GLUT OF FLOWERS

Hundreds of Tons Diverted From Southern France to England by Paris Floods.

from Southern France into England, a small pension. and there is a glut at Covent Garden. | For an I. R. omeia, 1859, & I crown the candidate selected by the chairman like postage stamp of Great Britain, of the Irish party at the request of Mr. Thomas Shaw, a native of Coat-Daffodils are selling at 3s a dozen, having the watermark "Orbs." the Sicili Isles can be bought at 1s 6d a box of about three dozen.

Postman C. Hadlow was driving the brated his 91st birthday. nine-horsepower motor mail van into Sittingbourne when a massive bullock found at a Sheffield inquest to have The van was disabled, and the mailbags split, but the postman received no hurt. Sobered by the shock the

A baby penguin, a pretty little slategrey bird, with a huge bill, has just driven ashore at Dover, is to be rebeen hatched in the sea-lion's inclos-ure at the Zoological Gardens, where Jamaica, whose eggs are so popular as

Among the wreaths placed on Sir Henry Irving's tomb in Westminster Abbey, in commemoration of the anniversary of his birth, was a laurel chaplet, "From six old Lyceum pit-

The memorial of the late Mr. Richard Seddon, prime minister of New Zealand, has been completed, and the panel is being cast in bronze preparatory to its erection in the crypt of St. Paul's Cathedral, London

living by gathering waste paper in necting the north of London, with the streets rented four houses for a total of £1 3s per week, and by letting separate rooms made a profit of 30s. Held at Plymouth in April in connection with the Sir Francis Drake Bowl-London, with all the usual solemnity, by means of a motor hearse, which transformed, between funerals, into a Hotel, Acle.

an expenditure of over \$500,000. The death is announced of Capt. John J. Dunne, the author, sportsman ficers, Grosvenor Gardens, London, will as they were leaving the building the three years. and artist. The captain, who was in be closed from the middle of March disappointed bridegroom was set upon, his 73rd year, had had a brilliant career as soldier.

Many Tons of Chalk Slipped Away Besides Tall Chimney of the Mills.

Dover at the rear of the oil mills. ber at Cambridge, where the first of Many tons of chalk slipped from just these gatherings was held in 1861. beside the tall chimney shaft of the mills, and there are big fissures on the surrounding chalk threatening the de- the Social Democratic Party is to b struction of the shaft.

Nature is not often at fault, Stulidity and thoughtlessness stiplicity and thoughtlessness of parents are responsible for many of the half-dead men and women we Holt again.

develop vitality and rugged strength. Mrs. Timothy Bristow writes a letter that should set thousands of parents thinking. "My boy and girl, fourteen and sixteen years old, looked" burners, turned on the gas, broke one of the organ pedals, and damaged the pulpit. The service had to be conducted by candlelight. They seemed not to care for play like neighbors' children. They were too effeminate and lacked: something I would have liked to see them possess. I don't know what put it into my head, but I gave up making cookies and sweet dishes, and it didn't take me long to see they were eating more of the right kind of food. I just thought I would give them some my own tonic, "Ferrozone,' and was Scheme To Erect Twenty-Six In Newdelighted with the result. Such an appetite it gave them! They grew fairly fat and had a lovely pink color. I think when such a good tonic as Fer-Rural District Council have just form- will be continued at 31/2 per cent. rozone is available, there is no excuse ulated a scheme for the provision of nourishing food, and Ferrozone, will cost of \$23,000. This is the third give a child a great chance to grow scheme for the district.

old folks too-it's full of nutrition and was held recently, and was one of the blood-building properties and makes most successful events of the kind the weak strong very quickly. Try one ever held in the Omagh district. or two tablets with your meals. Fifty cents per box, six for \$2 50; all deal- Glenfarne, an extensive farmer and Kingston, Canada.

## Her Daughter Took Very Sick As Result Of Catching Cold.

Mrs. Dennis Delaney, Friar's Head N.S., writes: "At the close of the year 1907, our youngest daughter, five years old, took very sick as the result of catching cold. She became very weak and could not move around at all. We consulted doctors and gave her various kinds of medicine but they did not seem to relieve her any. On the advice of a friend I procured a bottle of your valuable remedy, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and after using the first bottle noticeable improvement was the result and after using three bottles she was entirely cured. I can certify that it was through your valuable remedy that she regained her strength and would advise every mother having young ones similarly afflicted to obtain your valuable remedy. For myself I would not be without a bottle in the

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup con-

London, the chairman said that the company had lost £70,000 during the year on frozen meat, owing to enormous shipment of frozen lamb and the fall of prices.

A town-planning scheme for a garden city at the naval base at Rosyth is under consideration, and Sir George Macrae, vice-president of the Scottish local government board, and other officials have made an inspection of the

James Harrison has just retired after 41 years' service in the Cromer Owing to the Paris floods hundreds to save 88 lives. The Royal National of tons of flowers have been diverted Lifeboat Institution has granted him

For an I. R. official, 1890, £1 crown unused, £53 was secured by Messrs. North Mayo with a majority of 40 over pointed city engineer of Omaha, Neb., his ken during his vast clinical Sir Charles Strickland recently cele-

charged the van with lowered horns. killed his wife by throwing a lighted Earl Cranbrook recently opened a

The destroyer Eden, which King Edward has sent presents of live eleven Cape penguins. These are game to the Chelsea Hospital for Wo- from Dublin to England in a balloon trade through bad quality and bad Immortality" (1904), "Aequanimitas men and to the Royal Ear Hospital,

Dean street, Soho. The King has appointed Sir Henry Bell Longhurst, surgeon-dentist his majesty, to be a commander the Royal Victorian Order.

### FARTHING FARES

Experiment of Cheap Travelling.

Middlesex County council will try It was stated at an inquest at Man-the experiment of penny-farthing thester that a woman who earned her fares on a newly-completed line con- Farmers Brutally III-Treat a Man Who in Cardross High-Grade School 85 Per gold. The love of his fellows has come Willesden, Wembley and Acton. An Elizabethan pageant is to be tion with the Sir Francis Drake Bowling Club.

runs swiftly or slowly, as desired, but landed from one of the Norfolk Broads can who wanted to marry their rela- gists. always silently, and which can be by Mr. Edward Rose, of the Bridge tive, a widow with two children, and

of civil engineers, London, will involve and Indian Mutiny veteran, died at

for about three weeks. CLIFF FALL AT DOVER, have been sent to the Anti-Socialist outrageous.

It has been decided to extend the pier at Rhyl into deep water, which will permit of the landing of pleasure steamers at all stages of the tide. The fiftieth church congress will be A heavy fall of cliff occurred at held on the last four days of Septem- which boasted the purest Irish ances- of 12.83 per 1,000.

ruction of the shaft.

At a meeting of Nelson Bros., the Sir Charles Marriott, senior consult ARE YOUR CHILDREN PUNY? Ing physician at died at Kibworth, near Market Harborough, recently. He was 80 years

SUGGESTIVE LETTER TO PARENTS During the hearing of a case of alleged wife neglect against Benjamin During the hearing of a case of al-Holt at Blackpool, the wife stated that she had twice been married to Holt. After her first marriage to Holt she

Their fathers and mothers did not | Prior to the Sunday evening service supply the aid that would have set their body activities into full force to develop virality and rugged strength mantles off all the incandescent gasburners, turned on the gas, broke one

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LABORERS' COTTAGES.

bury at a Cost of \$2,300.

The Newry No. 1 (County Down)

The annual plowing match held by And Ferrozone is a good tonic for the County Tyrone Farming Society

Mr. Wm. Thompson, of Cornacloy,

hamilton, the residence of his son, The "trade" in Ireland is arranging to take concerted action with the view of getting the license clauses and the whiskey duty, so far as they relate to Ireland, omitted from the budget. Mrs. Colvin, an inmate of the Dro-

more West Union Hospital, Sligo, recently received a telegram from King Edward congratulating her on her attainment of her hundredth birthday. Mrs. A. D. Comyn, of Bellinderry, County Galway, wife of Mr. A. D. Comyn, land commissioner, and granddaughter of Daniel O'Connell, the Irish Liberator, died suddenly re-

cently. The lord lieutenant has appointed Most Rev. John Tohill, Bishop of Down and Connor, member of the Intermediate Education Board for Ireland in the room of Archbishop of Dublin resigned.

The congested districts board have completed negotiations for the purchase of the Windsor estate, near

The severest snow storm that has been experienced in Wicklow in forty through lead poisoning. years swept over West Wicklow dur-ben of Mr. John Haining, in his 88th selves to verbiage, so it may be faintness on Saturday.

recently. ter Josephine, and sentenced to 15 of Clydesdale horses.

Bernard Egan.

Leitrim at large, a claim for the al- dence in Omaha. leged malicious burning of a quantity of hay and farming implements.

was as being required to complete the two gether. buildings being set down at about

was tried on Feb. 15 by John Dunville packing. and A. Pollock, two Belfast aeronauts, The feat, which has been accomplished ed Dalkeith with a site for an infec- (1908), "An Alabama Student and of undertaking.

found suffocated in a small room in versity Monday, at which the scheme their house at Admore, Kilkerrin, refor international exchange of stu-Middlesex County Council Will Try the cently. A pot of fire stood in the centre of the floor.

### STOPPING WEDDING.

Would Marry Their Relative.

Three Athlone farmers were fined £1 each and sentenced to a month's Weighing 24 pounds, a pike was brutal attack on a returned Ameri- young graduates are avowed suffra- are the words of Dr. J. C. Wilson: ab.
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The three farmers wanted to prevent this, and made certain statements to the parish priest. As a consequence, when the couple entered the church, constitution and Indian Mutiny veteran, died at the parish priest of the public libraries and public libraries and provided again for the public libraries King Edward VII.'s Hospital for Of- the priest refused to marry them, and question cannot be raised again for ed. But when he left Toronto there

lord justice of appeal, left £24,500. The death is announced of Captain John J. Dunne, the author, sportsman, artist and ex-soldier. Born in Queen's County in 1837 he came of a family try, and before all came his passionate love for his native country.

POORHOUSE ROBBED.

Enterprising Dundee Burglar Gets Away With \$300 Booty.

managed to get a haul of \$300 from a local poorhouse.

fewer than three maiden courts in mediately bring forward the supreme

unfit for food.

the county of Morayshire. Southwick school has been closed owing to influenza, which has affected brought before the House we will stake nearly every house in the parish. The rate of interest on landed se-

curities in Scotland from Whitsunday There are 67 families in Edinburgh for delicate children. Certainly lots of 26 laborers' cottages at an estimated paying \$150 and upwards of rent, and say they are unable to pay rates. Capt. John Donaldson, of the Leith trawler Malta II., has been fined \$1,-100 for trawling within the limit. The Firth of Forth herring fishing move on," and in this respect no truer has proved a complete failure, and American than Dr. Osler ever lived.

The Edinburgh Tory lawyer candier The Catarrhozone Company, butter and egg merchant, died sudden- dates were nearly all defeated, while University of Baltimore. In 1889 when ly on Feb. 1, at Cherrybrook, Manor- the Liberal ones were mostly success-

## A DISAPPOINTMENT.

Into Parliament.

To the disappointment of some 80,-000 miners throughout Scotland none year 1905. of the candidates who were put up for Parliament in Lanarkshire, Ayrshire and Fifeshire, was successful. Saltcoats town council have dewhich had accumulated at sand West Esplanade wall to the ladies'

# COUGHING BURST

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WINTER IN WICKLOW. bathing ground and deposit it on the help them on with his cheery friendrocks there.

been awarded the \$1,380 craved, with pathy. expenses, for the death of her husband The death has occurred at Lochma-entific monographs do not lend them-

and continued with unabated fierce- year. For many years he was a prominent agriculturist, being for two gen- that a partial record of his publications At the city commission in Dublin erations proprietor and manager of down to the year 1997 fills fifteen col-Thomas Doyle was found Halleaths farm, which was famed for umns of the quarto catalogue of the guilty of the manslaughter of his sis- its herd of Shorthorn cattle and breed Surgeon-General's Library at Wash-

years' penal servitude. The prisoner served in the Boer war.

Ald. Daniel Boyle, of Manchester, died suddenly in the train near Uddington. He was one of the most

local Nationalists, was returned for bridge, who three years ago was apis dead. In 1883 he went to Canada, At Cavan quarter sessions, Judge where he was engaged in the construc-Drummond, K. C., awarded \$600 com-tion of the Canadian Pacific Railroad. pensation to be levied off the County Two years later he took up his resi-

in which some hundreds of boats are humanism, a scholar, a thinker, a pubscheme for the erection of the engaged, has this season proved a lic man. He is, incidentally, a no hurt. Sobered by the shock the magnificent new drillhall at Tonbridge Baltinglass school is coupled with a complete failure, and a considerable sionate, bibliophile.

To the Kent units of the territorial scheme for the erection of a similar number of vessels have been comscheme for the erection of a similar number of vessels have been com- American professor his lectures and school in Arklow, the sum estimated pelled to abandon operations alto- addresses on general topics had be-

Mr. Skinner, general inspector of An attempt to cross the Irish Sea porters risk losing their continental eral fascinating relation of several porters and the continental eral fascinating relations of several fascinating relations of several fascinating relations and the continental eral fascinations and the continental eral fascinations are continental eral fascinations.

several times, is counted a dangerous tious diseases hospital, and has promother Biographical Essays" ised a donation toward the erection A man named Canavon and his wife, both aged about 50 years, together with their son, aged 9 years, were sided at a meeting in Aberdeen Unisided at a which the scheme

### dents was explained. GIRL SUFFRAGISTS.

Cent of Young Graduates Want

Miss Murray, Cardross, states that

Large catches of herring were land-'settle in the place," a small farm. ed at Campbelltown recently by trawl- There is no authentic record of the

Large flockmasters and their shepknocked down, and badly beaten. The herds report the recent weather as same, with singing; and when he took The tiger in pallid fear no more in magistrates said the assault and the having been as severe as any within his departure from Philadelphia we

The late Gerald FitzGibbon. Irish paid the unemployed over \$14,065 for and now that he is going to leave the doing work which a contractor offered country there is universal sorrow and In marshes perilous and rank The total number of deaths register-cooked."

> Lord Provost McInnes Shaw, of Glasgow, suggests the amalgamation of the tion of post-prandial jocosity. At 61

## CHURCHILL EXPLAINS

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ity in the new House of Commons who bind together the old world and the Of Teddy's stick, come, hasten, fly are united in support of the proposals we make for dealing with the Lords and their veto, it would be idle and it would be foolish-it would not be in the interests An enterprising Dundee burglar has of the cause we are seeking to advancefor us to declare and prescribe the action which must follow. When these facts are established a new situation will have During last month there were no been created, and that situation will imcrisis of the Government. (Loud cheers.) We are going to take immediate steps-During the year 14,272 lodgers made subject only to the necessary financial use of Elgin corporation lodging- business-to come to a final test upor this question. (Loud cheers.) Some delay Sir John Macpherson has been re- is inevitable. Where every step is fraughelected chairman of Forres Leanchoil with grave consequences to the state and with peril to the cause, deliberate and During the past quarter 86 pounds of measured action is not merely prudent meat were destroyed in Elgin as being but decent. The House must await the proposals of the Government with pa-A scheme is to be formulated for the tience. In the meanwhile the administramedical inspection of the schools in tion of the country must proceed with smoothness and efficiency. The time will be very short, and when the proposals are are the words of the Bible. our whole existence upon carrying them into law. (Prolonged cheers.)

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"The test of the true American," has been well said, "is the impulse to fishermen have abandoned it alto- This time his move was an epoch-making one. He was called to be profes-sor of medicine in the Johns Hopkins he went to it the strangely-named university was not even a name to Europeans. Now it stands in the first rank in the world as a medical school. Sixteen years of Osler's work were responsible for that elevation. It was Scottish Miners' Candidates Did Not Get at Johns Hopkins that he perfected his methods as a medical teacher, and gathered to himself the reputation that led to his final call to Oxford in the

A Friend to Young Men. It was the opening of the Johns Hopkins Hospital which had called him to Baltimore. There he found himself cided to remove a large quantity of faced with a great problem of organithe zation. It was universally expected that the newly-founded medical school would make a new contribution to higher medical education, and would not content itself with merely falling into line with the many overworked hospital schools of the country. Osler Says Danger Avoided and Cures solved the problem by demanding from those who entered the school a far higher standard of qualification than Castlebar, County Mayo, on which there is a large number of grazing land farms containing 500 acres.

At the Newry Port and Harbor Trust meeting on Feb. 3, the secretary, George R. Armstrong, J.P., mentioned that during the ten months ended the 1st inst., the imports of coal were 45,970 register tons.

Ireland has the longest river and the biggest lake in the British Isles. Indee, Lough Neagh's dimensions are only exceeded in Europe by a very of the seysten of the sustant of the medical press states that coughing is responsible for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these in turn indicate that the body is full of poisons and waste matter. Simple relief, as found in patent cough medical press states that coughing is responsible for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these in turn indicate that the body is full of poisons and waste matter. Simple relief, as found in patent cough medical press states that coughing is responsible for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these in turn indicate that the body is matter. Simple relief, as found in patent cough medical press states that coughing is responsible for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these in turn indicate that the body is walked the wards of the Johns Hoptonian than was known elsewhere, and by giving a full erresponsibility and ampler opportunities to the selected men who walked the wards of the Johns Hoptonian than was known elsewhere, and by giving a full erresponsibility and ampler opportunities to the selected men who walked the wards of the Johns Hoptonian than was known elsewhere, and by such that coughing is responsible for the full erresponsibility and ampler opportunities to the selected men who walked the wards of the Johns Hoptonian that the body A writer for the medical press states was known elsewhere, and by giving a

ship. He does not wait for them to In an Edinburgh arbitration case come to him; he seeks them out, and the Severest Snowstorm the Country Has under the workmen's compensation they freely help themselves from the act, the widow of a compositor has stores of his knowledge and his sym-

His Wide Culture. No harder worker ever lived. Sci-

ly realized what is meant by the fact ington. His great book on the "Principles and Practice of Medicine" reached a seventh large edition. He has edited a "System of Medicine" in seven volumes. He has written authoritatively on every aspect of the art of medicine which has come within perience. Even the best of medical men tend to narrowness in their scientific brilliance, but Osler is the two or three leading physicians who are men of really wide culture. The Firth of Forth herring fishing, He is a humanist of the great days of come famous. With ampler leisure he has been able to indulge this side of eral fascinating volumes. "Science and and Other Addresses" (1904), "Counsels The Duke of Buccleuch has present- and Ideals" (1905), "Thomas Linacre" here we have in the mere by-products of a busy scientific teacher an output equal in quantity and quality to the product of a literary specialist.

The Real Man.

But when all is said the man is greater than his work. Osler might have had all his ability, yet he might have done little with it if he had not possessed also a personality of pure to him wherever he has wandered, and he has been a wanderer since his boyhood. An amusing passage from a valedictory oration delivered in New York before his departure for England imprisonment in default of finding in one of the higher grade girls' gives some idea of the place be filled scureties for good behavior, for a schools in the city 85 per cent of the in the hearts of his colleagues. These

"The remarkable thing is that further he moves the more he is missed They were caught in Lough state of mind of that far settlement The of Ontario which he left in early in-Musselburgh has voted against fancy, nor of the nature of the repast were tears and sorrow, and something

Collected by a working woman in magistrates said the assault and the marriage were living memory.

Manchester and Salford, 323 shillings attempt to stop the marriage were living memory.

Clydebank distress committee have together with terrapin and champagne; had emotions we could not suppress. This mighty hunter's piercing glance the largest medical dinner ever ed in Edinburgh during a recent week It has been his fate to give the most was 89, equal to an annual mortality striking possible refutation of his own

theory of old age, a theory, by the way, infirmaries in the city, with a he is a marvel of youthful vitality and view to greater economy of manage- elasticity. He brings with him into ment and efficiency of administra- the musty lecture-room and pedantic But, oh, ye fakirs, one and all. common-rooms of Oxford a fresh breeze of virility and optimism and large humanity. He has shaken our old men, and sounded the charge to our young men, in the army of medi-

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And there is joy in jungledom. For Teddy's coming back Now king now more, alack!-

Teddy is coming back cine, and, by the charm of his per- But oh, ye fakirs, one and all, sonality, he has wrought new links to Who have felt the awful whack

# SHAKESPEARE CONTEST BEGINS ON SATURDAY, APRIL 2ND acres are in seed and a bountiful harvest is cromised. On the commentation

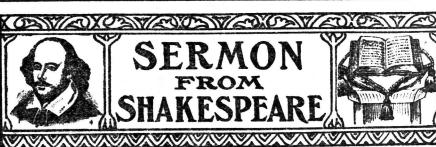
cative Feature.

It Costs Nothing to Try for the Readers of The Advertiser are ad- There comes a blighting frost, hall de-\$600 Cash Competition—Just \$600 to be distributed in the form of the product of the labor of months is 326 cash prizes among those who re- destroyed. But his debts do not cease Fill in the Coupon—An Edu-turn the best answers to ten questions, to grow. Through security, "mortal's These questions will be based upon 52 chiefest enemy," a burden of debt has Shakespeare sermons, beginning in The Advertiser on Saturday, April 2. The that it may take years to shake off. Shakespeare is undoubtedly the day. It costs nothing to enter the voices speaking to him, endeavoring. greatest product of the Anglo-Saxon competition. Merely read the sermon with siren tone to lell him into race. His words of wisdom are as printed today and fill in the coupon feeling of security that will ultimately much a part of every-day speech as below, asserting your intention to read cause him to become shipwrecked. Thous- the 52 sermons beginning April 2. The The penitentiaries are filled with men ands talk of his greatness; only tens sermon in this issue will give you an knows him at first hand. By taking idea of the quality of those to follow quick" witch. An alluring voice is gems from the rich mine of Shake- We have been printing these introduc- prompting to bet on this horse or buy speare's poetical works and showing tory sermons for some weeks to that stock. The victims yield; the their full significance to the public, the arouse and sustain interest in the comauthor of our weekly "Sermon from ing contest. Fill in the coupon and ad-Shakespeare" is doing a task that is dress to Editor Shakespeare Club, Advertiser, London, Ont.

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And you all know security Is mortal's chiefest enemy.

Macbeth, Act II., Sc. 3.

ness, and they determined to lead him in time of war. The runner who keeps on to his destruction. A sense of se- his body in training before a race is curity was to be his chief enemy. By the one who usually wins the prize. their prophecies they gave him a con-The witches in Macbeth are the em- fidence that was to be his undoing. secrets was his attitude to young men.

In England, unfortunately, our older men tend too often to suppress their upon unwary, wavering, or wickedly.

A feeling of security has been the cause of the downfall of many kings and statesmen. Caesar felt secure in him. Perhaps the greatest of all his bodiment of the evil influences of the A feeling of security has been the men tend too often to suppress their upon unwary, wavering, or wickedlyjuniors. They deliberately try to keep inclined souls. Banquo and Macbeth own stamp. He was a star of which

always on his guard. been a Cromwell the daggers of the assassins would never have reached him. Before the battle of Agincourt the French troops spent the night in merriment and feasting, the English in watching and prayer.

The confident and over-lusty French Do the low-rated English play at dice.

Despite their vast superiority in numbers the French, through their sense of security, their over-confi dence were defeated by the watchful English.

It is not necessary to go to ancien history for illustrations of the evil effect of over-confidence. A sense of security caused the British tremendous loss of life and treasure in South Airi A sense of security had much t do with the defeat of the Rusian Go liath by the Japanese David. In business life it is the manufacturer is successful. He has built up a prosperous industry. grows over-secure in his own mind He forgets that reverses may come He spends extravagantly, building palaces and purchasing pleasures that enervate. When reverses come he has not a sufficient rest fund laid aside and finds himself ruined. Even the farmer does not escape the evils of wer-confidence. He has moiled and toiled to clear his ground. His broad vest is promised. On the expectation of his crop he borrows and spends.

Debt grows while the crop is growing. greater the risk the more secure they feel, and in an evil moment often mis appropriate funds in their control; and the witches that hover over the stock exchange and the race track laugh demoniacally as they prepare their

hell-broth for other victims. ever-confidence, has been the downfal of thousands. Men feel secure in their strength of will. They indulge in pleasures which, in moderation, may be harmless but which, if practiced to excess, are baneful. Unless they are continually on their guard, ever watchful, their feet will slip and their powers of resistance become weakened St. Paul gave excellent advice to mankind when he said, 'For when I am weak, then am I strong." There is always hope for a man who has his eye on the weak spots in his character Men subject to temptation cannot afford for one moment to cease to guard against the tempter. The battle is not to the physically and numerically strong; it is to the watchful. A pygmy continually on guard has an imnense advantage over a giant that sometimes sleeps. The individual who recognizes how fallible he is, who expects, but does not fear, plots, conspiracy, misfortune, is better fitted to fight the battle of life than one who over-confident. When storms come the latter and beat upon his house ne will find that he has builded on shifting sands. Only eternal watchfulness makes nations or men secure. The nations who look to their fleets and armies in time of peace are the most likely to be the successful ones