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AROUND THE WORLD.

The town council of Kirkcaldy have conferred the freedom of the burg on Sandford Fleming, who has just returned to Kirkcaldy from Canada.

Two hundred thousand people are asked to contribute a nickel apiece to build a church in Texas. It should be called the church of St. Nickel-us

The Russo Jewish farmers have been successfully established in the Rocky Mountains and the colony is a success if the Jewish world speaks truly.

The Chinese language is spoken by about 300,000,000 people, Euglish by about 95,000,000. Thus we see that the Chinese gibberish is vulgarly common.

There is only one freemason in the present French cabinet, but such prominent statesmen as Gambetta, Brisson, Cazat, Jules Ferry, Paul Bert and Constans are members of the order.

For the year up to the 31st ult the total receipts of the Suez canal show an increase of £367,600. I cannot, therefore, be held that the interests of its shareholders have suffered in the least from the disturbances in Egypt. On the contrary, the canal has probably been very much the gainer, at all events for the time being. Whether or not, its high charges, if maintained, will check the past rate of increase in its receipts now that some lines of steamers have found it possible to trade round the Cape remains to be seen.

England has sustained a national defeat. The Prussian government has carried away the inestimable treasure of the Duke of Hamilton's manuscripts. Various are the conjectures as to the cause of this indiscriminate sale. Some people will have it that the duke had turned rusty at the diminished price put on his curios. Other, again, affirm that family influence, the duke's mother being a German, was brought to bear on the decision, and that the duke was cozened and wheedled by a fair kinswoman into acceding to the proposition made by Prussia. Beckford must have writhed in his tomb when the manuscripts collected for the glories of the Hamiltons thus passed away.

The centennial exhibition grounds at Philadelphia now present a scene of weary desolation. Where the main and machinery buildings once reared their imposing structures, an empty waste lies the eye with a desert of mud, cinders, decayed lumber twisted pipes, rusty iron and broken rubbish of every kind. The destruction of the two great buildings has left the acres they covered looking like an old battle-field. In the rear of this sea of confusion gleams the massive front of memorial hall, the two bronze figures in front standing out in strange contrast over the ruins over which they look. To the left and rear the bright hues of horticultural hall give the scene a patch of color.

The last Indo Chinese steamer which arrived in Marseilles brought specimens of a bean which has long been used by the Chinese and Japanese as an article of food. Not only is it cooked and eaten like other vegetables, but it is made into very excellent cheese. It more closely resembles animal food than any other vegetable known, containing much greasy matter and albumen. A trial will be made to acclimatize it in the south of France. In the north it would not grow, owing to the uncertain and changing climate and to the temperature being too low. Besides these advantages as an article of human food, the husk serves as a very good fodder for horses and cows. The cheese made from this bean has a very delicate taste, much like Parmesan.

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The local stock market is weak and dull.

So was New York

For the duke of Manchester's company 50 was all that was bid at one time to-day.

Hudson Bay is also steadily declining, and at the present rate ought to touch 25 before New Years.

Dominion bank has improved a shade.

Good judges say Canadian bank stocks must get near to the same level, and that the levelling will be a down one for the high ones rather than a lift for the weaker ones.

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Toronto Stock Market.

MORNING BOARD—Montreal 201 and 200½, sales 2 at 201, 15 at 200½; Ontario 117 and 116¾, sales 25 at 117½ 25-100 at 117; Toronto 173 and 172; Merchants' 122½ and 121½; Commerce 135 and 134¾, sales 50-20-30-50 at 135; Imperial 142 and 141½, sales 10 at 142, 10 at 141½; Federal 157 and 156¾ sales 20-50-30 at 157, 10 at 156½; Dominion 197 and 196½, sales 80 at 196½, 20-20 a 196½, 100-50 at 197; Standard 119 and 118, sales 10 at 118½; Consumers Gas 149½ and 148; Northwest Land Co 53 and 51, sales 100-100 at 51 reported; Building and Loan Association at 105 and 104, sales 30 at 104½.

AFTERNOON BOARD—Montreal 199¾ and 199½, sales 50-50-20 -15 at 199½; Ontario 117 and 115½; Toronto 173 offered; Merchants' 12 ½ and 121½; Commerce 135 and 134½, sales 135 at 134½, Imperial 141½ and 141, sales 10 at 144½; Federal 156½ and 156½, sales 10 at 156½, 30 at 156½; Dominion 197½ and 197, sales 100 at 197 reported, 20-20-50 at 197½; Northwestern Land Co 52 and 51½.

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CLOSING BOARD—Montreal 200¾ and 200½, sales 25-25 at 200¾, 25-50 at 200½, 25 at 200¾, 25 at 200½, 25 at 200½. Ontario 118½ and 116½ Merchants 122 and 121½. Commerce 135 and 34½, sales 50-50 at 135. 125 at 134¾. Federal 157 and 156½. Montreal Telegraph Company 126 and 125½ sales 101 at 125½. St P M & M 141½ and 141. N W L Co 52½ a 51.

New York Stock Market.

CLOSING BOARD—C S 86½, Erie 36½, J C 70½, L S 114½, M C 98½, M & O 116½, N Y C 133½, Northern Pacific 44½, Northwest 30½, St Paul 100½, St P, M & M 141, N U 81½.

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Grain and Provisions.

CALL BOARD—Toronto, Dec. 7—One car No 2 fall wheat offered at 94c, no bid; 1 car No 3 spring offered at 95c, 90c bid; 1 car western oats offered at 40c, no bid.

THE STREET MARKET, Toronto, Dec 7—The attendance was below that usual on Thursday's market. There was a larger quantity of grain than usual, however: reported 2000 bushels of wheat sold at 90c to 92c for fall, 80c to 82c for goose, 95c to $1 02 for spring. There were 3000 bushels barley sold at 50c to 75c, the bulk of it at prices from 56c to 60c. About 100 bushels peas sold at 70c; 200 bushels oats sold at 40c to 42c; 200 bushels rye sold at 60c. A load of beans sold at $1 30. Hay was in light supply, and sold at $12 to $13. Straw, $9 to $10. Hogs were sold at $7 50 to $8. There were very few on the market. Other produce was unchanged.

SWEET, Dec. 7 Barley quiet, sales 10,000; No 1 bright Canada 94c; No 2 Canada held 88c; No 1 Canada 89c.

DETROIT, Dec. 7—Wheat No 1 white 99½c cash, $1 00⅝ Dec, $1 00½ Jan $1 01½ Feb, $1 06 May; No 2 83½c. Receipts—33,000. Shipments 1,000.

TOLEDO, Dec. 7 Wheat, No 2 red 97½c cash and Dec, 99½c Jan. $1 01½ Feb, 97½c nominal year asked May. Corn, 51c cash, 54c bid Dec. 55½c asked Jan, 56½c year 55½c May. Oats 37½c bid cash, 37½c bid Dec 38c asked year Receipts—Wheat 22,000, corn 13 000 oats 1,000. Shipments—Wheat 10,000, corn 5 000, oats 2,000

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 7—Wheat 95½c Jan, 96½c Feb.

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Latest New York and Chicago Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec 7—Cotton unchanged. Flour—Receipts 27,000 brls, dull, unchanged, sales, 18,000 brls. Rye flour unchanged. Cornmeal declining at $3 85 to $4. Wheat—Receipts 97,000 bush; exports 73,178 bush, firm; sales 1,552000 bush including 208,000 spot; spring nominal, No 2 red $1 08½ to $1 10; No 1 white 99c to $1 13; No 2 red Dec $1 08 to $1 08½. Rye dull at 70c to 72½c. Barley firm. Malt unchanged. Corn—Receipts 93,000 bush, unsettled, sales 2,361,000 bush including 113,000 spot. Exports 22,000bush. No. 2 73⅞c to 74⅛c, yellow 75c, No 2 year 73⅞c to 74⅞c. Oats—Receipts 14,000 bush, higher, sales 910 000 bush; mixed 39c to 44c; white 42c to 50c, No 2 Dec 42c to 43½. Hay dull. Hops dull, Coffee dull, unchanged. Sugar easier, standard A 8⅛c to 8⅜c, cut loaf and crushed 9⅝c to 9⅞c Molasses firm, New Orleans 40c to 68c Rice steady. Petroleum dull, nominal. Tallow, quiet, 7⅛c to 7⅜c. Potatoes and eggs firm, unsettled. Pork firm, new mess $19 25. Beef unchanged. Cut meats firm Pickled bellies 10c to 10½c. shoulders 8⅝c. hams 11½c, rib bellies 9⅝c. middles nominal. Lard strong, higher at $11 45 to $11 50 Butter and cheese firm, unchanged. Railroads irregular, stocks closed dull and lower than yesterday.

CHICAGO, Dec 1.—Flour unchanged. Wheat weak, regular 94c to 94⅛ for Dec. 94⅝c to 94⅞c for Jan, 95⅝c to 96⅞ for Feb, $1 00⅞ to $1 01 for May. No. 2 red 94½c to 94⅝, No 2 spring 94½c to 94⅝c. Corn lower at 54⅝c to 55c for cash, 55⅝c to 54⅞ for Dec. 54⅝c to 54⅞c for Jan, 53⅞ for Feb, 53⅝c May. Oats strong at 35⅝c for cash, 35⅝c to 35⅞c for Dec, 36⅝c for Jan. 36⅝c for May. Rye and barley unchanged. Pork firm at $17 45 to $17 50 for cash, $17 65 to $17 67½ for Jan, $17 75 to $17 77½ for Feb. Lard easier at $10 65 to $10 70 for cash, $10 65 to $10 77½ for Dec and Jan, $10 70 to $10 72½ for Feb Bulk meats and whisky unchanged. Receipts—Flour 25,000 brls, wheat 73,000 bush, corn 235,0 0 bush, oats 65,000 bush, rye 5,000 bush, barley 40 000 bush. Shipments—Flour 24,000 brls, wheat 18,000 bush, corn 90,000 bush, oats 30,000 bush, rye 4,000 bush, barley 22,000 bush.

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Were you cold yesterday? Why, no! I had on one of Finch's overcoats.

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"I pla by ere," wro e a St Louis belle to a Chicago professor, who immediately wrote her, saying that he believed she also spelled that way.

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A fashionable journal says: "The large forearms and frondebourgs are very becoming to slight youthful figures." H'm. we always thought they were becoming to such figures; but for embonpoint figures of a conundrum age the fifteenabonagers and blondbo urgeois are more en regle and recherche. A newspaper man would feel lost if he didn't understand French

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The Tartars consider a small, flat nose a sign of beauty. We suppose that to look beautiful in that country the girls starch and iron out their noses every morning.

Mr Henry Marshall, reeve of Dunn, writes. "Some time ago I got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery from Mr Harrison, and I consider it the very best medicine extant for dyspepsia." This medicine is making marvellous cures in liver complaint, dyspepsia, etc, in purifying the blood and restoring manhood to full vigor.

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"Ah," moaned a widow recently bereaved "what a misfortune! I know what kind of a husband I have lost, but how can I know what kind of a husband his successor will be?"

The post office department has ruled that a man has no control over the correspondence of his wife. But this decision will not prevent a man from carrying his wife's letters in his inside coat pocket three weeks before mailing it.

A point worth heeding: Life loses half its zest when digestion is permanently impaired. Surely then a speedy means of restoring this essential of bodily comfort is worth trying. Every rank, every profession, bears its quota of evidence to the beneficent influence upon the stomach, and also upon the liver, bowels and kidneys, of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, or celebrated Blood Purifier. What is the wise course suggested to the sick by this testimony? We leave them to decide.

"Why do women so often wander aimlessly in the murky solitudes of the dead past, brooding over days forever gone?" asks a correspondent. This is indeed a difficult question to answer. There are no dry goods stores in the dead past

According to the Mississippi handbook there are 175,251 white and 251,438 colored children attending the free schools in that state, at a cost of $830,701.

A New and Strange Phase of Electricity.

A strange incident occurred a few days ago at a cafe in Philadelphia. A man who had been leaning against the wall suddenly fell sprawling on the floor; another signalized his entrance by screaming that he was paralyzed; and a third who stood at the bar, before he had time to drink his liquor (and that constituted the mystery in his case) dropped on his knees with a howl of rage and pain. One of the persons present had the sense to suggest electricity, and an investigation showed that he was right. A steel screw, from which depended an electric light, had been driven through the lath and plaster so far that it came in contact with an iron girder, and the men whose involuntary antics had suggested witchcraft had completed the circuit in their own persons by touching a metal post or the railing of the bar, both of which had metallic connection with the girder.

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ROOM REN IN WINNIPEG

A Wonderful Falling off in Prices.

From the Winnipeg Sun.

The renting of rooms, furnished or unfurnished" is a great business in Winnipeg, where in order to moderate the inordinate rents, almost every person is glad to supplement their income by this means. But of late there has been a great falling off in the demand, or perhaps more strictly, the supply has increased out of all proportion to it. During the glorious "boom" days furnished rooms were readily let for from $20 to $30 per month, which now from $10 to $15 appears to be the ruling price. On some streets every other house contains an intimation that rooms are to rent, and it is quite evident that many vacancies must exist. One widow lady, who has a large house in a central position for which she pays $60 per month rent, informed a Sun reporter recently that out of five best rooms which she has been in the habit of renting, only one is at present occupied, and that but temporarily. Another lady stated that she had but one room out of six rented. "I have plenty of spare time," said "but unless I have a saving over room, which would take off the profit away, I cannot rent them. Lodging men were not quite so particular, and were glad to take what they could get, but now it is different." Yes, that is the trouble. Now it is different. Many new houses have been put up, many more rooms are to be let, and what was once counted upon as a pretty certain source of income is now becoming a very precarious one. And this presents another phase of the question. How are people who have been depending upon the rentals of their rooms to meet the monthly call of the landlord, to get along? Will their inability lead to "evictions," or will there be a demand for "fair rents," which the grasping will not be able to understand? "Down with the rents!" promises soon to become a popular cry in Winnipeg.

The Count Andrassy's Loss

At a recent dinner party given by the emperor of Austria, some of Count Andrassy's friends were condoling with him upon the recent theft of all his chivalric insignia. The count had just observed that few people could realize how many vexatious troubles were inflicted by such a robbery upon its victim, when the emperor joined the group that had gathered around the ex premier, saying: "I can very well imagine how desperate the count must have felt when he was informed of what had taken place. Moreover, I know what was the real cause of his despair. But I shall not reveal it unless I have his promise not to take me dead sure in evil part." Of course Count Andrassy protested that "he could not but learn with respectful gratitude whatsoever his majesty had been pleased to discover." Whereupon the emperor continued: "What really drove the count beside himself when he was appraised of the robbery was his inner consciousness that he did not in the least know whatorders or how many he was possessed of, and, therefore, could not venture to make the declaration required by the police in such cases specifically describing the property stolen from him." Turning toward Andrassy, his majesty laughingly enquired, "Am I not in the right?" "You are, sire," replied the Magyar statesman with a profound bow; "in this case my chief annoyance has resulted from an embarras de richesses."

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