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Grand Trunk Time Table

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:

GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH
Express.....7:11 a.m.	Express.....10 a.m.
Express.....11:37 a.m.	Express.....1:40 p.m.
Express.....3:19 p.m.	Express.....8:36 p.m.

The 7:11 a.m. and 1:40 p.m. trains carry mail.

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Ezra Yandt has purchased a beautiful team of black horses.

Andrew Metzger of Westcott, Alberta visited friends here last week.

Mr. Frank Schmalz of West Branch, Mich., is visiting relatives here.

W. J. Pomeroy is buying a carload of horses for shipment to the West in the spring.

The Harriston curling club is expected here to-morrow to play against two local rinks.

Christian Merklinger, harness maker, of Hanover, has assigned for the benefit of his creditors.

Jos. Dentinger of the Elora road purposes holding an auction sale about the middle of February.

Miss Sadie Herringer has returned home from Petrolia, where she had a situation as milliner.

The curlers will have the rink on Friday of this week, allowing skaters the rink next Tuesday.

Miss Hammer will close her dress-making parlors this week, and will not be back until the first of March.

Louis Braun had the misfortune to fall on the icy sidewalk last Saturday morning, and injured his hand badly.

Andrew Kuntz of Daysland, Alberta, is spending the winter with friends here. Andy has been in the West for over 12 years.

Garfield Eickmeier went to Stratford on Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Alphonse Eickmeier.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Wilson on Friday, January 27th at 3.30 p. m.

Mrs. William Sutherland of Toronto came up on Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Rennie, and visited friends and relatives here.

Miss Laura McAlpine left on Monday morning for her home at Glencoe. She has been head milliner at the Corner Store for the past two seasons.

Julius Kupferschmidt is buying a well assorted stock of dry goods and groceries for his store at Decemerton, which he expects to open up about Feb. 1st.

James Cromarty of Galt is here to-day buying up horses around the village. He is fairly well-known here, having judged horses at several shows in Mildmay.

Wm. Travers, the general manager of the wrecked Farmers Bank, was sentenced to six years in penitentiary on the charges of theft, forgery, and uttering false statements. A warrant is out for the arrest of Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, a former President of the bank.

Miss Pauline Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Schumacher, was married on January 11th, at St. Joseph's church, Moose Jaw, Sask., to Mr. Basil Ernest Oberle. Both contracting parties are former residents of Carrick. Their numerous friends extend best wishes.

Mr. Joseph Klopfer got a bad shaking up at the Aetna Roller Mills last Saturday evening. His cutter upset while turning around, and the horse started to run away. He hung on pluckily to the reins, and managed to get the animal stopped, but he was badly shaken up himself.

Jos. Lobsinger jr. had a bad upset with a load of trunks, while driving to Formosa on Tuesday morning. He struck a bad piece of road, and over the load went, and the driver was pinned down under a heavy trunk. Fortunately help was soon at hand, and matters were put to rights again.

Bruce County Council meets at Walkerton next Tuesday.

Miss Amelia Martin of Buffalo is visiting her parents here.

Albert Sachs of Chicago is visiting friends and relatives in Carrick.

Fred Biehl, the caretaker of the town hall, is under the doctor's care.

Mr. Ed. Gehl of West Branch, Mich., visited relatives here this week.

Rev. L. Wittich has started a series of revival services in the Evangelical church.

Our former townsman, W. W. Beitz, has purchased the Central hotel at Guelph.

J. T. Kidd has opened a night school in the village, and will teach book-keeping &c.

Free hair cuts for children under 14 at G. Eickmeier's Mondays and Tuesdays only.

A pleased customer is our best "ad"—the more we please with Cyclone flour the bigger the "ad."

Miss Nellie Graham and Mrs. W. Travers of Regina, visited their sister, Mrs. R. J. Morrison, last week.

A carload of bran and shorts arrived at Keelan's this week. Prices right. Get your next supply here.

John Wendt sold his 30 months old Belgian colt this week for the sum of \$200. It pays to raise the right kind of horses.

Mr. Joseph Schuett, sr., of Chepstow visited relatives in Mildmay last week. All his friends were pleased to see him looking so well.

Licensed Auctioneer. J. A. Johnston of Mildmay, has taken out an auctioneer's license for the county of Bruce, and is prepared to conduct all sales in a business-like manner.

Hotel Changes Hands. Jacob J. Huber has disposed of the Decemerton hotel property to Mr. Geo. Kuennemann of that burg, who gets possession on January 27th. Mr. Huber kept a good house, and was making the business pay, but we understand that he is not in good health, and he decided to sell out. The new proprietor is a popular young fellow, and will no doubt make a success of his venture.

F. H. Elliott Injured. The C. P. R. passenger train, en route to Toronto on Tuesday afternoon, left the tracks between Mono and Bolton Junction, and the passengers were badly shaken up, and many injured seriously. One of the unfortunate was Mr. F. H. Elliott of Harriston, who had his head hurt, and his back twisted. His many friends here will regret to hear of his mishap.

A Great Sale. Jacob Bilger's auction sale of thoroughbred stock took place on Tuesday afternoon, and was one of the most successful ever held in Carrick. Thirty-five cattle were sold at an average of \$98.30, the highest priced animal being the bull which sold at \$206. An imported cow came next at \$186. The sheep averaged about \$10 each. The total proceeds of the sale amounted to \$4500. John Purvis of Holyrood was the auctioneer.

Death of Mrs. Rennie. The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Eason, widow of the late Jam Rennie, took place on Sunday morning of this week at her home at Hamilton. Mrs. Rennie was a former resident of this village, and her remains were brought to Mildmay on Tuesday afternoon, and interred in the Balaklava cemetery, beside those of her husband who died in 1888. Deceased was born 85 years ago in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, emigrated to Canada in her youth, residing for a time in Guelph township. In 1864 she and her husband came to Carrick and lived here about twenty-five years. After Mr. Rennie's death the family removed to Hamilton. Three sons, Frank of Walkerton, and John and James of the West, and six daughters, Mrs. John Stewart of Winnipeg, Mrs. John Jasper of Vancouver, and Misses Salome, Hamilla, Agnes and Mary of Hamilton, survive her.

Auction Sale.—An unreserved auction sale of farm stock and implements will be held at A. N. Darling's, Lot 1, Con. 4, Carrick, on Friday, January 20th. A big list of stock and implements. See bills for terms, &c. J. A. Johnston, auctioneer.

Mildmay Trims Ayton. The Mildmay hockey club journeyed to Ayton on Tuesday evening, and defeated the hockeyists of that burg by 9 to 6. The miniature dimensions of the Ayton rink bewildered the visitors, and handicapped them in the game. A. W. Hinsperger of Mildmay referred to the satisfaction of both clubs. The Ayton boys return soon for a game here.

The Band Concert. The Formosa Union Band gave a very good entertainment in the town hall, Mildmay, last Thursday evening, to a fair-sized audience. The program which consisted of orchestra and band music, vocal selections, and comic sketches, was well received through, and the audience was well pleased. The net proceeds amounted to \$25.

Three Carloads of Hogs. Monday was hog day around the Grand Trunk stock yards, the delivery being the largest in six years. Three full carloads were shipped out, containing over 400 hogs, and \$7000 was paid out to the farmers by the local drovers. The price took a jump to \$7.25 per cwt, which made the farmers happy. The hog market is assuming a firmer tone, and hog prices will probably rise.

Accident At Grist Mill. Shortly after 12 o'clock on Friday noon while the chopper in the Wenger Milling Co's grist mill was running at the usual speed the machine without a minute's warning smashed to pieces. Luckily none of the employees with the exception of one, Milton Holtzmann, were near by. Mr. Holtzmann was slightly injured about the leg. The chopper was at once replaced by a new one for the present, which however will be taken out shortly and a more improved machine installed.—Ayton Advance.

Runaway Accident. Frank Rennie of Walkerton had a runaway accident on Sunday morning while driving to Mildmay. At Steinmiller's where the road is bad, his cutter upset, and Mr. Rennie was thrown out, and his horse started on a mad race to Mildmay. At Conrad Hossfeld's the animal overtook Mr. Robert McPhail and daughter, who had a narrow escape, the horse crashing into their cutter from behind. At Mildmay the runaway animal stopped of its own accord, and its owner reached here an hour later on foot. The horse's hind leg was badly cut, but otherwise no damage was done.

To Be Tried Again. Report comes from Manitoba that the Snowflake murder case, in which Martin Doyle, of Dresden, was alleged to have murdered Vincent Weiler, of St. Carmel may be given another trial soon. Martin Doyle was acquitted at the trial held at Morden, Man., and most of the time since then has been located in Saskatchewan. The finding of Weiler's body on the banks of Snowflake creek dates back five years ago; after quite a long search Doyle was found by the Canadian authorities near Saskatoon; brought to Winnipeg and later given trial at Morden; the case attracting a wide attention at the time both on the American and Canadian side of the line. It is now reported that the authorities have found Fred Bailey, one of the witnesses who had last seen Weiler and Doyle together. He was subpoenaed as a witness, but could not be found when called to testify. His disappearance at the time caused considerable comment, it being generally considered that upon his evidence the conviction of Doyle hinged.—Langdon N. D. Democrat.

Nickel—Gray. On Wednesday evening, Jan. 4th, the wedding bells rang at the residence of Mr. William Gray, B line, Howick. The happy couple were his daughter Mary, and Chas. Nickel of Carrick. The wedding march was played by Miss Maggie Nickel, niece of the groom. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. L. Perrin, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Wroxeter, after which the guests sat down to a splendid wedding dinner. The bride wore a beautiful India lawn dress. She received many beautiful and useful presents; among them were several pieces of valuable silverware. Mrs. Nickel will be very much missed from the choir and Epworth League Society of Salem Methodist church, where she was a most interested and devoted worker. There were about forty guests. Some of them were from Jamestown, Wingham, Buffalo and Manitoba. Mr. and Mrs. Nickel will reside on the 3rd concession of Carrick, where the former has a splendid and up-to-date farm. We extend our hearty congratulations and wish them a very prosperous and happy married life.

Good strong boy wanted to learn the business at H. Keelan's Mildmay.

Jacob Palm has leased the Sieting dam this winter and has started to cut ice. The ice is about one foot in thickness and is of very good quality this year.

The candidates who are making a big push for the Wardenship are: Dabson of Southampton, Shoemaker of Paisley, Filsinger of Carrick and Hunter of Kincairdine.

Auction Sale. Julius Kupferschmidt, will hold an auction sale of farm stock and implements at lot 24, Con. 9, Carrick, on Saturday, the 21st day of January. John Purvis, auctioneer.

Your Laundry. Take your next batch of washing to Pang John Lee, laundryman, Mildmay who guarantees satisfactory work at very reasonable prices.

Tenders Wanted. Jas. H. Thompson, sec-treas. of P. S. S. No. 7, Carrick, will receive tenders up to Jan 20th, for 12 cords 24 inch maple and beech body wood, delivered at the school on or before March 1st.

No Action Taken. A public meeting was held in the town hall on Monday evening to ascertain the wishes of the ratepayers of the Mildmay Fire Department regarding the erection of a new fire hall in this village. There were about fifty present at the meeting. C. Schuett was appointed chairman of the meeting, and several citizens aired their views about our fire protection. But that's all it amounted to, and it was decided to put on the necessary repairs on the present hall.

To Increase Capital Stock. The annual meeting of the South Bruce Rural Telephone Co. will be held in the Forester's Hall, Belmore, on Thursday afternoon 26th inst. The principal business to be transacted at this meeting will be the election of a permanent board of directors, and the voting on an application to the provincial secretary for supplementary letters patent to increase the capital stock of the Company from \$10,000 to \$35,000. This company has grown beyond the expectations of the promoters, and in a short time will girdle a considerable portion of South Bruce.

Married in E. D. From the Langdon, N. D. Democrat, we copy the following, which refers to a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hotten of Carrick. The Gazette extends congratulations. "A very pretty church wedding occurred Tuesday forenoon at Wales when Miss Nellie Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Fischer was united in marriage to John Hotten. The young people will make their home in Wales, where the groom has resided for several years since coming to this state from Ontario, and is generally esteemed as a young man of industrious habits and excellent character."

Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Carrick Agricultural Society was held in the township hall yesterday afternoon, and was fairly well attended. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year—Pres.—Andrew Schmidt; Vice-Pres.—Moses Bilger; 2nd Vice-Pres.—W. J. Pomeroy; Directors—H. Schnurr, J. M. Fischer, J. G. Thomson, Moses Filsinger, W. M. Huck, Con. E. Baetz, Fred Wages, Matt Weiler and Jacob Miller; Sec.—Treas.—P. D. Liesemer. The financial reports of both the spring and fall shows, each show a solid financial standing. The fall show will be held on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 25 and 26. The date of the spring show has not yet been set.

Hymeneal. A very quiet but pretty wedding took place at the Roman Catholic church on Tuesday, Jan. 17th, when Miss Elizabeth, second eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reetz, became the wife of Mr. J. L. Smith of Watson, Sask. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Isabel while Mr. Carl Smith of Monroeville, Ohio, brother of the groom, acted as best man. The bride wore a very becoming gown of shot silk with hat to match and carried a bouquet of white carnations with maiden hair fern. The groom's gift to the bride was a sunburst set with pearls, to the bridesmaid a signet ring and the best man a pair of gold cuff links. Mr. and Mrs. Smith left on the afternoon train for Ohio, and other points. The bride's going away suit was a navy blue broadcloth. The bride is one of Mildmay's estimable young ladies and the best wishes of a lot of friends follow her to her future home at Watson, Sask., where Mr. Smith is interested in farm lands and in the general merchandise business.

BORN. SCHEFFER—In Carrick on Tuesday Jan 17th to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scheffer, a daughter.

John P. Schuett has taken the agency for the famous Heintzman Pianos.

New nominations are necessary in Teeswater, a sufficient number of candidates not qualifying to fill the positions.

FORMOSA.

Mrs. N. Rudolph returned to her home in Tara after a week's visit here and in Teeswater.

Heisz & Tiede started cutting ice on Monday. It will take them about two weeks to get in their supply after which the hotel-men and others will get theirs.

Mr. Ed. Gehl of West Branch, Mich., visited his brother, the Rev. J. J. Gehl here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Buhlmann accompanied by their nephew, Frank Schmalz of West Branch, Mich., were in town one day last week.

Mr. Jos. D. Schumacher made a business trip to Toronto last Thursday and returned Friday night.

Clifford.

Last Wednesday night there died at his home Mr. Henry Dahmer, the funeral taking place on Saturday morning to the Lutheran cemetery in Carrick. Some time ago the deceased was removed to the hospital to undergo an operation, in spite of all medical skill, he never rallied, but gradually sank, until the end came on Wednesday night.

Louis W. Schaus sold the Milligan property which he recently purchased to Henry Kaufmann, and intends purchasing 35 acres from Louis Wagner.

Mr. Adam Reidt has purchased A. R. Power's new residence in the village.

Mr. Geo. Hay has purchased the farm on Maple Avenue, owned by Geo. Hill sr.

Conrad Becker sold his residence to Jas. McEwan for the sum of \$1900.

CARLSRUHE.

Last week we had a visit from Louis Schneider of Mount Carmel, North Dakota, accompanied by his cousin Simon Wagner of St. Josephsburg. Mr. Schneider is farming extensively, and says that the crops in the past few years were not as good as they formerly were.

George Doerr, Simon Schekene, and Frank Kuenemann from Argyle, Mich., visited their old friend August Freiburger.

Xavier Oberle, accompanied by his mother and Leonhart Fischer, attended the funeral of Andrew Oberle's youngest child at Walkerton.

John Montag, visited the Rev. A. Montag at Decemerton on Sunday.

Mr. Paul Fischer who has been visiting here for the past four months has returned to his home.

Last week Peter Kroetsch sold his 100 acre farm to John Hahn for \$6800, and purchased George Metzger's 150 acre farm for \$12000, we wish Mr. Kroetsch success in his large undertaking, and Mr. Metzger, will retire.

NEUSTADT.

Mr. Chas. Schurter of Mildmay visited the village, on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Heuther of Wiarion spent a few days in the burg.

Messrs. Henry and Chas. Loos of Buffalo, spent several days with their parents here last week.

Inspector McCool for East Bruce visited the schools in Carrick, and found everything in good shape.

License Inspector Davis paid an official visit to the burg last week.

Wm. Loos, the proprietor of the Ayton Advance made a business call here on Friday.

The annual meeting of Neustadt Agriculture Society assembled on January 18th, in Schwartz's hotel.

Geo. Witter attended the funeral of mother-in-law in Toledo, Ohio.

We are pleased to state that John Helwig has fully recovered from his recent severe illness.

Wm. Heuther has commenced to lay up his stock of ice for the summer's use, and it is of first class quality.

Hy. Schilling accompanied by Mr. Sandlos from Germany, visited friends and relatives in town last Wednesday.

Garfield Wagner returned to Plymouth, Nebraska.

Michael Hollinger has severed his connection with A. Dunneman's business and will return to the farm.

Hints for Busy Housekeepers.

Recipes and Other Valuable Information of Particular Interest to Women Folks.

SELECTED RECIPES.

Sweet Potatoes with Peanuts.—Put cold boiled sweet potatoes in a shallow pan. Pour melted butter over them and sprinkle with peanuts chopped rather fine. Brown them in a hot oven.

Apple Stuffing for Game or Fowl.—Take one pint of tart apple-sauce, or thin sliced raw apple, mix with one small cupful of bread-crumbs, one-quarter of a teaspoonful of powdered sage, a small onion sliced fine, and season with cayenne pepper.

A New England woman's way of improving winter vegetables.—Beets: Boil the beets until almost done. Put them in a pan, coat each beet with a little melted butter, sprinkle with sugar, and bake till brown. Squash: Boil and mash and beat until perfectly smooth. Put in a baking-dish with pieces of butter on top and bake.

Carrot Jam.—To three pounds of carrots add two and one-half pounds of sugar, the grated peel of six large lemons and two ounces of almonds. The carrots must be baked until tender in an earthen jar containing sufficient water to cover them, then smashed and passed through a sieve. The almonds should be cut very fine. Boil all together twenty minutes. The jam will keep for a long time.

Buckwheat Johnny-Cake.—Use two cups of fresh, rich buttermilk, if it is not very rich, add two tablespoonfuls of cream, one cup of maple-syrup or melted maple-syrup, two teaspoonfuls of soda, one heaped teaspoonful of ginger, enough flour—equal parts buckwheat and common wheat—to make batter as for griddle-cakes. Bake in a long tin and cut in squares. India wheat flour is even better in this receipt than the buckwheat, but in most districts it is not easy to procure.

Peanut Soup.—Into a double boiler put one tumblerful of peanut butter, one pint of water and one quart of milk. Add two teaspoonfuls of salt, a slice or two of onion, according to size, and one cupful of chopped celery, or one saltspoonful of celery seed. Moistening two level tablespoonfuls of cornstarch in a little cold milk. When the mixture in the double boiler reaches the scalding-point, add the cornstarch and stir for five minutes, after which the soup is ready to serve with croutons or crackers.

A German Receipt for cooking peas, beans and lentils.—Because of their nutritive properties and their cheapness these vegetables are highly esteemed by Europeans. In Germany this is a favorite method of preparing them: Cook the peas—or beans or lentils—in water until they become a pulpy mass. Season them with butter and salt and press them through a fine sieve. They should be of the consistency of mashed potatoes. At the last moment, before serving, put over them two or three tablespoonfuls of fried onions.

Chop-Suey.—Boil separately one-half pound of pork, one-half pound of veal and one small chicken. Fry quickly in butter and oil three large onions and three stalks of celery. Slice the meat, onions, celery and one-half pound of fresh mushrooms, and mix thoroughly, adding the stock of the meat. Cook all the ingredients together for half an hour. While cooking, add two spoonfuls of Chutney sauce and season with pepper and salt. Serve in bowls. Sometimes a sauce, made of equal quantities of Chutney and Worcestershire sauce, is served with this dish.

A New Meat Pudding.—Ever since the times of which Chaucer wrote, English people have been fond of meat pudding. Only recently has it been discovered, however, that the substitution of corn-meal for white flour makes a much more delicious dish than the time-honored pudding. The receipt requires two pounds of round steak, or other lean beef, two cups of corn-meal, one cup of flour, one-half pound of net and one tablespoonful of salt. Chop the meat fine; mix it thoroughly with the corn-meal, flour and salt and add enough water to make a stiff dough. Roll out the dough to a uniform thickness of a little less than half an inch, and place it on a cloth. Cut the beef into small pieces and season with pepper and salt. Put the meat on the dough, draw the cloth together and tie it tightly, so that the meat will be completely enclosed by the dough. Boil for five hours.

Two Kinds of Filled Cookies.—For the fig filling put one-half pound of figs into a saucepan with three or four tablespoonfuls of water, and place over a slow fire. Cover the saucepan and let the figs simmer until the water is absorbed. Then chop them very fine, return them to the fire, with one-half pound of sugar and the juice of

ery, cook them in the following way: Scrub them, and score the skin with a knife lengthwise and across all the way round, but not deep. Then boil in salted water. The cracked skin lets out the water and renders the potato dry and floury.

Hands roughened by housework can be much improved and softened by the use of the following mixture: Take equal parts of olive oil and glycerine and mix well together. Apply as follows—Wash and cleanse the hands thoroughly before going to bed with good soap and warm water, when partially dry, rub the mixture thoroughly into them.

THE HOLY CITY.

Returned Tourist Complains of "Biblical Travesties."

The "brutal exploitation" of Jerusalem by its inhabitants for the sake of getting money from the tourist is complained of by a recent and evidently pious German traveler.

The road to Cavalry, along which Jesus bore the cross, for example, is pointed out, although in fact the ancient city with its streets lies buried many a yard beneath the surface. The marks of His footsteps, the impression of His hand, the site of the Ascension and many other fancied historical remains are used for the purpose of extracting backsheesh.

At the same time Dr. Richard Linde, the traveler in question, admits that not all he saw in the Holy City aroused such feelings of indignation. He was particularly and earnestly impressed by the scene that takes place each Sunday at the old wall of the Temple, three yards high and five long, where since the Middle Ages the Jews are wont to bemoan the vanishing glory of their city.

One hears the touching litany in the form of a dialogue between the leader of the lamentation and the wailing congregation around him.

"On account of the Temple which has been destroyed," begins the leader, and his song is taken up by the crowd with "sit we here solitary and weep."

"On account of the walls which have been destroyed, on account of the glory which has passed away," continues the leader, and again the crowd wailingly replies, "sit we here in solitude and weep," just as the daughters of Zion sat and wept by the waters of Babylon.

"Or a prayer is put up to heaven. 'Have mercy on the people of Zion!' sings the leader and the crowd continues, 'Reassemble the Children of Jerusalem!'

"Haste, haste, Thou Saviour of Zion!" and the crowd continues, "May the empire of Zion be again established!"

Such scenes as this, Dr. Linde says, suggest the true atmosphere of Jerusalem to the Christian, not the reliques and Biblical travesties which are palmed off on the merely curious tourist.

MASONRY IN WINTER.

Chief Engineer Rabut of the street department of Paris has demonstrated by a long series of experiments the efficiency of anhydrous carbonate of soda as an agent permitting the preparation of mortar for building even in the coldest weather. The results are said to be superior to those obtained by the use of warm water, of alcohol, of sea-salt, or any other mixture hitherto employed. Not only does the addition of the soda prevent the ill effects of low temperatures upon the mortar, but causes it to set and harden more quickly than it otherwise would. The masons employing this process wear rubber gloves to prevent inflammation of the skin.

CUT OFF 11,000 QUEUES.

Hong Kong has just witnessed a remarkable queue-cutting demonstration. Six wealthy elders, the aggregate of whose ages is 49 years, set an example to their fellows on the platform of the Chinese Club, while an Indian military band played selections from Gilbert and Sullivan operas. Hundreds of other promoters followed their lead. The promoters of the movement had effectively cited the case of an officer who was killed when his queue became entangled in some machinery. The movement has become so widespread that in Hong Kong alone within three days 11,000 men voluntarily discarded their queues. No change in the national costume is contemplated.

MUST GO TO SCHOOL UNTIL 18.

Munich is said to be the cleanest, best-governed city in Europe, to all appearances. It has women street cleaners, and they keep the asphalt as clean as a barroom floor. But it is in its conduct of education that Munich excels. Education is compulsory until 18 years of age. The pupil may attend "half time" after a certain age, but attendance until the age of 18 is compelled. Technical training is given in school in almost any vocation you can conceive. If you have decided to be a bath attendant, you can take a course in that or in barbering, if

CHEAP PHONES IN SIGHT

NEW DEVICE WILL SAVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

American Officer Has Given Multiplex Telephone Invention to the Nation.

Patents have just been issued to Major G. O. Squiers of the United States Signal Corps, for his multiplex telephone system by the adoption of which millions of dollars in tolls is expected to be saved in telephone tolls. The inventor dedicates his invention to the people of the United States so that any one can make use of it, free of all cost of royalty, license or rent. It cannot be appropriated by any one corporation or individual or trust. It is the invention of an army officer and belongs to the people of the United States.

MANY TALK ON ONE WIRE.

The discovery may be described as wireless telephony guided by a wire. As many as ten conversations, or more, it is said, may be held over one wire. The theory is that the vibrations of the ether surrounding the wire became the vehicle by which conversation is held, not by the wire, as in ordinary telephony. The instruments to be employed are those now commonly used in ordinary wireless telephony, and may be bought of almost any electrical supply establishment. There is, as in wireless telephony, a use of "tunes" for each conversation.

Major Squiers believes that general use will soon be made of his discovery by private individuals and by telephone companies. He expects that one result will be a general reduction of the cost of telephone service and possibly its more widely distributed use. The machine is regarded of special value for long distances. It gives a clear and audible tone and will probably be first applied in that direction.

EDISON PREDICTED IT.

This discovery was predicted thirty-five years ago by Thomas A. Edison, when the prediction was regarded more as a dream than a possibility. One feature of the new telephone is its success in transmitting music over the wires. The strains of a band, violin, or of an organ are distinctly heard. It is believed that long distance transmission of opera music, sermons, and lectures is possible by this means.

The new system of multiplex telephony it is said, may be applied to all local telephone exchanges without any modification of the present installation, and could conduct a telephone system without the use of two wires, as now.

The superposition of numerous conversations on one wire will not in any way interfere with the present use of the telephone by the apparatus now in use. The multiplex may be used with one wire or two, and can be accommodated to the simplest or to the most complex installation.

The telephone companies will derive immediate benefit from the invention, but in time it is expected that there will be a reduction in tolls of all kinds as the system becomes generally adopted. In the cost of wire alone, of which there are many millions of miles in the United States, there will be marked saving, and the annual expenditure for new equipment will be much reduced.

OVER ICE IN CHAINS.

Convict Escapes From Island Fortress of Schusselburg.

For the first time in living memory a convict has escaped from the island fortress of Schusselburg, in the Neva, Russia.

While working in the afternoon in the open air the convict scaled the wall with the aid of a rope and subsequently, though chained, walked all night across the ice of Lake Ladoga toward the Burgovsky Lighthouse. Early on the following morning the man was discovered by some peasants and was seized and taken back to the prison.

The Schusselburg fortress, rich in memories of the battles between Russians and Swedes, is seen from the river, a place of old walls, and low, round watch-towers. Among the famous political prisoners who spent years there was Biron, the Empress Anna's favorite. The Schusselburg prisoners nowadays are treated with no little consideration. The cells are lighted with electricity and heated by hot water radiators. The prisoners are allowed to smoke, and there is a good library. Every man sentenced to more than eight years' penal servitude is during the first two years chained on the feet.

To keep outdoor brass bright, clean the brass as usual, then rub it carefully over with a soft cloth dipped in vaseline; and afterwards polish with a dry duster. This will keep it from tarnishing quickly, even in the dampest weather.

THE GREAT HAVE FALLEN

ARISTOCRATIC ENGLISHMEN DOWN AND OUT.

Noblemen Have Taken Humble Positions When Fortunes Were Squandered.

There are many stories of downfalls of aristocratic Englishmen which only a few people ever hear about, because they are always cleverly hushed up.

How many, for instance, are aware that in Florida an English baronet is working as a day laborer for five dollars a week? He hopes to be able to go home again some day and marry a wealthy lady who is "waiting" for him. His career has been a strange one and not altogether creditable. Cheating at cards was the cause of his downfall.

COUNT IN PAUPER WARD.

Many Europeans will still remember that a famous count died in the pauper ward of one of the New York hospitals. He was the son of a prince, and a grand-nephew of that great German Field-Marshal who helped the Duke of Wellington to win the battle of Waterloo. Another count, a man who left England because of the bitter opposition of his relatives to his marriage with an actress, is now acting as hotel manager in one of the small hotels in San Francisco.

There is a remarkable hotel in Chicago. The proprietor is an Englishman who has been officer in a crack cavalry regiment, and the manageress is the widow of an English clergyman, while the book-keeper is alleged to be Count Szechenyi, the nephew of one of the Austrian Ambassadors at Berlin; and to crown all the hall porter of this exceedingly aristocratic hotel is a real live baron—once a cavalry officer in the Austrian army.

RIDING MASTERS.

A nephew of a Prussian Cabinet Minister, and a cousin of Princess Bismarck, has been a member of the Salvation Army in New York. Before finding a refuge among the followers of General Booth he had experienced all the bitter miseries of poverty. His career has been a very strange one, and before departing for the States he had some exceedingly interesting adventures in South America.

Quite a number of noblemen are to be found employed as teachers at the New York riding academies. Some years ago it was said that a cousin of the late Prince Consort was the chief instructor at one of these schools near Central Park, though why he occupied the post has never been explained. Teaching the art of riding seems to be a popular profession for aristocrats down on their luck; even to-day two barons and a count hold similar posts.

AN EXTRAORDINARY SCHOOL.

Where Chinese Ladies smoke, but Study not.

A. S. Roe, in his book called "China as I Saw It," gives an odd picture of a school, many of whose pupils, from 8 to 40 years old, were the wives of high officials.

"Eager to display her knowledge of Western customs," he says, "the principal, a Chinese lady of rank, herself well educated, dressed herself a tunic, belted in at the waist, a shiny black sailor hat lined with flannel and trimmed with real flowers that had withered away, and lastly, brown boots on her poor little misshapen feet.

"What do you teach them?" asked my friend.

"Oh," whispered the little lady, confidentially, "they don't really learn anything, you know, but they like to come and their husbands like them to come."

"What do they do, then?"

"They just talk, and play, and smoke their water pipes, and if there is any matter of dispute their husbands sit in committee and decide the question."

"But what a pity," said my friend. "Could you not urge them to make better use of their time?"

"Well, there was one," said the little lady, sadly, "who had plenty of ability, but when I pressed her to study, she complained to her husband that she was being ill-treated, and that was an end of it."

"There is certainly a pathetic side to this new craze in China for education and Western knowledge in any shape and form. Even the man who advertised that he could teach the English language up to the letter 'G' probably did not lack for pupils."

SAFETY APPLIANCE.

The Tailor—"Married or single?"

The Customer—"Married. Why?"

The Tailor—"Then let me recommend my patent safety deposit pocket. It contains a most ingenious little contrivance that feels exactly like a live mouse."

THE S. S. LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, JAN 22.

Lesson IV.—Omri and Ahab Lead Israel into Greater Sin, 1 Kings 16. 15133. Golden Text, Prov. 14. 34.

Verse 15. Zimri . . . seven days in Tirzah—He had slain not only the drunken king, Elah, but all the male members of the house of Baasha, according to the word of Jehu the prophet. His crime and terrible fate became a byword in after years (2 Kings 9. 31).

Gibbethon—See above. There had been an intermittent siege of this place for twenty-seven years, with no apparent success.

16. Made Omri . . . king—The army, which had not been taken into the councils of the headstrong Zimri, refused to accept the new order of things, and hailed the more powerful military rival of Zimri as their king.

18. The castle—A fortified stronghold attached to the palace.

19. His sins—The words used to describe the misdoings of Zimri are the customary words, which came to be a kind of formula for the misconduct of the kings of Israel who did that which was evil in the sight of Jehovah. In a short regency of one week it is hardly probable he would be able to promote to any extent the calf-worship of Jeroboam.

20. The rest of the acts of Zimri—This is also a stereotyped expression. His acts must have been few. The book of the chronicles of course is not our First and Second Chronicles, which were written much later, and whose author had no interest especially in apostate northern kings of Israel, but was one of the sources, now lost, from which the author gained his information.

21. The people . . . divided—Omri's immediate suppression of a revolt under Zimri did not save the kingdom from civil strife. Though first with the army, Omri seems to have lacked full popular support. A certain Tibni, whose brother Joram exercised a strong influence, backed by a large following, successfully disputed the right of Omri for four years, at the end of which time the two brothers were killed, and Omri reigned.

23. Six years reigned he in Tirzah—The palace had been burned, and Omri must have been impressed with the weakness of a city which could be taken so easily. This fact made him look about for a capital more central and impregnable, with the result that Israel was given a great and permanent centre of government.

24. Samaria—Besides the natural beauty of its position, which made Isaiah refer to it as Ephraim's "crown of pride," Samaria possessed a great advantage from its natural strength. As its name signifies ("watchtower"), it stood on a lofty hill, and was sufficiently isolated to make strong outworks possible, so that it was able to hold out for three years against the powerful armies of the Assyrians under Sargon and Shalmaneser. Its fall in B. C. 721 involved the entire kingdom in disaster. Nebuchadnezzar, in B. C. 584, required thirteen years to capture it. Under the name given it by Herod the Great, who rebuilt it, it still exists.

25. Omri—Though he dealt wickedly above all that were before him, he was, nevertheless, "a sovereign of far greater eminence and importance than we might suppose from the meagerness of his annals here preserved." He was unsuccessful in his wars with Syria, but was victorious over the Moabites to the southeast, the record being found on the famous Moabite stone. He gave his people political ascendancy and is the first Jewish king whose name is recalled by the Assyrian inscriptions.

26. Walked in all the way of Jeroboam—The prophet Micah speaks unsparingly of "the statutes of Omri," as if his influence upon the religious life of the people had been particularly pernicious.

30-33. Ahab the son of Omri—His reign is studied in detail in the lessons for February. The particular offensiveness of his acts, recorded in this lesson, consisted in his marriage with the heathen princess Jezebel, and, through this alliance, the introduction of Baal-worship, together with the sins of Jeroboam. The alliance was probably a popular one, inasmuch as it strengthened Israel and brought wealth to the crown and a certain prestige. But it was mockery of the true religion. Jezebel's father, besides bearing the name of Baal, and giving his daughter the same name, had been the high priest of the great temple of Ashdoreth in Tyre, and was not satisfied until Baal-worship was established in Israel.

31. Baal—The supreme deity of the Phoenicians; in this case, Melkart, the Baal of Tyre.

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DAIRY INDUSTRY OUTLOOK

Mr. J. C. Ruddick Says the Home Consumption Is Steadily Increasing.

A despatch from Stratford says: Some very encouraging facts were laid before the Western Dairy-men's Convention held here last week, by Mr. J. C. Ruddick, Dairy Commissioner, in regard to the outlook for the industry. For the fiscal year ending with March next our dairy exports are estimated at only \$25,230,000, as compared with \$31,687,561 in 1903. Meantime, however, the home consumption is believed to have increased by \$25,000,000, so that the production for the year about ending will really be \$3,552,439 greater than in 1903. For the year ending with March next the production seems to have increased more rapidly than in the year immediately preceding, because, while the home consumption is still growing, our exports of dairy products for the current fiscal year will be \$2,000,000 ahead of those of 1910. For the expansion that has taken place in the year near closing the partial opening of the American market to our dairy products is largely responsible. In the month of August, 1909, as a result of the reduction of the United States duty on cream from five cents per pound to five cents per gallon, we exported 1,650 gallons of cream to the American market. In November of the same year this increased to 70,000 gallons. For October last the amount was 327,064 gallons. It is believed that the value of our exports of dairy products to the United States for the year ending March next will be \$3,000,000 as against less than a quarter of a million the year before, and practically nothing prior to the change in the American duty. The total value of the milk production of Canada was placed at \$100,000,000, and it was said that an addition of 500 lbs. of milk per cow to the average production, something easily possible, would add \$10,000,000 to this. The prediction was made that much more than this will be done; that in a few years a larger proportion of the two million odd cows in the Dominion will be made to increase their milk flow by fifty per cent. Even with this increase, Mr. Ruddick contended, there need be no fear of over-production. If the production remains stationary, the home market, if the expansion continues at the present rate, will absorb the entire output of the dairy industry ten years hence. In addition to this, there is the American market. Although the United States is the largest producer in dairy lines in the world, that country imported nearly \$7,000,000 worth of butter and cheese in the calendar year of 1909, and will import larger quantities in future.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN A PARAGRAPH

HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE IN A NUTSHELL.

Canada, the Empire and the World in General Before Your Eyes.

CANADA.

It is estimated that 300,000 immigrants arrived in Canada last year. The Ontario Government proposes to sell certain pulpwood concessions. Mr. Clark and his daughter, Mrs. Robert Young, were robbed by highwaymen near Hamilton. The Lord's Day Alliance finds that conflict of laws prevents proper enforcement in Quebec. Cases of malicious damage to the Hydro-electric transmission line have been reported at London. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has given notice of a resolution for the renewal of the Pacific steamship subsidies

of £25,000 annually.

Norman McMillan, the young son of J. W. McMillan, was struck and instantly killed by a Grand Trunk express train at Stratford, on Thursday.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The British Parliament will be opened by the King on February 9.

Mr. A. J. Balfour says the fiscal controversy retains its old place on the Unionist programme. A bull dog kept a dozen London policemen at bay when they tried to enter the room in which its master had committed suicide.

UNITED STATES.

Canada has scored a diplomatic victory on the fisheries question. The American section of the International Waterways Commission favors Government control of Long Sault Rapids power development.

GENERAL.

The Kaiser's speech at the opening of the Diet offended the Democrats and Liberals.

It is officially denied that Persia appealed to the American people against Britain and Russia.

CORONATION PROGRAMME

Elaborate Tentative Arrangements Have Been Completed.

A despatch from London says: The executive committee having in charge the plans in connection with the coronation of King George, met on Thursday and completed tentative arrangements, which will, if anything, be on a more extensive scale than at the time of King Edward's coronation. The route of the procession to Westminster Abbey on June 22 will be the same as on the last occasion, and the royal progress through the capital after the cere-

mony, which was postponed in Edward's time, owing to the King's delicate health, will occur on June 23. Still another royal procession to the guild hall for the coronation entertainment has been arranged for a subsequent day. The coronation festivities will extend from June 19 to June 30, and will include a naval review at Spithead, at which the King will be present, probably a military review and a royal reception in honor of the colonial and foreign envoys.

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RULING PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Produce at Home and Abroad.

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—Flour—Winter wheat 90 per cent. patents, \$3.60 at seaboard. Manitoba flours—First patents, \$5.40; second patents, \$4.90, and strong bakers, \$4.70, on track, Toronto.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.04 to \$1.04 1/2, Bay ports; No. 2 Northern, \$1.02, Bay ports, and No. 3 at 95 1/2c, Bay ports.

Ontario wheat—86 and 87c outside for No. 2 red and white respectively.

Barley—Malting qualities, 56 to 58c outside, and feed 48 to 50c outside.

Oats—No. 2 white, 35c, on track, Toronto, and 33c outside; No. 2 W. C. oats, 38 1/2c, Bay ports, and No. 3 at 37c, Bay ports.

Corn—New No. 3 American, 52 1/2 to 53c, prompt shipment, Toronto freights.

Peas—No. 2 shrimping lots 80 to 81c outside.

Rye—No. 2 at 61 to 62c outside.

Buckwheat—No. 1 at 47 to 48c outside.

Bran—Manitobas, \$20, in bags, Toronto, and shorts, \$21, in bags, Toronto. Ontario bran, \$20.50, in sacks, Toronto, and shorts, \$22.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—Spys, \$4.50 to \$6; Baldwins, \$4 to \$5; Greenings, \$4 to \$4.50; No. 2 assorted, \$3.50 to \$4 per barrel.

Beans—Car lots, 1.60 to \$1.70, and small lots, \$1.80 to \$1.85.

Honey—Extracted, in tins, 10 1/2 to 11c per lb. No. 1 comb, wholesale, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen; No. 2 comb, wholesale, \$1.75 to \$2 per dozen.

Baled hay—No. 1 at \$12.50 to \$13.50 on track, and No. 2 at \$10 to \$11.

Baled straw—\$6.50 to \$7 on track, Toronto.

Potatoes—Car lots, 75 to 80c per bag.

Poultry—Wholesale prices of dressed poultry—Chickens, 12 to 12 1/2c per lb.; fowl, 9 to 10c per lb.; ducks, 13 to 14c per lb.; turkeys, 17 to 18c per lb. and geese, 12 to 12 1/2c per lb. Live, 1 to 2c less.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Dairy prints, 22 to 24c; choice dairy solids, 21 to 22c; inferior, 18 to 19c; choice large rolls, 21 to 22c. Creamery, 27 to 28c per lb. for rolls, 25c for solids, and 24 to 25c for separator prints.

Eggs—Case lots of pickled bring 27c; cold storage, 27 to 28c; selected, 30c, and strictly new-laid, 35 to 36c per dozen.

Cheese—Large are quoted at 12 1/2c and twins at 12 1/2c.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Bacon—Long clear, 12 to 12 1/2c per lb. in case lots; mess pork, \$24; short cut, 22c.

Hams—Light to medium, 16c; do., heavy, 15c; rolls, 12 1/2c; shoulders, 11 1/2c; breakfast bacon, 18c; backs (pea meal), 18 1/2c.

Lard—Tierces, 12 1/2c; tubs, 12 1/2c; pails 13c.

BUSINESS IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 17.—Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 40 to 40 1/2c, car lots ex store; extra No. 1 feed, 39 to 39 1/2c; No. 3 C. W., 38 1/2 to 39c; No. 2 local white, 38c; No. 3 local white, 37c; No. 4 local white, 36c. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.60; do., seconds, \$5.10; Winter wheat patents, \$4.75 to \$5; strong bakers, \$4.90; straight rollers, \$4.35 to \$4.50; do., in bags, \$2 to \$2.10. Rolled oats—Per bbl., \$4.45; do., bag of 90 lbs., \$2.10. Barley—Feed, car lots, ex store, 49 to 50c. Corn—American No. 3 yellow, 57 1/2 to 58c. Millfeed—Bran, Ontario, \$19 to \$20; Manitoba, \$18 to \$20; Ontario middlings, \$22 to \$22.50; Manitoba shorts, \$21 to \$22; moullis, \$21 to \$20. Eggs—Selected, 32c; fresh, 45 to 50c. No. 1 stock, 27; No. 2, 23 to 25c. Cheese—Western, 12 to 12 1/2c; eastern, 11 to 11 1/2c. Butter—Choice, 25 1/2c; do., seconds, 23 to 25c.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Buffalo, Jan. 17.—Wheat—Spring, No. 1 Northern, call bids store, \$1.19 1/2; winter, no offerings. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 50 1/2c; No. 4 yellow, 49c, on track, through billed. Oats—No. 2 white, 36 1/2c; No. 3 white, 36 1/2c; No. 4 white, 35 1/2c. Barley—Malting, 96c to \$1. Rye—No. 2, on track, 85c. Minneapolis, Jan. 17.—Wheat—May, \$1.09 1/2 to \$1.09 3/4; July, \$1.09 1/2; No. 1 hard, \$1.10 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.09 1/2 to \$1.10 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.06 1/2 to \$1.08 1/2; No. 3 wheat, \$1.04 1/2 to \$1.07 1/2. Bran—\$21 to \$21.50. Flour—First patents, \$4.95 to \$5.35; second patents,

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Montreal, Jan. 17.—Choice steers sold at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4c, good at 6 to 6 1/2c, fairly good at 5 1/2 to 5 3/4c, and the lower grades at 4 to 4 1/2c per lb. The demand for hogs was active, with sales of selected lots at \$8.25 to \$8.60 per 100 lbs., weighed off cars. Supplies of sheep coming forward are small, for which the demand is good and sales were made at 4 1/2 to 4 3/4c per lb. Lambs were firm under a good demand at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4c per lb. A fairly good trade was done in calves, at prices ranging from \$3 to \$12 each, as to quality.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—Some of the choicest butcher heifers and steers sold in the neighborhood of \$5.50 to \$5.90. Lambs were considerably higher. Sheep were steady to firm. One dealer paid as high as \$5.85 per cwt. Hogs show indications of easing off.

TROOPS KILLED ELEVEN.

Clots in Bombay Between Sunnites and the Shiah.

A despatch from Bombay says: Troops called out on Thursday to quell a riot fired several volleys into the crowd, killing eleven and wounding fourteen persons. Each year riots mark the celebration of the Muharram, the first month of the Mohammedan year, when trouble is bound to arise between the Sunnites, or orthodox section, and the Shiah, the second great division of Mohammedans. A great procession was arranged for Thursday to mark the close of the Muharram festival, but this was prohibited by the police. Rioting began and mobs gathered in large force. The police were stoned and found themselves unable to stop the fighting. Then troops were rushed to the scene of the fiercest rioting and orders were given to fire on the mob. It is probable that many received minor wounds in addition to the fourteen accounted for. The bodies of the killed lay in the streets for a considerable time after the rioters were dispersed.

LEVEL CROSSING FATALITY.

Daniel Watt Killed, and His Wife Injured.

A despatch from Arnprior says: At noon on Thursday the community was thrown into gloom over the terrible accident by which Mr. Daniel Watt of McNab township lost his life and his wife received serious injuries. They were coming to town, driving along Daniel street, and while attempting to cross the G. T. R. tracks their sleigh was struck by the noon way freight from the east. Mr. Watt's death was instantaneous. His left leg was pulled out at the thigh and his right foot severely crushed. Mrs. Watt received serious wounds, and was unconscious for over an hour and a half. The horses were not hurt.

MOONSHINE WHISKEY.

Two Men Lose Their Lives Near Ste. Agathe, Quebec.

A despatch from Montreal says: Illegally manufactured whiskey, with poisonous elements in it, has caused the death of two men near Ste. Agathe, where "moonshine" liquor flooding the whole district. After taking the raw liquor the men were found unconscious, and never recovered. An autopsy on Gilbert Legare, one victim, proved that he had died from the effects of potash, mixed with the liquor to give it the flavor of matured spirits.

FORTY PER CENT. DIE.

Plague Situation at Harbin, Manchuria, Very Serious.

A despatch from Washington says: Official reports to the State Department indicate that the plague situation at Harbin, Manchuria, is very serious. During the last fifteen days a total of 600 deaths have been reported. New cases have occurred at the rate of 100 daily, with a mortality of 40 per cent.

PULP INDUSTRY OF CANADA

Quebec Province Leads All the Dominion in Production.

A despatch from Ottawa says: According to statistics collected by the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior, there were 622,129 cords of pulpwood used in Canada during the year 1909. Of this the total value at the mill was \$3,464,080. In spite of a decline in the price of pulpwood the value of the wood consumed increased more than \$550,000 over that used in 1908, the quantity used being more than thirty per cent. in advance of that used in the previous years. There are some sixty pulp mills in the Dominion, and of these reports were received from fifty. Half of these mills are in Quebec, one-fifth in Ontario, and the rest are located in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and British Columbia. The Province of Quebec furnished over half the pulpwood, Ontario gave one-third, while the rest was obtained from New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and British Columbia. Two species of timber, namely, spruce and balsam, furnished ninety-nine per cent. of the wood used in the making of pulp. Poplar, hemlock and jack pine were also used. Three-fifths of the pulpwood cut in Canada during 1909 was exported to the United States for manufacture. Nearly all this wood went from Quebec. The average price received for it was only forty-five cents more than was paid at the Quebec mills. The pulpwood shipped from Canada in 1909 furnished 464-10 per cent. of the raw material used by the ninety pulp mills of the State of New York, and an appreciable portion of that used by the mills of New England and Pennsylvania. The manufacture of the pulpwood exported in 1909 kept 69 of the 251 pulp mills of the United States running at full capacity for the year. Had it been manufactured in Quebec it would have kept running 71 mills of the same size as those running in Quebec.

CAPITAL AND IMMIGRATION

Mr. White, Vice-President of C.P.R., Speaks of the Prosperity of the West.

A despatch from Montreal says: Mr. William Whyte, Vice-President of the C. P. R. at Winnipeg, who is here conferring with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, is enthusiastic over the prospects of the west. In speaking of the building of the new lines he said: "During the summer there have been constructed 609 miles of railway, including 56 miles of double track. We are now engaged on the programme for this year, and it is probable that as much construction work will be done in 1911 as was done in 1910. Labor for railway building was never so scarce as in 1910, and wages were never so high. "During the year a determined effort was continued to turn back

FIGHT WITH HIGHWAYMEN.

Detective Sayers Fatally Wounded in British Columbia.

A despatch from Victoria, B. C., says: G. C. Sayers, said to be a detective, was brought here on Wednesday in a dying condition from Alberni, where he on Tuesday night had a desperate fight with two men wanted in Saskatchewan for highway robbery there and for breaking open box-cars on the Grand Trunk at Yorkton, Sask.

FIVE MEN KILLED.

Mr. John Bowman and Assistants Meet Death at Prince Rupert.

A despatch from Prince Rupert, B. C., says: John Bowman of Kenora, Ont., and four foreigners were killed by an explosion on the G. T. P. grading work on the harbor front, all being blown into the water, on Wednesday. Mr. Bowman has a brother farming in Manitoba.

A CRIME TO SELL BAD EGGS

Boards of Trade of Montreal and Toronto to Ask Legislation.

A despatch from Montreal says: As the result of united efforts on the part of the Montreal Produce Merchants' Association, the Montreal Board of Trade and the Toronto Board of Trade, an attempt will be made to secure legislation making it criminal to offer for sale bad eggs. At a meeting of the Montreal Produce Merchants' Association on Wednesday, the matter was brought up and President Gunn stated that figures prepared by the association showed that during last year 17,000,000 dozen of eggs in Canada were rendered unfit for consumption by late marketing. The loss by this was estimated at \$3,400,000. Out of a total production of 120,000,000 dozen of eggs a year in Canada, it was estimated that fully seventeen per cent. was spoiled by delay in marketing. President Gunn announced that efforts were being made to secure a system of standardizing eggs and also to have it made a criminal offence to sell bad eggs.

The Corner Store

Helwig Bros'. Weekly Store News.

WINTER GOODS.

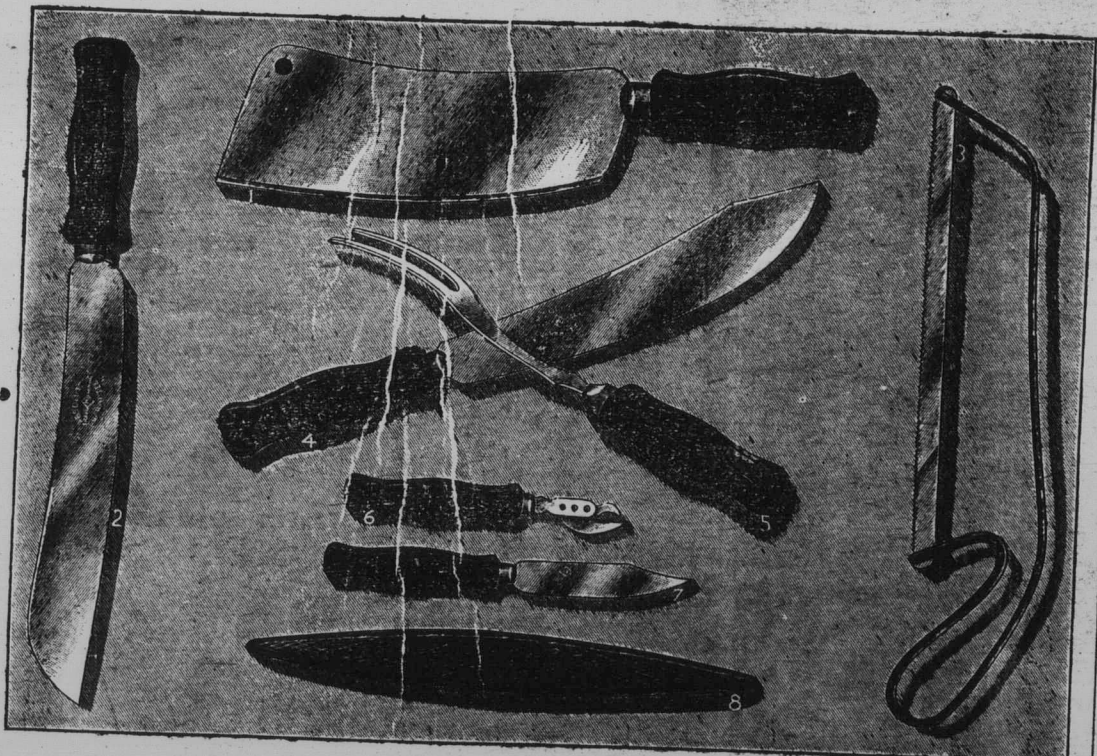
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The Aftermath.

An increase in the rates for accommodation at our hotels was looked for in case local option carried in Paisley. A new schedule has already been issued. Such high prices as have been fixed for stable room were hardly expected. On Saturday there were a lot of farmers in town, and when they were called upon to pay at the fixed rate. They individually and collectively expressed their displeasure. Many little indignation meetings occurred on the street. Some hinted a scheme for the farmers to build large new stables of their own in town. Whether the policy of the hotel men will work out as they intend remains to be seen. Other suitable buildings have been procured by interested parties and will be thrown open for public use as horse stabling, so that all will not be compelled to pay the hotelkeepers' tariff. This is one of the difficulties that arise in towns like Paisley when the bars are voted out. In some places the hotels, stables and sheds were all closed up and the travelling public left to shift for itself, but in no case heard of did these conditions become permanent. Time may also settle the rates here to a reasonable level, as elsewhere. In the meantime everyone is waiting expectantly for the next new move.—Paisley Advocate.

The Housewife's Song.

The housewife sang as she did her chores, and the music floated around out-doors. Her voice was far from the Melba class; it would drill a hole through a pane of glass; the words were fierce and the tune was worse, and she shrieked at the end of every verse. The judge was passing along that way, as he rode to court on his knee-sprung bay, and he shook his head and heaved a sigh, and wiped a tear from his good left eye. "When a housewife sings as she works," he said, "then a blessing rests on her faithful head; for her husband's kind and her children good, and peace illumines her neighborhood. For wives don't sing if their hearts are sore, if sorrow stands in the cottage door." Then the jurist thought of his dwelling grand, with pomp and riches on every hand; of the jaded women who languished there, and filled with grumblings the perfumed air. They did no work and they sang no songs, but wearied him of with their social wrongs; and the Judge indulged in another sigh, and wiped a tear from his good right eye. Then his old horse stumbled and fell down flat and he took a header and spoiled his hat.—WALT MASON.

Ontario Legislature.

The Ontario Legislature will assemble in good time this year, and is called for January 24. It is said that Hon. Col. Matheson, Provincial Treasurer, will again have a most satisfactory financial statement to make for the financial year, which closed Oct. 31. The question of dual languages in Ontario schools is likely to come up. The reports of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission and of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway will each of them team with details of substantial progress. According to a statement from a well-informed source, the provincial treasurer has a measure well advanced for submission to the house for a graded license system with respect to the sale of intoxicating liquors, and possibly a change in the law relating to License Boards. While the session may not be what is termed a "heavy" one, there is work ahead, and though the Legislature is called early in the year, the work is likely to be ready, so that no time may be lost.

Settled For The Sheep.

The contention that because Brant had no dog tax the township wouldn't be liable for sheep killed by dogs doesn't evidently hold law, as the Council on Monday last deemed it wise to settle for some twelve sheep which were destroyed in the township rather than fight the claim in the courts. The parties who got the money were Jas. L. Tolton and his brother Edwin. The latter was awarded \$11.00 for two sheep killed, while James who had 11 sheep destroyed and 2 others worried was settled with for \$75.00. As the Brant Council has been warding off claimants for years under the belief that they were bullet proof against liability in the matter, this sudden discovery of the weakness of their defense has resulted in the present Council immediately putting a tax on dogs to create a fund to liquidate future claims. Hereafter owners of dogs in the township will be obliged to pay \$1.00 for the first dog and \$2.00 for each additional one.—Bruce Times.

Dog Goes To Doctor.

An intelligent bull-terrier named Tobe, which is owned by Mr. Hal. G. Hotchkiss of Topeka, Kansas, had one of his hind legs broken, supposedly by an automobile. He was taken to the office of Dr. Otto Kiene, who skillfully set the limb. For some time Tobe trotted about with the injured member held

tight in a plaster cast. A few days later Tobe got into a fight with another dog, which tore the cast from his leg that was again broken in the same place. Tobe at once hobbled alone to Dr. Kiene's and waited at the door until the doctor returned. He was taken inside and a new cast was put on his leg, after which, as we are informed from Mr. Hotchkiss, he made his way straight home, a distance of about two miles.

Old Man Cruelly Murdered.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 13.—A terrible murder was revealed this morning by the finding of the blood-covered body, frozen stiff, of an aged Pole named Franz Tobinski, tied to a post a few feet from the kitchen door of his house, two miles west of Wellesley village, near Berlin. Robbery was the motive of the crime, and it is known that the murderers got away with \$130 in gold, which Tobinski had kept in a little tin box. This box was found lying outside in the snow. Fifty yards away from where the body lay was found a blood-stained hammer of medium size of a kind used by blacksmiths. There were tracks of two men in the snow and also of a team of horses but the police have no clue as to the identity of the murderers. It was apparent that the old man was roused from his sleep and induced to open the kitchen door. There a terrible encounter must have taken place, as the room presented an awful spectacle of bloodshed, and Tobinski although seventy years old, was a strongly built man, capable of putting up a good fight for his life. Just outside the door was a frozen pool of blood and blood stains all about in the snow and over to a post where the body was found. One foot was tied to the post by a wire, and when found the body was lying in the snow, with the foot sticking against the post. The body had evidently been there all night and probably since the previous night, as it was the loud bellowing of hungry cattle that attracted the attention of one Leyes from the road. Leyes was a neighbor of Tobinski and his confident, the latter entrusting him with many of his business transactions. Leyes knew that just a few days previously Tobinski had \$130 in gold in the little box. Among the effects found in a search of the house by the authorities were a number of notes and receipts in a box. Tobinski was worth possibly \$10,000. He had lived alone in the house since the death of his wife six years ago. After making the ghastly discovery, Leyes summoned other neighbors, and soon a large crowd gathered at the scene of the murder. Coroner Glaister of Wellesley was notified, but he could not go ahead with the inquest, as he had not taken the oath since the accession of King George, and had to proceed to Berlin to be sworn by Crown Attorney Bowly, returning to Wellesley in the evening. The inquest will open to-morrow afternoon.

Enormous Business.

The United States public pays the six big packing concerns of Chicago, the colossal sum of \$945,000,000 a year for meat. The net profits of these concerns which are being prosecuted by the Government as a monopoly in restraint of trade, amounts to \$25,000,000 a year. Such is the light thrown on the present high cost of living, as seen in the enormous profits made this year by the big beef baron. The Armour's have a surplus capital investment of \$74,000,000 which represents their gigantic profits of past years. Morris & Co. show a profit around 50 per cent. annually, last year 69 per cent. being earned on the stock. Boasting of their vast business recently, President Sulzberger said the packing business was one of unusual stability, the profits being rarely subject to wide fluctuations. In declaring the annual business of his house to be \$100,000,000 annually, he said it was exceeded only by the gross earnings of two railroads, the Pennsylvania and Southern Pacific.

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WALKERTON.

Wm. Atkinson of Eden Grove had a couple of colts killed on Tuesday evening. The colts were let out to water and got out on the road. They went along the 12th concession and got onto the track. They were both struck by the evening train and one killed outright while the other was so badly battered that it died. Mr. Atkinson has asked the company to settle.

Messrs. Harold and Ross Young, two of Walkerton's young men have purchased Wepler's Hardware store at Hanover. Ross has had a thorough training in the hardware business in Guelph, and has for the past three or four years been a hardware traveller through the West. He will return and the new firm will take possession early in March. The Wepler store is one of the best in this district.

The marriage of Miss Mary Spitzig to Mr. Albert Benninger, one of Walkerton's merchants, was solemnized in the Roman Catholic church on Wednesday morning at 9.30. Rev. Fr. Cummings performed the ceremony. Miss Tillie Spitzig, a sister of the bride, performed the duty of bridesmaid, while Mr. Jos. Schell, assisted the groom. The ceremony over, the guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents where a dainty wedding dejeuner was served. After a short wedding trip the newly married couple will take up their residence on Victoria Street.

John Quinlan has gone. The old man who has been lodged in jail for so long a time has gone to his reward. He was sent over here from Kincardine. The only things against him seem to have been his friendlessness and infirmity. Just why he was not in the hospital or the house of refuge doesn't seem very apparent. Another inmate of the jail, Albert Day, who was incarcerated for housebreaking in the Peninsula is ill with tubercular trouble, the after result of pneumonia and an effort is being made to have him removed to his home, as there is no hope of his recovery.

Man is a Queer Duck.

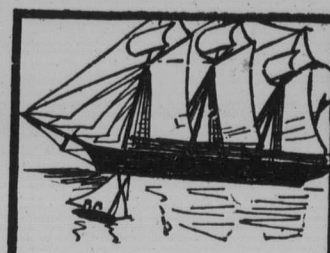
Men are queer. Wouldn't there be a roar when they went home to their meals if they had to climb up on a high stool in front of a table on which there was no cloth, and eat their meals in that fashion. Yet the majority of men, when they go to a restaurant, will pick out the high stool and the feed board with no cloth on it in preference to a comfortable chair with a cloth covered table. A man will borrow a chew of tobacco and most of them will set their teeth into the plug where some other man has gnawed off a chew. Offer him a piece of pie at home which his wife or one of the children had taken a bite and he would holler his head off. At home he will not drink out of a glass or cup from which one of the family has been drinking. Call him into the back stall of a livery barn, pull out a bottle and he will stick the neck of the bottle half way down his throat in order to get a swig after a half a dozen fellows have had the bottle in their mouths. Truly a man is a queer duck.

A Labor Saver.

A machine recently invented in Germany, by Hugo Gantke, substitutes a steel wire for the axe and saw for felling trees. The wire is about one millimeter in diameter, and is kept in rapid motion by a small electric motor placed at a sufficient distance to be beyond the radius of danger from falling trees. The swift motion heats the wire, and it cuts with great facility, producing a slight carbonization of the wood. A trunk 20 inches in diameter can be severed in six minutes. The cut can be made at the level of the ground, or even below it if the surrounding soil is removed.

Auction Sale.

Julius Kupferschmidt, will hold an auction sale of farm stock and implements at lot 24, Con. 9, Carrick, on Saturday, the 21st day of January. John Purvis, auctioneer.



"Vessels Large May Venture More, but Little Ships Must Stay Near Shore."

The large display ads are good for the large business and the Classified Want Ads. are properly classified good for the small firm. In fact many large firms become such by the diligent use of the Classified Columns. There is no example is good—start now!

Items of Interest.

If you commend a man's work he sets you down as an expert; if you find fault with it he pines you for your lack of knowledge.

They tell us the days are lengthening; with the day is still 24 hours. Another authority affirms that the snow drifts are increasing in their height, depth and length. No affidavit is necessary.

'Tis the constant drop of water
Wears a hole in solid stone;
'Tis the constant gnaw of Towser
Masticates the hardest bone;
'Tis the constant wooing lover
Carries off the cooling maid,
And the constant advertiser
Is the man who gets the trade.

Lucknow is experimenting with a new method of opening and levelling her streets after a snow fall—that is, by rolling them with a hand-roller. It seems to be a fairly effective method too, says The Sentinel.

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth, after his recent trip abroad, still thinks Ontario the best place in the world. "Nowhere are the fields more fertile," he said in a recent speech. "Nowhere are there freer, better institutions, more security under the law, or better people to move among."

A story comes from Morris township that the two candidates for reeve tied, and the casting vote of course, was left with the clerk, but appreciating the delicacy of his position, it was agreed that the dead lock should be broken by passing a cent, and the clerk to vote accordingly, which was done. This certainly was a friendly way of settling the question.

When John Kellert, a California farmer, goes sightseeing again in San Francisco he will be careful what animal's chin he tickles. While visiting the winter quarters of a wild animal show, John was told that he could make a lion yawn by tickling his chin. John tried, with the result that he is now in an hospital nursing a hand from which two fingers are missing.

A preacher not more than a thousand miles from Mildmay grew fervent in exhorting to an honest living, and near the close of his sermon he said: "Let every person in the house who is paying his or her debts stand up." Instantly every man and woman in the house save one, was standing. After they were peacefully seated the dominie asked, "Now let those stand up who are not paying their debts," and a long, lean, man of sixty or more years clothed in a seedy looking suit of the past decade, slowly assumed a perpendicular position in his pew. "How is it my friend," inquired the minister in astute tone, "that you are the only one of this intelligent congregation who does not meet his obligation?" The lanky individual meekly answered, "I run a newspaper, and the brethren here who just stood are my subscribers, and"—The minister broke in abruptly with, "We will close with the benediction."

He had never fished before, says an exchange, and his rod was new and shining with resplendent varnish. Faultlessly attired, he was whipping a trout stream when by some odd chance he got a bite, a 1-pounder from the way the lined strained. He did not play the fish at all, but with his rod held straight ahead he slowly and steadily reeled in. Presently the fish's head appeared below the end of the rod. Did he stop? No; he kept on reeling the fish in, and finally the fish's head touched the tip. The man even tried to pull him through the ring. Just then the man turned and saw a stranger on the bank. With a bewildered look he said: "What shall I do now?" "Is he only thing you can do now," the man said, "is climb up the pole after him."

Apportion your time.

"Sufficient for the day is the evil thereof," and visa versa. It is false economy to endeavor to crowd too much into one day. The day's work should be faced with the resolve that each job will be done in turn, and that while it is handled it will receive all energy. Don't spread the thoughts over what is to come or has gone. "One thing at a time and "What is worth doing, is worth doing well" are good mottoes. Endeavor at the outset to apportion to each task its fair share of your time. Then sail straight ahead. The saving in nervous energy is enormous. Avoid undertaking too much, and try not to worry over the fear of failure. Do your best no man can do better than his best. The man who stoops to ponder over the chances of success is seldom the man who succeeds. The successful man is he who does his duty to the best of his ability, in the full knowledge that he cannot do more to guard against failure.

Some Good Advice.

Foolish spending is the father of poverty. Do not be ashamed of hard work. Work for the best salary or wages you can get, but work for half price rather than be idle. Be your own master, do not let society or fashion swallow you individually—but coat and boots. Do not eat up or wear out all you can earn. Compel your selfish body to spare something for profits saved. Be stingy to your appetites, but merciful to others' necessities. Help others, and ask no help for yourself. See that you are proud, too! Let that pride be of the right kind. Be too proud to be lazy; too proud to give up without conquering every difficulty; too proud to wear a coat you cannot afford to buy; too proud to be in company that you cannot afford to keep up with in expense; too proud to be stingy.

Thoughtless Man.

In order to maintain domestic tranquility and tickle the honest soul of your little wife, the husband must endeavor to appreciate her daily household efforts and show it. When she has the house clean and cozy, don't scatter cigar ashes over the library table, morris chair and carpet. Don't fill up the spittoon with tobacco salver and cigar butts for her to carry out and clean. She does not appreciate such evidences of thoughtlessness and might rebel against such conduct. When she stands all day in the kitchen and over the hot stove baking and boiling to please you, do not criticize her if the muffins are a little extra heavy and the beefsteak not fried as you think. Don't tell her every day about the pies your mother made or what lovely meals you had down town. It isn't polite nor right. This reminds us of a tramp who came to a certain door for a hand-out. The lady of the house watching how the hungry tramp relished the cake and pie said: "You seem to enjoy my baking and it never suits my husband." The tramp replied: "Well why don't you get a divorce and marry." The constant grumbling of some husbands is enough to drive the wife to the bug-house or divorce court.

There Were No More.

When a noted Irish orator was in America a few years ago he appeared at a meeting in St. Louis and delivered an address on the subject of "Home Rule for Ireland." There were 6,000 of his countrymen in the audience. At the close of his remarks the chairman asked: "Would anyone like to ask the speaker a question?"

A man in the rear of the hall, who was quite evidently under the influence of liquor arose and said: "Will the gentleman tell me if there is a reason why the Irish should not be wiped off the face of the earth?"

Immediately pandemonium reigned. The disturber was attacked from every quarter. Calls of "Down with him!" and "Let me at him!" came from all directions. Finally he was rescued by the policemen torn and bleeding, and in an unconscious condition, was placed in an ambulance which had been called. Order was in measure restored. While the audience could still hear the clatter of the ambulance and the sound of its gong as it conveyed its burden to the hospital, the chairman stepped forward and asked:

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A STRANGE BIRD.
Little Bob (just started in school)—
"Uncle Harry, what is the bird with the biggest bill?"
Uncle Harry (who is still thinking of the night before)—"A quail, my boy, a quail—on toast."

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Corals that nearly reproduce the real thing are set on a bar, making a most attractive veil pin.

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Garlands or roses are now being draped over cloche hats for little girls. Silver or gilt tissue or soft satin are the materials most used.

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AGE LIMIT FOR DOCTORS.

Paris Court Thinks They Should Retire at 66.

The Paris Court has just given a decision which will be of interest to medical men as it raises the question of the age at which doctors ought to retire. At the beginning of last year a well known Paris physician, Dr. Eugene Cheuriot, 66 years of age, was the victim of a serious automobile accident, which prevented him from following his practice for nine months and necessitated a long stay in the South of France. He brought an action against the owner of the automobile which overturned his coupe, claiming \$2,400 for medical treatment and his stay in the South; \$12,000 for loss of practice and \$30,000 for "diminution of clientele in the future because of the time during which he was away from his consulting rooms and of the loss of strength which will for the future prevent him from performing the same amount of work as before the accident."

The Court expressed the opinion that "at the age of Dr. Cheuriot, the greater number of medical men aspire to a well merited repose," and considered therefore that damages to the amount of \$12,000 would meet the case. From this it would seem that the Court thinks that doctors are too old at 66 to practice.

The new bags have coronet or initials in gold or small diamonds on their velvet background.

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COALING BIG WAR SHIPS

HIS MAJESTY'S SAILORS DRESS ANY OLD WAY.

Every Man Takes His Position Just as If the Battleship was in Action.

Twilight has just given place to dawn as the grimy, blunt-nosed collier comes gingerly alongside. As she makes fast a motley crowd hurls itself aboard, swarming all over her, reaving whips and out-hauls, and finging sacks and shovels into the holds.

Hardly two men are dressed alike, for on a "coal-ship" day the uniform regulations of his Majesty's fleet are relaxed—indeed, they are disregarded entirely—and the utmost latitude is allowed in the matter of dress.

The forecatermen and foretopmen, each under their own officers, attack the foremost holds of the collier, the maintopmen and quarterdeckmen the after-holds; while the donkey-engines have been hastily overhauled by stokers, with a view to getting the best possible work out of them.

EACH PART OF THE SHIP has two whips for hoisting the bags of coal inboard, and they must keep them well supplied.

A bugle sounds the "Commence!" and as the first hoist—five sacks of coal, weighing 2 cwt. each—swings into the battleship a cheer goes up from the men.

As soon as a group has five sacks filled, a hemp strop is passed through the becket at their mouths and one of the whips is hooked on. "Heave up, two!" yells a voice. An officer standing by the coaming of the hatch holds up a small flag. There is a rattle from the donkey-engine, and up goes the hoist, amidst shouts of "Stand from under!" as the men dodge the loose lumps of coal that fall from it. The hands on the hemp outhaul ease it away, and the hoist swings over the deck of the battleship. The officer, seizing the right moment, slaps the flag to his side, and down go the bags of coal on the deck, where a party of men spring on them to get them out of the way before the arrival of the next hoist.

DOWN AMONG THE DUST.
On board ship the Marines, each armed with an iron trolley, rush the full sacks one by one to the appointed coal-shoots. Here they are tipped up, and the coal pours down into the bunkers, while the empty bags are passed back to the collier to be refilled.

But the matter does not end with the disappearance of the coal from on deck. Down below in the bunkers are the men who have the least pleasant part of the work to do—stokers, who trim the coal as it comes in, working in enclosed spaces, in which the atmosphere is thick with the fine flying dust. Manipulating weird-looking rakes, and dodging the descending avalanches, they distribute them to the corners so as to get the bunker evenly and completely filled, and to keep a clear space beneath the shoot to prevent it from becoming choked.

Except for half an hour's inter-dinner, the work

CONTINUES INCESSANTLY.

Every hour a midshipman chalks up the results on the sides of the hatchways, so that the shovellers in each hold can compare their efforts with those of their rival parts of the ship. The band plays lively airs on the shelter-deck, and nearly everyone smokes. Mess-kettles of lime-juice-and-water are passed down, and the seamen wash the coal-dust from their parched throats. All the officers who are not required for special duties shovel coal with their men, and the commander and first lieutenant are everywhere at once, full of encouragement, and dealing with any mishap that may occur. Perhaps towards the end speed decreases as the bunkers become congested, and the coal on the decks cannot be disposed so quickly; but at last the bugle sounds "Cease firing!" and a mighty cheer goes up from the collier with the final hoist.—London Answers.

Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs.

TAPERS?
Recently a mistress was showing her new servant how to prepare dinner. All went well until the macaroni for the pudding was produced. The servant was surprised when she saw the long white sticks. When they were placed in water she looked astonished.

"Did you say, missus," she said, "that you are going to make a pudding of that?"

"Yes, Molly," was the reply. "Have you never seen macaroni cooked before?"

"No, ma'am," answered Molly. "The last place I was at we used things to light the gas with."

FOUND QUICK CURE AFTER EIGHT YEARS

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS TRIUMPH WHERE BELTS AND PLASTERS FAIL.

Moses Sherwood, a long sufferer from Backache, found permanent relief in one box of the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Podiac, King's Co., N. B., Jan. 9 (Special).—After suffering for eight years, while all the time the remedy was right at hand, Mr. Moses Sherwood, a well known farmer living near here, tried Dodd's Kidney Pills and is now as well as ever he was in his life.

Mr. Sherwood's experience is similar to that of thousands of other natives of New Brunswick. "About eight years ago I hurt my back from lifting," he states. "I used liniments and plasters and wore a wide belt, but in two years my trouble had developed into Kidney disease. My back was so sore I could not lift any weight, when reading a Dodd's Almanac led me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. Before the first box was finished my backache was gone and I have never been troubled with it since."

Belts and plasters may give temporary relief in cases of Backache or Rheumatism, but the only way to cure them is to go to the seat of the trouble. Cure the Kidneys and the Backache or Rheumatism will disappear. Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to cure the Kidneys.

The rage for black velvet gowning reaches down to the tiniest feminine mites. A charming fact.

It may not be so bad if your views are one-sided—providing you always look upon the bright side.

While more prevalent in winter, when sudden changes in the weather try the strongest constitutions, colds and coughs and ailments of the throat may come in any season. At the first sight of derangement use Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Instant relief will be experienced, and use of the medicine until the cold disappears will protect the lungs from attack. For anyone with throat or chest weakness it cannot be surpassed.

Perhaps you have observed that spiritualist mediums do not seem to care a rap for each other.

TRY MURINE EYE REMEDY for Red, Weak, Watery, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Murine doesn't Smart—Soothes Eye Pain. Druggists Sell Murine Eye Remedy, Liquid, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Murine Eye Salve in Aseptic Tubes, 25c, \$1.00. Eye Books and Eye Advice Free by Mail. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

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It has many qualities.—The man who possesses a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is armed against many ills. It will cure a cough, break a cold, prevent sore throat; it will reduce the swelling from a sprain, cure the most persistent sores and will speedily heal cuts and contusions. It is a medicine chest in itself, and can be got for a quarter of a dollar.

Avoid pushing to the front by going back on your friends.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria. A dollar fairly got is worth a thousand that are not.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

THE LIMIT.

A Toronto man who visited Britain last summer appears to think that country the champion tip-taker.

He says: "Well, I had tipped every man, from the swell gent who seemed to own the House of Commons down to the hiring who gumbled the wrong labels on my luggage, and I went into the waiting-room on the landing-stage at Liverpool to wash my hands, and what do you think stared me in the face, when I had finished? A placard, 'Please tip the basin.' I'll be hanged if I did!"

RAIN TREE.

Peru grows very large trees and is called the Rain Tree. It is called the Rain Tree because of the dampness there and condensation of continuous clouds.

In the dry season when the rivers are low and the heat great the tree's power of condensing seems at the highest and water falls in abundance from the leaves and oozes from the trunk. The water spreads around in veritable rivers, part of which filters into the soil and fertilizes it. These rivers are canalized so as to regulate the course of the water.

It is estimated that one of the Peruvian rain trees will on an average yield nine gallons of water per diem. In a field of an area of one kilometer square—that is, 3,300 feet each way—can be grown 10,000 trees separated from each other by 95 meters. This plantation produces daily 385,000 liters of water. If we allow for evaporation and infiltration we have 135,000 liters or 29,531 gallons of rain for distribution daily. The rain tree can be cultivated with very little trouble, for it seems indifferent to the soil in which it grows. The tree increases rapidly and resists both extremes of climate.

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Have you ever heard of anything that was materially improved by scolding?

MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LIMITED.
GENTLEMEN,—I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT from time to time for the past twenty years. It was recommended to me by a prominent physician of Montreal, who called it the "great Nova Scotia Liniment." It does the doctor's work; it is particularly good in cases of Rheumatism and Sprains.
Yours truly,
G. G. DUSTAN,
Chartered Accountant,
Halifax N.S., Sept. 21, 1905.

THE HAPPY MAN.
"I hear she is to be married. Who is the happy man?"
"Her father."

They cleanse while they cure.—The vegetable compounds of which Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are composed, mainly dandelion and mandrake, clear the stomach and intestines of deleterious matter and restore the deranged organs to healthful action. Hence they are the best remedy for indigestion available to-day. A trial of them will establish the truth of this assertion and do more to convince the ailing than anything that can be written of these pills.

Hoax.—The amateur photographer is generally a pessimist. Hoax—How do you figure that out? Hoax—He takes the worst view of everything.

When a woman has an eye for the beautiful she hunts up a mirror.

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IMPOSSIBLE.

Bobby's father is not a brilliant sort of man; it has been said in fact, that he errs decidedly in the other direction.

He took Bobby the other day on a short visit to some friends, and, thinking to make a good impression, he started a conversation.

"I had quite an adventure the other evening," he said. "At the corner of a dark street a man suddenly sprang out on me, and said that if I didn't give him my watch he'd knock my brains out. Fortunately, a policeman came along, and the man took to his heels!"

"And weren't you afraid?" asked his hostess.

"Afraid!" echoed Bobby's papa modestly. "Well, I hope not."

"But," went on the lady, "if he had carried out his threat?"

"Well," answered the visitor, "if he had—!" And then the loyal little Bobby struck in.

"I'll bet there's nobody who could knock any brains out of father!" he said proudly.

Employer—"Mr. Tops, I have long observed with approval your assiduity and devotion to business, and I am now about to test your abilities in a new capacity, in which I feel sure, you will acquit yourself with credit to the house and—"

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"No, sir. It's all I can do to take them out."

THE BOSS.
I fain would walk—"The Boss" proclaims a "No."
I fain would talk—"The Boss" won't have it so.
I long for peace—"The Boss" prefers to talk.
I crave fatigue's succor—"The Boss" will have me walk.

No matter what I want—"The Boss" at once objects.
Man may propose, I grant; "The Boss," of course, elects.

My soul is not my own; I must "The Boss" obey. "The Boss," a tyrant grown, Was one year old to-day!

Don't make the mistake of claiming you never make one.

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WHAT A C.P.R. FIREMAN OWES TO ZAM-BUK.

George H. Duffus of Robertson St., Fort William, a C. P. R. fireman, says: "The water gauge of my locomotive burst and scalded the whole left side of my face terribly. I had a box of Zam-Buk in my pocket, which I was using for a sore on my lip, and when I had recovered from the first shock of the accident, I produced the balm and had it applied freely to the scalded parts. I was suffering acute agony, but within a wonderfully short time Zam-Buk gave me ease. I was able to continue my journey and upon reaching home, I obtained more Zam-Buk and continued the treatment. Zam-Buk acted wonderfully well, and in a few days had the wound nicely healing. I don't know anything so fine as Zam-Buk as a healer of burns, scalds, cuts, and similar injuries, which workers are so liable to, and, in my opinion, a box of Zam-Buk should be kept handy in every worker's home."

Zam-Buk will also be found a sure cure for cold sores, chapped hands, frost bites, ulcers, blood-poison, skin eruptions, pimples, scalp sores, ringworm, inflamed patches, itching eruptions and chapped places, cuts, burns, bruises, and skin injuries generally. All druggists and stores sell at 50c. box or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price.

FREE BOX
Send this Coupon and 10c Stamp to Zam-Buk Co., 100 Front Street East, Toronto, and you will receive a free box of Zam-Buk.

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Farm Laborers for Ontario.

The Ontario Department of Agriculture are devoting special attention towards bringing farm laborers and others suited for farm work to this Province.

These parties will begin to arrive here early in February.

Farmers requiring men should apply some time in advance of the date when required. Write for application form to

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Lands For The Settler.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the policy holders of the Formosa Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held in Beingsner's Hall in the village of Formosa on Monday, the 23rd day of January 1911, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. All policy holders and the insurance public are cordially invited to attend the same.

B. Beingsner, Mgr.
Formosa, Dec. 31, 1910.

FOR SALE.

John Diebel offers for sale on very reasonable terms, his property on Absalom Street, east, in the village of Mildmay. There is one-third of an acre of land, on which is situated a comfortable frame house, 18 x 24. Kitchen 18 x 24, and an addition 14 x 18. Abundance of hard and soft water. Also a pump factory, equipped with boiler and 5 horse power engine. Property is in good shape and can be bought on easy terms.
JOHN DIEBEL, Mildmay.

New Books

- The following list has been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:
- The Lady of the Blarney
 - The Frontiersman
 - Bishop of Cottontail
 - The Crossing
 - Beverly of Grand Nebra
 - Morals of Marcus
 - The Iron Heart
 - The Virginian
 - Sign of the Cross
 - Northern Lights
 - The Undertow
 - Trail of '98
 - Second Chance
 - A Mask of Gold
 - The Handicap
 - Lizbeth of the Dale
 - Margaret Holroyd
 - Indian and Scout
 - The Prince of this World
 - The Dop Doctor
 - House of the Secret
 - Cumner's Son
 - The Wisdom of Folly
 - A Disciple of Chance
 - A Sporting Chance
 - The Dew of Their Youth
 - Don McGrath
 - A Life for a Life
 - Pools of Silence
 - Freebooters of the Wilderness
 - Garden of Fate
 - Mistress of Shenstone
 - A Modern Chronicle
 - The Heart of Desire
 - Lawrence Clavering
 - Rewards and Fairies
 - John Marsh's Millions
 - Seige of the Seven Suitsors
 - Purchase Price
 - A Marriage Under the Terror
 - The Old Flute Player
 - Let the Roof Fall In
 - Songs of a Sourdough
 - Heart of the Antarctic
 - Down to the Sea—Wa-pee-moostooch
 - Romance of Australian Exploring
 - Canadian Lake Region
 - Untrodden English Ways
 - Riders of the Plains
 - Great Victorian Age
 - Yesterday and To-day in Canada
 - Your Mother's Apron Strings
 - Mark Twain's Speeches
 - The Patchwork Papers
 - Sketches of Jewish Social Life
 - How to Argue and Win
 - Keith of the Border

Credit was Stronger.

"I suppose," said the grocery salesman, "that business is better, even in a small country town like this, than it was a few years ago, during the hard times?" "Well, no, can't say that it is," replied the Houndtown grocer. "In the hard times the people hadn't any money to speak of, and consequently didn't buy anything; but then times loosened up a little, why, you know, credit got better and then they bought all they wanted, but insisted on getting it on time."

Loss from Spoiled Eggs.

Concerted efforts are being made by the Montreal Produce Merchants Association with the Toronto Board of Trade to secure legislation making it a legal as well as a moral crime to sell a rotten egg. While the rotten egg on the breakfast table is a serious business, it was pointed out by President Gunn that the loss to the trade of Canada generally is much more so. Figures prepared by the association show that during last year no fewer than seventeen million dozen of good Canadian eggs were rendered unfit even for boarders by tardy marketing. This, at an average price of twenty cents a dozen, meant a total loss to Canadian trade of \$3,400,000. The production of eggs in Canada was estimated at 120,000,000 dozen a year, and fully 17 per cent. of these were spoiled by delay between the hen and the dining table.

It was stated by Mr. Gunn that efforts were being made by the Montreal produce men to secure a system of standardizing eggs, such as obtains with apples, together with an effort to have it made a criminal offence to palm off an ancient piece of hen fruit as a modern article. As the matters now stand it was stated by Mr. Gunn that while eggs are being spoiled in Canada by millions of dozens the trade in Montreal are at present importing them by the carload from the United States, being unable to get the necessary quality in this country.

Some forty years ago a Louisiana planter died, leaving his son an estate upon which there was a mortgage of forty thousand dollars. There was a flaw in the mortgage by which the son, a young man just out of his teens, could legally avoid paying it. But he sturdily refused to take advantage of such a technicality, and for years labored on, not discouraged by successive bad crops until he had paid the last dollar of the debt, and saved the estate. Last month that young man became Chief Justice of the United States.

A rumor is afloat that Hugh Guthrie, M. P., a well known barrister of Guelph may be called to a seat in the Dominion Cabinet.

**LIVE STOCK MARKETS.
TORONTO.**

The railways reported 94 carloads of live stock at the City Yards, consisting of 1519 cattle, 1672 hogs, 715 sheep and lambs and 85 calves.

The quality of the cattle was medium to good, with a few choice lots.

Trade was generally good, with prices firm in every class of live stock excepting lambs.

Butchers—Geo. Rowntree, who was the heaviest purchaser of fat cattle, bought 415 for the Harris Abattoir Company at the following prices: Butchers' steers and heifers at \$5 40 to \$6 25; cows, \$2 75 to \$3 50; bulls at \$4 40 to \$5 75.

Milkers and Springers—Fair receipts of milkers and springers were reported at \$10 per head lower prices as a rule, altho as high as \$70 was reported. The general run was from \$40 to \$65, each.

Veal Calves were reported at \$3 to \$8 50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—Wesley Dunn reported prices as follows: Sheep, ewes, \$4 25 to \$4 75; rams, \$3 to \$3 50; lambs \$5 90 to \$6 15.

Hogs—Selects, fed and watered at the market, \$7 60, and \$7 35 to drovers for hogs f.o.b. cars at country points.

Captured Wildcat Alive.

A notable reputation has been attained by Charles Hughes, a farmer near Durnwell, Neb., by his capture alive of a forty-pound wildcat the largest ever seen in that district. Hughes' dog followed the cat through the creek bottoms and chased it into a den and then refused to enter. Hughes crawled in after the cat, but when the animal showed fight he backed out. He wrapped his coat around his right hand and entered again. When the cat rushed at him this time, Hughes jabbed his protected right hand into the animals mouth and throat and held it there until the cat became insensible. Then he drew the beast from the cave, tied its feet, gagged it and carried home.

Determined Elopers.

Two pairs of elopers with a sublime faith that breaks all records were recently overhauled at Hammond, In. Possessed only of a bag of pickles, box of crackers and no cash, Melvin Kayler and Ruth Gettys, and Henry Burlage and Alice Bauer, each seventeen, eloped from Fort Wayne, to get married. The party got off the train at Hammond on the way to Chicago, where they intended to become actors and actresses. They got off there because the conductors refused to take their eatables for fare in lieu of money. The couples were sent back to Fort Wayne, the parents having promised to spank them, if the police released them. The two boys with tears in their eyes, said they would wed the girls at the earliest opportunity.

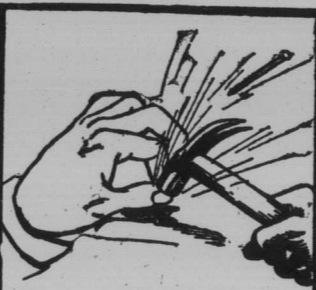
The King Edward Hotel property in Teeswater will be sold by public auction.

The students of the Ontario Agricultural College and the McDonald Institute at Guelph, have petitioned the Minister of Agriculture, to remove the order which forbids dancing.

A log which he was loading at the Kincardine station rolled on John Larose of that place and so injured him about the abdomen and back that it is thought he may die.

It cost a foolish man \$800 and heavy law expenses in addition for striking a man who wore glasses. The eye was injured and the defendant was compelled by law to foot the expense bill.

The year 1910 was a very prosperous one for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. Its earnings reached over the hundred million dollar mark—in fact came nearer one hundred and one millions, and this without including the revenue from its steamships and hotels. This is an increase of between five and six millions of dollars over the earnings of 1909, when the revenue of the company exceeded that of the Dominion of Canada.



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