The subject of good roads is now co-cupying a great deal of attention on the part of the public. The American nation appears to be gradually awakening to the fact that the bad roads of this country are unworthy of its position among the nations. We learn what bad roads bring about when we read of mud blockades Large districts of country are rendered impassible by mud. Almost an entite State is brought into a condition of slege by the muddy roads. The farmers cannot transport their produce, the railroads lose freight, and the speculators seize the opportunity to advance prices of produce.

opportunity to advance prices of produce.
This is what a mud blockade may mean, The State or region directly af-fected, the railroads traversing it, and the country at large may all suffer for itlessons from modern times. It is true that the nations of Europe put us to the blush. But we may go back two thous Roman engineers won their fame largely as road makers. The roads which they built are to-day their monuments.

Thus we find ourselves very archaiin the matter of roads. It is stated that in Illinois alone the loss to the commu nity from bad roads last year was a much as \$16,000,000. If this ratio were taken for the whole country, it would give a loss of \$300,000,000. At three per cent such loss would represent a capitalization of ten thousand million dollars. This is one-sixth of the total wealth the country.

The subject of deserted farms has been

a subject of concern in the New England States. A farm whose outlets in the fall and spring months are but canals of mud and cobblestones is justly unattractive to the young. They find the enforced isolaunendurable. But replace the bad and temperance society. roads by macadamized or telfordized surfaces which do not feel the spring thaw

riage builders have justly felt that good but his one bad habit left its impression roads would give them an enlarged on me. Whenever I vi-ited his atuda market, and have joined the movement.

The subject has been lifted up from the limited bycyclist's platform to a national but it was too late.

Buy an appetite. You will find it in a package sold by all druggless and marked, K. D. C. Free Sample. K. D. C. Company. Ltd., New Glasgow, N. S., but it was too late. one. A bill has been presented before Congress looking to the establi-hment of Laws have been passed by the states for a reformatory for drunkards as it is an the construction of road. The effect of such laws have already been widely felt. The formation of a national as enemies of the State and the destroyer of such facts for the construction of a national as enemies of the State and the destroyer of the state and sociation for the encouragement of the building of good roads has been effected The probabilities are that the next ten years will see a great change-almost revolution. The era of bad reads certainly approaching its close.

Grass.

led with battle, tern with the ruts of cannon, grow green with graes, and carnage is forgotton. Streets aba doned by traffic become grass grown, like rural lanes, and are obliterated. Forests decay, harvestaperials, flowers vanish, loss grass is limited to the saviance of the fact of the saviance of the fact of the f lanes, and are obliterated. Forests decay, harvestaperish, flowers vanish, but grass-is immortal. Beliague red by the saloon-keepers are his servanta; poor fict and ruin. Alcohol is king there it routing this morning. Go down to the salon-keepers are his servanta; poor druinkards are his verticulars. Within it is absted families, broken-hearted mothers, diseased children, ruined beautify your faction of spring. Bown by the winds, by wandering birds, propagated by the subtle horticulture of the elements which are its ministers and servants, it softens the rude outlines of the world. It evades the politudes of deserts, climbs the in accessible slopes and pinnacles of fluents ains, modifies the history, character and destines the history, character and content of the fair fame of Holy result.

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One of our contemporaries the other day spoke of a certain judge not one hundred miles away from this city, who repeared as a witness,
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I am sorry to say that the use of about 420,000,000 Christians in the world ing and which are always passable, and
I am sorry to say that the use of towhich are dry a few hours after a rainstorm, and the country will take on a new
of our ministers. It was the great weak Nevertheless it isn't safe to lose sight of vour umbrella for a moment. aspect.

The agitation for good roads was orsignally undertaken by the League of American Wheelmen. This is an asso. class, superintended the Sabbath-school, clation of bycyclists. On bad roads the bycycle rider is at a great disadvantage.

the prayer-meeting on another evening The average balloonist may not be during his own propelling, he quickly during the week, and was a pretty good more inclined to pay his debts than his appreciates a change in the road surface. visitor, besides, among his people. He fellows, but it must be admitted that he The agitation began to spread. The carriage builders have justly felt that good but his one had habit left its impression

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In which army will you cast your lot of an hour, it is astonishing how little he The camps are forming ; over one float seems to know when a stranger asks him the white banner of temperance—in i reigns peace and jey—its soldiers are men of clean moral lives. It has in its Rev. Henry M. Spike, rector of Musquash, N. B., advised Mrs Wm. Thompson of that place to try Hawker's Tonic for Acute Dyspensia. Read what they both any in another column as to the

obriety, the preservation of home. Ladies and Smokers.

Walking recently upon Fifth Avenue in New York, says a correspondent of the Christian Advocate, at a time of day when that pay street is filled with people, the Christian Advocate, at a time of day when that pay street is filled with people, I noticed several times what I had often seen and marvelled at before—a young girl, hardly old enough ye to be called a young lady, walking with a boyish young man who was smoking. Both in every case were well dressed and refined looking, yet the girl seemed not to know that her escort was doing an impolite thing when he smoked as he walked by her side, and he looked as innocent as if he side, and he looked as innocent as if he thought he were doing her a personal favor. If girls were more careful to demand the respectful treatment which dred miles away from this chy, an ejection of the book of terbacky." He must be a blood relation of that ather judge in the book of the blood relation of that ather judge in the blood relation of that ather judge in the blood relation of the new state of Washington, before whom

who proposed to smoke in the carriage where she was riding. "Got the fine arm," said the judge.

"Can't do ii."

"Why not?"

"Got shot in that arm."

"Then hold up your left."

"Can't de that nayther—got shot in tother one too."

"Then hold up yous leg. No man can be sworn in this court without helding up something."—Once a Week

Lady (on leaving a crowded ear)

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Some ten years ago, when, as crown-princess, she was spending the winter at Pelgi, on the Riviera' with the three daughters, they were in the haldt of making excursions in the neighbourhood naking their places among the other passengers in any carriage where they passengers in any carriage where all white passengers in any carriage where at Pelgi, on the Riviera' with her three daughters, they were in the haldt of making excursions in the neighbourhood in aking their places among the other passengers in any carriage where they found places. On one of these occasi

"You know you block your promise to me." "Never mind, I can make another just as good." If I haste is the mark of weak mind there is reason to belo we that the average errand boy is profoundly intellectual. "Carrie," said the hashful youth, with a gasp, "If you listed somebody else about the same as a like me would you care to marry in?" Hobson—"There's one advantage in being poor" Bobson—"I'd like to know it," Hobson—"Don't you ever notice that self-righteous and glorified feeling a poor man has when he tells you how charitable he would be if he were rich." USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, the

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