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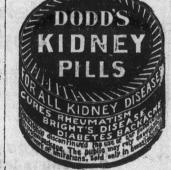
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New York, March 23.—Hudson Maxim, inventor of high explosives, made the dinner tendered by the Canadian Club last night to Sir Percy Sanderson, the retiring British consul-general at this port, the occasion of the first announcement about a new safety detonating fuse which he has invented after ten years' of experimenting.

ing.

He declared such a device has been the aim of inventors for years. By means of it, he said, it is at last posmeans of an armor-piercing shell ible to send an armor-piercing shell hrough armor and cause it to explode at exactly the distance behind the armor desired by the gunner. It will not matter whether the armor is one-inch or 12 inches in thickness, the inventor asserted.

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Perished In the Storm. Charlottetown, P. E. I., March 22.— This morning Oliver Mason, a prominent farmer and horse-dealer, aged fifty-two, of Hopetown, near Charlottetown, was found dead in a field near his home. He perished in last night's storm. He left Charlottetown in the evening, and after crossing Hillsbore. evening, and after crossing Hillsboro River it is presumed his horse ran away. This morning the animal was tound near Hillsboro Bridge.

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Four Killed By Dynamite Helena, Mont., March 23.—Four then were blown to atoms Thursday men were blown to atoms ? night in a Northern Pacific near Lombard, as a result of a care-less workman tamping a hole with a steel instrument. The names of the dead were unobtained.

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HER DAY OF FREEDOM.

By ROSALIE DAVIS.

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Grace Cramer received the news of her aunt's trifling illness with outward manifestations of regret and sympathy, but an inward feeling of exultation which she realized was, to say the least, ungrateful. Aunt Felice had been a patient, untiring, uncomplaining chaperon for one long week.

"Tell Mrs. Cramer I hope she will be feeling very much better when I come back from a drive. Is there anything I could bring her-violets or perhaps

"Madam cannot endure perfume of any sort when she has one of these attacks, but I shall tell her of your kind thoughtfulness," said the precise, black gowned maid, who had been in Mrs. Cramer's service for fifteen years.

Well trained and capable was this maid, but it never dawned upon her that she should personally see that Mrs. Cramer's order for the carriage was executed. Certainly this sturdy young woman from the west, only daughter of Mrs. Cramer's only brother, looked as if she were quite capable of giving her own orders.

And so it happened that the butler not without some misgivings, held open the big walnut and bronze doors for Grace to pass out half an hour later and watched her walk briskly down the avenue.

At Thirty-fourth street she paused uncertainly. There were several points of interest she really wanted to see be fore returning home—the statue of Liberty, the Metropolitan Museum of Art and Grant's tomb. Of course New Yorkers were always bored with such things, but Grace was from the west and frankly interested in sightseeing. And such a morning as it was for sightseeing!

In front of the Waldorf-Astoria stood a line of hansoms. With deliberate steps and keen glances she turned her feet in their direction. The cabbies tooked at her expectantly—sharp featured English drivers, heavy jowled and red eyed Irish drivers, a couple who looked as if they had sprung from the ghetto and one who caught and held her glance, smooth and boy ish of face, smart and well groomed of coat and hat. She stopped and look-ed up into his face, shielding her eyes with her long flat purse. "How much?"

"Where, miss?" said the driver cour-

teously.
"Oh, I don't know just where-by the hour, I guess." "One-fifty for the first hour, a dollar an hour after that."

"All right. And first we'll go to the museum in the park."

He touched the front of his hat with his gloved fingers, and some rude young men lounging near the carriage starter's booth laughed. Grace started. Perhaps she had better not. Then she glanced up at the young man on the box. His gloved fingers were still against his hat, the doors were invitingly open, and, though his face was

quite grave, his eyes danced in a fash-ion very much in accordance with her own for in being free from surveil-

lance for a whole day.
She sprang into the hansom, and the

doors clattered shut.
"How silly to be afraid?" she murmured. "Why, at home I go every-where alone—and he is such a nice looking Irish boy."

"The nice looking Irish boy," gathering up his reins, turned his eyes on the group of rude laughing youths near the starter's booth, and in that look the starter's booth, and was a curious mingling of triumph and

reproach.

They bowled through the park and

"Oh, it is so much larger than I expected," she said, turning to the driver in frank surprise, not untinged with appeal. "I had no idea there was so much of it. You don't suppose I can begin to see it in half an hour or even an hour?"

The young man leaned respectfully from the box.

"Indeed you can't, miss. I've been here nearly every Sunday for the past three months, and I don't feel as if I'd seen the half of 'it yet." "Oh, then you don't work on Sun-

days?" The cabby flushed. "After 6, miss. There's not much do-

ing here on Sundays till dinner time."
"Do they have guides?" she said,
waving her hand toward the museum. "No, miss. But you can buy a cata-"And spend all my time trying to fig-

ure out the catalogue. Goodness, everything is so big in New York! It appalls me." She took a step forward, en turned. "I don't suppose—would you mind—if you could get some one to hold the horse—could you take me through? It horse—could you take me through? I would save so much time if you know

the building, and then maybe I could see Grant's tomb too." The young Irishman swung around on the box. Yes; there, a few rods away, was a policeman. He drove toward the officer, held a whispered conversation and in a few moments returned on foot, leaving the horse in care of a bright looking boy, with the sympathetic policeman in higher au-

thority. ch other.

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Wou'll want to see the Vanderblit loan collection, a few of the biggest and finest pictures and the Morgan lewels," he said. But they saw much

more, and it was fully an hour and a half before they emerged from the mu-

"It isn't hard to see that you have spent your Sunday afternoons to good advantage," said the girl without a touch of patronage, and the young man looked at her gratefully.

"Once I thought I'd like to be a painter, but now"—

He signaled to the lad, who led up

"Ah," thought the girl as the doors closed in upon her, "probably has a poor mother and some little brothers and sisters to support." At Grant's tomb he found another obliging youth to hold the horse, and

he pointed out to her all the interesting features of the battle scarred relics in the crypt. He drove her out past Claremont and the viaduct, then lifted Claremont and the viaduct, then the the window above her head and asked: "Home, and I suppose you had better aurry. It is past lunchtime now. Fifth

The tiny window fell with a sharp click. The young man sat on the box so surprised that the girl in the hansom wondered why he had not obeyed her order to hurry. Then with a clat-

ter they dashed down the drive. "Three hours—that's three-fifty." She handed him a five dollar bill. please keep the rest for yourself. I've had such a beautiful time, and you showed me so much more than our own coachman could have done."

The young Irishman bent low to hand her some change.
"I beg pardon, miss, but I belong to an association, and members are not allowed to take more than a quarter

for a tip. Now, if you happened to have a silver quarter, particularly a nice shiny quarter. I'd"-Grace fingered the change in her long blue purse and triumphantly drew out a brand new quarter which glistened in the clear winter sunshine.

"I don't suppose I could have your hansom tomorrow if I"—
"I'm sorry, miss, but I don't know where I will be sent tomorrow. You see, we're posted at different points dif-

ferent days."
"Well, he is the most human thing I've met in this frosty old town," said the pretty westerner to herself as she

touched the electric button. The Ernest cotillon was at its height. Mrs. Cramer, quite recovered from her illness, watched in radiant triumph the success her husband's niece was scoring.

"Brimming over with personality, don't you know," murmured an old beau, nodding over Mrs. Cramer's shoulder at the lovely girl in her dancbeau. ing frock of silver gauze. "Actually enjoying herself, isn't she?" Just then to a rattling twostep half dozen young men pranced into the

room, clad in coaching coats and hats made of paper and carrying long whips, which they snapped as they circled round the great room.
"The horse show figure—how clever!" murmured Mrs. Cramer, "And I hear the favors are exquisite silver brooches

and buckles pinned on blue ribbons." Just then one of the dancers paused before her niece and raised his high paper hat. He was a smooth faced chap, with blue eyes that twinkled merrily into the astonished face of the

"Why, I thought you were"led the dazed girl into the mazes of the dance. "An election bet I had to settle, and you came along just in the nick of time "And you said that you wanted to be

a painter. "So I did," he maintained stoutly. "You'll at least admit I know some

thing about art."
She nodded her head, but flung him a reproachful glance.
"Well, my father decided that I ought to help him build railroads in-

stead; that's all."
"If you can drive spikes as straight

you rescued me in that park drive. He was handing her the dainty silver favor, and then he thrust his fingers into his vest pocket and drew out a quarter

"That's a little the best favor that ever came my way. I am going to

"Till you have another fare?" He turned grave.
"As long as I live." "I am going home tomorrow," she re-

narked irrelevantly.

"How odd! And I am going to Den ver on business. Great luck, and I guess we've proved that we don't require a chaperon."

Bermuda the Onionless.

If you just go to Bermuda for the onlons, you had better stay at home, because all the onlons are exported. But if you can make up your mind to do without onlons you will have a splendid time. In the first place, there are no railroads and—oh, blessed thought!—no trolleys on the islands. You can forget the hurry and the fret and rest tired nerves. You can bathe; you can sail on the wonderfully clear, still water within the rampart of coral still water within the rampart of coral; you can fish and look through water glasses thirty feet down on the teeming life under sea. The Bermuda boats are rigged with something which is almost a balloon jib and a leg-o'-mutton, or jib headed mainsail, and they are of deep draft. But they work pretty handlin and will stand you and sell feet. deep draft. But they work pretty handily and will stand up and sail fas In rough water, so that you can take them out beyond the protected water without fear.—Travel Magnzine.

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No One Injured—Track Was Tamper ed With.

Pittsburg, March 23.-Train No. 23, Pittsburg, March 23.—Train No. 23, the Chicago Limited from New York for Chicago, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, while going about thirty-five miles an hour, was wrecked early yesterday at Stewart, Pa., about seventeen miles east of here. The engine and the first five cars were derailed, but not one was hurt, and the passengers were transferred to the three rear cars and bought to this city where another train was made up and they continued their journey. It is said that evidence leading the officials to believe that the track had been tampered with was found at the scene of the wrecks.

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Transvaal Bars Asiatics. Pretoria, Transvaal, March 23.—The Upper House of Parliament yesterday passed the "Asiatic ordinance" pro-viding for the exclusion of the Jap-anese and other Asiatics, who are immigrating to South Africa in increas

Caught In Shafting; Killed.
Welland, March 23.—Charles Spell-man of Titusville, Pa., a traveler for the Canada Forge Works here, was caught in the shafting and fatally injured, dying about noon yesterday.

"Preventics" will promptly check "Preventics" will promptly check a cold or the Grippe when taken carly or at the "sneeze stage." Preventics cure seated colds as well. Preventics are little candy cold cure tablets, and Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis, will gladly mail you samples and a book on Colds free, if you will write him. The samples prove their merit, Check early Colds with Preventics and stop Pneumonia.

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"It was rather a jolly morning, eh?"
he said, with a chuckle. "My, but the boys were sore! They hoped I'd get some old girl on shopping bent, who would keep me outside the shops, where I'd meet everybody I knew, but you reserved me in that park drive."

marble, and the walls are lined with Sciclian marble. Electric heating makes it possible to obtain any desired temperature, and noiseless fans provide ventilation. That the patient may not be frightened by the instruments used in the operation and the presence of so many physicians and medical students, there is an antemedical students, there is an ante-room to the operation hall, where the patient is put under the anaesthetic.

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DIED IN HARNESS.

ieutenant-Governor Snowball's Useful and Honorable Career.

ful and Honorable Career.

Hon. Jabez Bunting Snowball,
Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick who dropped dead last week in
Fredericton while on his way to attend service in the Cathedral, had
had a long and useful career in Canada. He had not been very well for
more than a year, but was able to
attend his public duties. He opened
the session of the Legislature on February 14, and had since been daily at
his office in the Parliament Buildings.

On February 5 last Hon. J. B.
Snowball completed his five-year term
as Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, but was still in the office when
death came. He was born in Lunen-

death came. He was born in Lunenbugg, Nova Scotia, in 1837, his father being Rev. John Snowball, a divine of the Methodist Church. After graduating at Mount Allison Academy at Sackville, N. B., young Snowball took



LATE HON, JABEZ BUNTING SNOWBALL up his residence at Chatham, and entered into partnership with John McDougall in a general store. Later he became interested in the fishing industry, and the company, of which he was later president, now controls looster featuring along the relations. he was later president, now controlled lobster factories along the whole Gulf lobster factories along the whole Gulf coast. As a lumber operator he was probably at his best. He owned the largest saw mill on the Miramichi river, and ranked second only to Alexander Gibson as a manufacturer and exporter of lumber in New Brunswick. About four years ago Mr. Snowball formed his business into a joint stock company, under the title of the J. B. Snowball Co., Ltd. His sons, William B. and Robert A. Snowball, are respectively, manager and ball, are respectively, manager and outside manager of the company. Between 30,000,000 and 40,000,000 feet of lumber are cut by the company each year. Mr. Snowball also assisted in the building of the Canada Eastern-Railway, and the branch of the Intercolonial to Chatham, and to the time of his death he controlled the latter branch. time of his death he controlled the latter branch. For some years Hon. Mr. Snowball sat in the Commons, and when he retired, in 1891, was call-ed to the Senate, retiring in 1902, to accept the Lieutenant-Governorship.

SUNDAY IN CANADA.

What Our Neighbors Across the der Think of Us.

lation on the theory that they have terrorized the Canadian politicians exactly as our prohibition ladies terrorized our Congressmen. The Province of Quebec, being equally conservative in another way, has stuck to its own notions, and the result is that there the continental Sunday will be found with mose grave Puriture. found with moss-grown Puritanism all around it.

Oh, well, Canada is a great country Oh, well, Canada is a great country, and its people are a fine people. They are good neighbors now, and they will be better neighbors when in name as well as in fact they decide to become a self-governing nation.

The Climate of the West.

In a recent issue of a Toronto paper, describing the death of some family from the cold in Saskatchewan, there was a despatch from Port Hope, Ontario, telling of the freezing to death of brother and sister near that town. They had run short of fuel and the former was evidently unable to travel to the nearest village to sequre the necessary supply. to travel to the nearest village to secure the necessary supply. Harrowing tales are told of the losses of cattle in Southern Alberta. Would it have been possible for them to have kept alive if they had been left out in the fields of Ontario all winter to get their own food? The losses have occurred simply because the Albertan winter climate is so mild as an ordinary thing that many did not take the precautions to guard against an exceptional year.—From the Edmonton Saturday News.

Large or Small Cows.

Large cows are not always the most profitable. It costs more to keep large cows than small ones, and they don't always give enough extra milk to pay it back; but, generally speaking, large cows have more vitality than small ones, which helps them to make good use of food. Whether large or small, a cow to be profitable must be healthy.—Farm Press.

HUNTER'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Marooned on Raft and Nearly Swept Over the Falls.

The wild northern woods offer many peculiar dangers to the lumbermen, hunters, trappers, and fishermen who sojourn there, but few men have hack a more hair raising experience than the cashier of a bank, who was marooned on a raft and all but swept over the falls of a branch of the Chip-

over the fails of a pranch of the conspectation.

It was during the spring floods, and the Chippewa was a raging torrent, filled with floating logs and cakes of grinding, smashing ice. The banker and two friends were about six miles above the falls and attempted to ferry the size of a raft made of five pine logs. river on a rait made of five pine logs. The raft proved unmanageable when it was caught by the current, and the men found themselves swept down the river, the heavy raft sweeping the lighter driftwood and ice before it like bits of straw.

Whirling Over the Papids.

Whirling Over the Rapids.

"Three miles down, at a bend in the river," says the banker, "my companions succeeded in jumping off, but I was too late and soon found myself in the middle of the stream again and fairly whirling over rapids that ever became faster and rougher. Suddenly above the roaring of the raft I heard the dull, heavy thunder of the distantialls, where logs and ice were pouring over and churning the water into columns of hissing vapor.

"The thought of going over into this seething inferno of splintering logs and cracking ice nearly froze mewith horror. When I found the raft running more smoothly I knew that I had reached the backwater of the dam, and now if ever was my chance.

dam, and now if ever was my chance, for guiding the raft nearer the shore. I worked my 20 foot pike pole with the frenzy of a madman, but every minute brought the raft several rods closer to the falls and scarcely inches nearer the shore. nearer the shore.

Escapes Dash Over the Falls. "Startled by a quickening of the speed, I looked up to find the raft scarcely a hundred feet from the brink and fully seventy-five feet from the nearest shore pier. Somehow the great noise and my exertion had given me-complete self-control, and, while I re-signed myself to almost certain death. I was ready to take advantage of the chance of escape which presented it-self.

self.

"A long log floated beside the raft.
With a push on the front end I started the log out endwise toward the pier. Running along the log, I planted my pike pole near the end and threw myself twenty feet through the air into the water at the brink of the dam and within two feet of the log. dam and within two feet of the pier, where by chance a watchman fished me out, wet and cold, but thankful-to be alive. Just as I struck the water my raft went over the falls and was completely wreaked."

CHINOOK HAS FAILED.

Sunny Alberta Has Suffered Severely

From the Extreme Cold. This winter has proved a disastrousone to "Sunny Alberta." The extremacold and the abnormally heavy snowfall have wrought great havor
amongst the cattle on the ranches;
and while it is not wise to accept the
extreme statements that find their
way east, the fact remains that the
situation is sufficiently serious Albertasituation is sufficiently serious Albertader Think of Us.

The New York Times says of Canada's right to keep Sunday exactly as it chooses there is no doubt at all, and not much about its right also to make the day one of complete rest—and tedium—to such foreigners as venture into the territory ruled by that not recently mentioned but probably still existent Lady of the Snows.

Nevertheless, Canada's new Sunday law doth have a most ancient and archaic odor, and one cannot help wondering if it represents Canadian opinion to any great degree than did our own passage of a law abolishing the army canteen.

Everybody who has ever been in Canada knows that people who believe in keeping, and especially in making others keep, Sunday with Scottish rigor are not rare there. People of that sort have somehow managed to survive in Canada in much greater numbers than in New England, for instance, where they were once the whole population. We question, however, if they are anything like a majority, and can only explain their success in bringing about this legislation on the theory that they have terrorized the Canadian politicians executives are suffered little loss; but this statements that find their way east, the fact remains that find their way east, the fact remains that the fact remains that the fact remains that the save east, the fact remains that the save east. The fact remains that the save east, the fact remains that the save east, the fact remains that the save east. The fact remains that the save east. The fact remains that the save east, the fac

REINDEER AT LABRADOR

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At a recent dinner given by the Canadian Club in Toronto, Dr. Grenfell, the famous Labrador medical missionary and author, spoke of his plan to introduce reindeer into Labrador. The inhabitants at present he said, rely chiefly on the fisheries as a means of subsistence, and in the winter they have nothing to do, and in consequence of this there is much suffering. Reindeer, according to Dr. Grenfell, could feed upon the rich growing mosses, and supply the people with milk, food, and, besides, could be used as a means of transpeople with milk, food, and, besides, could be used as a means of transportation. The experiment had been tried in Alaska with great success, and Dr. Grenfell thinks he can raise the necessary funds to bring reindeer into Labrador.

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Four-fifths of the operatives in Japanese mills are women, probably due to the fact that they will work for less than the men, who can do better outside. Men are only employed when absolutely necessary, such as for bosses, loom fixers, the heaviest card room work, etc. Weaving in Japan is almost entirely a woman's job, as spinning is with us. The fact that the looms are run almost entirely by women was of considerable advantages to the mills during the war, as they were not affected by the calling out of the reserves.—From a Consular Report by Special Agent Clark.

Dog Dies of Grief.

An Irish terrier at Scarborough, England, has died of a broken heart. Every care was taken of it after itsmistress' death, but it gradually pined away, and died after paying a visit to its mistress' grave.