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INEFFICIENT SERVICE

Judge Hodgins, of the Canadian admiralty court, has decided that the fishing schooner Kitty D., seized by the Petrel, shall be restored to her American owners and restitution made. Captain Dunn, of the Petrel, gave evidence that the American fish pirate was set two miles inside the boundary; Captain Spain estimated the distance at three-quarters of a mile inside the boundary. But seven witnesses, including Captain Hodgins, of the United States revenue cutter Fessenden, swore that the Kitty D. was a mile and a half inside the American boundary. Judge Hodgins gave judgment in accordance with the weight of evidence and the admiralty precedent that the vessel of a foreign nation should get the benefit of the doubt. The evidence showed that the seaman steering the Petrel were so inexperienced that their evidence could not be relied on. The case justifies the assumption that the marine and fisheries department has a very inefficient instrument in the Petrel, both ship and crew, for the delicate work of apprehending the elusive fish pirate.

OTHER METHODS.

Woodstock Express. The "greatest empire that has been" was not achieved by means of Alaskan boundary awards.

SCPTICAL.

Hamilton Spectator. Flooding the country with "literature" "made in Montreal" may help the Tory party in the coming elections; but we take leave to doubt it very much.

FERVIDIOUS ALBION.

Toronto Telegram. To think of being treated thus, when all through the South African war this large-hearted, generous country raised hay and sold it to the empire at market prices!

OXYGEN AS A COLORIST.

London Lancet. The question is often asked without a satisfactory answer being supplied, why do lobsters and certain shrimps and prawns turn red on boiling? One reason may be that the black pigment of the lobster is an iron compound to the lower state of oxidation, which boiling oxidizes to the higher state. Red human hair is said to owe its brilliancy to iron existing in the higher oxidized state, and by means of reducing agents, such as pyrogallic acid or snail, the color may be modified. In short, oxygen is a great painter, and probably accounts for the beautiful autumnal tints of plant life.

THE NEXT DISPUTE.

St. Thomas Times. Great Britain has looked upon Hudson Bay as a closed sea, it is true, but the United States will almost surely dispute the claim, in which case commissioners will have to be appointed, and Canada may again be sacrificed. It is useless to borrow trouble, but with railroads being built northward it will not be long before there is a clash of interests. For seventy years Americans have had free entry to those northern waters, and will claim a moral, if not legal right, to them. If Canada insists upon exclusive rights, there will be a conflict of interests which will have to be settled by arbitration, and, with the Alaska award in memory, Canadians may well feel anxious as to the outcome.

CAPTURED A STANDARD.

London Chronicle. Baroness Campbell von Laurentz has been fined £5 by the Berkshire magistrates for driving her motor at an excessive speed—an incident which presents a curious contrast, or, say, pendant, to the fact that her husband was once, contrariwise, rewarded with the Iron Cross of Prussia for furious riding. This was at the battle of Marala-Tour, when Lieutenant Lawrence Campbell, of Craighish, as he then was, serving in the Bismarck Cruisiers, forming part of Bredow's heavy brigade, took part in the famous cavalry charge immortalized by Freiligrath, and captured, in hand to hand conflict, a French eagle—the only one thus secured in the course of the great war. Afterwards Lieutenant Campbell was raised to the rank of Baron Campbell von Laurentz by the late Duke of Saxe-Coburg Gotha, to whom, as chief of the Bismarck Cruisiers, he subsequently acted as flugeladjutant, or aide-de-camp, but on the death of his patron he retired from the Prussian army, married an English lady, and settled at Windsor, where he stood in high favor with Queen Victoria.

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UNSOICIABLE.

N. Y. Tribune. V. C. is responsible for the following anecdote: An Englishman and a German were travelling together in a diligence, and both were smoking. The German did all in his power to draw his companion into conversation, but all to no purpose. At one moment he would, with a superabundance of politeness, apologize for drawing his attention to the fact that the ash of his cigar had fallen on his waistcoat or a spark was endangering his neckerchief. At length the Englishman exclaimed: "Why the deuce can't you leave me alone? Your coat-tail has been burning for the last ten minutes, but I didn't bother you about it."

A Millionaire's Gratitude.

An interesting life story is that of Mr. Arthur Cohen, who has died in South Africa, leaving, it is reported, a portion of his fortune, estimated at two and a half millions, to Mr. John Wynn of Cheltenham, England. Mr. Cohen was a London Jew without friends or relatives, except a brother who went on the stage, and a quarter of a century ago Mr. Cohen was engaged in business on his own account in Mary street, Cardiff, and his closest friends there were Mr. John Wynn, who at that time was landlord of the Dumfries Commercial Hotel, and Mr. Nathan, a hatter. Sixteen years ago, owing to the state of his health, Mr. Cohen was warned that the only chance of prolonging his life was to emigrate to South Africa. Forced realization of his business caused him serious financial loss, and his two friends came to his assistance with gifts of money. Mr. Wynn giving his friend £25, and in South Africa Mr. Cohen's health rapidly improved. He obtained a concession from President Kruger's Government to lay about a hundred miles of telegraph lines, and he surrounded the bases of the posts with structures, about four or five feet high, which he hired out for advertising purposes. By this means he amassed sufficient wealth to enable him to deal largely in shares, and only two years ago in a letter to one of his friends he indicated his prosperity in the phrase, "I am a fair clover just now; I have only to sit in my office and draw the money."

Mr. Wynn left Cardiff for Weston-super-Mare, then crossed to America, and finally returned to his native town of Cheltenham, where he now has a commercial traveler for a Birmingham firm. During their separation the friends corresponded but little, but during the past week Mr. Wynn was informed that under the millionnaire's will "Mr. John Wynn, landlord of Dumfries Commercial Hotel, Cardiff," was largely interested, but until identity was clearly established and Mr. Wynn of Cheltenham was legally proved to be the person referred to no other details would be divulged.

Mr. Wynn has placed the matter in the hands of his solicitor, by whose advice he declines to give any information as to his good fortune. Mr. Wynn's only son is on the staff of the Board of Agriculture in London. —London Mail.

What is that which a cat cannot move without, but yet is no use to it? Noise.

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Reissors. A young fellow, a reporter on a big news paper, who turns out "copy" easily and in abundance, called the other day at a hardware shop.

"What do you require?" demanded the polite shopkeeper. The brilliant reporter was engaged in thought and answered absentmindedly, "A pair of scissors." "For what use?" "The reporter answered, with an intensely preoccupied air, "Scissors—to use in writing."

Old Curiosity Shop Will Remain. The solicitors of H. Poole, lessee of the Old Curiosity Shop, in Portugal street, London, deny the statement that the house has been sold to an American with the idea of transportation to the United States. Poole's lease, it is stated, has many years to run yet.

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A CHANGING IDEAL.

Women Should Own Their Own Lives, Says Rev. J. H. J. Savage, of New York. —The Modern Woman.

The ideal of woman that has predominated in the past has been an one dependent on some man, developed only on her sentiment side—loving, drooping, tender, clinging, careful, watched over, protected, supported by some man. This has been the ideal woman of the past. Ideals, however, are the creation of conditions, and changed conditions of necessity work changes in the predominant ideals of the world.

What to-day is the position of woman in the family? Woman used to be completely in the power of the husband. In the old days he could put her to death if he pleased, and nobody could call it in question. He could beat or abuse her in any way he pleased, and she could not do a thing to help herself. He could take her out of his home, he could take her to the streets, in spite of her wishes and protests, as many other women as he pleased, and she had no power to prevent it. She had no control of her own money. She had no control of her own children. She was helpless in the hands of the man.

But, now, thank God, so far as these things are concerned we are beginning to get just a little civilized, at least in some places. Women are beginning to be recognized as having rights of their own, as having the same right to stand on their own feet, to think their own thoughts, to speak their own words, to live their own lives, as men have. Woman is beginning to be greater than she may have been in her own children. She is beginning to attain her majority—to be free. This is the attitude that is coming in the home.

To-day there are a large number of occupations into which women have entered. They are successfully competing with men. They are doing the work and doing it well, so that the chances are that if the present tendency holds we shall have to face the fact by and by that women are standing on their own feet, earning their own living, having their own bank accounts, engaging in business for themselves and to whether they shall occupy this position or that instead of being forced into it by necessity.

The tendency is all along the line of the coming of women into a larger and freer life in politics, in religion, in the family, as to occupation, as to education. In every department of society women are pressing against the barriers, and the barriers are here and there giving way.—Rev. Minot T. Savage, of New York.

Canadian Farmers Prosperous. The Canadian Government has issued a census bulletin which gives statistics as to agriculture in Alberta, Assiniboia and Saskatchewan, which, united, compose the Northwest Territories. The total area of these territories is 190,963,117 acres, and only 6,569,064 are occupied as farms. Of this area 75.99 per cent. is unimproved. Field crops, exclusive of hay, occupy 53 per cent. of the improved land, but only a fair beginning has been made with fruit trees and vegetables. The area of land in wheat, oats, barley, rye, corn, peas, potatoes and other field crops in 1891, was 1,545,000 acres. The increase at the end of the last decade was 694,073 acres, or 338 per cent. The production of home-made butter is nearly twice as much as ten years ago, and in the interval ten factories have been put into operation.

Never Had a Carriage Drive. Apropos of those who never enjoy the luxury of a carriage save when the death of some one makes for a free ride to the cemetery, the Rev. John Water, (Jan. Maclaren) told of a little girl standing at Fifth avenue and Thirtieth street. She was a ragged little thing, and she was watching the carriages rolling past with the most wistful eyes. "Well, little one," he said, "would you like to own one of those carriages?" The blue eyes turned up and there were tears in their corners. "I never rode in a keegee," she said, softly, "no little brudder died afore I was born."

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure when Other Means Fail. Mr. J. J. Perkins Disabled by Kidney Pains, Finds New Health in the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Tyndall, Man., Oct. 26.—(Special).—All over Manitoba and the Territories people are telling of benefits received from the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and this place furnishes a striking example of how they will cure when all other means have failed in the person of Mr. J. J. Perkins. "For two years I was troubled with my kidneys," Mr. Perkins says. "I got so bad that the doctor attending me declared me incurable. "At times, I had such severe pains in my back that I thought I would have to give up hope and die. I was unable to work and was becoming destitute.

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AUSTRALIA'S FORCES.

Their Unification Proceeding Under Gen. Hutton's Plan into Federal Army. The Melbourne correspondent of The Chronicle writes regarding the unification of the Australian military forces that what General Hutton has obtained the Government's assent to is practically this: "The complete organization of (1) a mobile field force capable of being sent anywhere in Australia at short notice, and (2) a garrison force designed to defend the various ports in each State. Both these forces are composed of volunteers or militia acting under the instructions of some 1,500 professional soldiers who form the nucleus of artillery and garrisons required for fixed defenses, the technical direction of forts and mines and a military education staff. The Australian field force will consist on a peace footing of 13,911 men and sixty guns, capable of expansion in time of war to 26,533 men and eighty-four guns. The garrison force will be composed of 11,896 men and twenty-six guns, exclusive of the rifle clubs, which now total over 80,000 men. Taking the two forces and the rifle clubs together it will be possible for Australia to put in the field or at her forts in time of war at least 68,000 trained men, made up, approximately, as follows: Field forces.....26,533 Garrison force.....11,896 Rifle clubs.....80,000 Total.....118,429

With a physically fit manhood population of 700,000 to draw upon, the 68,000 trained men would become the backbone of an army of half a million should war actually occur. For the purposes of broad generalization the Federal army now stands divided into eighteen regiments of Australian Light Horse, thirteen batteries of Australian artillery, three field companies of Australian Engineers, and two regiments (three brigades) of Australian Infantry. Each arm is given an excess of officers in proportion to the peace establishment of privates. Peace cadres, with their full complement of trained officers and non-commissioned officers can therefore in mobilization in time of national emergency be expended to war requirements without any danger of crisis through lack of efficient leaders.

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