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The words "emerald isle" as applied to Ireland, were first used by Dr. Drenman in a poem entitled "Eriu."

Dr. Talmage has accepted a call to Washington, as co-pastor with Dr. Sutherland, of the First Presbyterian Church.

Lalithgow E. C. Presbytery has agreed to raise its proportion of Assembly expenses, but hopes that body "won't do it again."

Two ladies and two gentlemen made the ascent of Ben Nevis, on the precipitous side, the first time ladies have accomplished the feat.

Mrs. C. F. Alexander, wife of the Bishop of Derry and writer of "The Burial of Moses," and several well-known hymns, is dead.

The Turks have refused to permit an excavation at the supposed tomb of Joseph. It was thought that the mummy of the ruler of Egypt might possibly be discovered.

In a special article in a Birmingham paper a deplorable account is given of the havoc wrought by football on the Sunday-school. The football editions of papers are brought into the very class.

Rev. Dr. Marshall Lang, speaking at the meeting in Belfast, of the Evangelical Alliance, said there was no welcome like an Irish one, the Scots on ceasing to be Irish having become cold-blooded.

Dr. Haffkine's inoculations in Northern India for cholera are said to have been very successful. Consumptives in the earlier stages are said to have been successfully treated in Rome with serum.

A proposal is on foot in Bristol to purchase and retain the collection of relics belonging to Jenner in connection with his introduction of vaccination, the idea of which he is said to have conceived in 1780.

The Rev. Marshall B. Laug, B.D., Glasgow, a son of Dr. Marshall Laug, ex-Moderator, was recently ordained and inducted to the ministry of Meldrum Church by the Presbytery of Garioch.

According to the census report the value of property in America is £13,000,000,000, which, if divided, would give £200 to each inhabitant. The wealth of the United Kingdom would yield £350 per inhabitant.

Principal Rainy would rather hand over Armenia to Russia than maintain the present Turkish system. The Lebanon arrangement seems to him the best—a governor appointed by and responsible to the European powers.

Rev. Dr. Donald Macleod admits a measure of truth in the assertion that it is civil government and not the church which is ameliorating the condition of the people. Christianity had failed to reach its ideal; hence the cries of modern socialists.

Mail advices received by Reuter's agency October 3rd, from Nyassaland, state that Mr. H. Jobstone has returned to Zomba after a tour of inspection of affairs on Lake Nyassa, and found it generally satisfactory, but uneasiness prevails in North Nyassa, owing to the menacing attitude of Mputa Arabs.

A shameful scene occurred on a recent Sabbath at Portobello when two men, former members of the Railway mission, were baptized in the sea by the minister of the newly-formed congregation. A great crowd laughed and jeered, and feeling on the doctrinal question ran high, so that at one time a riot was feared.

THE PEOPLE MARVELLED.

AT THE RESCUE OF MR. METCALFE OF HORNING MILLS.

Badly Crippled With Sciatica and an Intense Sufferer for Years—For Two Years Was Not Able to Do Any Work—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restores Him to Health

From the Shelburne Economist.

The completion of the local telephone service between Shelburne and Horning's Mills, by Messrs. John Metcalfe and W. H. Marlatt, referred to in these columns recently, was the means of bringing to the notice of a reporter of the Economist the fact of the remarkable restoration to health some time ago of Mr. Metcalfe, the chief promoter of the line. For about two years Mr. Metcalfe was a terrible sufferer from sciatica, and unable to work. While not altogether bedfast, he was so badly crippled that his bent form, as he occasionally hobbled about the streets of Horning's Mills excited universal sympathy. The trouble was in one of his hips and he could not stand or walk erect. His familiar attitude, as the residents of Horning's Mills can vouch, was a stooped over condition, with one hand on his knee. Mr. Metcalfe says:—"For about two years I was not able to do any work. Local physicians failed to do me any good, and I went to Toronto for treatment, with equally unsatisfactory results. I also tried electrical appliances without avail. I returned home from Toronto discouraged, and said that I would take no more medicine, that it seemed as if I had to die anyway. My system was very much run down and the pains at times were excruciating. I adhered for several months to my determination to take no more medicine but finally consented to a trial of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills strongly recommended by a friend. Before I had taken them very long I



"Walked in a stooped position."

felt a great deal better, my appetite returned, and the pains diminished. After using the pills for some time longer I was able to stand and walk erect and resume my work, in the full enjoyment of health and strength. People who knew me marvelled at the change, and on my personal recommendation many have used Pink Pills. This is the first time, however, that I have given the facts for publication."

On being asked if the sciatica had ever returned, Mr. Metcalfe stated that once or twice, as the result of unusual exposure, he had experienced slight attacks but he always kept some of the pills at hand for use on such occasions, and they never failed to fix him up all right. Mr. Metcalfe, who is 52 years of age, is in the flour and provision business, and, as proof of his ability to do as good a day's work as he ever did in his life, we may state that the most of his work connected with the erection of his six miles of telephone line was performed by himself. Mr. Metcalfe also mentioned several other instances in which the users of Pink Pills derived great benefit, among them being that of a lady resident of Horning's Mills. The Economist knows of a number of instances in Shelburne where great good has followed the use of this well known remedy.

The public are cautioned against imitations and substitutes, said to be "just as good." These are only offered by some unscrupulous dealers because there is a large profit for them in the imitation. There is no other remedy that can successfully take the place of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and those who are in need of a medicine should insist upon getting

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