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POWER FOR HYDRO.
Niagara Company's Offer Now Reported Satisfactory.

Toronto, July 24.—Mr. F. A. Gaby, Chief Engineer of the Provincial Hydro Commission, and Mr. Barton, General Manager of the Canadian Niagara Power Company, were in conference on Saturday regarding the details of the agreement by which the company will supply up to 20,000 horse-power to the Hydro Commission at \$12 per horse-power. Mr. Gaby will report to the Commission at their meeting on Tuesday what transpired at the conference. Though no official information is available, it is understood that the details will be satisfactorily worked out, and that a temporary additional supply will be used by the Hydro almost right away.

According to a letter received by the Hydro Commission from Mr. Monroe Grier, K. C., the Canadian Niagara Company is prepared to supply 20,000 horse-power at \$12 per horse-power, the supply to be arranged as required and regulated agreeably to both parties. "In view of the emergency which has arisen," says the letter, "an immediate supply of 12,500 horse-power will be provided without prejudice to the agreement which will provide for a permanent supply."

Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, asked about a supply after the end of the present year, replied: "The more power we will ask for it and get it." The Minister said Sir Adam Beck had put up a good fight, and it had remained with the Government to take the measures necessary to bring about an agreement.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Giant and Dwarf Honey Bees.

In some of the East Indian Islands and on the mainland of Hindustan are to be found the smallest species of honey bees in the world. These dwarf honey collectors are known to entomologists as *Apis florea*. Their honeycombs are no longer than a child's hand and the cells are about the size of a small pin head. This honey is excellent, as is the wax. The little creatures build the comb on the branch of a low tree, and as they have not to provide for winter they work all the year through, raising broods like themselves.

In the same land there is a species of giant bees, *Apis dorsata*, as large as a field cricket. These monsters of the bee world build honeycombs that are from six to seven feet in length, four or more in width, and weigh from 300 to 400 pounds each.

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To-morrow.

He was going to be all that a mortal should be.
Tomorrow;
No one should be kinder or braver than he.
Tomorrow.
A friend who was troubled, and weary he knew,
Who'd be glad of a lift and who needed it, too;
On him he would call and see what he could do.
Tomorrow.
Each morning he stacked up the letters he'd write.
Tomorrow.
And thought of the folks he would fill with delight.
Tomorrow.
It was too bad, indeed, he was busy to-day,
And hadn't a minute to stop on his way;
More time I will have to give others, he'd say,
Tomorrow.
The greatest of workers this man would have been.
Tomorrow.
The world would have known him had he ever seen.
Tomorrow.
But the fact is he died and he faded from view,
And all that he left here when living was through.
Was a mountain of things he intended to do.
Tomorrow.
—Edward A. Guest in Detroit Free Press.

Told Him How.

A minister who lives in a small town is noted for his sentimentality both in and out of the pulpit. As he was coming down the street one day a man accosted him with, "Sir, can you tell me how to find a sheriff's office?"

"Yes, sir," was the ministerial reply. "Every time you earn \$5 spend \$1." And he walked on, leaving the astonished man gazing after him.

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BASQUES OF THE PYRENEES.

Those On the Spanish-Slopes Are the Pure Aborigines of Europe.

You are in the habit of thinking of the inhabitants of France as "French" and the inhabitants of Spain as "Spanish." Did you happen to read a learned dissertation on the shape of the skulls of people living on the two slopes of the Pyrenees, together with the announcement that, contrary to the belief of scientists, the Basques are not all of the same origin? And then did you ask, "Who are the Basques?" Primarily they are the people who gave to the rest of the world a curious kind of garment for women, but they are far more interesting to the student of anthropology and the historical development of language than they are to the designers of women's clothes.

There was a time before the present generation of scientists got work on the problem when the Basques, both in Spain and in France, were recognized as the last remnant of the original occupants of Europe, the people who were driven into this backward of civilization by the onrush of the Celts. The Celts were in their turn driven westward and into such out of the way corners as they could hold, so that they are now represented by certain strains in Spain, by the Bretons in France, the Irish, Scotch, Welsh, Cornish and Manx in the British Isles and by a substratum of the Bohemians and the Galicians. Those who preceded them and who managed to cling to the mountain strongholds of the Pyrenees are remotely related to the Finns in another remote backward. The ones on the Spanish slopes are the pure aborigines of Europe.

IF SUBJECT TO COLDS HERE IS GOOD ADVICE

Don't load your stomachs with cough syrups. Send healing medication through the nostrils—send it into the passages that are subject to colds and catarrh. Easy to do this with Carrarh-ozone, which cures a cold in ten minutes. Even to the lungs goes the healing vapor of Carrarh-ozone—all through the bronchial tubes, nostrils and air passages—everywhere a trace of disease remains will Carrarh-ozone or throat trouble if Carrarh-ozone is used. Get it to-day, but beware of dangerous substitutes meant to deceive you for genuine Carrarh-ozone. Large size, two months' treatment, costs \$1; small size, 50c; sample size, 25c.

A Shabby Royal Palace.

The Persian royal palace is a most unattractive place. The courts are filled with painted pictures of cast iron in a kind of operatic Romeo's costume and with boys of gilt iron offering vermilion cups to gilt eagles. The tanks are stagnant and shabby, the gardens neglected. The rooms are horrible even for one of those monuments of bad taste called royal palaces; the walls are covered with mirrors, and a decoration made of small pieces of mirror set in elaborate patterns, the effect reminding one of a wedding cake. The furniture is without exception European, of poor quality and worse taste; there is not a single one of those exquisite works of Persian art which in the collections of Europe arouse enthusiasm—not so much as a fine carpet. Neither the famous peacock throne—so long erroneously thought to be the one built for the great moghul and looted by Nadir Shah—nor any of the jewels are now exhibited. Local gossip believes them to have been broken up and sold in Europe by the present government.—"From Moscow to the Persian Gulf."

It's a pure rule that won't work bad ways.

THE FAMOUS PRODUCTIONS OF FLORENCE AND ROME

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Light of the Firefly.

Probably as far back as 1733 it was known that the luminous parts of fireflies, glowworms, etc., could be dried and preserved out of contact with the air for considerable periods without losing their light giving power. In late years it has been possible to prove this permanence of the light giving power for at least eighteen months. Kestle and McDermitt were able, upon opening tubes containing the luminous organs of the common firefly preserved in hydrogen or a vacuum, to obtain quite a brilliant light by simply moistening with water. The light was increased when hydrogen peroxide replaced water. However, scientists have yet to discover the firefly's secret of producing light without heat.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

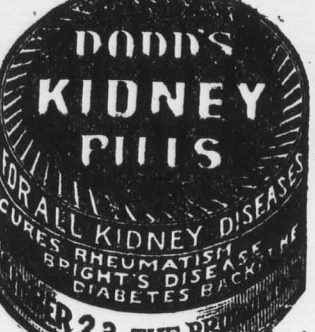
The Miserable Moors.

The lives lived by the Moors are without perhaps any exception the most precarious and miserable that can be imagined. The poor man is thrown into prison for sums he never possessed and can never pay, the rich to be squeezed of all he possesses, while those only can hope to escape who are members of families sufficiently powerful to arouse the fears of the local governor should he attempt extortion and not sufficiently powerful to stir up the avarice of the sultan.

Even the governors of the provinces suffer themselves as they make others suffer, for just as they squeeze the agriculturist and the peasant, so are they in turn squeezed by the sultan and his vassals and should they fail by constant presents to maintain a good opinion at the court they can expect only imprisonment and often death.

The sun, too, shines into cesspools, and is not polluted.—Diogenes Laertius.

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THE PILOT SNAKE.

He is a Bold Burglar, and Birds Are His Chief Victims.

Maybe you've been in the woods some day and heard a squawking and fluttering in a tree over your head. You look and see a pair of frightened birds darting this way and that about their nest on a limb. You look closer, and you see a long, black snake creeping along the limb to the nest. In a minute he will have devoured the young birds or eggs in the nest and then stretch out on the limb for his afternoon nap. The name of this robber is the pilot snake.

He's one of the boldest burglars among our snakes, and birds are his principal victims. He can climb trees, clamber over bushes and race over the ground with equal speed. He grows to be from four to six feet long, and in the woods he looks terrible, but he isn't.

He's entirely nonvenomous, and he doesn't "charm" birds, as many people believe. It may be that a bird will become so frightened at seeing one of these reptiles attacking her nest that she will become virtually helpless. But she for charm, that's all a myth. The pilot snake doesn't need to charm his prey. He's too good a climber.

Often the pilot snake is mistaken for the blacksnake. The latter has a white throat and is bluish rather than black. The young pilot snake has white spots. In addition to birds and eggs, it eats insects and even small animals. It will climb a tree and crawl into a squirrel's nest to devour the young squirrels.—Our Dumb Animals.

It is Said to Have the Most Trying Climate in the World.

The chief peculiarity about Kurna is that the natives believe the place where they live is the exact site of the garden of Eden.

The climate of Kurna is acknowledged to be the most trying in all the world. The heat is terrific in the summer time. It is claimed that the British government has a record of 159 degrees in the shade upon the bridge of a boat anchored in the river at Bureh, a little to the south.

The missionaries at Bureh tell of nights when the thermometer registers not less than 125 degrees. British sailors bound for the Persian gulf in the summer time usually desert if they can. Perhaps in Arizona the thermometer rises nearly as high, but there is the dry air, while in the Persian gulf it is exceedingly moist.

The Europeans at Bureh must pass the days in underground chambers, or serdabs, while a native boy pulls a huge fan, or punkah, suspended from the ceiling to keep the air in circulation. The nights are spent on the roof, for it is impossible to sleep below.

In the winter time the air seems exceedingly cold, for the marshes are filled with salt, and as the wind sweeps over the plain the moist air is peculiarly penetrating. Frequently the Arab, benumbed by the cold, falls from his horse.

Construction of Big Guns.

The making of a big gun involves as much intricate work as the putting together of a locomotive or a giant crane. A twelve inch gun on board a battleship if fifty feet in length, and has an extreme range of 25 miles, and an effective range of twelve miles. There is a vast amount of intricate and delicate trained workmanship wanted in the finish of a giant cannon. For example, says a writer in the Millgate Monthly, the breech block has to undergo eighteen or twenty machinings. And all the medley of mechanism necessary to enable the ponderous mass of ordnance to move to the right or left or up or down, at a touch from the naval gunners is being built up together at the same time as the work proceeds on the gun itself. For some of the smaller guns no fewer than 550 machinings are necessary before the weapons are ready for use.

Author of "Annie Laurie."

"Annie Laurie," according to the generally accepted story, was written by a soldier in Flanders to his lady-love at home. The writer was William Douglas, and Annie Laurie was one of the four daughters of Sir Robert Laurie of Mawelton. Sad to relate, says the London Chronicle, Annie did not marry her ardent lover. Some say Douglas was killed in Flanders, but at all events Annie was led to the altar in 1709 by Alexander Ferguson, of Craigdaroch.

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His Little Lot.
There were some interesting episodes in the life of Sir Charles Euan-Smith. Once in the market place of an Afghanistan town he was fired at by a native. He lodged a complaint with the ameer, who appeared to take no notice of the incident, merely remarking "That's all right." Sir Charles complained again and met with the same reply. He still thought that the ameer was treating a serious matter with less consideration than it deserved, but thought it advisable to say no more on the subject. About a week afterward he was invited by the ameer to ride with him. They rode for some distance outside the town, and they passed gibbet after gibbet. At length Sir Charles said: "Your Highness has been busy of late." "Oh, no," replied the ameer; "they are your little lot. He had seized all the members of the would-be assassin's family and hanged every one of them."

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THE GARDEN OF EDEN.

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