

THE VALUE OF DOGS.

How the "Masters of Man" are now being treated in the eyes of the public. Fashion in the breeds of dogs, like in all things else, undergoes changes.

The great leader in the most popular of the dog breeds just now, the entry list for this year being 102, just twice as many as in 1897, while in 1891 there were only six.

The St. Bernard, too, was a more popular dog in past years, for in 1887 there were 98 entries, while in 1897 the total was 149, and this year it has dropped to 65.

Russian wolf-hounds have made themselves popular. The first one of the breed was shown at the Westminster Club show in 1889 in a big miscellaneous class and won first prize as a "Siberian bloodhound."

Foodies have come back again. There were only 16 in 1887, 94 in 1888 and then there was a falling off, but this year they have come up again, and 83 are on the list.

Pugs have lost their hold to a great extent. In 1896 there were 23, in 1897 22, and this year there were only 5. The Choy Chow, who made their debut in the miscellaneous class in 1897, and until a couple of years ago did not grow in number, have this year reached a total of 48.

Best of Three Reasons. Once an Atonian politician offered a turkey to the negro who could give the best reason for being a Republican.

Great Virtue in the Apple. Many persons of excellent judgment will tell you that the apple is its perfection is the finest fruit that nature provides for man.

ITCH. Mange, Pruritus Scabietus and every form of contagious itch on human or animal cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion.

On the Lake. Rush a bye, hush a bye, Do not awake, The winds rock your cradle— A boat on the lake;

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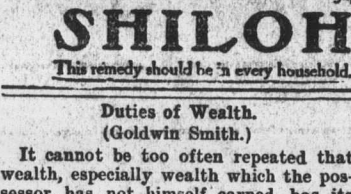
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Relics Made to Order. (Atlanta Constitution.) "Yes, sir, this is the place where the battle was fought."

Dear Mother

Your little ones are a constant care in all colds, coughs, and whooping cough. They will catch cold. Do you know about Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, and what it has done for so many?



It cannot be too often repeated that wealth, especially wealth which the possessor has not himself earned, has its duties, and that it is miserable and vile to live in idle luxury on the fruits of other men's works.

BETTER THAN SPANKING.

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. 8, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions.

Bismarck's Cigar.

"The value of a good cigar," Prince Bismarck once said, "is best understood when it is the last one you possess and there is no chance of getting another."

Teething Babies.

are saved suffering—and mothers given rest—when one uses Nurses' and Mothers' Treasure. Quickly relieves—regulates the bowels—prevents convulsions.

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NEW FAIR WAGE OFFICER.

J. D. McNeven, a Vancouver Labor Man, Has Been Appointed.

Mr. J. D. McNeven, of Victoria, B. C., has been appointed one of the fair wages officers of the Department of Labor, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late D. J. O'Donoghue.

REUBEN AT BABYLON.

When Deceen Hiram journeyed from his little town of Tyre, He found the price of things at There

The world's not greatly changed, you know, 'Twas really such the same— When Adam took the apple from the tree, Made Eve take all the blame.

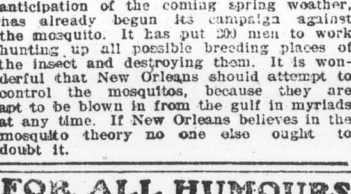
FOR PUBLIC RECREATION.

The city of New York spends 46 cents a year for each inhabitant for what is known technically as public recreation.

FOR ALL HUMOURS.

Eczema, Salt Rheum, Pimples, etc.—no remedy heals more quickly than Mira Ointment.

Miraculous Cure.



Where American Traders Err. The American Minister to Ecuador says that we shall never do an extensive business in South America until the manufacturers of the United States make a closer study of the needs of the people of the Latin republics.

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HAVE YOUR CHILDREN ANY SORES RINGWORM OR ULCERS?

ZAM-BUK WILL SURELY CURE. Here are a few instances of Zam-Buk's healing power: Three children in one family in Burk's Falls have been cured of serious skin diseases by Zam-Buk.

Mrs. Goring, of Longford Mills, says: "Zam-Buk cured my child of ringworm. I tried everything that could be thought of, but nothing was able to cure until Zam-Buk came. It is a fine remedy."

Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Portland, writes: "Zam-Buk seems to take the pain out of sores, wounds and skin injuries as soon as applied, and then it heals them up in quick time. That has been my experience and I have used Zam-Buk in the home for some time."

Zam-Buk is particularly adapted to delicate and tender skins. It is free from all mineral coloring matter and from animal fat, being purely herbal.

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VALUABLE RING AND WATCH FREE.

All we ask you to do is to send us the name of any of our friends who have been cured of ringworm, eczema, ulcers, chapped hands, etc.

When Egypt's daughter plausibly found Moses and his brethren, The sewing circles straightway raised A question in that land;

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THE FUTURE WOMAN.

Views on the Subject by a Distinguished Italian. The woman of the future, in order to attain perfection, should improve physically, morally and intellectually.

The character of woman will be bettered not in making it virile, but in making it more ethically feminine.

The advantage which the United States possess over all other nations is that they have the most powerful materialization that ever existed on the earth.

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HELP WANTED-FEMALE. WANTED, A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, one washing or ironing, wages \$18. Apply to Mrs. Powis, corner Abolition street and West street, Hamilton, Ont.

MISCELLANEOUS. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, soothes the gums, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea.

DR. LEBOY'S FEMALE PILLS. A safe, sure and reliable monthly regulator. These pills have been used by thousands of women for years, and are prescribed by the leading physicians and are endorsed by the highest medical authorities.

Many Millions for Revolvers. Daniel B. Wesson, the Massachusetts revolver maker, died with a fortune estimated at \$300,000. The sum's representative America's measure of the value attached to the revolver, for the make bearing Wesson's name is chiefly sold in this country, and, indeed, is standard in the cavalry arm of the service.

Tommy—Pop, what is curiosity? Tommy's Pop—Curiosity, my son, is something that ever existed on the earth.

RELIANCE BAKING POWDER.

Makes cooks happy. A trial will convince every housewife in Canada that "Reliance Baking Powder" is the superior to any other she has ever used.

FREE BEAUTIFUL PICTURE POST CARDS FREE.

To any user of baking powder we will gladly send, absolutely free, postage prepaid, a set of four of our latest edition of picture post cards, illustrated in brilliant colors.

\$100.00 GIVEN AWAY FREE.

For Correct Answers to this Puzzle. The letters to the left of this advertisement when properly arranged spell out four words. Can you spell out three of them? If so the grand prizes we offer are surely worth trying for.

OTORONT NO. 1, HSGTOUNT NO. 2, RAHTEB NO. 3, NECTSROSA NO. 4.

The first word when the letters are properly arranged spells the name of a large Canadian city. The second word when the letters are properly arranged spells the name of something we all use. The third word when properly arranged spells the name of something we all do. The fourth word when properly arranged spells the name of something we all have.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1861. MATCHES PARLOR SULPHUR WAX.

Ask for EDY'S SAFETY MATCHES FOR HOTELS, WAREHOUSES, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, ETC.

"PAGE FENCES" WEAR BEST.

Made of High Carbon Wire, we'll prove it to you. COILED—not crimped. This makes it still stronger in service. It stays taut. Painted WHITE over heavy GALVANIZING—rust proof.

Experienced dealers to erect it. Leads all in sales as in merit. Get illustrated booklet and 1907 prices before buying. WALKERVILLE, TORONTO, MONTREAL, ST. JOHN, WINNIPEG.