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## Boots for Little Girls

The children should be provided with good durable Shoes. The early fall brings wet bad walking and it's the duty of every parent to protect the health of the child by providing Footwear that will keep the feet dry and warm.

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## NEW YORK REPUBLICANS NAME THEIR CANDIDATES

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—With the announcement that practically all the fusion and independent forces with the exception of the Independence League would work in harmony to elect its candidates in the coming municipal election, the Republican city convention unanimously nominated tonight these candidates for the three leading municipal offices:  
For Mayor—Otto T. Barnard, Republican, President of the New York Trust Company.  
For Comptroller—William A. Frenck, Democrat.  
For President of the Board of Aldermen—John Purroy Mitchell.

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## FRANK FOX THROWN ON ROCHESTER TRACK

ROCHESTER, N. H., Sept. 23.—All the races on the programme of the third day of the Rochester Fair were won in straight heats. Thoughtful taking the 1 1/2 mile pace, Oxford Boy, Jr., the 2 1/2 mile pace, and Lucius Todd, the 2 1/2 mile pace. In the 2 1/2 mile event there was a collision between the sulkes of Bard Allerton and King's Heir, but little damage resulted. Frank Fox was driving Bard Allerton and was thrown from his seat, receiving slight bruises. James Carpenter, the driver of the other horse, lost the cushion of his sulky in the collision, but finished the race.

## NEW ICE BREAKER ARRIVES

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Sept. 24.—The new ice breaking steamer Earl Grey built by the Dominion Government at a cost of over half a million for the service between the Island and Mainland, arrived last night.

## WITNESS OFFICE GUTTED BY FIRE

The Damage Is Estimated at \$75,000

Fully Insured—New Plant Installed, and Change Was About to be Made.

MONTREAL, Sept. 23.—The two upper floors of the Witness office were gutted by fire tonight and the two lower floors with water, the damage being estimated at fully \$75,000, with insurance that will fully cover the loss. The fire came at an unfortunate time for the newspaper, as it had just finished installing a new press which was to have been started on Monday, changing the style and size of the newspaper and inaugurating many changes in its management.

The fire was first noticed a few minutes before seven o'clock. So rapid was the spread of the flames that when the firemen arrived in a minute or so after the alarm had been turned in the whole upper floor, on which was located the job department, was a mass of flames. At one time it looked as if the whole block would go, as there was a brisk wind blowing at the time. Directly in the rear to the west the high building of the Merchants Bank, but this was saved from danger by a splendid water curtain, while on the west side the big building of the J. C. Wilson Paper Co. was protected by a massive fire wall. The firemen finally managed to get the flames under control after the two top floors had been gutted. The new press was deluged with water, but it was not thought to be seriously damaged. The linotype machines, however, which were the first to be installed in Canada, are reported to be practically ruined.

Arrangements have been made for the use of the Gazette's plant until repairs can be made sufficient to allow the use of the building. Some small firms located on Craig street also suffered losses.

## TAKING A NEW LEASE OF LIFE

Indians of Canada are Now Beginning to Increase.

OTTAWA, Sept. 23.—The annual report of the department of Indian affairs, issued today, indicates that the years of paternal guardianship and education of the government's wards are bearing fruit in a steady betterment in their morals, health and economic conditions. The dying race have now passed the stage of annually lessening numbers and for the last five years births outnumbered the deaths by 179, while the total Indian population of the Dominion increased from 110,000 to 111,042. Infantile mortality and tuberculosis are still prevalent among the tribes to a large degree, but with the spread of education through the Indian schools and through the efforts of the Indian agents better sanitation and morals are effecting a steady improvement. The wigwam, teepee or tent, says Deputy Minister Pedley, is being superseded by comfortable houses, many of them well furnished and boasting sewing machines, musical instruments and other evidences of a growing civilization.

## SIGNS OF STORMS.

As stormy weather comes on, seabirds fly inland in search of food; wild fowl leave the marshy grounds for higher localities; swallows and rooks fly low before and during bad weather; frogs are unusually noisy near bushes and trees.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives relief as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack.

## THE DEFINITION OF KOSHER MEAT

In First Place, Animal Must be Killed by Shochet

After Cattle are Slain by Having Throats Cut With Sharp Knife, Inspector Examines Vital Organs.

At a meeting of a social club in Washington which I recently attended there arose a discussion as to the healthfulness of refrigerated meats, says George Marcus J. Wright in the Washington Post. The conversation took a wide turn, involving the comparative merit of various meats, when Admiral X. remarked that the most reliable of all meats was kosher meat. He was asked, "What is kosher meat?" The admiral explained: "The first condition of kosher meat is that it must come from an animal killed by the shochet. The shochet is an expert meat inspector under the laws of the Talmud and can only practice his art when he is accredited by a learned rabbi or has become versed in the law and learned in his handicraft in one of the Talmudian schools, to be found in small numbers in the east of Germany and in Poland.

"Every one of the nine kosher butchers in Chicago employs his own shochet, who occupies as a rule, a position of importance in the congregation in which he belongs, although he has no priestly functions. He seldom carries on any other business than that of a shochet, and even, as a rule, considers it beneath his dignity to assist at the cutting up of the animals killed by him, leaving that business entirely to the butcher. He receives for his services generally a fixed salary of from \$40 to \$50 per month, but has a private income by occasionally practicing his art for private families and butchers who do not deal exclusively in kosher meat.

## SHOCHET KILLS ALL ANIMALS.

"It is his duty to kill and examine every animal intended to furnish food for the Orthodox Jewish stomachs. All the members of the Jewish tribe, provided they are seals, may be eaten by the Jews without the intervention of the shochet, but this privilege does not extend to either salt or dried fish, as found in the stores, because there is a process of preparing them 'unkosher' matter may have been used.

"The butcher has to buy all his stock alive, and is generally accompanied by the shochet, when he goes to market, because the latter is ready to detect in the living animal already the defects that mark it as 'treife'. After the bull has been selected and bought, it is killed in the slaughter house in a very peculiar manner. In the first place the animal must be perfectly quiet and well rested at the time of killing. While in the slaughter pen, a rope is fastened to his horns and others to his legs, in a very cautious manner, so as not to disturb him. He is then generally pulled out and coaxed to lie down peacefully by an ingenious pulling of the ropes fastened to his legs. Nobody is allowed to touch the doomed animal but the shochet, who, as soon as the animal is lying down quietly, will take hold of his head and cut his throat with a sharp knife, whose blade, about 20 inches long and 2 inches wide, is highly polished and kept as scrupulously clean as a gentleman's razor. The cut almost severs the head from the body, and the animal is then allowed to bleed to death.

"LINGS CAREFULLY EXAMINED. "As soon as the carcass has ceased bleeding it is opened and the shochet will enter upon a very close examination of the entrails. The lungs are the special object of his study, and the slightest spot upon them or abnormal condition of any part of them will insure the rejection of the entire animal as 'treife'. In case of doubt, the lungs are subjected to a bath in clean water, and only if it is possible to give them a healthy appearance by a simple washing will the animal be pronounced as 'kosher'. If the lungs are healthy, if there be present foreign bodies in any portion of the carcass, might have caused the death of the animal sooner or later, the carcass is rejected, for it is the law that the animal must be in a perfectly healthy condition when touched by the shochet's knife, which is also the reason that the cattle are not made insensible by the Jewish law.



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blows on the head before killing them, as is done in common slaughtering. "But while the animal is pronounced 'kosher' its meat does not become so before it has undergone another process called 'borsting'. This consists in the removal of all bloody veins and gristle, which work the shochet generally assists, although it may be done without his help, provided he inspects the meat after it has done. As this work would be very tedious if extended to the hind-quarters, these are considered 'treife', and sold to Gentile butchers.

## CALVES AND SHEEP SIMILARLY SLAIN.

"Calves and sheep are killed in the same way as cattle, only that calves and lambs must not be under eight days old at the time of the killing. Nor are the hind-quarters of the calves and lambs rejected unless the animal has passed its youthful days before it came under the hands of the shochet. Chickens, geese, turkeys, ducks and pigeons are killed by the shochet by simple decapitation with his keen-edged knife, but in all cases the greatest care is taken to cut down the animal in a moment of complete rest and blissful ignorance of the coming fate, and to make its death as sudden and speedy as possible. The greatest care is also used in freeing the meat of all killed animals of every particle of blood and other substances declared 'treife' by the Jewish law.

"No blood of any animal is considered fit food for any Jew, but the heart, the lungs, the liver, the kidneys, etc., are kosher if carefully 'borsted'. "The advantages are that the intervention of the shochet secures to the orthodox Jew flesh food in an absolutely healthy condition, the reason for the law having been, in fact, nothing but a desire to protect the children of Israel against the many diseases so apt to result from the consumption of the meat of unwholesome animals.

## COMMANDS HIGH PRICES.

"It is quite natural that kosher meat should command a higher price than is ruling in the general meat market. The butcher has to pay a cent higher for the live cattle bought, on account of the trouble the slaughtering by the shochet causes in the slaughter house, and, aside from that, the 'borsting' requires a vast amount of labor, not counting the loss in weight caused by the careful cleaning the meat receives before it is put on sale. "The rarest article in a kosher butcher shop is a soup bone. The demand is very large, but the supply is limited, as the dealer's conscience and the jealousy with which he guards his reputation, prevents him from palming off on his customers bones of even the hind-quarters of kosher animals, unless those hind-quarters have been pronounced perfectly kosher. He generally compromises by reserving the soup bones for those of his customers

whose circumstances do not permit of their buying the regular cuts of beef. BUTCHER AN IMPORTANT PERSON.

"The orthodox Jew looks upon his butcher as a trusted person, and the latter has rarely, if ever, been known to betray the trust imposed on him. He is generally sincerely religious, has learned his trade from his father, and is descended from a long line of butchers. Feeling conscious of the importance of his position, he bears himself with considerable dignity, looking upon the rest of mankind as people dependent entirely upon him for protection against the evils arising from the consumption of 'treife' food. But he in turn depends with implicit confidence on the shochet, who treasures the parchment credentials of his high office with anxious care.

"If the butcher undertakes to corn beef for his orthodox customers, he has to employ extraordinary care. The meat must first be soaked in fresh water for an hour, then it has to be bedded in salt for 24 hours, and then washed again before it goes into a brine in which it remains 24 hours. But little kosher corned beef is made in consequence."

## OR CORKS.

Artist—I'm thinking very strongly of going on the stage.  
Model—Well, I hope you'll draw better houses than you do pictures.

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