The Man who tries, and fails, succeeds.

The Acadian.

The man who succeeds without trying, fails.

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Close on Saturday at 12 o'clock

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E. S. CRAWLEY, Post Master

CHURCHES.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. N. A. Harkness, Pastor. Sunday Services: Public Worship at 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Sunday School at 3.00 p.m. Mid-week prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30. Women's Missionary Aid Society meets on Wednesday following the first Sunday in the month, at 3.30 p. m. The Social and Benevolent Society meets the third Thursday of each month at 3.30 p. m. The Mission Band meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 3.45 p. m. All seats free. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

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METHODIST CHURCH. — Rev. F. J. Armitage, Pastor. Services on the Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 10 o'clock, a. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.45. All the seats are free and strangers welcomed at all the services. At Greenwich, preaching at 3 p. m. on the Sabbath.

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H. A. PECK, Secretary.

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ORPHEUS LODGE, No. 92, meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in their hall in Harris' Block. Visiting brethren always welcomed.

H. M. WATSON, Secretary

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WOLFVILLE DIVISION S. of T. meets every Monday evening in their Hall at 8.00 o'clock.

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Inverness.

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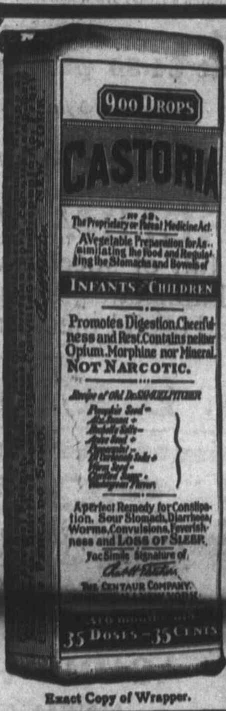

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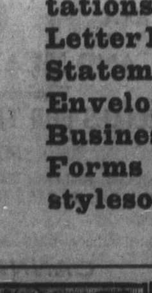

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Ability to Save.

Advocates of the national thrift campaign might take a hint from the remarkable results following the publication in an American journal of the opinion of the late James J Hill, that the first essential to success was ability to save. 'If you cannot do that, you are out of the race,' said Mr. Hill. 'You might as well confess yourself a failure in life, for you are one.' How many people were impressed with this is revealed by the many letters published by the [illegible] the railway magnate appeared, any months after his death. Several told of beginning to save, others had succeeded for the first time in establishing a bank account—no matter how small—while others told of economizing in order to follow the advice of one of the most successful of financiers and workers. Whether it was the magic of a name or the direct way in which the railway builder summed up the shiftless citizen and his chances of getting along in the world, the fact remains that these little words have done more to start a campaign of saving among the quiet and serious minded people than probably any other similar appeal in the country. Much depends on how a thing is said and the great strength in the statement of the empire builder lies, we think, in the brusque way which he dismissed the shiftless individual as worthless and destined to remain so. It had apparently the effect of causing some serious thought where it would do the most good.—Ottawa Citizen.

For a Greater Canada.

There is a movement on foot in Canada having for its objective the inclusion of the Bermudas the British West Indies in the Dominion The inspirers of the movement include a number of prominent Canadians, who have banded themselves together as the Canadian West Indian League. The proposition has not as yet passed beyond the embryo tic stage, but it is believed that the islands would generally welcome the change. If the proposed union should be effected, British Honduras [illegible] far away Falkland Islands—might also be included in the consolidation Newfoundland, which has hitherto persistently refused to become a part of the Dominion, would probably relent and thus complete the unification of British America, if the rest of Britain's colonies in the Western Hemisphere should get together.

Newfoundland has a population of about 250,000, and the other British American colonies have altogether rather more than two million people. The white inhabitants of the Bermudas constitute about two-fifths of their population, but the whites in the British colonies to the southward hardly exceed two per cent. of the inhabitants. The proposed annexations would prove a drain upon the Dominion treasury, between Canada and its tropical friends. The great prosperity which has come to Porto Rico since the Stars and Stripes were raised over it would, although in a lesser measure, be experienced by the British American tropics under a free interchange of products with Canada. The Canadian market itself is a great one, and Canada can consume all the sugar, tobacco, and other products that the British American tropics have to sell.

Woman at The Bar.

Woman lawyers exist in many countries, including some where they have not yet secured the Parliamentary franchise. There are more than 20,000 women practising as attorneys-at-law in the United States, and in Australia a woman holds the position of judge's advocate. In Norway there is a woman judge, Fru Ruth Sorenson, who was promoted to the bench in 1913. She had previously practised for some years as a lawyer in Christiania, and had gained a high name in her profession. Women cannot become judges in Sweden, but may practice as barristers, provided they are unmarried. Women lawyers are also recognized in France, Switzerland, Russia, Holland, Portugal, Argentina, Japan, Egypt, Canada, and New Zealand. Mme. Nathalie Michel, who passed her legal examinations with high distinction, was permitted to plead in the Egyption courts on presenting a thesis proving her right to do so by ancient Roman-Egyptian law.

At a law court some time ago the case concerned a will and Pat was the only witness. The lawyer cross-examining Pat asked: Was the deceased in the habit of talking to himself when alone?'

'I don't know' was the reply.

'You don't know and yet you pretend to have been intimately acquainted with him.'

'But the fact is,' said Pat, 'I never happened to be with him when he was alone.'

Your Mother Will Be Pleased

with [illegible]. Tell her I recommend it, for I use it in own home. Show her the Guarantee on the label. I know she will be glad to try it.

"You'll like the flavor"

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For application forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA
OCTOBER 7th, 1916.

Regimental Mottoes.

The Irish Division in adopting the motto 'Ever and Always Faithful,' [illegible] regiments or division. The neatest is the 'Ever Faithful' of the Devonshire regiment. As a rule little originality seems to have been shown in selecting regimental mottoes.

At least a dozen have 'Quis separabit?' while even more are proud of 'Nemo me impune lacessit.' Three regiments adopted 'Montis insignia Calpe,' for no other reason than that it forms part of the arms of Gibraltar.

The Royal Irish Fusiliers with 'Faugh-a-ballagh' (Clear the way.) are the only regiment with an Irish motto, the Seaforth Highlanders stick to the Scotch 'Cuidich'n Rhi' ('Help to the King'), while the Welsh Guards Swear by 'Cymru am Byth' (Wales for ever.)

Got Rid of Bronchitis.

Mr. W. H. Walker, Calmar, Alta., writes:—'I am pleased to say that Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has done much good to myself, wife and children. My eldest girl, 7 years, had bronchitis and the doctor who attnded her did not seem to do much good. We got Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for her and she soon got well. We always keep this medicine in the house now ready for use and find that it soon cures coughs and colds.'

The Melancholy Days.

Elegy Written in a Coal Bin.

The furnace tolls the knell of falling steam,
The coal supply is virtually done
And at this price, indeed it does not seem
As though we could affor another ton.
Now fades the glossy, cherished anthracite,
The radiators lose their temperature,
How ill avail, on such a frosty night
The short and simple flannels of the poor.

—Exchange.

Snakes, The Farmers' Friends.

Among the best although least [illegible] the harmless snakes, such as the milk-snake, the chicken snake, the garter snake, the bull-snake, the blotched king-snake, the blue-snake, the black-snake, and some others. All of them are the natural enemies of rats, mice, weasels and similar animals that infest farms and village homes, especially where there is poultry or other small live stock.

In an article in the Scientific American, Dr. Robert W. Shufeldt of Washington says that it would well repay every farmer in the country to keep half a dozen harmless vermin-destroying snakes on every acre of his place. Thousands of harmless snakes are killed every year by boys, ignorant farm-hands and misinformed women, although it has been proved that rats, mice and other rodents cause enormous losses to cereal crops

Although most farmers believe that the common chicken-snake haunts their outbuildings in order to feed on their young ducks and chickens, the snake does nothing of the kind; but it does destroy great numbers of mice and other pests.

Harmless snakes are the easiest animal in the world to tame, and it is high time that the false ideas about them should be corrected. More than that, it should be taught that, like birds, they are among the best animal friends the farmer has. If we destroy them, we pave the way for destruction of our forests, our staple farm products, and a good deal else that now and always have been protected by snakes and birds.

—Our Dumb Animals

Uncle Silas (visiting city relatives who used electrical appliances for cooking at the table)—'Well, I swan! You make fun of us for eatin' in the kitchen. I don't see as it makes much difference whether you eat in kitchen or cook in the dining room. —Life.

Army Walked in its Sleep.

In an article 'Sleep for the Sleepless' in the current World's Work [illegible] the French army as follows:

'In the retreat from Mons to the Marne we have an extraordinary human experiment, in which several hundred thousand men secured little sleep during nine days, and in addition made forced marches and fought one of the greatest battles in history.

'How, then, did these men survive nine days apparently without opportunity for sleep? They did an extraordinary thing—they slept while they marched! Sheer fatigue slowed down their pace to a rate that would permit them to sleep while walking. They slept in water, and on rough ground, when suffering the pangs of hunger and thirst, and even when severely wounded. They cared not for capture, not even for death, it only they could sleep.

'The unvaried testimony of the soldiers was that every one at times slept on the march. They passed villages asleep. When sleep deepened and they began to reel, they were awakened by comrades. They slept in water, on stones, in brush, or in the middle of the road as if they had suddenly fallen in death. With the ever oncoming lines of the enemy no man was safe who dropped out of the ranks, for no matter on what pretext he fell out sleep conquered him Asleep many were captured. That the artillery men slept on horseback was evidenced by the fact that every man lost his cap.'

The Manchurian Farmer.

In the early fall in Manchuria, the natives undergo a sort of magic change from farmer to bandit. It seems something of a psychological somersault—one day a plodding farmer, the next a highwayman. After the tall kaoliang, or giant millet, is cut, and escape is not easy over the bare plains, another clap of the hands and lo, a peaceful farmer once more! It is not only the farmer who plays this exciting game; many another staid member of the community has his little fling. Some even combine their roles, differentiating according to the seasons. With the Oriental's disregard to conditions a man is often bandit, merchant and magistrate all at once.—Alice Tisdale, in the December Atlantic.

In an endeavor to break the alleged 'cornor' in potatoes at Portland, Me., the Housewives League executive board on Monday afternoon adopted a resolution urging a boycott on the use of 'spuds.' It is reported, the league states, that 6,000,000 bushels of potatoes are being held in Main for speculation, making prices exhorbitant, and numerous requests have come to the league urging action, Housewives are asked to refrain from buying potatoes, substituting other articles of similiar food value.

System Was Full of Poison; Pains in Side and Back

Had Constipation for Many Years, but Was Entirely Cured by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

The most common ailment and the greatest cause of disease and suffering to-day is constipation. Artificial food and sedentary indoor life combine to induce torpid, sluggish action of the liver, kidneys and bowels. As a result poisonous waste matter remains in the system and gives rise to pains and aches and affords a starting point for serious disease.

Infectious and contagious diseases are little known to persons whose liver, kidneys and bowels are kept in healthful activity, for there are no suitable conditions for disease germs to thrive in. Even common colds usually take their start when they find the system in a constipated, poisoned condition.

Mrs. Ed. Miller, West Flamboro, Ont., writes: "I can truthfully say that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have cured me of constipation. I suffered with constipation almost ever since I can remember, and for four years had pains at the left side of the back. If I walked across the kitchen floor I would have to sit and rest. That, I think, was terrible for a woman of twenty years. The condition of my blood was shown by pimples breaking out on my face. I suffered so much from pains and stiffness in the back, I am sure my system was full of poison. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have entirely cured me, and I feel better than I have felt for many years."

As a cure for constipation Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills stand alone, for by their action on the liver they awaken the activity of this organ, cause a good flow of bile, and hence remove the cause of indigestion, for bile is nature's cathartic. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Boy's Essay on Editors.

A country school boy was told to write an essay on editors, says the Fallbrok, Calif., 'Enterprise', and this is the result

Don't know how newspapers came to be in the world I don't think the good Lord does, for he ain't got nothing to say about an editor in the Bible. I think the editor is one of the missing links you read of and strayed in the bushes until after the flood, and then came out and wrote the thing up, and has been here ever since. I don't think he ever died. I heard of one getting licked.

If a doctor makes a mistake he buries it, and people darsent say nothin'.

'When the editor makes a mistake there is big swearing and a big fuss, but if the doctor makes a mistake there is a funeral, cut flowers and perfect silence.

'A doctor can use a word a yard long without anyone knowing what it is, but if an editor uses one he has to spell it.

'Any old college can make a doctor, but an editor has to be born.'

For Baby's Tender Skin.

A child's skin is tender as well as beautiful and eczema may be caused by chafing of clothing, the use of poor soap, exposure to cold or sudden change of temperature. Probably no treatment for eczema has ever proven so successful as Dr. Chase's Ointment, and this applies particularly to baby eczema. This ointment is delightfully soothing, stops the itching and consequently prevents scratching. Gradually the sores are healed up and the skin is left soft and velvety.

Britain's War Expenditure.

The average daily expenditure of Great Britain is now 5 790,000 pounds, Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, announced in the House of Commons to-day.

The Chancellor said the total expenditure since the beginning of the war was 4 200,000,000 pounds. At the end of the current year the national debt would stand between 3 800,000,000 pounds and 3 900,000,000 pounds. Advances to Allies and Dominions would be approximately 39. [illegible]

The number of applications and the amount applied for by the general public for the new loan, the Chancellor said, were larger than ever.

The election of Councillor Thomas, for Preston, Halifax Co., has been contested in the courts and a decision was fyled on Saturday by Judge Wallace disqualifying him on the grounds of corrupt practices in running his election, both by himself and his agents. There will be a new election, but Thomas will not be in it, because he is disqualified.

'In every tear a rainbow sleeps.'

Are Your Hands Tied?

ARE you discouraged because you are not getting on in the world as you should? Do you feel that something is holding you back? That you are not earning enough money? That you do not have the educational training that lifts men and women up into positions of power and influence?

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