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The annual car shortage, which is just beginning to be felt, will be more severe this winter, than ever before. With the increasing volume of traffic in all lines of business, which will directly follow a bumper harvest, and COAL SHIPMENTS sixty days behind time, the railroads anticipate that after October 1st conditions will be as acute as to seriously cripple business. The shortage will be 150,000 cars.

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LUMBER AND TIMBER.

What We Call Boards or Planks the English Call Deals.

Among the differences existing in the names of various employments and callings in this country and in England may be mentioned those pertaining to the forest industries. What Americans call a lumber dealer in England is called a timber merchant.

Timber in New England is applied to trees large enough to cut logs for the mill, to the logs entire and to the large single sticks into which they are hewn or sawed.

When the logs are cut into boards, planks, joists, and so on, they form lumber. In the west timber is generally standing trees, and it includes all trees, large and small, without reference to their fitness for the mill.

The cutting and hauling of this timber is lumbering there, but in a large part of New England it is logging. What is in some quarters known as joist is called elsewhere scantling, and what Americans call boards or planks the English call deals.

In this country a person who splits out shingles is called a shingle weaver. In England shingles are not made in this way, but lath are regularly riven, and a maker of them is called a lath weaver.—New York Sun.

THROWING THE DICE.

The Ancient Germans Were Furious Gamblers at This Game.

The invention of dice has been of old ascribed to Palamedes, the son of Nauplius, king of Euboea, about 1244 B. C., and also to a Greek soldier named Alea, which is the Latin for a die, but Herodotus assigns both dice and chess to the Lydians.

The ancient Germans would gamble away at dice all that they were worth and then their liberty, submitting to slavery if they lost, and the Saxons, Danes and Normans were all addicted to the game. Fox Talbot is of opinion that the Latins invented, if not the game, at least the name for the single point, which they called unus. The Germanic races, adopting this practice from the Greeks, translated the Greek corruption of unus into ass, which has now become ace. The root of this word lies in the Latin, as the monetary unit.

John of Salisbury in the twelfth century mentions ten different uses of the dice. Stow mentions two entertainments given by the city of London at which dice were in evidence.—London Telegraph.

One of the Family.

Tibbie had been placed by her aunt in a situation as maid of all work in a family of three. At the end of a week the aunt "stepped along in" to see how Tibbie was getting on.

"Do you like your work?" asked the aunt.

"This fair," said the laconic Tibbie.

"And are they making you feel at home?"

"Whiles they are, and whiles they aren't."

"Now, what do you be meaning by that?" asked the aunt impatiently.

"Awel," said Tibbie, "they have na' asked me to gang t' kirk wi' them yet, but last night they went on wi' a grand quarr' they were having, all the three o' them, wi' me takkin' the dishes off o' the table, jist as if I'd been one o' the family."—Youth's Companion.

Getting Evidence.

The witnesses were at the Watford assizes in a case which concerned long continued poultry stealing. As usual, nothing could be got from them in the way of evidence until the nearly baffled prosecuting counsel asked in an angry tone of voice, "Will you swear on your soul, Pat Murphy, that Phady Hooligan has never to your knowledge stolen chickens?" The responsibility of this was too much even for Pat. "Bedad, I would hardly swear by my soul," he said, "but I do know that if I was a chicken and Phady was about I'd roost high!"—Life.

A TONIC FOR THE DEBILITATED.—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills by acting mildly but thoroughly on the secretions of the body are a valuable tonic, stimulating the lagging organs to healthful action and restoring them to full vigor. They can be taken in graduated doses and so used that they can be discontinued at any time without return of the ailments which they were used to allay.

Wisdom is cherished by the few, neglected by the many, and hired by the powerful.

If we had no failings ourselves we should not take such pleasure in finding out those pleasures of others.

PARTIES sending in news items are requested to sign their names, as otherwise the items cannot be published. The most innocent looking items sometimes have a hidden meaning reflecting on others, and to protect ourselves from unscrupulous persons we must insist on having the name of the sender.

Perseverance and Grit Wins Out.

The following articles from the Eatonville, Wash., Inter-Mountain Journal, refers to Mr. J. R. Atchinson, a former resident of the fourth line, Warwick:— As an example of what is being done by the hardy ranchers in the vicinity of Eatonville, who have by painstaking labor surmounted all difficulties and hardships, and hewed a home from the forest, the grit and perseverance displayed by J. R. Atchinson, who although handicapped by the loss of an arm has succeeded where many would have failed, makes interesting reading.

Born of rugged Scotch-Irish parents in the Province of Ontario about 1858 J. R. Atchinson first encountered the complicated enigma called life.

At the age of 24 while engaged in work on a steam thrasher Mr. Atchinson lost his right arm just above the elbow.

About sixteen years ago he moved to Pierce County, Washington, with his family. Ten years ago this spring he purchased a timbered tract of 48 acres on the Meridian road near Leber, this tract was heavily timbered and a veritable wilderness.

Despite the fact of his one armed plight Mr. Atchinson true to the characteristics of his Scotch-Irish forbears has wrested a foot hold from the jungle and established a nifty little home.

A most conspicuous barn marks the site of Mr. Atchinson's home embracing both beauty and utility in its construction. Mr. Atchinson insists that it costs but little more to build an artistic structure which adds beauty as well as enhances the value of a home than to erect an eye-sore which is a detriment factor in the value of a place.

Mr. Atchinson has cleared six or eight acres with one team of light horses and one arm. Practically all the work of the ranch is done by Mr. Atchinson with the aid of his most capable wife. Mrs. Atchinson is both ingenious as well as capable, twice each week she gathers and delivers cream to Spanaway, a distance of 15 miles, the team covers a route of over fifty miles twice each week.

Two horses, two full blood Jersey cows, two doughty pigs and over a hundred chickens constitute the live stock of the place.

An excellent vegetable cellar and granary combined has been constructed by Mr. Atchinson. The vegetable cellar is constructed of concrete, both walls and floor, the whole building therefor is practically vermin proof.

A charming arbor of Virginia creepers distinguishes the attractive front yard of the home and the thriftiness and general utility of all arrangements compel one's admiration.

Mr. Atchinson certainly deserves credit for the grit and perseverance he has exhibited in wrestling a home for himself and thrifty wife from the forest.

LAYING OUT A ROAD.

Billings Was In No Hurry, So the Work Was Done Right.

A good many years ago C. K. G. Billings, who made his millions in Chicago gas, bought a good sized plot of ground on the heights overlooking the Hudson river at the upper end of Manhattan Island. Some time later he put up a house which still remains the pride of "seeing New York" guides.

When the land had been bought the question arose as to the best means of laying out a roadway up the steep and rocky hill, at the crest of which the house was to stand. Mr. Billings was puzzled. He wanted to make it as easy a climb as he could. He mentioned the problem to his friend W. C. Muschenheim, a New York hotel proprietor. Mr. Muschenheim, who was familiar with the hills and dales of that part of New York, gave the following advice:

"You aren't in any great hurry, so why don't you have it done right? Put one of your cows on that land and give her time to lay out a path up that hill. Trust her to find the easiest and most comfortable grade."

Mr. Billings followed the suggestion, and in the course of time the cow made a path which has long since been developed into a permanent, winding, slowly ascending roadway.—Saturday Evening Post.

BIRTH OF A LETTER.

The Way "W" Came to Take the Place of the Old "VV."

The printers and language makers of the latter part of the sixteenth century began to recognize the fact that there was a sound in spoken English which was without a representative in the shape of an alphabetical sign or character, as in the first sound in the word "wet."

Prior to that time it had always been spelled as "vet," the v having the long sound of u or of two u's together. In order to convey an idea of the new sound they began to spell such words as "wet," "weather," "web," etc., with two u's, and as the u of that date was a typical v the three words above looked like this: "Vwet," "vweather," "vweb."

After awhile the typefounders recognized the fact that the double u had come to stay, so they joined the two u's together and made the character now so well known as w. There are books in which three forms of the w are given. The first is an old double v (vv), the next is one in which the last stroke of the first v crosses the first stroke of the second, and the third is the common w we use today.

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COUNTY OF LAMBTON

Treasurer's Notice as to Lands Liable for Sale for Taxes A. D. 1912.

TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands in the County of Lambton liable for sale for arrears of taxes by the Treasurer of the County has been prepared by me and that copies thereof may be had in the office of the Treasurer of the County of Lambton, in the town of Sarnia.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands liable for sale as aforesaid is now being published in the Ontario Gazette in the issues thereof bearing date the 13th, 20th and 27th days of July and the 3rd day of August, 1912.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that in default of payment of the taxes in arrears upon the lands specified in said list so published in the Ontario Gazette, before the day fixed for sale of such lands, being the 16th day of October, A.D., 1912, the said lands will be sold for taxes pursuant to the terms of the advertisement in the Ontario Gazette.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that this publication is made pursuant to the Assessment Act 4 Edward VII. Chap. 23 and Amendments.

Dated at Sarnia this 10th day of July, A.D., 1912.

H. INGRAM,
Treasurer County of Lambton.

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Trains leave Watford Station as follows

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