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ODD CAUSES OF DESERTION

Army Post.

"A lot of them are building forward. I see, with replies to that question. What's the matter with the army." said a grizzled old sergeant at one of the New York army recruiting offices. "The reasons given for desertions are pretty close to the mark, too. But there are some others.
"Pretty often desertions become epidemic in a military post. Any number of things can start an epidemic of desertions and nothing can stop it short of switching the whole layout to another post, and even that doesn't always work.

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One domineering or unjust officer in a stream sor crucifying fatigue or practice march ty. Once I knew a little runt of a shave-i just out from West Point to cause twen-eight men from one cavalry troop to jump in prush. If plenty of peace required to the property of the property

tions or crucitying fatigue or practice murch duty. Once I knew a little runt of a shavatall just out from West Point to cause twenty-eight men from one cavalry troop to jump the fit-out within two months after hed joined down in Arizona.

"The death of a well liked officer or even eight of the state of can be polished with the regular polishing brush. If plenty of newspapers are put around the stove and the handles of the stove brushes are kept clean, this work ought not to be dirtier than other work. It does no harm to repeat the statement that cold, clear coffee is better than water for moistening blacking. Some neat housewives clean a stove with soap and water, but there is no surer way than this of rusting the iron. Kerosene oil will clean a stove just as the control of the c

mard of, a sure enough man was the only ause of it.

"Little unscheduled things will start degreations. The reappearance at a past of a
ormer member of the outfit togged out in
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CLEANING A STOVE

A Number of Useful Suggestions for

This Not Difficult Task. When blacking a stove some house-wives consider a paint brush better than the brush ordinarily used for the purPHONE 685

JERSEYVILLE Jerseyville Epworth League received very pleasant visit from Zion Hill League on the evening of Thursday, Oct. League on the evening of Thursday, Oct. 17. The visitors kindly took charge of the service. Interesting papers were given by several of the members. Solos were rendered by Misses McCormick, Bonham and Carpenter. After the meeting lunch was served and a social hour

Rev. Wm. Robertson, of the Dundas sanner, was calling in this village on

Thursday.
Mrs. W. B. Markle, of Toronto, was wisiting relatives here on Tuesday.

Miss C. Black, of Lynden, spent a few days last week at the home of her brother, R. R. Black.

Mrs. J. G. Cochrane spent last week at her daughters, in Toronto. Mr. J. Smith was at Onondaya on Wednesday attending the funeral of his little grandeon

little grandson.

Miss Edna McPherson visited last week with friends in Hamitton.

Mr. Louis Marchant had the misfortune last week to lose a valuable mare and colt. They got out of the pasture field and, wandering on the T., H. & B. track, were struck and instantly killed by a heavy fraight anging.

a heavy freight engine.
W. D. Wait spent Sunday with Mrs. W. D. Wait spent Sunday with riends in Hamilton. R. R. Black has purchased the coal shed at the depot and will keep on and throughout the winter a supply of coal.

nand throughout the winter a supply of coal.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Stone, of Brantford, were the guests on Sunday of relatives in this place.

Work on the cement walks is progressing nicely, and soon the village will put on a much neater appearance.

Mr., and Mrs. O. Dyment, of Hamilton, visited on Sunday with relatives in this neighborhood.

Misses Lottie Herriat and Bessie Wait were the guests Saturday of friends at Summit.

section don't like to make a long shift to another part with a different climate. More desertions result from the shifting about of regiments than ever appear in the figures.

"Soldiers who get mixed up with women outside the post gates are particularly liable to lump when their outfle are particularly liable to constant and the does not feel like leaving her behind, and there a only one thing—so he imagines—left, and that is to quit.

"Queer, too, the distance some soldiers will go when they get mixed up with women. The most argravated rase of that kind I ever saw was when I was in the Philippiucs the first time.

"With my outfit was a snappy, hustfing youngster from Tennessee, is boy not-much past his majority, who got the corporative for nervy work in campinging. The kid had all the makings of a fine soldier, and as he was well educated a commission wasn't any too high for him to look if he'th bein of that mind and had kept out of trou-Summit.

The express which formerly passed through here at 8.15 a. m., now makes a stop. This will be a reat convenience to market people and the pupils attending the schools in the city. The 11.35 a. m. train for the who was at 11.5 a. m. The ty dling public should bear these charges in mind.

HARRISBURG

Mrs. Near, of this place, was visit-ng friends in Brantford a few days

ing friends in Brantford a few days. last week.

Mr. McCarg. of London. passed through the village one day last week.

Mr. D. Mack, of the T., H. & B., spent a few days with his mother here, last week.

Mrs. Willits, of Brantford, was calling on friends here one day last week.

Miss Campbell, of Hamilton, spent a few days last week with friends here.

But he got all wrapped up with a Filipho grid, the daughter of a Filipho grid, the daughter of a Filipho president down Mindanae way, and when we were ordered to Manla to take the transport for the United States he couldn't see the thing of leaving the grid. I believe they'd been married. Anyhow, when we went to Manila, this judgment lacking gossoon, stayed behind with the Filiphon woman.

But he did comething even more idiotic than that. When the old man sent a non-constant that the more did to the more than the same way to be some bucks back for the kid, he was was still generated the same than the war was still generated the states.

Well, dye know what that nice looking and bright kid from Tennessee is doing now? He's doing ninety-nine wears on Alcatraz Island for deserting to the enemy—the court-martial's sentence was death, but it was changed to ninety-nine years on Alcatraz Island for deserting to the enemy—the court-martial's sentence was death, but it was changed to ninety-nine years on Alcatraz Island for deserting to the enemy—the court-martial's sentence was death, but it was changed to ninety-nine years on Alcatraz Island for deserting to the enemy—the court-martial's sentence was death, but it was changed to ninety-nine years on Alcatraz Island for deserting to the enemy—the court-martial's sentence was death, but it was changed to ninety-nine years on Alcatraz Island for deserting to the enemy—the court-martial's sentence was death, but it was changed to did ninety-nine years of him. The changed to ninety-nine years of him. The changed to the property of the enemy—the court-martial's sentence was death, but it was changed to did ninety-nine years for him. The changed to the property years of the property of the enemy is not the property of the enemy is not the property of the property of the enemy is not the property of the property of the enemy is not the property o here.
Mr. H. Young has moved into Mrs.
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ing in the shooting season at Mus-koka this fall. oke this fall.

Mr. Charles Ribble spent a few
ays at his home here last week.

Mrs. Merchant, of Jerseyville, who Mrs. Merchant, of Jerseyvine, who has been visiting her daughter. Mrs. E. Vansickle, here, for the past three weeks, left for her home on Monday. Mrs. A. Dargie, of Brantford, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hazell, on Friday last.



0 SIN-TAX.

Teacher—William, what is syntax? William—I don't know unless it's the tax on whiskey.

The Noise he Heard.

An old lady was visiting some relatives, one of whose sons had recently entered the ministry. She had not seen him since his boyhood, and was therefore him since his boyhood, and was therefore anxious to attend service at his church. At dinner subsequent to the Sunday sermon, she heard delivered by her nephew, it was observed that she was singularly reticent. Suddenly she broke her long silence by asking her nephew: "Frank, why did you enter the min-istry?"

"Frank, why did you enter the ministry?"
"Why, aunt," exclaimed the young man, "what a question. I entered the ministry because I was called."
Just a suspicion of a smile came to the old lady's face as she responded:
"Are you sure, Frank, that it wasn't some, other noise you heard?"

Father—Now, Mand, in selecting a husband, look before all things for intelligence and integrity. Your mother, I am sorry to say, looked only for

I am sorry to say, looked only for money."

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Orions, per bag
Potatoes, per bag
Cabbage, per dozen
Beef, hindquarters
Do., forequarters
Do., medium, carcase
Muton, per cwt.
Veal, prime, per cwt.
Lamb, per cwt.

Toronto Live Stock.

Toronto Live Stock.

Receipts of live stock at the city market were \$2 car loads, composed of 1398 cattle, 991 hogs, 1938 sheep, and 200 calves.

There was little change in the quality of the cattle delivered for sale, either in quality or prices, but what change there was for lower quotations, and it still looks as though prices would receds farther before though of the prices would receds farther before though of the prices would receds farther before though prices would reced farther before though lights.

Exporters—With the exception of a few bulls there was nothing doing in the export. Buils sold at \$3.50 to \$3.55.

Butchers—There was one load of butchers', cattle, which same corbett, 1056 lbs. each, cattle, which same corbett, 1056 lbs. each, at \$4.40, which same corbett, 1056 lbs. each, lest cattle offered the \$3.50 to \$3.65; fair to good cows, at \$2.25 to \$3.50; cannown, medium, cows, \$2.25 to \$2.50; cannown, \$1 to \$2 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers—There was a fair rade for good to choice milkers and spring-rs, but common, inferior light cows were low sale at the lowest prices of the sea-

each. Calves.—Veal calves sold at \$2.50 to

British Cattle Markets. London.-London cables are firmer at 1 12 1-4c per lb., dressed weight; refrige tor beef is quoted at 10c per lb. The Cheese Markets.

Stirling, Ont.—To-day there offered 180; sold at Li 1-8c; balance refused. Campbellford.—To-day 1285 were offered; 75 sold on the board at 12c; balance refused at 12c; mostly all sold on the street at 12c.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.

June \$10.08 to \$10.15, July \$10.14, Aug. of-fered \$10.08.

New York, Oct. 30., Wall Street.—Opening prices of stocks showed sharp declines to-day throughout the list, many of the prominent, active stocks failing as much as a point, and Can. Pac., 6 3-4, Reading 2, Great Northern pfd., 1 3-8, and St. Paul 1 1-4.

The one point declines included the Harriman stocks, Northern Pacific, Great Northern, Ore Certificates, Atchison, Penna., Toi-edo, St. Louis & Western pfd., Brocklyn Transit and American Smelting, The selling orders were not on a large scale, but the buying demand was insufficient to absorb them except at the concessions.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Cattle—Recepts about 10...

000. market weak. Beeves \$3.59 to \$6.85; cows, \$1.15 to \$4.90; calves, \$4.50 to \$6.75; Texans. \$3.40 to \$4.75; wastern, \$3 to \$4.50; to \$4.75; Wastern, \$3 to \$4.75; Hexans. \$4.80 to \$4.75; Wastern, \$2.31 to \$4.50; Hogs—Receipts about 12.009; market is steady: light, \$5.55 to \$6.20; mixed, \$5.60 to \$5.25; heavy, \$5.20 to \$5.90; rough, \$5.30 to \$5.45; pigs, \$4.50 to \$5.00; bulk of sales, \$5.60 to \$5.85.

COBALT NOTES

A staff of 40 workmen are engaged on building of the Cobait Concentrators, L ited, on the Nipiesing property, and they rushing its construction in order to have plant roofed before the snow flies.

A party of Buffalo financiers, who own considerable property in the Rainy ittver District, are in Toronto to-day, inspecting the new process of extracting gold from the creo batained in the Larder Lake district. Should this method prove satisfactory, it is purposed to erect a plant on the above claims.

\$5.85. Sheep-Receipts about 16,000, market steady strong. Natives, \$2.50 to \$5,20; westerns, 50 to \$5.15.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Lar-der Lake Proprietories Gold Fields, Limit-ed, was held to-day. Dr. Sterling Ryerson said that this company was like others at the present stage.

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PANIC ALL OVER.

BANKING CONDITIONS IN NEW

YORK NOW NORMAL on Institutions Over-Bankers Pleased That Storm Has Been Weathered—Clearing House Certificates Worked Well.

New York, Oct. 30-Banking conditions \$5.00 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—Trade was slow in the sheep classes. Export ewes \$4.25 to \$4.49; lambs, trade dull for inferior quality: prices ranging from \$4.00 to \$5.40 per cwt.

Few farmers are buying lambs for feeding.
Hogs—Mr. Harris quoted selects at \$5.12½ with light unfinished hogs at \$5 to \$5.35. approached the normal in this city toand Wall street to-day expressed grati-fication that the storm had been weathered. The banks improved their position vesterday by calling loans and this process of adjustment may be continued to day. Liquidation of this character is well absorbed considering the fact that weil absorbed considering the fact that many stock exchange houses are discouraging new committments on a margin basis and are making purchases only for cash. Bankers declare to-day that the clearing house certificate plan is working out smoothly and bringing about normal conditions.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain flures to-day; Wheat-Oct. \$1.06 -3.4 bid. Dec. \$1.06 1-4 bid. May \$1.12 5-8 bid. Oats—Oct. 61 1-4 c bid. Dec. \$5 3-4c bid. May \$5 1-2c bid.

FINANCE.

C. P. R. Stock Record.

The range of prices of C. P. R. stock during the years named wil be found below. At 160%, to which it dropped this morning. C. P. R. showed a decline from the high of the year of 46% points, and of 33 from the high cut on record.

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The collection of eye stones is a dying ndustry. In New York the principal sources of supply are sailers who touch the Baltic Sea, and, as might be imagthe battle Sea, and, as might be imagined, the supply is precarious.

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pean crawfish. Most of the famous eye stones, crab's eyes, crabstones or lapilli cancrorum, are procured in the province of Astrakhan in European Russia.

There appears to be some confusion regarding the nature of the eye stone, for some authorities speak of it as a concretion in the stomach of a certain crab and others as of a peculiar shell formation which is separated from the crab at the time it sheds its sholl.

The so-called crab's eyes are found fully developed at the end of the summer as the crabs begin to shed their shells, It is noted that these concretions are absorbed into the stomach of the crab during the shedding season and there pulverized and absorbed, the dissolved calcareous substance being used, it is supposed, for the formation of a new shell. When these calcareous shells are not normally developed and absorbed it is observed that the shedding process is interrupted and the crab dies an early death.—American Druggist and Pharmaceutical Record.

Science has cut down the diphtheria mortality in a few years from 50 to 10 per cent.