THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Higher-Live Stock Mar-kets-The Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 9. Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 4d to 4d lower than yesterday, and corn futures unchanged to 5d bigher.
At Chicago: May wheat closed 4c higher than yesterday, May corn 4c higher and May oats 4cchigher.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS. Winnipeg — Futures closed yesterday: Jan. 72c bid, May 75%c bid, July 75%c

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May.	July
New York 82	817
Detroit 801/4	779
Toledo 78%	77%
St. Louis 75	744
Minneapolis 77%	785
Duluth 78	791
TORONTO GRAIN MARKET	

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	Wheat, goose, bush 0 65		0 66	
	Wheat, fall, bush 0 72		0 73	
	Wheat, red, bush 0 73			
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	Barley, bush, 0 54		0 55	
	Oats, bush, new 0 40			
	Buckwheat, bush, 0 55			

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE Liverpool, Jan. 9.—Wheat, spot. firm; futures, steady. March, 6s 3%d; May. 6s 3%d; July, 5s 11%d. Corn, spot, steady; American mixed, new, 4s 3%d; American mixed, old, 4s 4%d; futures, steady; Jan. 4s 1%d; March, 4s %d. Hams, short cut, firm, 60s, Bacon, cumberland cut, dull, 52s. Lard, prime western, dull. 46s; American refined, steady, 47s 9d. Turpentine spirits, strong, 51s 6d. NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

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New York, Jan. 9.—Butter dull, unchanged; receipts 5855.

Cheese steady, unchanged; receipts 1005.

Eggs firmer; state. Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white 30c, do. choice 27c to 29c, mixed extra 28c, western firsts 25c to 26c (official price, firsts 25c), seconds 23c to 24c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Hogs Weak and Lower at Chicago.

London, Jan. 9.—Liverpool and London cables are higher at 11c to 13c per 1b, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quotestee to 5% per 1b.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—Receipts were 500 cat-tle, 1000 hogs, 50 sheep and lambs, 25 calves. There continues to be a strong undertone to the market for hogs and prices scored another advance of 10 cents per 100 lbs.

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The demand from packers was keen owing to the fact that they were short of supplies and this, coupled with the very small arrivals of country dressed hogs, added further strength to the already strong situation, and sales of selected lots were made at \$7 to \$7.10 per 100 lbs weighed off cars. In addition to the above receipts noted, there were 15 carloads of cattle, sheep and hogs, which were delayed on the road, and were not expected to reach the market until some time in the afternoon There were no prime beeves on the market and the best price for pretty good cattle was 4½c per 10, and from that down to 1½c for the leanest cows, of which there were a considerable number.

Sheep, sold at 4ck, to 44c, tember 18

Sheep sold at 4c1/4 to 41/2c; lambs at The drovers whose cattle were delayed were loud to their complaints about the dilatoriress of the railway officials in not forwarding the live stock to the market.

with greater despatch.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.
East Buffalo, Jan. 9.—Cattle—Firm;
prices unchanged.

Veals—Recelpts, 150 head; active and
25c higher; \$4,25 to \$8.75.

Hogs—Recelpts, 6800 head; fairly active and 5c to 10c lower; heavy and mixed,
\$8.70; rorkers, \$8,70 to \$6.75; plgs, \$8,75

to \$6.85; roughs, \$5.75 to \$6; stags, \$4.25

to \$5.

Sheep and lambs—Recelpts, \$800 head;
slow; sheep, steady; lambs, 10c lower;
lambs, \$5 to \$8; yearliser, \$6.00 to \$8.80;
wethers, \$6.25 to \$5.75; swes, \$4.75 to \$8.25;
sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$5.50,

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK

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New York, Jan. 9.—Beeves—Receipts,
1687. Steers 10c to 15c lower; bulls,
steady to 10c off; bologna cows, steady;
others slow to easier. Steers, \$4.50 to
\$5.90; stags and oxen, \$2.25 to \$5; bulls,
\$3.25 to \$4.40; cows, \$1.50 to \$4.25. Exports to-day, 135 cattle and 2800 quarters
of beef; to-morrow, 100 cattle.
Calves—Receipts, 1802. Veals, steady to
strong; barnyard calves, firm; westerns,
steady. Veals, \$4.50 to \$10; culls, \$4.50 to
\$5; barnyard calves, \$8.75 to \$4; westerns
\$4.25.

\$4.20.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5952; market, steady. Sheep, \$4 to \$5.75; outside
figures for western wethers; lambs, \$8
to \$8.50; culls, \$5.

Hogs—Receipts, 9387. Feeling steady.
Good heavy to light hogs \$6.85 to \$7.10, CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

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Chicago, Jan. 9.—Cattle—Receipts about 22,000; market steady to strong; common to prime shipping steers, \$4 to \$7; cows, \$2.75 to \$4.50; calves, \$2.75 to \$8.50; subckers and feeders, \$2.90 to \$5; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.50; calves, \$2.75 to \$8.50; subckers and feeders, \$2.90 to \$4.90.

Hogs—Receipts about 35,000; market five cents lower; choice shipping hogs \$6.45 to \$6.50; butchers' weights, \$6.40 to \$6.50; butchers' weights, \$6.40 to \$6.50; butchers' weights, \$6.40 to \$6.50; butk of sales, \$6.87½ to \$6.40.

Sheep-Receipts about 22,000; market strong to 10 cents higher; sheep, \$3 to \$6.65; yearlings, \$4.60 to \$6.50; lambs, \$5.75

AN ENGINEER'S HEROISM.

Driven From Lecometive By Explesion, Risks Life in Stepping Train.

Boone, Iowa, Jan. 10.—After running for several miles at high speed with an engine out of control, by the blowing out of a "stud" in its boiler, the Chicago and Northwestern fast mail train No. 10 was barely saved from destruction near here Tuesday night by the heroism of Engineer Louis Shull.

Shull was driven from his cab by the scalding vapors and boiling waters. Realizing that he could not reach the throttle, he climbed over the tender to the express car and hammered on the door.

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The express messenger, fearing robbers, refused him admission at first, but when he finally opened the door, he aimed two revolvers at Shull's head.

head.

The engineer, bleeding and exhausted, dragged himself into the car and with his remaining strength pulled the rope connecting the air brakes, stopping the train.

Three Dead In Explosion.

Pittsburg, Jan. 10.—As a result of an explosion of a furnace at the Eliza furnace of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Works last night, three are known to be dead, seven in the hospital with serious burns and injuries and 24 are missing. The explosion was caused by an accumulation of gas at the base of the furnace, around which 35 men were working. Of all these but one man escaped injury.

EASTERN DAIRYMEN.

President Derbyshire Raviews Year's Work in Butter and Cheese.

Work in Butter and Cheese.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—The Eastern Onfario Dairymen's Association opened
yesterday morning, D. Derbyshire,
M.P., president, in the chair.

In his annual address Mr. Derby-

In his annual address Mr. Derbyshire pointed out that during last year there was not as much milk produced as in 1905 owing to the shortage of pastures, but in view of all the educational advantages within the reach of dairymen better results should have been obtained.

The quantity of cheese made was about 100,000, but the exports of butter had fallen behind to the extent of about 180,000 packages. The estimated value of cheese, butter and bacon exports was \$46,500,000, and adding to this sum the domestic consumption of these articles in would give a total value of \$101,000,000. This was about \$6,000,000 in excess of the was about \$6,000,000 in excess of the

year previous.

At a largely attended meeting of the citizens in the evening, the address of welcome was given by Earl Grey, who complimented the dairymen upon their growing importance to the life of Canada.

Addresses were delivered by Hon. Sydney Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture; Hon. Nelson Monteith, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, the mayor of Ottawa and others.

TO PREVENT BRONCHITIS or CONSUMPTION

Do not neglect a cold or cough no matter how slight as the irritation spreading throughout the delicate lining of the sensi-tive air passages sooner or later will lead to ratal results. If on the first appearance of a cough er cold you would take a few desce of

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

you would saye yourself a great deal of un-necessary suffering.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup contains all the lung healing virtues of the pine tree combined with Wild Cherry Bark and other pectoral remedies.

Decorar remedies.

It stimulates the weakened bronchial organs, allays irritation and subdues inflammation, soothes and heals the irritated parts, loosens the phlegm and mucous, and aids nature to easily disledge the morbid accumulations.

Miss Belle Campbell, Long River, P.E.I., writes: "For some time I was troubled with bronchitis. A friend advised me to try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. So I procured three bottles but it only took two tecure me."

Be careful when marchesing to the state of the sta

Be careful when purchasing to see that you get the gennine Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark and the price 23 cents at all dealers.

POWER CONTRACTS.

Two Forms to Br Prepared-Figures

Two Forms to Br Prepared—Figures of Quantity Awaited.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—The Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission had a meeting yesterday, when a number of routine matters arising out of Monday's vote were considered.

The form of contract being prepared by A. F. Lobb, solicitor to the commission, was fully discussed.

As a matter of fact, two forms of contract will be used. One of these will be for power for a price at the 'falls, stepped-up, ready for transmission, plus cost of delivery. Such a contract almost necessarily involves Government control of transmission lines.

A second form of contract, which would also be applicable for districts outside the Niagara distributing area, would be for a straight delivery price to municipalities.

As soon as municipalities are able to state the probable amount of power they are likely to require, the flecessary figures can be embodied in the contracts.

contracts.

The commission will at once continue negotiations for the supply of power with the various power companies developing power at the Falls.

WEAK HEART SYSTEM WAS RUN DOWN

When the heart is healthy and performing its fuctions naturally, it should beat regularly seventy-two times a minute without causing its owner the slightest inconvenience or distress.

When it begins to beat irregularly or attermittently, palpitate and throb, skip eats, beat fast for a time, then so slow as to seem almost to stop, it causes great anxiety and alarm.

The least excitement or exertion seems to affect it.

Many people are kept in a state of morbid fear of death, become weak, worn and miserable, and are unable to attend to either social or business duties, through unnatural action of their heart. To all such sufferers

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

ean give prompt and permanent relief, Mrs. F. Fletchee, Sault Ste. Marie, West, Out., says: "I have been troubled for four or five years with weakness, and run down system. My feet were always cold and I felt almost dead. My heart was weak and I was so nervous I could hardly walk across the street. I started taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and after using three boxes I felt much better. I continued their use until I had taken twelve boxes and I am new well."

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Price 50 cents per bex or 3 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Teronto, Ont.

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Belleville, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Benjamin Reed, an old lady of this city, fell and broke her hip on Dec. 23. Owing to her advanced age, she being 83, the injury proved fatal, and she died Tuesday night.

Great privileges never go save in sompany with great responsibilities.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphther-

KERR LAKE SOLD.

Government Gets \$178,500 Bonus and Ten Per Cent. of the Output, Latter a New Stipulation.

onto, Jan. 10.-Kerr Lake Toronto, Jan. 10.—Kerr Lake was sold by tender yesterday to the highest of seven bidders, the tender being for \$178,500 bonus in addition to 10 per cent. of the output of the mine. In the first tendering the highest bid was \$51,500, so that the Government is \$127,000 to the good, besides the 10 per cent. royalty, which is a new condition.

The successful tender was signed by Charles Edward Potter of the City Dairy Co., and A. G. F. Ross, King Edward Hotel. A marked cheque for \$17,350 accompanied the tender, and the balance of the amount is payable within 15 days.

The other tenders were for \$176,000, \$132,000, \$122,200, \$105,050, \$101,500, \$23,000.

\$23,000.

The sale does not include the whole of the lake, but only about 23 acres.

Meanwhile the Cobalt Lake Mining
Co. yesterday formally took over their
property,

BARONESS COUTTS' WILL

All Her Controllable Property Left at

Disposal of Husband London, Jan. 10.—The late Baroness Burdett-Coutts by her will, which was signed in 1888, left all the property at her disposal to her husband, who is her sole executor.

Under the will of the late Duchess of St. Albays the beautrest.

Onder the will of the late Duchess of St. Albans, the baroness was only entitled to the income of the trust estate, but had no power over the capital of the estate, which now passes to Francis Coutts.

On her marriage the late baroness, in order to avoid litigation, effected a compromise with the successful.

a compromise with the successors under the duchess' will by which she surrendered a large portion of the income from the trust estate and at various times since she conveyed almost all her real property to her husband, William Lehman Ashmead Bartlett Burdett-Coutts.

RAILWAY TAXATION.

Amounts to Eight Cents Per Head or 1901 Census Population.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—Eight cents a head on the census population of 1901 is the ratio of railway taxation to be paid by the province to the municipalities under the act of last session of the Legislature.

For each propaging patient in any

For each non-paying patient in any asylum the municipality to which such patient belongs will contribute from this allowance ten cents a day. The amount collected from the steam railways was \$375,689 for 1906, as against \$191,990 for 1905. For the expenses of the railway heard \$30,000 is penses of the railway board \$30,000 is deducted, and half of the balance of \$172,844 will be distributed as above stated. The province retains the rest.

twice as much as formerly REGISTER ALL FIRES

The municipalities will receive about

Underwriters' Deputation Waits en Government With That Request. Toronto, Jan. 10.—Statutory registration of all fires occurring in the province was the request of the Mutual Fire Underwriters' Association, preferred to the Government yesterday. A deputation presented the question as the result of action taken at the last annual meeting.

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J. J. Craig, M.P.P., East Wellington, introduced the gentlemen: D. D. Yorke, Harrietsville; J. W. McKendrick, Galt; James McEwing, Drayton; George Kay, Stratford; J. Beattie, Fergus; Hugh Black, Rockwood.

Consideration was promised.

STRIKERS DESTROY PROPERTY

\$1,500,000 Damage Done by Mexicans
—Troops In Pursuit.

City of Mexico, Jan. 10.—A telegram from Orizaba received Tuesday night says that the value of the property destroyed by the strikers totals \$1,500,000.

The strikers who have access \$1,500,000.

The strikers, who have escaped the soldiers, have fled to the nearby mountains, and are being sought by gendarmes and troops.

So far as known none of the 28,000 textile strikers has returned to work. The factory owners announce their ntention to open up all the mills to

Woman Abducts Child.
Sarnia, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Rose Cleveland, aged 39, was arrested as she was hurrying to the American border with her 6-year-old child, and brought back here, where she will be held on a charge of adaction. After kidnapping her child from the orphan asylum, where it had been placed by its father some months ago, she hurried father some months ago, she hurried to Port Huron. An officer stopped her as she was about to walk from the boat.

Agree to 8-Heur Day,
Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—An agreement has been reached between the executive of the United Typothetae of America and the executive council of the International Pressmen and Assistants' Union, renewing their present contract for five years. The typothetae agrees to grant the eight-hour day, beginning Jan. 1, 1909.

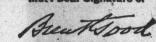
Menelik's Heir.
Berne, Switzerland, Jan. 10.—Ilg, the Prime Minister of King Menelik of Abyssinia, said in an interview yesterday that King Menelik's grandson, Litsch Jasu, the son of Menelik's daughter, Zeodita, has been declared heir to the Abyssinian throne. Dies From Fall.

Premier Scott Out of Danger, Regina, Sask., Jan. 10.—The im-provement of Premier Scott continues, and he is now practically out of dan-

ABSOLUTE SECURITY

Genuine

Carter's Little Liver Pills.



See Pac-Simile Wrapper Below

ery small and as oas; CARTER'S FOR HEADACHE. FOR BILIOUSNESS. FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION

Price Purely Vegetable. QURE SICK HEADACHE.

A Slight Omission

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Rev. Dr. Thomas, for many years the popular pastor of Jarvis Street Baptist church, was noted for his absent-mindedness. On one occasion a young couple came to him to be married, and the groom stated that they wanted to catch an early train.

"I'll' help things along by filling in the papers now," said the genial preacher, and in a short time everything in that line was signed, sealed, and delivered.

"Now," said Dr. Thomas, as he

and delivered.
"Now," said Dr. Thomas, as he beamed on the pair, "I guess it will take you nearly all your time to catch that train."

The bride whispered to the groom.

The bride whispered to the groom, who at once brought the parson to time by saying: "Say, Doctor, isn't there something in this here wedding business about taking this here wedding business about taking this here wedding husiness about taking this here wedding business about taking this here wedding business about taking this here wend in this here woman, until death parts, and all that sort of thing?"

"You're right," said the preacher, excitedly, "why, I haven't married you yet. Stand right up again." And in a short but effective ceremony he fastened the tie that made the pair one, and the happy couple caught their train.—Toronto Saturday Night.

If you are Con tipated, dull, or bilious, or have a sallow, lifeless complexion, try Lax-ets just once to see what they will do for you. Laxeta reliate toothsome camby tablet—nice to cut, nice in effect. No griping, no pain. Just a gentle laxative effect that is pleasingly desirable, Humdy for the vest pocket or pursal Lax-ets meet every desired Lax-ets come to you in beautiful lithographed metal boxes at 5 cents and 25 cents.

Sold by C. H. Gunn & Co.

Skittish Cab Horses It has been repeatedly noticed of late that the London cab-horse is becoming more and more restive. Even the most emaciated mass of skin and bone is showing "blood," and as for the well-set-up hansom horse, "there's no 'oldin' 'im," to use the driver's language.

language.
"Slackness of trade; that's what it "Slackness of trade; that's what it is," said a well-known London cabman in answer to an inquiry as to the reason for this. A suggestion that it was due to the nerve-destroying effects of motor traffic was scouted. "Motor 'busses and motor-cabs are at the bottom of the trouble," answered the cabman, "but in a different way. They are taking a great deal of

swered the cabman, but in a different way. They are taking a great deal of our trade, and the consequence is that our horses do not get the amount of work that used to be their share, or work that used to be their share, nor sufficient exercise to keep them 'under'." Their increasing "skittishness" is becoming quite one of the grave dangers of London's streets.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription,
Is not a secret or patent medicine, against which the most intelligent people are quite naturally averse because of the uncertainty as to their harmless character, but is a medicine ov RNOWN controstruct, a full list of all its ingredients being printed, the plote English, on every bottle wrapper. An examination of this list of ingredients will disclose the fact that it is non-alcoholic in its composition, chemically pure glycerine taking the place of the commonly used alcohol, in its makenp. The "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce is in fact the only medicine put up for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and silments, sold through druggists, that does not contain alcohol and that the calcure quantities. Furthermore, it is the only medicine for woman's special diseases, the ingredients of which have the unanimous endorsement of all the several schools of practice, and that too as remedies for the aliments for which "Favorite Prescription" is recommended.

A little book of some of these endorsements will be sent to any address, postpaid, and absolutely free if you request same by postal card or letter, of Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Don't forget that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and delicate aliments, is not a patent or secretimedicine, being the "Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and tellicate aliments, is not a patent or secretimedicine, being the "Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and tellicate aliments, is not a patent or secretimedicine, being the "Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and tellicate aliments, is not a patent or secretimedicine, being the "Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and tellicate aliments, is not a patent or secretimedicine, being the "Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and tellicate aliments, is not a patent or secretimedicine, being the "Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and tellicate aliments, is not a patent or secretimedicine, being the Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

LAW OF WORK AND REST.

Dr. Charles Fere Declares That It Is Not At All Right to Keep On Working When Tired.

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Everybody who is active expects to get tired. It is all right to be very tired, but it is not all right to keep on working when tired, says Dr. Charles Fere in the Paris Scientific Review. The regulation of work so as to postpone fatigue is the real "labor question," declares the scientist, arguing as follows:

"The daily repetition of fatigue does not leave workers time to forget their work. Fatigue does not improve the judgment; it even clearly causes consciousness to deteriorate and diminishes sensibility in all its forms except sensitiveness to pain. Even thought cannot take place without motion or without fatigue. Imagination necessitates work, and we cannot doubt that the attention necessary for precision requires a muscular strain that causes fatigue. Absence of callosities on the hands is no sign of unfamiliarity with work.

"Fatigue is nearly allied to pain. This relationship, even if vague, makes the study of labor valuable and interesting to physiologists and physicians, whose business it is to assuage pain."

Dr. Fere says that the alleviation of fatigue by stimulants is always deceptive. Stimulants hasten fatigue and aggravate it, although this result is not detected on account of the brief access of activity which they induce. Some one has put the doctor's thesis on excessive fatigue in this way: "Two tireds make one sick." This authority would have mankind stop short of getting really tired at all. He recognizes that work without fatigue is an impossibility, but it is wrong to continue work until one is too tired to go on. Fatigue is not to be suppressed, but postponed until the hour for rest arrives. This can be done by regulating movements. Fatigue from delicate work is hardest to repair. Waiting is a form of attention and produces fatigue. Any excitement hastens fatigue. As fatigue increases the laborer becomes less conscious of its progress and allows his energy to run on to exhaustion.

On the other hand, rest may be so regulated as to repair

naustion of physical substance by exertion. Mere change of work, Dr. Fere says, is not equivalent to rest. It merely hides fatigue instead of lessening it; also enforced rest or rest badly taken involves added fatigue. Science knows for a fact that a night's rest restores a fabric in part destroyed by the previous day's labor. This daily wearing down and building up is the whole of the process of fatigue and rest. So thoroughly convinced on this point are the scientists that they are experimenting with antidotes for this fatigue toxin or fatigue poison which they believe circulates through the body as a result of prolonged muscular activity. The fatigue poisons disappear of themselves when the muscles are given rest. It is thought that this disappearance may be due to chemical change, and to bring this about artificially while the muscular activity continues will be the role of the antifatigue toxin if the hopes of its discoverer are realized.

Color of Eggs.

There is no constant relation between the color of the shell and the composition of the egg, although there is a popular belief in some localities that the dark shelled eggs are richer. The color of the shell has, however, an effect upon market value, the brown shelled eggs bringing the higher price, for instance, in the Boston market and white shelled eggs, in the New York market.

Of common breeds Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Cochins, Brahmas and Langshans, among others, lay brown shelled eggs.

At the Maine experiment station breeding experiments with Wyandottes and Plymouth Rocks have been carried on for a number of years for the purpose of establishing strains with highly developed laying qualities. The recorded data show that, though both breeds lay tinted eggs, the depth of color varies decidedly with individual birds in the case of each breed. By careful selection of breeding stock, therefore, it should be possible to control the color of the eggshell to a great extent, so that it may be made to meet any market demand.

A story is told of Sir Alfred Hors-ford, who believed in a celibate army. A soldier once sought his permission to marry, saying he had two good conduct badges and \$25 in the sav-

to marry, saying he has conduct badges and \$25 in the savings bank.

"Well, go away," said Sir Alfred, "and if you come back this day year in the same mind you shall marry. I'll keep the vacaney."

On the anniversary the soldier research his request.

peated his request.
"But do you really, after a year, want to marry?"
"Yes, sir, very much."
"Sergeant-major, take his name
down. Yes, you may marry. I never
believed there was so much constancy want to marry?'

in man or woman. Right face; quick As the man left the room, turning his head, he said:
"Thank you, sir; it isn't the same

Switzerland's "White Coal."

This term-in French, houille

woman.'

This term—in French, houille blanche—refers not to a mineral dug from the earth like ordinary coal, but to the gleaming glaciers and foaming torrents of the mountains, which supply energy by the descent of their waters under the force of gravitation as effectively as coal supplies it by undergoing the process of burning. From coal steam is derived, from waterfalls electric power. At present Switzerland derives 300,000 horsepower from its streams. But this is only a fraction of the power available, and the federal government is about to refer to a formal vote of the Swiss people the question of how best to utilize this store of power, whose symbol glitters on the snow crowned peaks, whether through exploitation by the state or through private enterprise.

THE DISCOVERER

Of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the Great Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills.



No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread an No other resident notation in the state of such a record of cures of female troubles or such costs of grateful friends as has

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It will entirely cure the worst forms of Female Complaints, Inflammation and Ilceration. Falling and Displacement, and consequent Spinal Weakness, and is seculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

It has cured more cases of Backache and Local Weaknesses, than any other emedy the world has ever known. It is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves no expels tumors in an early stage of development.

Irregular, Suppressed or Painful Periods, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Stoating, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility quickly yield to it. Deranged organs causing pain, weight and backache, instantly relieved and termanently cured by its use. Under all circumstances it invigorates the female

ystem.

It quickly removes that bearing-down feeling, extreme lassitude, "don't-care" in "want-to-be-left-alone" feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousness, dizziness, aintness, sleeplessness, flatulancy, melancholy or the "blues" and headache. These are sure indications of Female Weakness, or some derangement of the organs which this medicine surely cures. Cironic Kidney Complaints and Backache, feither sex, the Vegetable Compound cures.

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred housand times, for they get what they want—a cure. Sold by Druggists verywhere. Refuse all substitutes.

District.

BALDOON.

Mr. and Mrs. Parish have returned after spending Christmas in Indiana.

Mr. J. Longmore and R. Terry were

The Ladies Aid of Grace Methodist church, Baldoon, intend having a clothes peg social in the half on Jan. 16th.

home from Tennessee

Mr. Robert Kennedy has returned

Mr. James Jackson spent New Year's in Mooretown. Miss St. Clair is away spending her holidays.

Mr. Ernest and Albert Mills have

Dover visitors Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McNairnie and daughter, of Detroit, spent Christmas with their parents here.

Miss Mtta Jackson spent New Year's in Wallaceburg.

Mr. Ernest and Albert Mills have returned to Ditroit.

Mr. Bert and George Jackson have the job of cutting wood for John Garnier.

The roads are very bad. The roads are very bad.

Gray's Syrup Red Spruce Gum For Coughs and Colds.

GUILDS

Sidney Walker, of Toledo, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Burchiel, for a few days last week.

S. B. Brown, of Michigan, is visiting relatives here.

Omar Cumming, of Toronto, spent his holidays here with his parents.

Robt. Keown spent Sunday in the neighborhood.

The Suitor—What are all those men's photos for f

Will Flemington, of Windsor, is be guest of his sister, Mrs. Leslie

John Bentley spent Sunday in the Sunday in Bentley spent Sunday in Kingsville the guest of his sister, Mrs. S. Gosnell.

The roads are in very bad shape again.

Lcts of reople are sure they are right, but don't go ahead.

First Rule health?" Nine doctors out of ten will quickly reply, "Keep the bowels regular." While you are about it, ask him another question, "What do you think of Ayer's Pills for constitution?" We are willing to trust him. Are you?

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