

[FOR THE POST AND TRUE WITNESS.]

PADDY'S VISIT TO THE SHERBROOKE EXHIBITION.

Ye gentle folks throughout this nation, Of high and low and every station, Please listen to my description, And I won't keep you long;

'Twas on the 12th day of September, That day I'm sure I'll long remember, When our Mayor and worthy member, Of honor and renown,

Prepared to give a grand reception, Deyan'd the depth of your conception, Mixed with a little deep deception, To the Marquis of Lansdowne.

Just as the train approached the station, The ladies, with an expectation, Pressed forward to their destination, But never spoke a word;

And rushing on with hurry, scurry, All flushed and all crush and worry, The snobocracy all in a flurry, Were presented to "My Lord."

There was hobnobbing, mobbing, bowing, scraping, The courtly fashions kind of aping, While the dunksy all stood gaping, And staring in amaze,

But when his Lordship reached the station, A muffled shout of exclamation, That raised some Irish indignation, Broke in upon the ear.

Then the grand marshal gave a "roar" As the Colonel shouted out "Salute!" But many an Irishman stood mute, His heart too sad to cheer.

Then were read long, high strung addresses, But bought was said about distresses, Or how the Irish poor he oppresses, In Erin's Emerald Isle.

To these his Lordship then replied, In a tone that told of his inborn pride, But, shame! some people said he lied, For his heart was full of guile.

But what he said I cannot tell, Nor recount the half of what befel, For I started to a grand hotel, To have a little "smile."

I had some with Jim, and John, and Mick, And some with a "strick," And we toasted "O' Old Nick," "With the focus of Erin's Isle."

ERIN GO BRAGH.

THE GREAT YACHT RACE.

How the Thistle was Beaten Yesterday—She Can be Sold for a Certain Price.

New York, Sept. 30.—The second attempt to sail the second race in the two of three match for the America cup was accomplished today.

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CANADA GAZETTE NOTES.

OTTAWA, Sept. 30.—To-morrow's Canada Gazette will contain the following appointments: Frank Harper, of Maple Creek; Monaghan Baker, of Regina; and Walter Routledge, of Regina, to be inspectors of the North-West Mounted Police; John Burnett, of Calgary, to be assistant veterinary surgeon; and Louis Alphonse Pare, of Lachine, P.Q., to be assistant surgeon of the North-West Mounted Police.

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Consumption Surely Cured.

To the Editor— Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. It is simply the use of the 'Pneumonia Cure' which has been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and P. O. address.

Respectfully, DR. T. A. SLOCUM, BRANCH OFFICE: 37 Yonge St., Toronto 23-L

Extract from a French feuilleton:—"This blow was too much for the poor Count, whom so many enemies had broken down; he fell with his face upon the earth some instants after Domingo had finished his recital. When he arose he had ceased to live."

WHY LAURA LOST HER BEAU.

Laura once had an affluent beau, Who called twice a fortnight, or so, Now she sits, Sunday eve, All lonely to grieve, Oh, how she is regretting, And why did he leave Laura so?

Why, he saw that Laura was a languishing, delicate girl, subject to sick headaches, sensitive nerves and uncertain tempers; and knowing what a lifelong trial it would be, he transferred his attentions to her cheerful, healthy cousin, Ellen. The secret is that Laura's health and strength are sapped by chronic weakness, peculiar to her sex, which Ellen averts and avoids by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is the only remedy for women's peculiar weaknesses and ailments, sold by the druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. See guarantee on bottle wrapper.

They were speaking of a miser just deceased. "Did he leave anything?" asked Smith. "He had," was the laconic answer of Fogg.

ONE OF GEN. FORREST'S OLD MEN LUCKY.

As announced, Mr. W. A. Barnhill, of this city, held one-tenth of ticket 21,156, that drew \$50,000 in the August drawing of The Louisiana State Lottery, and received his money—\$5,000—promptly from the First National Bank of this city. He is an old man, 55 years of age, and proposes to manage his fortune so as to live easy and contented the remainder of his life as possible. He served throughout the late war on Gen. N. B. Forrest's staff and made a good soldier. Persistent and patient investor of one dollar each month in the Louisiana State Lottery, and that the practice he has kept up so long, he proposes to continue.—Jackson, Tenn., Tribune and Sun, Aug. 28.

When lightning struck Baxter Vaughan, of Strother, Mo., it cut a hole like a bullet hole in his hat, ran around the rim, then down his back clear to his heels, tearing off in its entire course a narrow strip of skin, and yet Mr. Vaughan lives to tell his queer experience.

He ste green cucumbers; They made him quite sick; But he took a few 'Pellets' And he cured him right quick. An easier physic You never will find Than Pierce's small "Pellets," The Purgative kind. Small but precious. 25 cents per vial.

Texas papers say that the Rio Grande is running so low that it is only ankle deep, and that it is expected to dry up altogether before winter. The prospect is contemplated with alarm by the fruit raisers and vineyardists of that part of the country.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE IN WEAKNESS OF THE STOMACH. Dr. D. P. McClure, Rantoul, Ill., says: "I have successfully used it in diseases arising from a weak condition of the digestive apparatus."

Clement Baldwin was the son of wealthy parents in Ireland and was reared in luxury and riotous living. He squandered his money in various ways, and now in his old age works by the day on the grounds of Union College, Schenectady.

That "Tocin of the Soul, the Dinner Bell," as Byron calls it, suggests no pleasing reflections to the dyspeptic, bilious sufferer. He partakes of the food, but the subsequent torment of food he eats, which lies undigested, a weighty lead in his unhappy stomach. There is a remedy, however, and its name is Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Vegetable Cure. No case is entirely hopeless.

THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

To the Editor of THE POST: Sir