SCHOOL FOR COW-

of London, England, for a miniature ranch has been started near the banks of the Thames at Shepperton. There two experienced Colonists have opened a school where the young Englishman—or rather English boy, for they prefer to catch the future rancher young —is taught in six months, a lesson which would take him years to learn by bitter experience.

Instructed in the other arts of his trade. There is a small herd of cattle on which he is taught the art of driving a herd. Then comes the stockwhip, and he has to learn to wield twenty-four feet of heavy lash till he can, in the language of the cowboy, "cut any odd hair" of a galloping steer.

WORK WITH THE LASSO.

FRONTIERSMAN'S LIFE.

The principal of the school is a Mr.

French, and when a contract for a six months' course has been signed and \$730 dollars has been paid, he takes complete charge of the young frontiersman. Once under his care, the pupil lives the life of the frontiersman to the full. There is no going back. If he finds the life too hard he cannot leave and then come back. He either stays the whole time or goes away altogether, with his \$730 returned. In winter he must sleep in a house of corrugated iron and rough boarding. A hard bunk and Army blankets are his bed. It is he stew his chief food. In sum-

In England a school has been organized for the purpose of training boys who wish to become colonists, in the life of the ranch as it is lived in the North-West Territories. A great deal of interest is being taken in the scheme by prominent men who are interested in the well-being of the colonies. It is expected that the school will be opened in a few weeks' time.

The problem of the younger son seems likely to be solved. He need no longer go out to the Colonies, there to go through the painful process of being licked from the tenderfoot stage to that of the wiry and hard-hearted frontiersman.

Today he can get through these painful early stages and learn to be a complete rancher within twelve miles of London, England, for a miniature ranch has been colonists, in the life of the until a hard day's work has been done he will be living the life of the plains, although within a very few miles of London civilization. One of the chief things he will have to learn is the care of his horse. He is taught to be a "vet" and to be his own groom, just as he is his own servant. One of this first lesson is how to hobble his horse. Then he learns how to ride on Colonial and Mexican saddles. After that he is taught how to throw a restive horse, and when he has learnt to pack a pack saddle and to do the other little things that make life easy for the frontiersman, he is instructed in the other arts of his trade. There is a small herd of cattle on which he is taught the art of driv-

The lasso is his next lesson, and until he can rope a horse or bullock at full speed so as to catch him either by the neck or leg he is not to be considered proficient.

hard bunk and Army blankets are his in the experiment, and as at present bed; Irish stew his chief food. In suming of the enterprise in a few weeks.

THE ARMY LIFE OF THE LAST CENTURY.

Life in the army was not always the serious business it is now. And striking evidence of this fact is to be found in the diary of General William Dyott, which has just been published. In those days the army was regarded by the aristocratic classes more in the light of an enjoyable occupation than of a serious profession. Dyott belonged to the ranks of the upper ten, but notwithstanding that, he seems to have been a good regimental officer with some social charm. He was quartered in Ireland during the most of his early years; constant hard drinking, varied by occasional long marches, and a little love thrown in to give spice to existence acets of its military life there.

Later on he was for some time on foreign service in Nova Scotia. While there he became very intimate with Prince William Henry, are constant hard drinking there he became very intimate with Prince William Henry, who was then as maval officer. Out there together these two, with their brother officers, appear to have had what may be mildly described as a good time. The drinking records beat even those of Ireland. Here is a specimen of a dinner given by H. R. H. as "Superior" to the Order of the Blue and Orange, when Dyott acted as "Vice:"

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"We had a very good dinner and he sent wine of his own: the very best claret I ever tasted. We had the Grenadiers drawn up in front of the messroom windows to fire a volley in honor of the toasts. As soon as dinner was over he began. He did not drink himself; he always drank Madeira. He took very good care to see everybody fill, and he gave twenty-three bumpers without a halt. In the course of my experience I never saw such fair drinking.

7,000,000 AGRES

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"When he had finished his list of bumpers, I begged leave as vice to give the Superior and recommended it to the Society to stand upon our chairs with three times three, taking their time from the vice. I think it was the most laughable sight I ever beheld, to see the Governor, our Generial, and the Commodore, all so drunk that they could scarcely stand on the floor, hoisted up on their chairs with each a bumper in his hand; and the three times three cheers was what they were afraid to attempt for fear of failing. I then proposed H. R. H. and a good wind whenever, he sailed, with the same ecremony. He stood at the head of the table during both these toasts, and I never saw a man laugh so in my life. When we had drunk the last the old Governor desired to know if we had any more, as he said if he once got down he should never get up again. H. R. H. said we were all protty well done, and he walked off. There were just twenty diners and we drunk sixty-three bottles of wine."

In striking contract, however, to this familiarity the General discusses somewhat severely later on the character of the Royal scapegrace.

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WANTED.—Maid for general housework. Apply MRS. O. H. WARWICK, 36 Mecklenburg St. 6-5-tf

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework, No laundry work. Apply MRS. J. M. MAGEE, 42 Wellington

WANTED—General maid in small family, for Westfield Beach. Referen-ces required. Apply 47 Sydney Street. 6-5-6

WANTED-Experienced dining room girl. Apply CARVILL HALL,

to make white bread (in her own home) for the "Home Exchange," 133

Charlotte street. Apply between 1 and 5. Telephone 993.

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J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coals. Delivered promptly in the city. & Brussels street.

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WANTED—A boy, Apply Paterson and Co., Germain street.

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WM. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, ii) and iii prince with the coal and wood business lately carried on by the St. John Fuel Company, and will continue the said business under the firm name of FRANCIS KERR CO., LITD., Per Francis Kerr, Manager.

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WANTED.—Capable girl for general housework. Apply 12 Peters street, 9 to 12 a. m. only.

WANTED.—Dining room help at the WANTED.—Dining room help at the

WANTED — Experienced lady book-keeper. Must be quick and correct with figures. Apply in own hand-writing, stating experience and salary expected. Box 179, Sun Office. 6-5 WANTED.—Dining room help at the EDWARD HOTEL. 1-5 WANTED—At No. 1 Chipman Hill, housemaid, Please apply after six GIRLS WANTED-At the D. F. BROWN PAPER AND PAPER BOX WANTED.—Girl for pastry kitchen.
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LOST-Between Mecklenburg and Union streets, or in shopping district, pearl brooch in shape of four leaf clower, with olivine border. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Mrs. C. S. E. Robertson, 85 Mecklenburg street.

8-5-2.

R. E. Hamilton, Contractor, Real Estate Repairs of all descriptions undertaken. Shop and Office Brussels St.

adian Territory, Where it is Sup-ROSS & ROURKE, EMERSON, Man., May 8.—Two other members of the gang of American bank robbers, who robbed the bank at Stephen, Minn., of \$8,000 and who made their way across the border yesterday were captured south of here this morning after an exciting chase.

While detectives were scouring the prairie south-of here, near the American line, the startling discovery of a dead mans nude body was made eight miles north of the American line. Near the body was a small pile of ashes indicating that the dead man's clothing had been burned for the purpose of destroying all clues to his identity.

The dead man was doubtless the Up-to-date Carpenters, 60 EXMOUTH ST.

Jobbing promptly attended to.

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Fruit and Produce.

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