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The Poetic Philosopher

The man on horseback jogged along; anon he hummed a little song; he said: "I pity that galoot, who plods a long the road on foot; I'd rather in the grave repose than pound the highway with my toes." A stately carriage then rolled by; the follow in it heaved a sigh. "Great Scott!" he cried, "I'd be a corse, before I'd travel on a horse! To ride upon an old white mare, and get all covered with her hair—well, that's the limit, and I vow, I'd rather ride upon a cow!" With many a cnug and roar and jar there thundered past a motor car; its owner riding thus in and roar and jar there thundered past a motor car; its owner riding thus in style, glanced at the carriage with a smile. "A relic of the ages dark! I'd rather ride in Noah's ark. Just see those silly horses shy, and kick the driver in the eye! They travel fifteen miles a day, and pant and sweat the whole blame way, and they are apt to buck and pitch, and dump the outfit in a ditch. I cannot see how any chap will ride in such a blooming trap!" An airship whizzed o'erhead, afar; the driver watched the motor car, and to his passenger said he: "I'd ride upon the gallows tree before I'd leave this trusty ship, in such a car to make a trip! The driver makes some slight mistake, and then the whole machine will break, and there will be a sick-'ning thud, a dust-cloud and a shower of blood!"

Walk Mason

SHOE-SHINE BOYS LIVE IN PEONAGE

Said to be Made to Work Peculiar Sect Which Bars Sec-Like Slaves.

Empty Their Pockets Into Preprietor's Till.

TORONTO, Aug. 21—A Greek shoe-shiner who has Anglicized his name into George Williams, and who has a stand of his own in a local hotel, has stand of his own in a local hotel, has taken up the cause of his less fortunate fellow-countrymen who work in some of the Greek shoe-shine parlors in the city and who are unable to speak English as well as Williams can. He claims that owing to their ignorance of the language and of their rights, many of these boys are kept in a state little better than slavery, and he believes that if public attention is called to the matter there is a chance that conditions will be bettered. The boys are hired by the proprietors of the parlors (Greeks who have amassed some capital) at a small wage, from \$125 to \$150 a year. They are not paid until the end of the year, and not even then unless they are leaving to seek other employment.

NO UNION HOURS HERE.

If they are remaining, the boss continues to hold their money for them, white if they leave they seldom receive the full amount due them. They are tendered half or three-quarters of the sum, and in their ignorance and help-lessness the boys accept what is offered and take no steps to get the balance. Their hours of labor are from 6 a. m. to 11 p. m., while after closing Saturday night they are kept for a couple of hours cleaning up the shop, then they are made to.spend Sunday in washing their own clothes. The hours of labor were formerly from 7.30 a. m. to 8.30 p. m., but one concern inaugurated the longer period, and the others followed suit. The boys are discouraged from talking to outsiders or learning, anything about general conditions, and Williams says that there have been instances where they have been beaten by the bosses for disposphing in this particular. He also tells of another case where a boy who insisted on leaving and drawing his full pay was later assaulted by the two partners who employed him. The lads are lodged in premises provided by their two more boys in rooms over a small shoe-shine parlor.

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On Saturdays, when business is briskest, the boys go for their meals in turn, and the last boy to go for what should be his noon meal frequently does not get it until 6 o'clock, and then he gets nothing more until Sunday morning. Good health is impossible under such conditions, and Williams says that the shoe-shine colony lost two boys by death last year, while four others were sent away sick, their employers making the necessary payments out of the moneys due them. The most amazing statement made by Williams is that the boys are not allowed to retain a single cent of the tips which they receive from generous patrons. The boys average \$30 to \$35 a month in tips, but before leaving the shops each day, they empty their pockets into the proprietor's till. If they are discovered to have kept back even a dime they are called to account.

most every trade is represented at the convention.

They have their own cycle repairers, barbers, carpenters, tailors, dress-makers, watchmakers, cobblers, etc. A temporary post office has been erected close to the house, and there is also a public office for the use of visitors.

Religious meetings are held daily, but Sunday is specially set apart for general devotional exercises, and the services are attended by over 2,000 people. At the services the women do not mingle with the men. The former are very plainly ciad, and the majority of them wear sallor hats. The men pilgrims, who are unshaven, formerly discarded collars and ties, but now some of them wear low rubber collars. They are not allowed, it is said, to have a second suit of cothes, and only provide themselves with a second shirt as an absolute necessity.

NO WORLDLY POSSESSIONS.

OF APPROACHING EVIL

As a Result One Life at Least is Saved-

Fire Desireys Heuse of Mr.

Fred Moore.

One life and perhaps more was saved Saturday night through the foreboding of coming evil which was felt by two persons. One of these was the five-year-old daughter of Fred. Moore and wife of Manawagonish road, whose home was totally destroyed by first right before last, the other was George Thompson, chef of the Park Hotel, a friend of Mr. Moore.

The fire Saturday night which destroyed Mr. Moore's house started from a source unknown. The members of the family barely escaped with their lives, saving only two chairs and a tool chest from the flames. The dwelling was practically new and was not heavily insured.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moore usually sleeps in that part of the house in which the fire had its beginning, and had she slept there Saturday night undoubtedly would have perished in the flames, as the family did not awake until that portion of the building was consumed. The child was not sleeping in her own room when the fire started, for the reason that she had insisted on sleeping with her parents. She could assign no reason for the unusual change, but also-

COONEYITES AWAIT END OF THE WORLD

ond Suit of Clothes and Discards Collars

Growds Attracted Daily and Many Converts Succumb to Strenuous Preaching.

BDLFASTfi Aug. 21-Two thousand 'Cooneyites' a remarkable sect, whose "Cooneyites" a remarkable sect, whose creed is to expect the millennium to any moment, are conducting a "revival" on an enormous scale at Ballinamard, County Fermanagh, where his house and grounds have been completely given over to them for the time being by the owner, John West, who is himself an enthusiastic member of the sect.

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Energy is the keynote of the campaign. Preaching and devotional exercises are in progress throughout the day, with public baptisms of converts at intervals, in order that the millennium, come as suddenly as it may, will find them well occupied.

Single addresses last as long as five hours. When one is finished another begins. At sunset the pilgrims snatch a few hours' rest in the open air, rising at dawn to begin again. ing at dawn to begin again.

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HAD A PRESENTIMENT

NO WORLDLY POSSESSIONS.

The Cooneyites do not believe in worldy possessions, and several of their followers were men of wealth and influence. One of the principal leaders of the soci is Edward Cooney, who is the son of an Enniskillen merchant. He was formerly a commercial traveler. Associated with him is William Irvine, at one time an engineer, who has traveled in nearly all parts of the world.

The pilgrims are opposed to all the churches. One of the chief characteristics of their belief is the principal in the river which runs along the valley at the northwest side of Crocknacrieve House. One of the leaders act as celebrant, and, when he reaches the bank of the river, takes off his boots and wades into the water. Having reached the center of the stream, he folds the "convert" arms, places his right hand on the man's chest and his left on the back of his shoulders, and then repeats the words: "I baptize you in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost." He next gently lowers the "convert" backward until the whole body has been immersed.

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Then they are crushed under a weight of 30 tons to press out the moisture. Next they pass through granite rollers and come out in miles of silky ribbons. Finally they are dried eight times and then stamped into cakes.

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W. G. Mills and G. F. Lamson, members of the Edgewood Yacht Club of Providence, the owners of the launch, were on board of her, and with them

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late this afternoon when the 51 foot launch Allegro caught fire and burned at a point about three miles east of Brenton's Reef lightship. Thrown into the water by the capsizing of the tender in which they had taken refuge from the burning launch, the four occupants kept themselves afloat for nearly an hour until rescuers arrived.

were Fred J. Lamson and I. J. Mathewson, also of Providence. Besides the launch, which was valued at \$14,000, the men lost many personal effects, clothing, money, etc.

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Our Fur opening this year will be marked by special inducements never before offered by us at this season. We want to impress you early with the important fact, that although Dunlop-Cooke Furs re high class, they are not leces-sarily high priced-in fact the securing of our supply of raw skins direct from the trappers, manufacturing on a large scale for our four by sy stores in the fashionable centres, and supplying the requirements of particular people, enables us to produce finer furs at the lowest persible wholesale costs; then our method of selling direct from the trapper to wearer, avoiding middlemen's profits, gives us an advantage in the Fur trade that we could not possibly have if we did business on a smaller scale and the multiplied profits under the old methods of the general dealer.

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take advantage of special Summer Prices without investing the money till goods are needed, a deposit of 10 per cent. of the value will entitle you to have furs laid aside for delivery when required.

Natural Mink pillow muffs, well marked full furred skins, special values -\$15.00 \$28.00 Isabella and Sable Fox large rug muffs, with head and tail, shirred silk lining special values, \$30.00 to \$35.00.... 20.00 25.00 Ermine Muffs, extra large pillow shape, made from two whole skins, special value \$25.00 to \$40.00..... Black Lynx extra large pillow muffs, special values, \$22.00 to \$28.00...... 18.50 22.00 Black Lynx rug muffs, special values,

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