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assist those who have neither ability nor The places where advertising ought to opportunity to investigate and reason public works. With infinitely better be done are not only the Eastern Prov- for themselves; but let us not forget inces, Great Britain, the Middle West, that the fountain of everlasting truth is Easter and Southern States, for the rail- as open to-day as it was in the days of he was here last year and inspected the building. It would, however be absurd to put the responsibility upon either to put the responsibility upon either to put the responsibility upon either way company is interested in seeing Simeen, "the just and devout," or of building. It would, however be absurd travel come here from the Pacific States, Enoch, who "walked with God." that is from the point of view of its is income when the data when the d

now the various phenomena of nature zen of the United States after a residence British government." What a fool a OPERATIONS ON 'CHANGE. are accepted by very superior people as in that country continuously for five paper can be when it tries. It would The Bulls at Last Assert Themselves the true explanation of the hopes, fears, years. He cannot do so any sooner un- puzzle the Nelson Tribune to beat this, an Advance in Prices Results. beliefs and superstitions of humanity, der any circumstances; but if he de- for downright asimine lying. This is more attractive, but it is not clares his intention to become a citizen, NEW YORK, Oct. 1 .- The bulls made their

This is more attractive, but it is not clares in intended to be added in different in principle from the medize-val notion which explained everything obscure by assigning it to the devil. Some very distinguished names have been and are associated with this new been and are associated with this new theory, which some people accept with the one other privileges, but he remains an alien unless after five people?

tiplication table. One might suppose that, as we have living in the world tc-day every type of humanity from the Blackmen of Australia to the new woman, it might be possible to discover somewhere the evolution of a religion from natural phenomena, the saven-tion of the idea of a god from the thur.

THE World, not this terrestrial sphere but the Vancouver Zewspaper of that ilk, has celebrated its ninth anniversary. May it live long and prosper. It has been a very useful paper to Vancouver and the province generally. THE CANADIAN PRESS. THE CANADIAN PRESS. fact that, as Ingersoll so eloquently says, the attractive title of an attractive book May it live long and prosper. It has

peak, of our Coast indians is determined and of such of the Dominion in point of fact apparently more mysteri-ous than ever. If the savage tribes of the world are advancing in their conceptions of a deity, there is certainly no evidence of it. In other words, there is no such process of evolution now going on as must be postalised in order to account is a growing tendency to believe that all were the derivation of the logy and myth-beautiful character of the more wars made with the other is a growing tendency to believe that all the investige of the logy from natural phenomena. It is well to keep this in mid, because that all the is a growing tendency to believe that all the investige of the logy from advantages of the logy advantages of the logy from advantages of the logy

holdings were still believed to be outstand-ing. But the general market's tendency to-day was upward, many shares scoring sharp advances. The sharp reaction of the autumn, which has been witnessed in every 'bull' movement of the generation but at the idea of which the tipsters of a month ago scoffed vigorously, has come to pass. The reactionary process means, as every-body eught to know that stocks have gone in the reactionals, able to naw for them and the political situation remained unchanged .- Rossland Miner.

NO REASON IN THE WORLD. If California fruit can be marketed in England successfully, there is no reason why British Columbia fruit should not

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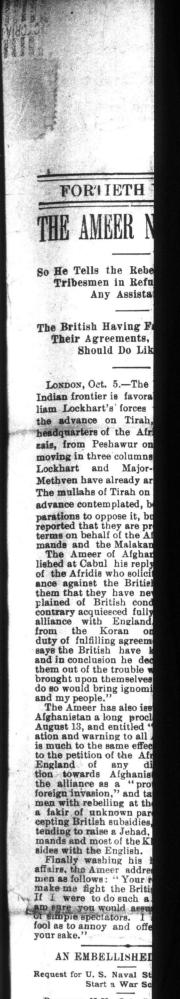
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BUFFALO, N.Y., Oct. 5. the Evening News fro Conn., says: "That th strongly anticipates serio Spain is shown by the n secretly yesterday to the number of the largest steam yachts on the Atlan capacity and fighting str vessels and other comm view to their being enro cruisers in the navy. "A further request Morning Union learns or for the owners to hold readiness to turn the ves government at a mon intimation being given found for them shortly.

the least reason for any jealousy between Victoria and Vancouver on this subject. If the facts of the case are rightly understoed abroad the number of people, who will purchase supplies in these cities, will be enough for both. No good reason can be given why the two places should not act in harmony in this matter, the his friend is immeasurable. We can tell railway company co-operating impar- to a fraction what power it would take ing a few dollars worth of goods to a few no means of testing the potency of an hundred people, but of selling hundreds agency that can elevate humanity to a

THE ORIGIN OF RELIGION.

fancy knows something of this power. Many persons will remember the story How it can be best developed, how the of the Irishman who came upon a stone results of its or eration can be made beside the highway on which was en- most effectual, are matters of detail with graved, "Miles from Brighton 40," and which the churches, with their creeds soliloquized thus: " Poor Miles, and he and services, have to do. But religion was from Brighton and only forty itself has its origin in that innate power years old; but what had he done to be within us that works for the bett ment buried here?" It was probably this 'sf humanity, and with ut which man-want an agent in that city, there would buried here?" It was probably this of numericy, and which would appear to be no good appear to be no good otherwise have long ago perished from should not have due? fifteen years or more ago, "Glad stone, a the earth. What have been the influ-Sun Myth" as the title of an article. ences which have contributed to the The article was supposed to have been development of the great systems of

written in the this neth century. Some religion must be left for future inquiry; fragmentary references to Gladstone had but it may be said, in conclusion, that been preserved, and one of the moot there is a vast difference between reliquestions of the day was as to gion and a religion. whether he was a man, a demi-god or a

creation of poetic fancy. In the course A SILLY notion is prevalent in some of his wanderings through one of the quarters that the oath of allegiance to central counties of England the writer the United States is in some special claimed to have found a stone on which manner directed against Great Britair, were the characters "90 M," the 9 being The Times of this city seems to post set linto Rossland, an Extensive smelter at made something like an italic "g." A that idea. The oath of allegian of the dr near Robson and aerial trar ways foot note to the article said that the prescribed by the statutes of the " jurged for the transportation of ore fr an the stone was one of the regular milestones States to be taken by aliens on ' attrai- mines of the Trail Creek and S' ocan dison a well-known highway. Reading the zation is substantially the sa' ne at that tricts, are'd the greatest inter est. They inscription as though it were g o m, the taken by aliens who become naturalized writer interpreted it Grand Old Man, in British / countries. It requires the structed a most amusing and apparently country and to renor determine allegiance to plausible theory that Gladstone never his former country. My he is a British lived, but was simply a sun myth. The subject he renound this allegiance to article had a double purpose, one to Great Britain, if a Arenchman to France, afford amusement and the other and prin- and so on. The cipal to satirize the tendency of the day is that the par Av renvances all allegiance to explain away everything in religion to other cour

Human nature is conscious of something beyond what can be discovered by the EVERY one who admires nobility of five senses. There are forces at work character, strength of purpose and sound more stupendous even than those which practical wisdom will hope that the keep the planets in their orbits. Those can be measured; but the power that age men rarely rally from serious illness. ver World. He has been very close to death on sev eral occasions in recent years, but as yet

his marvellous vitality has conquered level above brutality and selfishness. Every human being who has passed in-

what seemed to be hopeless conditions. THE World wants some or appointed

LONDON, Oct. 1.-A despatch to the at Vancouver to sell provincial mining Times from Melbourne says: The govlicenses. At prese at the nearest agency ernment of New South Wales asserts is New Westmanster. The distance between the two towns is not very great,

and the inconvenience of going to New Westminster cannot be very serious.

Nevertheless, if the people of Vancouver turers have readily undertaken that mant an agent in that city, there would contract at \$25 per ton,

NORTHERN CANNIBALISM. Proof Allered to Have Been Found at

THE Rossland Miner is a staunch Lib-Greely's Camp-Peary Benies It eral paper; supports the local govern-

Boston, Sept. 29.—In a newspaper in-terview, Assistant Engineer Knight, of Lient. Pearv's ship Hope, tells a very ment, and is strongly opposed to running provincial politics on federal lines. Here is another proof of the inaccuracy of the statement of the Victoria Times that the World is the only Liberal paper in Brit-ish Columbra that is opposed to its fad.

Tire plans of the Canadian Pacific an 4 Greek Affairs. Its associates, which include a railw av ATHENS, Oct. 1 .- The white book pre-

sented to the chamber 'confirms the statement that Germany 'threatened to withdraw from the concert of the powers withdraw from the concert of the powers in the event of Greece not accepting the peace conditions, and also comfirms the statements made regarding the warning to Greece which the French minister of foreign affairs, M. 'Hänotaux, issued on May 30, relative to the internal situation in the country, 'declaring any attempt upon the dynasty would threaten the very existence of Greece.

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The Wellington Enter prise says perfect cyclone of ch arges" has been broaght against the Provincial government. The dictionary describes a syclone as "wind moving in a circle."

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to explain away everything in rengion pecially to or mythology by supposing their origin to be sun myths. More recently the country t silleriane which he previously owed rule of "the stern and haughty adminsun myth has dropped out of sight, and allegianc . Which he previously owen intration of the represe ives of the

 Ports. This matter should receive immediate attention.—Midway Advance. LOST, STOLEN OR STRAYED.
 Where, oh where is our Moses! Has be got lost in the bull rushes?—Grand Forks Miner.
 THE TRRESPONSIBILITY OF OPPOSITION. The reckless writing indulged in by the Victoria Times is evidenced by the following excerpt from its columns: "We do not believe there are a dosen Liberals in the province who will sup-the totorias." Anybody who knows anything is aware that hup-reds, yee thousands, of Liberals b. we supported Mr. Turner's admin'.stration and no doubt still conting. to do so.-Vancou-ver World.
 Mex South Wales Found Difficulty in Plac. practical Wisdom Will hope that the post the Turner government at the com-Pope's illness will not prove fatal and that he may be spared to discharge the duties of his exalted position. He is, however, in his 88th year, and at that

Ne,w South Wales Found Difficulty in Placing the Order in England

Contains all the News BY WAY OF VARIETY. "Why were vou discharged from your last place?" asked the merchant of the ap-plicant for a situation. "I was discharged for good behavior, "I was discharged for good behavior,

that it has found such difficulty in sir. Wasn't that a singular reason for dis

placing in England an order for 2,000 tons of steel rails of high carbon quality

Stately Butler (reprimanded by "drs. Par-venue)—I would like to call r drs. Par-tention to the fact that I hav dalaways had masters, while madam has dalaways had servants.

Couldn't Do It Him self-Weary-Yes'm; discnyvered a w sry rich gold mine in Al-

asky. She (inter sted)-And didn't you stake a

to say that I was right." The second floor front was furious. "A woman who will serve hash with hair in it," he insisted, "ought to be hanged." "Isn't that rather a severe penalty for mere tress-passing?" faltered the hall bed-room, who could be as mean as if he were the parlor down-stairs.

"Why do prosperous men always say that he ladger of success is made up of broken rounds?" "Well, they do it that other fellows won't "Wy, Bridget, you have too much salt in the hash." "O know it ma'am" the ladder of success is made up of broken

in the has

"Oi know it, ma'am." "Then why did you make it so salty?"

"Because, ma'am you said yesterday that here wasn't nearly salt enough in it, and o Oi put in too much this time to kind o' aven it up.

LONDON, Oct. 1. - Chief Justice Tait, of Montreal, and Former Chief Justice Hagarty, of the Province of Ontario, have been officially gazetted as knights. Not long ago a servant living in Derby Not long ago a servant living in Derby-shire gave notice to leave her situation, in-forming her mistress that she was about to be married. As the time drew near for leaving, she addressed her mistress thus: "Please, mum, have you got a girl yet?" "No, Bridget; why do you ask?" "Be-cause, if you haven't, I should like to

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placing in England an order for 2,000 tons of steel rails of high carbon quality that it has been compelled to place the order in America, where the manufac-order in America, where the manufac-stately Butler (reprimanded by "ars. Par-lif you want to keep your friends informed, you cannot do better than send them TEK SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST. better than send them TER SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST. PRICE 5 CENTS PER COPY,

> stay." "What! I thought you were going to marry the sweep!" ''Oh, yes, ma'arb, replied Bridget, hesitatingly, 'but when I saw him after his face was washed I fe t T couldn't love him."-Answers. Toxosto, Oct. 2. -Serious fire, are re-from Blackstock, 'jrimsby, Thurso, Markham and Kin yaton. At

SEVEN COLUMNS.

Thurso. Markham and Kin ston. At Mrs. Greene-I suppose you miss your husband a great deal? The Bereaved One -Oh, yes. It seems so strange not to have to leave the gas burning for somebody when you go to bed.-Boston Transcript.

Middlesex Nomi gation.

Saved His Life: "Once I worked in a soap factory," began the millitant anar-chist— An omnous growl arose from the assemblage. "From midnight until 2 o'clock, trying to open the safe." With the fickleness of men they changed their curses to cheers,—Indianapolis Journal. AILSA CRAIG, Oct. 2. - The North Middiesex Conservative', have nominated with ex-warden C. Hodg' ms, of Biddulph as their candidate in the approaching pro-vincial elections. Mr. Hodgins has not

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Many Fires.

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The Pope. LONDON. Oct. 1 .- The Globe this afternoon her is that the Pope's weakness is

our; a lync io. Not of matches. There, a bost this morning."—Atlanta Constitution. I "No, I can make you no contribution. I don't believe in sending out foreign mis-tomaries." "But the Scriptures command hungry." The man of "How hungry." The man of increating and church dignitaries are afrait, that he will not rally from the extrer le weakness and exhaustion he nov

don't believe in sending out foreign mis-sionaries." "But the Scriptures command us to feed the hungry." The man of wealth shrugged his shoulders. "Well, I'd feed them something cheaper than mis-sionaries." he rejoined, with the brus-querie that characterizes his class.—Ch' cago News.

A Village Burned. Ontexes, Oct. 1 .- A fire which broke out early this morning at Willow

anys.

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