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"To take the region, like the soul, the flame," said the lost archangel, "this the seat That we must change from heaven, this mournful gloom."

For that celestial light? Be it so, since he Who now is Sovereign can dispose and bid What shall be right; farthest from him is best. Whom reason hath equaled, force hath made supreme.

Above his equals. Farewell, happy fields, Where joy forever dwells! Hell, horrors, hell! Infernal world, and thou, profoundest hell, Receive thy new possessor, one who brings A mind not to be changed by place or time; The mind is its own place and in itself Can make a heaven of a hell, a hell of heaven. What matter where, if I be still the same? And what I should be, all but less than he, Whom thunder hath made greater! Here, at least, We shall be free; the Almighty hath not built Here for his envy, will not drive us hence; Here we may reign secure, and, in my choice, To reign is worth ambition, though in hell! Better to reign in hell than serve in heaven."

John Milton.

A HALF HOLIDAY

So Mayor Smith has Proclaimed
Monday Afternoon, Aug. 13.

All Citizens Will now be Able to Attend the Caledonian Games on the Athletic Park.

Chatham, Ont., Aug. 10th, 1900.
To T. A. Smith, Esq.,
Mayor of Chatham:

The undersigned petitioners and ratepayers of the city of Chatham are of the opinion that the Sons of Scotland deserve the encouragement and support of our citizens in their praiseworthy efforts to make Caledonian games an annual event here, and by that means attract visitors to our city, and your petitioners are of opinion that it would be a proper and right manifestation of our interest in the enterprise to declare a half holiday on Monday next. Your petitioners therefore pray that your worship will be pleased to declare the afternoon of Monday the 13th of August a half holiday.

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Chatham, Aug. 10, 1900.
I hereby declare the afternoon of Monday the 13th a public holiday.
T. A. SMITH,
Mayor.

An Expert on Lemons Says.

That the lemon treatment for biliousness is quite as common during these unreasonably warm days as in the early summer.

That most people know the benefit of lemonade before breakfast, but few know that it is more than doubled by taking it at night also.

That the best way to get the better of the bilious system without blue pills and other drugs is to take the juice of one, two or three lemons, as appetite craves, in as much cooled water as makes it pleasant to drink without sugar, before going to bed.

That in the morning on rising, at least half an hour before breakfast, the juice of one lemon should be taken in a glass of water.

That people should not irritate their stomachs by eating lemons clear, but properly diluted, so as not to irritate the throat, and taken on an empty stomach the improvement is marked.

An Interesting Kitchen.

The Bon Marche in Paris has the largest kitchen in the world. It provides food for all the employees of the house, 4,000 in number.

The smallest kettle holds 75 quarts, the largest 375 quarts.

There are 50 frying pans, each of which is capable of holding 300 cutlets at a time, or of frying 220 pounds of potatoes.

When there are omelets for breakfast, 7,800 eggs are used. The coffee machine makes 750 quarts of coffee daily.

Minard's Liniment is used by Physicians.



CUTTING DOWN THE NAMES.

Abbreviation a Tendency of the Times in the Railway World.

One of the tendencies of the times in the railway world is to shorten the names of the railroad companies. The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern was only a few years ago commonly spoken of by its full name; now it is rarely called anything but the Lake Shore. The New York Central and Hudson River railroad was the title way line less than a decade ago, and some of the officers and agents of the road endeavored to get their friends across the state to drop the custom that had grown up along parts of the line calling it the Central-Hudson. Now, as the advertisements and literature of the company show, it is the officials' desire to have the road known and spoken of merely as the New York Central, and there is a tendency even to extend the title in a general way to cover the various subordinate lines operated by the company.

More recently still the cumbersome if mellifluous Delaware, Lackawanna and Western has been put forth energetically in the company's advertisements as the Lackawanna only. Popular habit, aided by the custom of the company in the matter of the marking of its time tables and some of its equipment, led to the practical dropping of everything but the word Erie from the title of that company several years ago.

The policy of the Pennsylvania in sticking to that one word in all its affairs as far as possible has been as consistent as the result has been convenient to the company than to the general public. The Delaware and Hudson Canal company's railroad was always impossible as a common title, and even the company had to come down to the initials D. and H. in marking some of its rolling stock long before it got or sought permission to alter its name so that the canal part could be left out.

Some of the long names of railroad companies in the west are bound to give way to shorter ones sooner or later in the same way. The New York, New Haven and Hartford company has sought with more or less consistency to star the New Haven in its title as the popular name for the road, but without any very large measure of success, partly, no doubt, because the New Englanders found a handy name for it for themselves, dubbing it the Consolidated. But this is of service only locally of course.

One of the reasons why the companies themselves have come to desire shorter names is that those attract the traveler, it is said.—New York Sun.

Ocean Tides Under Land.

A sensation was caused at Newport News, Va., by the announcement that there is a continual ebb and flow of the ocean's tide beneath the extreme end of the Virginia peninsula. Contractor Guild of Baltimore, who is putting down a new sewerage system for Hampton, has made the startling discovery, so he says, that the stem end of the peninsula is nothing more than a huge float, which may at any time break away from the larger body of the land. The story is based upon a scientific hypothesis. He says the water which he has encountered in laying the sewer in Hampton rises and falls with the tide in Hampton creek, which empties into Hampton Roads below the city. At one place, while the tide was out, he was able to go down four feet in the street before striking water, while at the same place when the tide was in he could only go down two feet before the water commenced to flow with alarming rapidity.

Pearls.

A Philadelphia dealer in jewels says pearls are in good health this summer. "Pearls are particularly liable to disease," he said. "Commercially, the health of a pearl refers to its luster, and when it becomes dull you may know that it is sick. Salt water is the only tonic that is known to be efficacious in such cases, and after being immersed in brine for several days the gems will be found to be restored to their usual health. The summer months are usually hard on pearls, but this year, for some reason, there is very little illness among them."

A Photographic Checking Clock.

An apparatus that has at least the merit of novelty is on exhibition in London. It is designed as a checking clock to record the arrival of employees at their places of work. The novelty consists in a sensitized photographic ribbon attached to clockwork. Each employee, as he or she arrives, presses the button of the machine, and immediately his or her photograph, together with a photograph of the clock, showing the moment of arrival, is impressed on the movable ribbon. It is said that the photographs can be made at the rate of 40 a minute.

They never pardon who commit the wrong.—Dryden.

A Miss Sometimes.

Jill—Do you believe the howling of a dog is always followed by a death?

Jack—No, not always. Sometimes the man who shoots at the dog is a poor marksman.—St. Louis Star.

Inquiring Tommy.

"What are you doing Tommy?" said "Standin' before the lookin' glass," said Tommy; "I wanted to see how I would look if I was twin."—Pittsburg Bulletin.



Tears

Many a woman has periodic crying spells. She meets her husband with eyes red and swollen and he cries out: "What has happened?" "Nothing," his wife replies. "I don't know what is the matter with me, but I just had to have a good cry." Men don't have crying spells. It would seem therefore that an affection confined to women must have its cause in the womanly nature. There is no doubt that a diseased condition of the delicate womanly organs, is in general responsible for feminine nervousness and hysteria.

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