

COOK'S FRIEND BAKING POWDER IS PURE, HONEST GOODS Will do MORE WORK for SAME COST than any other composed of equally safe ingredients.

YOUTHS DEPARTMENT.

TO BEGIN.

This is one of the little games with which one may begin the evening at a party, or the first recreation at a new school, or any other occasion when young folks are prone to be stiff and awkward. The persons present stand or sit in a row, and a number is given to each and he retains it throughout the game.

USEFULNESS.

There are few qualities more valuable to the possessor or more highly appreciated than that of usefulness. The useful boy is a treasure at home; a help to father and mother, a counsellor to brothers and sisters, a trusted companion.

A MAGNETIC PLANT.

There has been discovered in the forests of India a strange plant which possesses to a very high degree of astonishing magnetic powers. It has been named the Phytolacca electrica.

A STRANGE BAIT.

"Wanted, fat babies for crocodile bait; will be brought home alive." When I first saw this advertisement in a Caylon newspaper, said Richard Kingham, "I thought it was a joke. Afterwards I learned that it was by no means a joke."

CHEATING A DOG.

There is something in the intelligence of the shepherd dogs that seems to put this and that together, and then set upon conclusions, just as if they walked upright like boys.

The dog went out to seek the cow. When he had once more stretched himself before the fire the shepherd uttered for the third time his words of warning. Then it was worth a gold pen to see the dog's expression.

MONSTER DEVIL FISH.

There was a great deal of curiosity exhibited yesterday on the arrival of the devil fish captured on Friday in the bay, says the Mobile Register. The immense fish, lying on the barge Cura at the foot of Elysia street, was baited by hundreds of white and colored persons and all were greatly astonished at its immense size.

THE MISCHIEF THEY DID.

There are a couple of boys up in one of the suburbs who have to add to their prayers a special thanksgiving that so far they have escaped falling into my hands. They shot forty birds the other day for a wager of a dollar.

SHARK KILLING.

A couple of boys captured a shark weighing 400 pounds off South Stamford, Conn., the other day. The boys were out with a boat and seine. Suddenly, well up in the course of the day, they saw a monster fish of some sort.

Boycotting Before Boycott.

"I am old enough," writes G. de B. to the World, "to remember a case of boycotting which occurred many years before Captain Boycott was heard of beyond the classic precincts of Ballinrobe. It was in Dublin, before the 'Liberator' enjoyed his title or his 'rind.'"

NATIONAL COLONIZATION LOTTERY.

Under the Patronage of the Rev. Father Kavelle. Established in 1854, under the Act of Quebec, 33 Vict., Chap. 35, for the benefit of the Diocesan Societies of Colonization of the Province of Quebec.

"Indigenous Bitters"

The most economic and at the same time the most effectual stomachic, and aid to digestion.

The INDIGENOUS BITTERS owe their popularity to the most important qualities which any medicinal preparation could have: an efficacy at all times certain, the absence of any dangerous ingredient and a moderate price.

The INDIGENOUS BITTERS consist of a combination in exact proportions of a large number of roots and barks, highly valuable, on account of their medicinal virtues, as tonics, stomachics, digestives and cruratives.

SOLE PROPRIETOR:

S. LACHANCE DRUGGIST, 1538 & 1540 ST. CATHERINE STREET, MONTREAL.

JOHN FOSTER,

Practical Sanitarian, PLUMBER, GAS and STEAMFITTER, TIN and SHEET-IRON WORKER, 117 College Street. Telephone 2582

Bermuda Bottled.

"You must go to Bermuda. If you do not I will not be responsible for the consequences." But, doctor, I can assure neither the fish nor the doctor.

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF PURE NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL.

It sometimes calls for Bermuda Bottled, and many others. Consumption, Bronchitis, Cough or Severe Cold. I have THREE with me and the advantage is that the most sensitive stomach can take it.

Off for Rome.

OTTAWA, September 8.—Archbishop Duhamel and Vicar-General Routhier leave for Rome on Monday next. Their mission is in connection with the division of the Montreal and Ottawa dioceses and the appointment of new bishops.

Walking Over Niagara.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., September 6.—The great blizzard and all other things which walk over Niagara cranked have been outdone by the plucky Toronto photographer, S. J. Dixon, this afternoon, who walked a cable seven eighths of an inch in diameter stretched across the Niagara gorge, between the Suspension and cantilever bridges in the presence of 3,000 people.

The Clergy, and our readers in general, are respectfully requested to forward us for publication reports of proceedings of interest to the Church and education that may take place in their respective localities.

Prince Edward Island crops are so far very promising. Bears are reported killing the sheep in Grenville township.

COMMERCIAL. MONTREAL MARKET QUOTATIONS.

FLOUR, GRAIN &c.

Flour.—Receipts during the past week were large, and the shipments to Newfoundland heavy. The market during the week has been scarcely so firm, the sharp decline in Chicago wheat having produced an easier feeling.

FRUITS, &c.

Apples.—Receipts of Fall stock have been in excess of requirements. Sales of Choice Alexander have been made at \$2.50 per box. Good fine Duchesse have sold \$2.75 to \$3.

LEATHER AND HIDES.

Latest business shows that there is no abatement to the firm feeling which actuates holders at present, and the firmness is evidently no temporary affair, but has come to stay.

MONTREAL HORSE EXCHANGE.

The receipts of horses at these yards for week ending Sept. 6, were as follows: Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Calves, 3022 1736 316 56

PROVISIONS.

PORK, LARD, ETC.—The Customs has put a little extra pressure on the provision trade which is calling for considerable protest, and one of the parties concerned has gone, or is going, up to Ottawa to interview the Minister.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter.—Receipts during the past week were 4,255 packages against 3,017 packages for the week previous. The market keeps firm on choice late made creamery, and sales have been made of round lots of August at 18c to 18 1/2c.

CHEESE.

The market continues firm with an upward tendency in prices. There has been considerable loss during the week as prices for the late made creamery cheese are being sold at 12c to 13c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Eggs.—The receipts have been large during the past few days, and supplies are increasing rapidly in the country the grain being ripe, and the hens are making, hay while the sun shines.

BEANS.

The market continues firm at the advance quoted last week, and we retain our quotations as follows:—Good to choice white medium, \$1.80 to \$2 per bushel. The market in this city could not be replaced as the prices now run high.

HONEY.

Several lots of choice Ontario white clover honey have been received, sales of which have been made at 16c to 17c per section of 1 lb. pound. Dark buckwheat honey sells at 13c to 14c per lb.

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Receipts continue fairly up to average demand. We quote \$7.50 to \$9.00 per ton for good to choice pressed hay in rounds lots, poorer quality from \$6.50 to \$7.00.

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CARSLEY'S COLUMN

SPECIAL NOTICES. FANCY MATERIALS used for millinery trimmings, selling at 25c per yard, worth \$2.00 per yard at S. Carsley's.

BOYS' CLOTHING.

DO NOT BE AFRAID. Ladies need not be afraid of having to wait on Saturdays, as there will be in future always a double or—if it needs be—a triple staff in that department on that day.

LADIES' KID GLOVE NOVELTIES.

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LADIES' KID GLOVES.

4-Button Tans and Black, Embroidered Backs, 45c. 4-Button Perfect Fitting Gloves, 65c. 4-Button Fine Kid Gloves, Embroidered Backs, 75c.

NEW Embroidered Robes for Evening Wear.

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NEW DRESS TRIMMINGS.

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STEEL TRIMMING.

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CREAM AND GOLD TRIMMINGS.

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SILK AND JET FRINGES.

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CLAPPERTON'S SPOOL COTTON.

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