonial legislature last night in passing a bill granting mining leases along the shore. Mr. Morine, minister of finance, in moving the passage of the bill, said he expected that within a few months all restrictions upon mining operations along the coast would be removed by the action of the British government.

A Fearful Night. MACHIAS, July 11.—The crew of the schooner Ida L. Hull, which was wrecked Sunday night at Camp Island, came up from Roque Bluff today and left for Boston this afternoon. Their account of the 24 hours spent in an open boat in a dense fog and a terrific sea, showed that their escape from death was almost miraculous. Captain Gabrielson stated that he left Boston on Saturday, bound for Windsor, N. S., for a load of plaster rock. The vessel had a good passage until reaching Mt. Deserret Rock, when a thick fog set in, and he decided not to make the Bay of Fundy that night. He ran up nearer the coast and, in doing so, mistook the fog whistle on Liberty Island for that on Seal Island, and before he realized it the schooner was in the breakers on Camp Island, one of a group of islands known as The Brothers, at the entrance to Machias bay. A heavy sea was running at the time from the southeast, and he decided to abandon the vessel, which he did at half-past five Sunday afternoon. The nine men spent a fearful night in the darkness, which was made blacker by the fog, for they did not know where they were and had every reason to believe that the little boat would be dashed to pieces on the rocks. The fog continued until yesterday afternoon, when it lifted and land was sighted. The rowed hastily into the bay before the fog shut in and succeeded in reaching Roque Bluff.

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