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Ski-ing, queen of national sport, is at its zenith in Norway. The country at its best is a desolate part of the earth in winter, and were it not for some such health-ful, inspiring, invigorating and exhilarating pastime as that provided by the great outdoor game of the Norwegian, there would not be much in life for the inhabitants of that northern land.

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ful practicing of the novel sport are; snow that lies deep, crisp and firm; a cold, frosty air, and a wholesome appetite for outdoor recreation. When the time for ski-ing is ripe Norway turns out in counties, in villages and in clubs. Only those who have seen a grand ski-ing celebration can realize the enjoyment of participating in this amusement, and feeding one's system on the pure, frosty and invigorating air. Sleighing, skating or tobogganing have their own peculiar charms, but none at its best begins to compare with ski-ing. Christiania has come to be recognized as the great center for this winter recreation, and Holmenkollen, one of the great heights in the vicinity of the city, is the ski-ing headquarters. Here all the great competitions are held, and in the presence of thousands of enthusiastic spectators, and attended by the greatest amount of excitement seen at any public event in the world, is held the big meeting of skilled ski-iers which has come to be known as the "Derby of Norway."

The hill on which the great event is held looks so formidable that to one unacquainted with the skill of the Norwerians at their great national sport, it so formidable that to one undiwith the skill of the Norwe would seem as it issuescent many companied by the loss of life, or at least by the breaking of limbs. Both its height and steepness, however, are greatly exag-



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neck speed.

It need hardly be said that it requires It need hardly be said that it requires nerves of steel, as well as wonderful skill, to shoot down such a declivity and to take the mighty leap from the platform. It must be remembered that in a leap of sixty feet, the sheer fall is about thirty feet. It is in the taking of this leap that the most exciting part of the performance is exhibited, and ori which the applause of the spectators is concentrated. The greater the leap the more applause and honor for the ski-ler. The record leap, until recently, was 87 feet, which was made by a daring youth at one of the Holmenkollen meetings. This record was eaten, in a manner that drove the spec

made by a daring youth at one of the Holmenkollen meetings. This record was beaten, in a manner that drove the spectators wild with enthusiasm, by the queen of ski-iers, Miss Freda Knagen, a brunette beauty of Christiania, who has well won her royal title. This lithe limbed and athlete beauty has distanced all competitors in the thrilling silde down the hill, and in the leap has left every one far behind. The women have never been able to come anywhere near her record leap, and the best jump to the credit of a man is so far short of hers as to make it almost hopeless to beat her.

Usually the sexes are divided in the competitions, but this year a change was made in the rules of the game, by which it was arranged for men and women to take the slide in competition. The result has shown the wisdom of the move.

Miss Freda Knagen, when making her second great jump, came down the hill-side with the speed and grace of a bird on the wing, darted from the platform far in advance of the nearest ski-ier, and, to the astonishment of the people of Christiania, almost every man, woman and child of whom had assembled to witness the sport. Freda sailed out into space, and landed gracefully on her feet, swith a successful bound of 103½ feet to he credit, which figure scands to-day as the record jump of ski-ing in Christiania. After her great feat, Miss Knagen became the heroine des Christiania. By no other means could she have won so much honer. She has been feet and flattered enough to turn the head of a woman who was not born to receive laurel wreaths.

The healthful effect of ski-ing is to hear with the stronger sex the delights of the great national game.

share with the stronger sex the delights of the great national game. Married on Thirty Minutes' Courtship

"You may talk about your brief courtships and marriages on short no-tice," said Captain Arm Cardwell once, tice," said Captain Arm Cardwell once,
"but I think I once witnessed the quickest made match on record. I was running as a conductor between Russellville and Owensboro, as I did for many
years, and on a trip in the winter of
1881 I got a pretty country girl passenger at a little flag station south of Central City about 9:45 a. m. A few miles
farther on at another small station a
big strapping looking farmer, dressed
in brown jeans, with his trousers tucked in his tall boots, got on my train.
The fellow hadn't opened the car door How Many a Poor Dyspeptic Has the Same Wail I—But South American Nervine Gives a New Lease of Life.

Mrs Mary A. Sinnott, of Penetanguishene, writes: "I was a great sufferer for over four years from dyspensia".

in prown jeans, with his trousers tucked in his tall boots, got on my train. The fellow hadn't opened the car door till he spied the rustic lass, and before he took his seat in front of the girl he had smiled at her.

"I punched his ticket, went in the smoking car, and on my return to the regular passenger coach found the Green river tiller of the soil sitting in the same seat with the maiden, chatting with her as if he had known her since birth. In 25 minutes after they had first met the fellow called me to him and said: 'See here, podner, we want to get hitched. I hain't knowed Mirinda. Jane here but 30 minutes, but we both like, an she's willin an so'm I. Whar's the nighest parson, podner?" I took mon to Owensboro, and the happy pridegroom and his blushing other half were passengers back on my train that was to get him and basswood logs. Must be free from knots and shakes em on to Owensboro, and the happy ridegroom and his blushing other half were passengers back on my train that afternoon. For hurry up nuptials it does strike me that these ought to have the cake and other special prizes offered.

S. Y. Bullis will pay the highest price for ash, elm, and basswood logs. Must be free from knots and shakes and cut 12 feet long, to be delivered at his sawmill near the station, 2nd

The Golden Klondike.

SKAGWAY, Dec. 12th, 1897.

DEAR SIRS,—My object in writing this letter is to give a word of advice to those who contemplate going to the Yukon gold fields. For ten years I have followed the occupation of prospecting, timber estimating and mining, and the hardships and privations which one has to undergo, are enough to wreak the strongest constitution. In the spring of 1897 I was stricken with pleurisy, as the result of exposure. I recovered from this but it left behind the seeds of the disease which manirecovered from this but it left behind the seeds of the disease which manifested themselves in the form of heart and kidney troubles. I managed to reach Vancouver, but did not have much hopes of recovery. I was advised however, to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and at first purchased but two boxe. Before these were gone I found beyond a doubt that they were helping me, and their continued use "put me on my feet again," to use a use "put me on my feet again," to use a common expression. I then engaged to go to the Yukon country and only those who have made the trip to Daw son City can form even the faintest con ception of the hardships that have to be borne in making the trip. Before starting I added to my outfit two dozen boxes of Dr. Williams Pink Pills and I can honestly say no part of my outfit proved of such invaluable service to me and I would strongly urge every man who goes in to take a supply with him, as he will find the need of a tonic and abuilder of the system on many occas as. I went in and returned to this place by the Dalton trail, which consists of 320 miles of Indian trail start ing at Pyramid Harbor. In going over the trail one has at times to wade over the trail one has at times to wade through mud more than a foot deep, and ford streams waist deep in ice cold waters, When I started for the Yuk on my weight was only 146 pounds, and I now weigh 169 pounds, thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills,

I am soon starting for another trip to Dawson by the same route. This time, however, the travelling will be on snowshoes, and you may depend upon it Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will again form part of my outfit.

I write this letter for the two fold

ourpose of letting you know what your medicine has done for me and arging those who go in to take a suppy with them. Every man, whether he is sick or well, who undertakes the trip to the Yukon will require somehing to brace him and keep his con stitution sound in that country. I may say that my home is at Copper Cliff, Ont., where my wife now resides.

Yours very truly,

B. B. Brown, Teache

III .- Olive Leeder, Maggie Ladd,

Hattie Leeder, Mamie Hunt, Fred Wight, *Bernard Cadwell.

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ams.

IV .-- Earl Armstrong, *Bernard

Sr. IV.—Bennie Leeder, Lizzie

Williams, Mamie Leeder, Gertrude Ladd, Lillie Hughes, Edwin Leeder,

*Mabel Shaver.
V.—Ray Williams, *Nora Leeder.

Pupils whose names are marked *

----"WISHED MYSELF DEAD"

M. Hogay, Teacher.

have not been present at all the ex

Honor Roll. Following is the honor roll of Wash-ourn's school for February : Sr. IV.-H. Coleman,

Whaley. Jr. IV.—Oscar Webster, John Moulton, Estella Loverin. Sr. II.—J. C. Churchill, Julia Washburn, Oscur Moulton, Wesley Stevens.

Jr. II.—Leonard Wright, Chas Yates.
I. Pt. II.—Ford Stevens.

Chas. Stavens, an old resident of the Corners, is going to run his farm himself this year. His femily will be welcomed to the community by all.

Despite the storm of last week, Robert John Earl made his regular trip over to New Royne. There must There's Delightful Relief in One or Two Doses of South American Rheumatic Cure he a magnet that draws, whether rain,

his place on a farm.

Mrs. Henry Horton is very ill.

An ther popular citizen is leaving in the person of Jack Church II. He has E. H. Norton, of Grimsby, Ont., says: I tried homeopathic and other remedies and was under medical atrented a farm at Hard Island,
Herbert Moulton fell and is jured
his thumb, b.th unjointing and break-

brook, so that during the spring freshets the pupils can come to school Leeder, Maggie Wight.

II.—Stanley Leeder, Arthur Ladd, Laurie Hughes, Lena Hunt, Ira Wight, Tommy Curtis, Willin Curtis.

Mr. Whitmarsh, domiciled at the Johnson House, is canvassing the farmers of Rear of Leeds and Lans. downe with a Klondyke mining scheme. His plan is to secure one bar dred farmers each of whom will give him \$5 With this \$500 he will proceed to the gold fields and stake claims. When he has accummulated a few thousand worth of gold nuggets, he will return and divide them among the farmers. He says he has a large number of names already.

Let Kelly has leased bis farm t

Mr. Wm. Grey of Oak Leaf and will retire to Athens. His mother, who has been ill for the last month, is steadily on the decline. - 4+1

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ore of Symptoms Tell the Victim That idney Disorders Have Fastened Them salves on Him—South American Kidney Cure is the Potent Remedy. A simple backache, or a litt'e pai in the kidney region may cause you no alarm, but it is one of the neverfailing signs of kidney di ease, and to neglect the war ing may mean the de p seeing of that most insidious disease which puts more people in an untimely-grave than all other causes combined. South American Kidney Cure relieves in six hours, and cares permanently, Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son

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WATTS-GRAY-At Athens, on WATTS—GRAY—At Athens, on the 24th of Tebruary, 1998, by the Rev. Wm. Wright, Rector. Mr. Frederick Watts, of Edwards, St. Law rence county, N. Y., to Miss than pict. Gray, of the Township of Lans. downe Bear.

Montreal Witness: Some pe

The Golden Klondike.

AN ENGENCIES THE OF GOLD SEEK.

Bome Sound Active from One Who Have the College of March 1st.

Some Sound Active from One Who Have the March 1st of the Knowledge of the State of the Knowledge of th Monday, Feb. 28.—Mr. Cadwell's steam mill will be running next week. Crows are quite plentiful around here.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sherman have returned home from Warburton.

Read Orderall of the case of required in such case. The total number of un egistered it tests posted in Canada during the Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sherman have returned home from Warburton,
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cadwell of Frankville are visiting friends here.
Mr. Byron Nash will return to the North-West the 1st of March. He says that it will be time to put in his control, uch as rai way accidents, fires,

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Mr. H. McConkey will return to bur laries, etc Rear Yonge & Escott Council.

the North-West in a few days.

Mr. Jas. Fitzpatrick will move to
Addison next week, where he will take The onneil met at the town hall, Atlans, on Morta , 21st of Feb., at one o'd nek. A Members all present.
Minutes of tast meeting were read,
approved and signed by reve and

English Jacobite Societies.

To judge from the list of Jacobite clubs and associations given in the "Legitimist Calendar For 1895," which includes the order of the White Roses, the Devon White Rose club, the Legitimist Calendar Political Company of the Calendar Political Calendar Political Calendar Calendar Political Calendar remedies and was under medical attendance for inflammatory rheumatism. None of them gave me any relief. My legs and arms were useless. I could do nothing for three weeks. I was confined to my bed and suffered agonies I was advised to try South American Rheumatic Cure. I felt benefit after two or three doses. Four bottles completely cured me, and I am as well as eyer I was. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son

Honor Roll.

Following is the honor roll for January for Ballycance school:

I.—Peter Curtis, Emma Hughes.
Pt. I.—Pearl Edgley, Hannah Leeder, Maggie Wight.

II.—Stanley Leeder, Arthur Ladd, put several hundred adherents in the field (or even Ludgate circus) if they so decide.—London Mail.

Bismarck of Jewish Descent Bismarck of Jewish Descent.'
Few people are aware that Prince
Bismarck is of Hebrew descent. He derives his Jewish blood from his mother,
whose father—Anastasius Menken, one
of the favorite bureaucrats of Frederick
the Great—was of Hebrew parentage.
Although of late it has evidently ap-Although or meet it may be a solution of the prince to countenance the anti-Semitic movement both in Germany and Austria, yet while in office he invariably showed himself a good friend to the Jewish nation and good friend to the sewish nation and chose the Hebrew banker at Berlin, Baron von Bleichroeder, as his most trusted confidant. Indeed, in those days he was so well disposed toward the Jows that he even discussed the advisability of marrying his sons to Jewesse on the ground that it would bring mon-ey into the family again and likewise "improve both morally and physically the Bismarck breed."—International Review.

"You and I must be related," said the baby's sweater to the monkey on a stick.

"How's that?" asked the monkey.
"We are both baby jumpers," said

the small sweater.

And the wax doll laughed until her complexion rolled down her cheeks.—

Harper's Bazar. Greece's national hymn, taken from

Dionis Salomo's "Hymn to Liberty, was first written and published in Lon-don. The first part of the original poem don. The first part of the original poem was a eulogy of the land of Washing-Adelina Patti has a superb collection adeima ratti has a superb collection of jewels, her diamonds alone being valued at \$375,000. She has sung before most of the royalties, most all of whom have made her presents of jewelry.

MANN AND M'KENZIE.



MR. D. D. MANN.

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MR. WILLIAM M'KENZIE.

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he has since achieved worldly success, he says he would always preserve and cherish the parting gift of his deceased parent. Mr. Mann subsequently went to Manitoba. He secured contracts on the Canadian Pacific Railway then building, and so successfully did he accomplish the work that long before the road was completed he became identified at various intervals with Messers. Holt and McKenzie in the completion of other contracts. He also built forty miles of the Hudson Bay Railway before undertaking the con-Bay Railway before undertaking the co struction of the Calgary and Edmonto Railway with Messrs. Ross and McKenzie Railway with Messrs. Ross and McKenzie.

Mr Mann has enormous mining interests in the Kootenay and Cariboo districts. He has always enjoyed the reputation of treating his employes with great liberality and consideration. Personally Mr. Mann is known for the modesty of his demeanor. He is a warm-hearted, whole souled individual, who, having fought an up-hill battle against odds, has started many others on the way to fame and fortune. He married Miss Williams of Winnipeg. After the completion of the C.P.R. he visited Chill with the object of building a Government road, but the restrictions were so irksome that he abandoned the project and returned to Canada.

KLONDIKE CHANCES. Map Which Shows That Nearly All of the Most Promising Claims Have Been Located.

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Kiondike to the north of The Dome are Bonanza. Croek, furthest. west; Bear Creek, Hunker Creek and Too Much Gold Creek. Bonanza Creek is about twenty-five miles long, counting all the various windings, and is practically all located, there being 100 claims below the discovery claim and 138 above it. From the west there flow into Bonanza Creek, Boulder Creek and Eldoradd Creek. Boulder Creek and Eldoradd Creek, Boulder Creek and Adams Creek have been very thoroughly prospected, and so, in fact, has Eldoradde Creek, although only ten claims have been recorded on Eldorado Creek. The richest claims in the Klondike district are just at the junction of Eldorado and Bonanza creeks.

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Bear Creek, east of the Bonanza, is all located. Between Bear Creek and Hunker, Twelve-Mile Creek flows into the Klondike from the north. That, too, is all located. On the Hunker Creek the discovery is about fifteen miles up from the mouth. From the west Last Chance Creek, which is little better than a gulch, and Gold Bottom Creek flow into Hunker. Both are located. Too Much Gold Creek, east of Hunker, is said to be all located.

The streams that flow south from The

Creek, east of Hunker, is said to be all located.

The streams that flow south from The Dome into Indian River are Quartz Creek, furthest west; No Name Creek, and Dominion Creek.

One of the last parties that came out from Dawson to Juneau reported that the mother lode has been discovered, but it is doubtful if subsequent discovery bears out this information. It is a fact that quartz in very rich quantities has been discovered in several places. Frank Slavin, the puglilst, made the discovery first, while prospecting on The Dome. He had been influenced by the fact that upon the side hills of the creeks small specimens of quartz and nuggets in profusion had been found. He prospected in the vicinity of The Dome, and followed up indications of quartz for miles. He had prospected in Australia, and was familiar with the indications for quartz. Finally, on The Dome, he uncovered a vein eighteen inches wide of white quartz heavy with gold.

gold. Within twenty-four hours it was report

The newest use of the bicycle is a surveying machine. Not merely a machine to carry a surveyor from point to point, but as a machine which performs in itself the mechanical part of the surveyor's work. The army of the neighboring republic is considering the advisability of adopting this machine as an adjunct to tactics. By means of an attachment the exact topographical characteristics of a road may be ascertained, with no other exertion on the part of the surveyor except a ride along the road in question. The rider may travel as fast as he likes or as slow as he likes, but when he has The futer may wards or as slow as he likes, but when he has finished his trip, every gradient, hill or hollow will have been accurately marked off on a long strip of paper, which is part of the attachment in question. On the of the attachment in question. On the strip of paper the exact height of the hills and depth of the hollows are indicated. The mechanism is simple in the extreme;



The accompanying map shows the situation in the Klondike district on the Yukon accurately, according to the latest information which has come up from the interior of the great Alaska mining district by way of Dyca and Juneau, up to the middle of last month. The map is taken from the Alaska Mining Record, printed at Juneau, which is a good authority on all matters pertaining to placer mining in the Yukon district.

The first discovery of gold in any paying quantities was made on Bonanza. Creek. There are several stories about how the gold was first discovered, no two of which agree. William Oglivie, the Surveyor General of the Dominion, is authority for the statement that the Klondike had been prospected at least twice before the discovery of gold was made. The first time was several years ago. Apparently the difficulty with the original parently the difficulty with the original prospectors was that they did not go deep enough. All the gold that har been discovered in such paying quantities has been found at depths from fifteen to thirty feet below the surface.

It will be seen from this map what a very small section of the entire Yukon country has been prospected thoroughly and to what a little area is due all the excitement. From Dawson City to Indian River is only thirty miles. Part way down from Indian River the Sixty-Mile River and its trive the exact the excitement. From Dawson City to Indian River the Sixty-Mile River and its trive the content. From Dawson City to Indian River the Sixty-Mile River and its trive the content of the sixty Mile River and its trive the content of the sixty with the content of the

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One of the inflation of 4,000 yards along Second street in Schenectady, N.Y. This was made without any trouble to the rider, who passed the second street at considerable at considerable of the second street in the secon THE RIGHT HON.

THE FATHER OF THE IMPERIAL HOUSE OF COMMONS.

C. P. VILLIERS.

of the English Corn Laws-A Long Fight Which Was Finally Won by the Persistence of Its Advocates-His

Personal Characteristics.

The fame of Mr. Villiers will always be inseparable in English history from the Repeal of the Corn Laws and the propagation of Free Trade, says Sydney Brooks in Harper's Weekly; though even in that connection it is probable that he will have to take a third place behind his two mighty licutemants, Richard Cobden and John Bright. Nevertheless, it was Mr. Villiers who first dared to attack the, stronghold of protection in Parliament. Years before John Bright was ever heard of as a politician, and while Richard Cobches wide of white quartz heavy with gold.

Within twenty-four hours it was reported that apparently the same vein had been struck in three different places, although widely apart. The second discovery was thirty feet under ground, on claim No. 31, above the discovery on Eldorado. This was found by A. H. Jose and his partner, who were working a placer claim for another man. The quartz claim being a separate and distinct property from the placer, those men at once located it for themselves. The ledge crosses the creek at right angles. The third discovery was at No. 16 Nugget Gulch, a ravine which leads to Bonanza. Creek from the west, between Eldorado and Adams Creeks.

A line projected from The Dome, and running straight from the extreme eastern point of discovery at The Dome to the westerly point of discovery on Nugget Gulch, intersects all these places where quartz has been found, and indicates the continuity of the ledge. A good many locations have already been made, but it will be impossible to do work sufficient will be impossible to do work the movement he led was a movement the middle classes, of the despised manu-facturers of Manchester and Birmingham



parently directly opposed to the interests of his class. Not for one moment did he falter in his fidelity. Yoar after year he brought forward his bill, and year after year the House listened to him, outvoted him, and went to bed. But his advocacy served the great purpose of drawing the attention of the country to the whole question. "A solitary Robinson Crusce, standing on the barren rock of Corn Law Repeal," as one of his opponents called him, he still made many converts. Without being a great orator he was a speaker of singular clearness and argumentative power, very ready in debate, very exact and thorough both in manner and matter, and with a facility of sarcasm it was dangerous to provoke. He replied always upon reason and argument. The same glactal impartiality marked his leadership of the Anti-Corn Law League. In a time of great passion he counselled moderation and coolness, refused to set class against class or town against country, and won his way and finally carried his noint he RIGHT HONORABLE C. P. VILLIERS. of great passion he counselled moderation and coolness, refused to set class against class or town against country, and won his way and finally carried his point by resistless appeals to the intelligence of his adversaries. Cobden and Bright have naturally overshadowed the part he played in repealing the Corn Laws, but to him must be given the credit of having set on foot the movement which revolutionized Great Britain's fiscal system, unshackled British commerce, and has made its influence felt in every quarter of the world. Mr. Villicisr was no less descredly fortunate in seeing the acceptance of many another reform which he advocated. The introduction of the ballot, Irish disestablishment, national education, extension of the franchise, and municipal reform, all received the aid of his vigorous and patient support; while in his own special domain, that of poor-law administration, he introduced himself many valuable and important changes. He was a man of exceptional vivacily and sweetness of temper, modest and ungrudging, and absolutely devoid of personal ambition. His seventy years of public life weathers and the control of the seventy and severy and arrived the control of the seventy and seventy and the control of the seventy and seventy and

