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WOODS' FAIR

REV. DR. BEECHER WANTS HIS COIN

Message From Spirit World

A Startling Communication From the Famous Divine and Orator to Old Friend.

New York, April 4. — Has spiritualism Who knows by what means one mind communicates with another, without a new convert in Dr. I. K. Funk, the venerable writer on subjects religious and head of the publishing house of Funk & Wagnalls? While Dr. Funk does which we have not identified, and is are the curse of the whole thing." not admit in so many words he believes the receipt of such communications in communication with the spirit world, he does not deny he recently received tigations, and later may be prepared to talk more intelligently on the subject. Less than a week ago Dr. Funk attended a spiritualistic meeting in which a woman acted as a medium and went into a trance. Soon she said Dr.Funk's old friend, Dr. Beecher, wanted to speak

"Why don't you return that coin you borrowed of me thirty years ago?" the medium, inspired by Dr. Beecher's spirit, said in Dr. Beecher's well-known and jovial manner.

"What coin?" Dr. Funk asked, astonished 'Why, the widow's mite," said the medium, speaking for Dr. Beecher."You

used it as a model illustration in one of your books. 'I returned it to you years ago," said Dr. Funk.

'Pardon me, but you are mistaken," the spirit insisted. "If you will look in your safe in the compartment in the lower right-hand corner you will find York my coin under some papers." Dr. Funk went to his office the next York.

der a bundle of papers in a small safe in his office. The coin was and safe so he called in an old clerk, who was with him when the coin was borrowed. The clerk said he was sure Dr. Funk Boston

has returned it. Then they went together to a larger safe and in exactly the found the "widow's mite." Dr. Funk, speaking of the message he

received about the coin, is quoted as "I do not try to explain it at present. what for lack of a better name we call Well-Known Scholar Gets a thought transference or thought waves, s a well-established fact; mothers know when children are sick and wives have seen as a vision the figures of their husbands at the moment of death. These IN REGARD TO A 30-YEAR LOAN things are common and well vouched for. How these communications are made we do not know. There must be some rules to govern them, but we are in the dark on the mere border of the subject and groping in an effort to find

those rules out. "It is an outside question to say the ing. Mind, I say cannot: I do not assert they have communicated. It will not do to quote any hard and fast rule. fly across the ocean and are clearly re-

ceived thousands of miles away? experiments thus far made until my investigation is concluded. Thus far I may say that it appears profoundly interesting. I cannot say to the exclusion of all other hypotheses that I received a message from the spiritworld, but I do say we cannot deny the possibility of receiving such messages, and until that impossibility is proved only the truth."

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Boston—Saxonia, from Liverpool, Liverpool—Cedric, from New York. Genoa-Trojan Prince, from New Glasgow-Pomeranian, from New

Hungarian, from Boston.
Havre—La Champagne, from New phraseology.

York. Halifax-Sardinian, from Liverpool. At Halifax—Sardinian, from Liverpool. At St. Michael's—Commonwealth, from

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not succeed.

shall decide it.

Meetings Held Under Direction of Ontario Association.

In the lesson. The fewer the points the teacher had, the better it would be. In Dr. Sowerby's opinion the teacher would be doing good work by giving the class two or three thoughts having a particular bearing upon them.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

Rev. Dr. Sowerby and Others Make them. Interesting Addresses.

Two meetings of particular interest to Sunday school workers were held in child. He asked the teachers to notice the First Presbyterian Church yester- that the child had a body, and he said day, afternoon and evening. They were they must remember that the child was under the direction of the Sunday School Association of Ontario, and were quiet for half an hour. The child that the last in a tour which included Brant- was built upon the spring-trap order ford, Hamilton and Woodstock, two was not the bad pupil. The kind Mr sessions having been held in each place. Rae found to be the worst was the quiet one, who never moved a great deal, but was always planning misthe advancement of the work of the chief. The teacher must seek to bring Sabbath school, have been arranged, through the Book bring the child to important points west of London being through the Book bring the child to God. The study of the little child as lected subjects of special importance to those engaged in imparting religious instruction to the young, and left them in the hands of clergymen and laymen qualified to present them in such a way that valuable help would be derived. Rev. W. J. Clark presided at yesterday afternoon's meeting, which, owing to the unfavorable weather, was not very well attended. Several of the city clergy, together with prominent Sunday school workers, were present.

SCHOOL MANAGEMENT.

Mr. J. A. Jackson, B. A., secretary, of from Mr. J. A. Jackson, B. A. Toronto, addressed the conference on "Sunday School Management," in con-nection with which printed slips containing a series of twenty-five questions were distributed. Several of these were distributed. Several of the several of the spoke in part as follows:

The system of honors or re
Each one has two creators, God and were distributed. Several of these were wards adopted in many schools was explained, and one worker advised his hearers to have the rewards arranged so that they would be distributed over of life. If man shirked work God spot described by the medium they the largest number possible, and rot among a few. The latter plan, he said, would create an unhealthy rivalry among the few. How could scholars be induced to bring their Bibles to school? was another question. One lady in Telepathic communication by means of the audience said the teacher should set the example by bringing a Bible and

leaving the lesson help at home.
"A very good suggestion," said Mr. Jackson. "Don't come to Sunday school on your crutches if you can come en your own feet." Rev. A. K. Birks, of Colborne Street

Methodist Church, said the plan adopted in his school worked satisfactorily. 85 per cent of the scholars bringing their Bibles every Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Sowerby asked if the Bible

was not used as much in the schools now as in the past. If not, why the dead cannot communicate with the liv- disuse? What had driven the Book from the school?

are the curse of the whole thing." perience to supplement the energy of the young people! from mind to mind any more wonder-ful than the Marconi messages which with the superintendent, who, some hour before it opened. Various meth- parental responsibility. ods were suggested for getting the

scholars to be on time. RESPONSIBILITIES WERE GREAT.

In an address on "Preparing and Teaching the Lesson," Rev. Dr. Sower- the parents. by said the responsibilities upon the teacher were very great indeed. While he had a great opportunity to do good, he had a correspondingly great responsibility resting upon him, and how two evangelists working in his church my mind is open to conveton. I seek the teacher could go before the class for a month among adults had been tion of the age of the pupils had very in the Sunday school in that time. April 3.—At New York—Bolivia, from Naples: Deutschland, from Hamburg; Koenigin Luise, from Bremen.

At Brow Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (St. 1) At Brow Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (St. 2) At Brow Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (St. 2) At Brow Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (St. 2) At Brow Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (St. 2) At Brow Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (St. 2) At Brow Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (St. 2) At Brown Head—Lake Simcoe, from St. Leby (lessons, Dr. Sowerby said. No teacher, the Church." prayer and thus got in touch with God. showed that it paid to begin young. If should also be read, and those pasmany thoughts. This was the trouble spend \$10 in the school to \$1 in the of many in charge of classes. What was needed was simplicity in present-

MUST KNOW GOD FIRST.

Rev. J. W. Rae, of Aylmer, spoke on "The Sunday School Teacher," who,, he said, to be successful, must know God first, then the Book and then the made up of muscles and nerves, and it was impossible for it to keep strictly Rae found to be the worst was the on the list for visits in the near future. he is was another essential to the suc-In arranging the programmes for the cess of the teacher. It was a desirable meetings, the provincial executive se- thing for those engaged in teaching to first seek the guidance of God.

THE EVENING SESSION.

Attendance Not Large, But Interest in Ad dresses Was Keen.

was not a large one. Two addresses were given. These were preceded by a few remarks by the chairman, Rev. D. S. Hamilton, and a word of thanks The first address was on "Parental Responsibility." It was given by Mr John A. Paterson, M. A., K. C., of Toronto. The parent, he said, should be

ourselves. God gives us the material. If the man doesn't make good use of

wouldn't do it. Our country was now suffering from a plethora of endeavor to increase our national wealth, and is in danger of becoming intoxicated with national wealth. Bringing up good men and women from boys and girls was what made nations rich.

The most elementary thing the parent could do in connection with the Sunday school was to know the teacher of the boy or girl. Next parents ought to show some interest in the teacher. They should visit the school at times. They ought to invite the teacher to their homes. They should at least help the teachers by assisting the children in getting up their lessons. If the parent could, he should teach in the school.

"We find," said Mr. Paterson, bath school teachers composed Lesson leaves seemed to be more con- large extent of young people. When 1 venient for lazy teachers, was the ex- go to financial institutions I find them planation given by one teacher.

"Every help should be thrown out of shouldn't men of experience be filling means of speech or visible sign or the Sunday schools," said Dr. Sowerby. the positions of spiritual teachers? Let "Helps are to be used at home. They us have more of the large parental ex-

"We have built up a great Sunday school organization but we have almost a message from the Rev. Henry Ward by means of wireless electric impulse thought, should be in the school half an forgotten the truth that there is

"It is the duty of the parent to support the school financially. The offerings brought in by the children should go towards missions and the expenses of the school should be sustained by

SCHOOL AS EVANGELIZER.

an unprepared lesson was more unable to bring in one new member, than he could understand. The ques- there had been 200 children converted His address was upon "The Sabbath many teachers who did not prepare the School as the Evangelistic Agency of The first duty of the continued, should attempt to pre- church was to begin with the children. pare a lesson until he indulged in The results in the German army He should read the lesson repeatedly this were done in the church "it would until it was burned right into him and save us," said the speaker, "from the he was thoroughly conversant with its artificialities of these puffed-up excite-The parallel passages ments called evangelistic services." If he had his way he would have sages having a particular bearing on only one preaching service in the members of the class picked out. An church on Sunday, and devote the rest effort should not be made to teach too of the day to the children; he would

> He told of the requirements of teachers, dealing especially with the boy problem. The tragedy of the modern church, he said, was that between the infant and Bible classes the Sunday school lost its grip on the majority of the boys. He attributed this to a large extent to the unfitness of the teachers to enter into a boy's life. The home would have to do more and there would have to be more cooperation if they were going to do their

evangelizing factor. TOBACCO CHEWING TEST

duty in making the Sunday school an

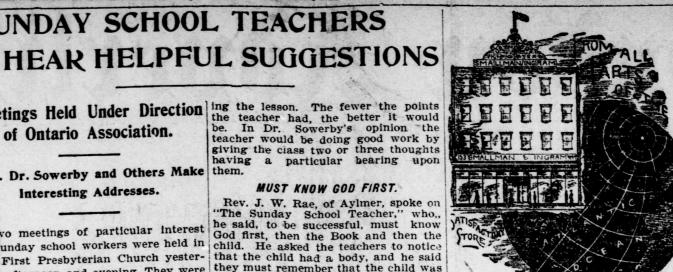
United States Sailors in a Unique Contest.

New York, April 4.-The great tobacco chewing bee which Uncle Sam's sailors on the receiving ship Columbia, stationed at the Brooklyn navy yard, have been indulging in the last week to determine which kind of plug tobacco is best suited to the needs of a man-of-war's man, came to an end yesterday. Capt. Miller, head of the board which will place the Government's order for tobacco for the next year, is comparing the numerous ex- agents for tickets and all information, pert opinions of the jackies on the samples submitted to them. Just 523 pounds of plug were chewed and

The value of the opinions that will influence Capt. Miller and his associates in ordering the year's supply will be understood when it is stated that the aggregate order will be 225,000 to 250,000 pounds. Tobacco men always are keen to get the order of the Brook. lyn navy yard, and so when samples were called for the response was prompt and generous and consisted of 44 different brands of plug, each sample weighing 12 pounds. The en-tire assignment was dumped aboard the Columbia, and each sample was marked by a number, on which jack was to mention any criticism.

One sailor on the Columbia, who is so old that his chief vocation is telling blood curdling lies to the youngster who haven't smelt anything but salute powder, writes as follows:

"Most of this tobacco is - bad No. 17 is particularly bad; too much molasses for tobacco and not enough for griddle cakes. No. 8 has too much licorice; it is fair smoking but bad No. 1 is the best, in my udgment, and I smoked plug on the Monocacy and ought to know."



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And these grand bargains were bought up so quickly without advertising that by the time the next announcement appeared the goods were gone, and only those who secured them knew anything about the sale. Disappointment, of course, to those who heard of the sale after it was over.

That was scarcely justice to the great public who patronize this satisfactory store; The audience at the evening session yet we couldn't help it, or rather we thought we couldn't help it.

> But we have arrived at a solution of the difficulty, and we believe every woman in London will clap her hands when we state that this space will be occupied every day with our bulletin of interesting bargains. It will pay you to read it every day.

Bright, fresh, interesting information about bright, fresh, interesting goods-no announcement appearing twice the same. The truth will be told about our wares, and the same old habit of avoiding even exaggeration will be strictly adhered to. What you read in this space will be strictly true.

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We will christen this new space with the following big values in Cottons and Sheetings. We wish success to you and success to the space. You're sure to meet success if you buy from these lots:

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Tourists.

New York, April 4.-The most talked of passenger aboard the Oceanic was Miss Norma Munro, the publisher, whose name appeared on the passenger list as follows: "Miss Norma Munro Rev. W. H. Hincks, LL.B., of To- and man servant." Miss Munro reronto, made the assertion that while turned with Mrs. Robert Osborn, former manager of Mrs. Osborn's playhouse, from a trip to Paris. Whenever Miss Munro appeared on deck or abin she attracted all attention. The novelty of a man servant traveling with a young woman appealed to the passengers. New Yorkers on the ship remembered Miss Johnstone Bennett, the actress, takes a valet with her when she goes on a tour, and were not so much surprised at the innovation as the English tourists. Mrs. Osborn and Miss Munro went to the Osborn residence at 2 Rutherford place.

EASTER VACATION EXCURSION

To New England, Boston, Springfield, Palmer, Worcester and South Framingham, Mass., Saturday, April 4. 1903, \$10 Round Trip; Limit 10 Days. On above date the New York Central will run an Easter excursion to Boston, Springfield, Palmer, Worcester and South Framingham, Mass. Only \$10 00 round trip, limit ten days, or until Tuesday, April 14. Tickets good on regular trains, except limited trains

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for return trip. Boston and vicinity has many attractions, such as the old State House erected in 1713, occupied by a Royalist regiment in 1768; the Massachusetts State House, whose gilded dome was called by Oliver Wendell Holmes "The 'Hub of the Universe;" Beacon street, the principal residence street of Boston Old Christ Church, the oldest church Boston, dating from 1723; the signal lanterns of Paul Revere were displayed from the tower of this church n the night of April 18, 1775; Old South Meeting House erected in 1729, the Boston Public Garden, Boston Public Library, Faneuil Hall, the Cradle of Liberty, Bunker Hill Monument, Harvard College Building and other objects of importance.

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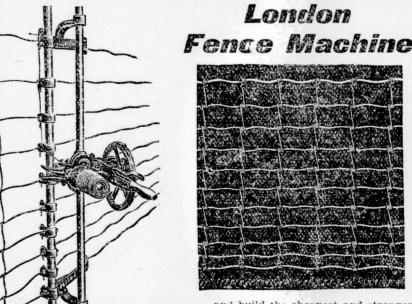
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Five Lives Lost.

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