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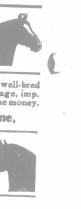
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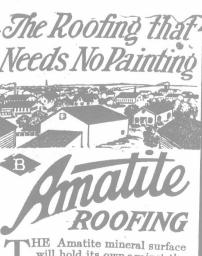
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He kept thinking of all the things he ought not to say, and the medico, guessing his feelings, chortled audibly.

"My hole again !" said the doctor, for the tenth time, as he holed out a fourteen-yard putt. His reverence could not contain himself

any longer. "Sir," he burst out, "I hope I may

live to read the Burial Service over you !"

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"Indeed !" said the doctor, with

chuckle.

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#### GOSSIP

### PERCHERONS FOR CANADA.

Gerald Powell, Nogent - le - Rotrou, France, writes "The Farmer's Advocate" "On July 15th, I shipped from Havre, 12 mares for Alberta, and for T. H. Hassard, of Markham, Ont., 14 stallions and mares, an extra good bunch, both in stallions and mares, there being several prizewinners, including Jonas 87160, a black three-year-old stallion, bought off Victor Guibout, a winner at several shows, also an extra good two-year-old gray stud, Kartonnier, who won fifth prize at Alencon, the Percheron Society Show, there being 81 in the ring. No doubt these horses will be shown at Toronto next month."

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> She-"Pardon me, sir, for walking on your feet."



He-"Oh, don't mention it. I walk