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There was indeed no small cause for anxiety. Early on a Tuesday morning young Bishop had started out aloof with dog and gun, for a few hours' hunting in the Rough —a belt of savage woodland which stretched away westward, with wide solitary prairies on either side, to the chain of hills some fif
There was indeed no small cause for anxiety. Will stretch my legs a little, and rest you, my beauty."

He slid to the ground and limped along beside his four footed friend, leaning against her, and chattering boyishly as he went.

"Tain't more'n ten miles to Bishop's store now. And mother'll be on the porch late as

ometime, somewhere, in the eternal plan, Will come a good to offset every ill, is nature's book is balanced; so to man A balance perfect come there must an

next,
And in some way a perfect equipoise
Will come to souls by troubles now perplext,
And all our griefs find compensating joys;
Go on, brave heart! if doing what you can
Life's burdens, as they come, to fully bear—
Fear not! the justice that is due a man
Will all be yours sometime, somewhere.

There comes to us all in the twilight dim The beautiful parts of a long lost hymn, The delicate notes of a song we sung When love was merry and life was young; There come from the past we have po The WELCOME SOAP COMPANY, St. John, N. B. The thoughts and the visions of childhood's day,
And out of the mist of the border land
There comes the touch of a vanished hand.

Again we gather with laughter and glee The pearls that glitter by memory's sea, And over the breakers and through the

The world recedes like a shifting scene,
But the old song clings like the ivy green
To the heart it filled with music low
In the beautiful mystical "long ago."
And ever we see the fingers white
That swept the keys some cherished night,
When, southed by their music soft and

Into our lives' own twilight sweet Enter the musical patter of feet, Aye, at our bidding they gleefully of Over the desert and over the foam, Bringing to us in the gloaming again The multiplied echoes of childhood's strain

Select Ziterature.

An Outlaw

The porch of Bishop's store-the heart, so o speak, of the Jim-Ned Creek settlementwas deserted, for the November day bleak and raw. Half a score or more men lounged over the counters within, or sat silent and ruminant around the smouldering fire. Gideon Bishop, half hidden by his tall desk, was busy with his ledgers, but he glanced furtively and frowningly now and again at his guests.

The Outlaw came up the road at a leisurly pace. She was a small mare, blue gray in color, with a flowing mane and a tail of a fine glossy black, much matted with cockleburs. She tossed her small head coquettishses hitched to the saplings about the store, and picked her way daintily to the saucily expectant.
"Hullo! There's that blue mustang

yours!" exclaimed Sam Legget, jumping down from the counter. "It's been nigh just glimpse the sun! But seems like the sun onto two years sence she vamoosed, ain't it, Mr. Bishop picked up a waggon whip,

stepped out upon the porch.
"So! You've come back, have you, Lady?" he said, with a grim smile. He reached forward as he spoke and attempted to slip the rope over the mare's neck. She shook her ane gently, and dipping her pretty head,

At another time old Gid, stern and harsh as he was, might not have resented this playful salute, for the skin on his brown wrist was barely grazed, but he was in no mood for such fooling now. He started back with a quick step, his brow reddened angrily, and the fire leaped to his deep set eyes. He lifted the whip, the long keen lash curled through the air, and descending with a stinging sound upon the runaway's shining flank.

human in its indignant protest then she wheeled about and galloped away in the direction whence she had come.

The men who had trooped out upon the until she disappeared in the creek bottom; then they slouched back to their seats. "Jack broke that mustang hisse'f," Joe Trimble presently remarked. "I mind the

Speakin' o' Jack," Newt Pinson ventured in an off hand way, but not daring to look at Jack's father—"Speakin' o' Jack,

angry voice, "you tend to your own business, if—you—please. Jack Bishop is nineteen years old, and full able to take of

These words penetrated through a half the kindly neighbors hovering about her tried vainly to soothe. "He's just as oneasy about Jack as I am," she sobbed. "That onliest child of ourn is

the apple of his father's eye. But it's Gid's pride as won't let him give up that a Bishop can get lost. And everybody's plumb afraid "Don't ye worrit yerself into a spazzum, Susya Bishop," said Granny Carnes. "I ain't afraid o' Gid Bishop, ner no other male

creeter. An I've give my orders to the boys a-settin' yander in the sto'. If Jack Bishop' —here she raised her voice to its highest and shrillest pitch—"ef Jack Bishop ain't inside this house befo' candle lightin to night, them boys have got to tromp out and find him, and fetch him home, or not dassen to o' Jim-Ned.'

rimble together.
"Double and thripple Amen!" added Mrs. ipyously. "You've got a heap more sense than I have, Lady! Couldn't fool you with Pinson, solemnly.

There was indeed no small cause for anxwill stretch my legs a little, and rest you,

teen miles distant. It was now Friday, past noon, and he had not returned. Newt Pinson had met him at the crossing of Jim Ned Creek half an bour after he had left home; the coffee pot on the coals. And father'il be pretending to scold. But, shucks! he won't ne had not been seen or heard of since. He had gone on alone; for the dog, a half-grown puppy, had turned and trotted back, unnonever understood father before, nor loved ced, behird Mr. Pinson. "Oh, if Josh was only with him!" moaned

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bed his head against her knee and whined

and when Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday came and went without tidings of him, the neighbors from up and down the creek began They looked at the heavy sky, sunless and

misty these four days past, and shook their heads ominously, whispering among the selves. The poor mother was well nigh fran-tic with alarm. Uncle Gid alone maintained n air of obstinate confidence, in the face of which no one dared venture a move. " Jack Bishop is full able to take care of

hisse'i," he repeated, proudly, in answer to Mr. Pinson's timid suggestions. "Jack Bishop knows every inch of ground betwixt Jim-Ned and Rattlesnake Gap."
"All the same notwithstanding," whis pered Granny Carnes in Mrs. Bishop's esr.
"I've give my orders for candle-lighting,

But before candle lighting Mr. Bishop's assumed stoicism gave way. About sunset he arose and took his rifle from the rack above the door. "Come on, boys," he said, and the vast moonlighted prairie was hushed and still. Suddenly a curious sound troubled later they were hurrying down the rutty

At the Jim-Ned crossing the old man paused. "You go back, Susy," he said, with rough kindness, to the frail little wonan following a pace or two behind him. "Go back, and stay with the women folks Jack's mother pulled the red knitting shawl closer about her head, and moved steadily forward. "No, Gid," she said, and closer about the helpless lad. He could quietly; "I'm not going back-not without

see their wide horns glistening in the moon-light. "Mother! Father!" he breathed; He put an arm about her without another and dropping his head back on the cold turf, word, and husband and wife presently en-tered together the mysterious gloom of the he closed his eyes in instant expectation of

An hour or two later Jack Bishop was lying on the open prairie, where he had thrown self in a sort of dull despair. His loaded gun lay beside him; his empty wallet pinched and wan in the vapory moonlight. "I crossed Jim-Ned," he was saying to himself, mechanically, for the thousandth time; I crossed the creek and came into the Rough, I left home Tuesday at sun up—that puppy ain't worth shucks; I wish I had brought old Josh! I killed three jack rabbrought old Josh! I killed three jack rabbits in Buck Snort Gully. By the big cottonwood—what did I do by the big cottonwood? Oh, I ate my corn pone. Gee! how
hungry I am!—Then I followed a deep and
got into the prairie. Why, I know this
prairie almost as well as I know Jim-Ned
Chader's Rattlesnake Gap, and yender's the Rough-And before I knew it, it was plumb dark-I went back into the Rough, and tramped and tramped; and the first thing I knew I was out on the prairie again-I've been doing the same thing ever since, over and over-I haven't seen a soul-If I could

will never shine again—I reckon I'm lost— Yonder's Rattleanake Gap and yonder's The He got up and staggered a few steps, then sank down again. He was a manly lad, and he had borne with hopeful courage the hunger, cold, and loneliness of the long days and nights. But he was exhausted with fatigue and weakened by want of food; and, finally overcome by a sense of terror and desolation,

and peeping forward curiously. he covered his face with his hands and The painful throbbing in his ears sounded suddenly like the rhythm of advancing footpistol as he ran to scatter the herd. steps. Something cold and moist touched his cheek; a warm breath mingled with his

"Why, Lady!" he cried, springing to his feet. Weariness and hunger and cold had Laughing and crying by turns, he clasped his arms about the neck of the little mus tang which he had fed and petted as a colt the wilful Outlaw who had disappeared in

to The Rough two years before. and his hand held close in his father's strong Fearful lest the mare should desert him again, he held her long mane with one hand, while with the other he groped, stooping, for he concluded. "I thought I would neve The men who had trooped out upon the porch at Mr. Bishop's heels gazed after her will be allowed by the stood quite still see you and mother again, father. And if it hadn't been for Lady—Don't cry mother, until the gun was secured and he had climbed with some difficulty upon her back.

I'm all right now. Why, mother, your eyes are just like Lady's!" eyes are just like Lady's!"
Uncle Gid got up and walked over to "Now, Lady," he shouted, "take me to

Jim-Ned! Carry me home!" Lady threw up her head, neighed, and oved obediently forward. She went at a swift walk, breaking at intervals into the her slender for-legs and tried to get up, bu ong, swinging, restful mustang lope.

"But—you are going in the wrong direction," remonstrated her rider, at the end of and laid his hand on the whelk that distance that England's really will be long, swinging, restful mustang lope. tion," remonstrated her rider, at the end of

a few moments. He tugged at her mane, and endeavored to change her course. "You a sinful man!" he cried. "I struck you in are carrying me through the Gap. Jim-Ned is on this side. Back, Lady—back!" The mare shook herself impatiently, and pushed on between the pyramidal hills which finish. But Lady turned her head toward loomed up on either side of the Gap, emergopen door into the family living-room back of the store. On hearing them, Jack's mothearth and sky with a flood of golden light.

"Well," said Jack, with a shiver of disappointment, "you'll take me somewhere, I reckon, Lady. I can't be any more lost than I've been for the last three days!" After a while, however, things began to assume a strangely familiar lock. "I've never been west of the gap before," he muttered, "but -yonder looks like Comanche Mound. And, sure as shootin', here's Matchett's Pond! Ah!" he added, after profound reflection, "I am east of the Gap now. I must have been all this time, somehow, on the other side."

His conjecture was correct. Stumbling unwittingly through the narrow Gap in the darkness of the first night, and deceived by the prairie and woodland beyond, he had there continued the incessant and bewildered round into which he had fallen when he had first lost his bearings.

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nean a word of it. Seems like "-a lump mother half enough! . . . Where have you been all this time, anyhow, Lady? Why

ing to the ground. He came to himself a securing a certificate from the secretary can moment later to find the blood pouring from get this privilege considerably in advance of attempted to rise and draw his leg from the be delivered at the grounds from L. C. R. deep rabbit hole into which he had stumdeep rabbit hole into which he had stum-bled a sharp pain warned him that both knee and ankle were aprained or broken. He ceased his efforts and fell back, staring help-lessly up at the sky.

The military grounds and buildings have been tendered the exhibition association and accepted. They will be put in first class shape in ample time for the opening of the

lessly up at the sky.

The mustang who had darted away at the discharge of the rifle, had returned, and was "Don't go, Lady," he implored, catching

> A new and interesting feature at the exand will be an interesting and instructive

Hardly, however, had the boy drawn a breath of thankfulness and relief, when there the gallant little mustang, plunging and snorting, held his assailants at bay. Over and over again this assault and re-Chas. A. Everett, manager and secretary, who should be addressed for prize list and pulse were repeated. The half unconscious lad turned his terrified eyes from side to side,

with both of us, I think. You'd better save orchestra and assistants, will give four per-formances daily. This will be a strictly and something that cannot offend the most

individual birds instead of to pairs, as previously. A third prize has also been They were foot sore and disheartened after added in every section. A new building is in course of erection to accor rampagin' an' bellerin' around down yander?" demanded Joe Trimble, breaking the silence,

in the premium list.

The Maritime Breeders' Ass asked the exhibition management to provide for a number of addresses upon live stock matters. Accordingly the expert judges their special departments with the exhibit The entries thus far received for the exf water, had revived a little, and the color hibition are much larger in number than to had begun to come back into his poor pale face, his wound was dressed and his broken

National Review will contain an article anin a few days. The commission, accou to the National Review, will present to the British Government a joint statement from "desire to terminate the disastrous experi-

that the government is willing to reopen the India mints, to make a further substantial extending its use in England, by increasing basis of notes, and empowering the Bank of There was a moment of awed silence.
Then Mr. Pinson blew his nose, wiped liseys, and stepped forward. "Gentlemen an' Mis' Bishop," he said, with an oratorical flourish. "Lady is a honor to her sect! "The female sect, gentlemen an' Mis' Bishop, and stepped over true. Lady. other material assistance and strong moral support will be given to the object the United States

CASE OF FIFTY YEARS STANDING-IT RELIEVES COLDS AND CATABRH IN THIRTY prairie and across The Rough that old Gran-ny Carnes afterward declared she heard them

Mr. Wm. Bradley, of Canady Creek, was

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at her mane. "I've shot myself, I reckon.
I can't move my leg. Don't leave me lady."

against his face.

The blood, which he tried vainly to staunch

But he opened them again. For the Out-

to one section and then into another of the

infuriated circle. Surprised and daunted,

the cattle retreated a short distance, stop-ped, and stood still, uncertain and dumb.

was another mad rush upon him, and again

Lady, your eyes are just like mother's!"

their long night's fruitless quest.

He burst into a loud yell and set off run

Swift-footed as he was, however, a wome

came up, Jack's mother was kneeling in the

When Jack, after swallowing a mouthful

leg bandaged. Then he faltered out the

tory, with his head on his mother's bosom,

grasp. "I could feel the fire in their blazing eyes,"

anger, Lady; I struck you; and if it hadn't

been for you, my son, my only son-" A

him and whickered softly. She understood

is ever faithful and ever true. Lady, 10t

withstandin' she air a mare an' a Outlaw-

"Three cheers for Lady!" interrup ed

Jack, with the old sparkle in his eyes, though

his voice was a bit unsteady. "Hurrah for

And such cheers went ringing over

at Bishop's store, ten miles away. - Harper

Man Defeats Horse. Colorado Springs, Col., July 2, - In a match

Lady! Hip, hip, hurr-a-a-h!"

grass, and her arms were about her boy.

they up to? Y-a-a-h!"

law had whirled abruptly from her post be side him, and charged with a snort, first in-

His heart stood still.

what a scratch you've got on your side!
Run against a mesquit thorn, eh! It's all bloody. I'll doctor it the minute we get home. Hello!—"

Hello!—"

Hello!—"

Ho St. John at one fare from New Brunswick points, and when these exhibits are returned to the starting point the property of the exhibitor, the freight paid will be refunded. All other lines carry exhibits for the round

One of his legs seemed all at once to have trip at single fare. grown shorter than the other, a loud report rang in his ears, a thrill of intense agony racked his whole body, and he dropped faint-

hitherto attempted in the maritime provinces will be one of the many attractions at the with his free hand, cozed from the gun-shot wound, and formed a red puddle about his

A number of special expert judges will J. Hugo Reid, of Guelph, Ont., who gave the silence—a trampling, tearing noise, accompanied by a hoarse confused roar.

Jack lifted his head a little and looked.

Augusta, Me., is expected to judge dairy cartle and noultry, and W. J. McIntosh of display. D. H. Knowlton, secretary of the Maine State Pomological Society, has con-sented to again judge the fruit exhibits. To orairie, moved by the curiosity inherent in animals, had drawn near, and excited by the smell of blood, were pawing the earth, and show the appreciation in which Mr. Knowl-ton is held, we ought to mention that he was

> in operation. Arrangements are now being completed for the placing of steam power in the agricultural building and all the operations of milk skimming, churning and butter proved system, and with the best obtainal machinery. This display will be managed by officers of the N. B. dairy department

yourself now Lady. You can't do anything more for me. Do not cry, Lady. Why, And with a sob he lapsed into utter obparticular. It will afford nearly five hours The searching party came out of the Rough The poultry department has received in the early dawn, and stood huddled together, torlordly silent, on the prairie ridge that sloped gently away to Matchett's Pond. be given in prizes and they will be awarded

department, and will be large, light, warm and airy. Uniformity in the size of cages will be required and full information given ning at the top of his speed, discharging his utstripped him; and by the time the others

> the same date last year. W. W. Hubbard has had a very successful trip through western New Brunswick in the interests of the

London, June 29. - The next issue of the where the Outlaw lay panting on the dry grass. He reeled like a fainting man as he went. At his approach the mare threw out

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race yesterday between Walter C. Sanger, of Milwaukee, the well known cyclist and the but can boast of having been the playmate Milwaukee, the well known cyclist and the famous pacing horse, Albatross, the man won two out of three heats. The first heat, half a mile, was won by Sanger by ten feet in 1.03 4 5. The second heat, also half a mile, was won by Albatross by a length in 1.04 1 5. In the two heats the horse was driven by Jack Flynn. The third heat was a quarter of a mile, and Albatross was turned loose. Sanger won by a few feet in 20 seconds. Another race between Sanger and the horse was arranged for July 10, in Denver.

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—The federation of the British Empire is regarded as a feasible soheme by that astute politician, Mr. Chamberlain, and he has indicated the willingness of the imperial government to mest any overtures from the colonies toward this end. On their part, the colonies have expressed a desire to become a part of such a federation. The feeling is growing in both motherland and colonies that auch a union is not only practicable but necessary if the integrity of the Empire is to be maintained. For, as the colonies grow to the stature of nations, they will demand either a national independence or an imperial representation. As part of a Grester Estrain and represented in the government, through the Hon. Mr. Chamberlain, delivered a message unmistakable in its intent when he said: "We are prepared at any sacrifice to maintain intact the colonies' interests and honor and our own, and believe that unity of the Empire is the best guarantee of the integrity of the Empire." No\_mgfer how somplex or how important the political and constitutional changes involved in the knit.

Summer visitors are coming from abroad the menurous all over the western to the control of the Empire is the best guarantee of the integrity of the Empire." No\_mgfer how somplex or how important the political and constitutional changes involved in the knit.

Summer visitors are numerous all over the country and celebrated with effect of the empire will do much to hasten the union. The British government, through the Hon. Mr. Chamberlain, delivered a message unmistakable in its intent when he said: "We are prepared at any sacrifice to maintain intact the colonies' interests and honor and our own, and believe that unity of the Empire." No\_mgfer how somplex or how important the political and constitutional changes involved in the knit.

Summer visitors a tegrity of the Empire." No matter how country and thousands of pounds of cheese are made daily.

Died, in Bayham, near Port Burwell, June of Eleanor Northrop, wife of Charles Medlar, to be eleve that within the next few years some plan will be successfully formulated.

—The federal government will, it is understood, at once put in force an alien labor law in Manitoba, the Northwest and British in Manitoba, the December of the Manitoba and thousands of pounds of cheese country and thousands of pounds of cheese can be completed in the country and thousands of pounds of cheese country and thousands of pounds of cheese country and thousands of pounds of cheese country and thousands of pounds of ch

ish Columbia to protect Canadian workmen on the Crow's Nest Pass railway, and no wm. E. Chute.

There is a prospect of an early match race on the Kentville Driving Park between Bonlie F, 2314 and Frank 2.374. It is understood that Mr. Langley, of the rand central, will fit his pacer, Lucille B, of the exhibition races at Halifax. John Hall has driven Panay N, 2374, winner of the Bridgetown track in 1.15.

Horse of the Santo courtesy accorded the Canadian who seeks employment in the United States But it must be remembered that while the United States has a very drastic silen labor law, it has not been strictly enforced; if the government should now take umbrage at the action of the Dominion a most unastifactory o midition of affairs would result to the tens of thousands of Canadian laborers who are employed in the States. It is true that if these were deprived of work Canada might be benefitted by a return of her sons but it would be hard to couvince the wanderers that such a situation would be advantageous to them. These legislative growls are often really nothing more than a government's precense to satisfy a certain class of its constituents, but they are liable to result in serious international complications.

—The business men of the town are taking hold of the Board of Trade idea almost as one man, and the Board will no doubt be successfully launched as soon as the necessary charter can be obtained. Already half a hundred good men have pledged them salves to see the matter through and the town and county interests will in future be safeguarded and promoted by a body well calculated to wizely judge what is best for the community, from a business standpoint. We venture to say that one of the first offorts of the new organization will be to try and induce the D. A. R. to make Bridgetown a stopping place for the Flying Blue.

some trains. As it is, the trains cross here and passengers can catch one or the other almost any day, but they are very liable to eatch the wrong one. Surely the element of uncertainty might be eliminated without nose trains. As it is, the trains cross here

have to be framed by a joint committee of both houses, which cannot but differ very materially from either of the present bills President McKinley was warmly praised for his efforts in bringing about an immediate discussion on the tariff, after his inaugura tien, but the discussion has been so protractbeen reached. On the other hand the Canadian premier was blamed for his tardiness in dealing with tariff matters and yet Cana da's tariff measure has been finally decided tariff will not likely go into effect before late in August.

-Postmaster General Mulock is being everely censured for his action in curtailing she fair distribution of jubilee stamps. I looks as if he were creating a corner in cer a few speculators who were fortunate enough to secure a supply. The halves, sixes and eights are not now obtainable at any of the offices except by the purchase of a whole set, costing \$16 22. This is manifestly unfair, and brands the whole issue as a fake in so 'far as giving the public an equal chance in tion is concerned. An explanation should certainly be made by the postmaster-general to show whether the action whether the government have adopted a new

-The sharp reduction announced by bieycle manufacturers in the price of 1897 wheels is causing much comment. Either very large, or some new and improved patent will hereafter be applied in the construction of cycles that will leave the 1897 model as far behind as it is now ahead of the old high wheel. We suspect that the latter supposition is the correct cause of the preat twenty-five per cent reduction and that there is more in the talked of new chainless gear than is generally accepted.

-Premier Hardy, of Ontario, announces that if information is laid, the Ontario goverament will prosecute the electric railway company of Toronto for running their cars on Sunday. This would seem to be a bit unfair as at the recent plebiscite a majority of the inhabitants of that city declared in favor of Sunday cars. If the people want the service seven days in the week they will not appreciate Premier Hardy's interference in a matter in which the provincial govern-

-The history of fruit growing in Nova Scotia is plainly told by the records of her exports since 1880. From 1880 to 1885 our average annual export was less than 16,000 barrels, while last year it was 500,000. Thousands of acres of young orchards are abw coming into bearing and as the crop has increased thirty-fold in aeventeen years we may well wonder what it will be seventeen years hence.

One day last week Mr. Geo. Deamond, of Maitland, had occasion to go to his pasture for his oxen, and was horrified to find one of them dead. The cattle had evidently been playing and caught their horns in each others bell straps, as when Mr. Deamond first discovered them they were thus fastened together and the dead one was already becoming so decomposed as to emit a bad smell, while the live one presented a most emaciated appearance.—LaHave Gazette.

Operation on Special Blend.

of uncertainty might be eliminated without eatailing any great expense, and a regular sop made at either the tank or depot. It would be a great convenience to travellers, and we think that Bridgetown is not so unimportant a general traffic centre that the railway company would refuse to comply with any reasonable request for better accommodation.

The United States Senate has passed a said measure. It is so different from the bill that passed the House of Representatives some time ago, that a new bill will have to be framed by a joint committee of both process which any change have a point committee of both process which appears the horse was supplied with air through a tube inserted in its windpipe. The animal was doing well last night.

A Madman's Crime. Bridgetown has had more than its share of July tragedies. Last Friday morning it was reported that an inmate of the insane asy lum here had murdered a fellow unfortunate, and the truth of the story was quickly learned. Jacob Bain and Walter Beveridge, two Yarmouth county patients had been assigned to one room and were classed among the harmless insane, but Thursday night Beveridge killed his room-mate by striking him over the head with a bed-last, crushing him over the head with a bed-last, roushing his skull. Beveridge admitted having killed Bain, but said he did it to prevent Bain from killing another patient. Both men were sent here from Yarmouth as harmless inourables, and no blame can be attached to the keeper or his assistants in connection with the crime. Bain's body was sent to Hebron, Yarmouth county, where his relatives live.

We understand the D. A. R. Co., will proceed at once to spend some \$30,000 in improving their newly acquired wharf property at Yarmouth. One contractor is expected to drive six hundred piles in the wharf extension this season. It is probable the use of a foreign dredge will be employed to widen and deepen the channel in the neighborhood, if the Dominion government dredge is not available. The idea has prevailed in Yarmouth that the D. A. R. Co.'s new steamer "Prince Edward" was to be used on the Digby-St. John route. This is ridiculed in St. John, however, it having been learned that the new steamer is a fast twin screw boat 300 feet long, much longer than required on the Bay route.—Yarmouth Times.

An Annapolis Enterprise. An Annapolis Enterprise.

A new firm was registered last week to be known as Collas, Whitman & Co., Ltd. The new company takes over all the fish drying rights under Whitman's patent in Nova Scotia. The capital is \$80,000, and the head office is in Halifax. The Annapolis business to be continued as heretofore. Mr. A. E. Collas, of Jersey, England, formerly of Charles Robins, Collas & Co., and A. Handfield Whitman will take charge of the Halifax business. F. C. Whitman of Annapolis will have charge of the western business. Mr. T. S. Whitman is director and one of the largest shareholders in the company. The schr. Sovereign is now discharging a cargo of 125,000 lbs. of fish at Annapolis.—Spectator.

Mrs. Sophia Chute, wife of Wm. Bent, died suddenly on Sunday, June 20th, at 1 o'clock a.m. She was sick but a few hours. She was born in Bridgetown, N. S., and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Chute. She was twice married. She leaves a husband and seven children, the youngest but a few days old. She was a member of the Baptist church, a kind neighbor and Christian woman.—Milford, N. H., paper.

Local and Special News

-House to let. Apply to T. R. Ilsley —Leon W. Washburn's of

-County Court met yesterday at Annap-olis. There was no docket. -Be sure and read Strong & Whitman —The Henley regatta, in which the Winnipeg crew are to row begins to-day. —The mercury climbed as high as 90° last week in the Bridgetown thermometers.

-Messrs Crossley & Hunter, the evange-lists, are expected in Bridgetown in Septem-

-One pier of the railway bridge has been

—The Dalhousie Baptists held a very successful teameeting last Wednesday. About \$100 was realized. —The Methodists will have a Birthday "At Home" in the basement of the church —Messrs. Edwin Ruggles and S. N. Weare are mourning the loss of two nice dogs—strayed or stolen.

-Mr. T. D. Ruggles purchased the J. L. Morse property at Clarence, which was sold at auction on the 16th ult. -Middleton is now agitating for a mail service on the early train to Halifax Satur-day and Monday mornings.

—There will be a strawberry and ice cream sociable at the Methodist parsonage, Lawrencetown, Monday evening the 19th. —Men's Straw Hats from 25c, each upwards. Children's fancy Straw Hats from 5c, each upwards at Strong & Whitman's. 11 -The local market was very poorly supplied with stawberries last week. Saturday afternoon and evening none were obtainable —Tourist travel has set in with the advent of hot weather and the steamships and railway companies are reaping their harvest. —The Kentville Board of Trade is congratu-lating itself on having induced the bank agencies to lower their rate of discount on American money.

—The shooting tournament at Bisley opened Monday morning. The Canadian team is a strong one and will probably give a good account of itself. —A large shark over thirteen feet long and weighing over 500 pounds was captured by Mr. W. A. Reid, of Wolfville, in his shad weir on Wednesday last.

-F. T. Handsombody, B. A., of Trinity College, Dublin, has been selected by the Bishop of Nova Scotia as head master for Windsor Collegiate School. -Mr. Peter Innis, a well known Kings county man, formerly manager of the Wind-sor and Annapolis Railway, is seriously ill at his home at Coldbrook. —Mr. Abner Newcomb gave a very interesting address in the Baptist Church, last evening, on his recent trip to Moody's meetings at Northfield, Mass.

—The Bridgetown Driving Park Company purpose holding another race meeting in August when a premium will probably be offered for free-for-all trotters. —Just received, an invoice of Paper Pails, and the best Clothes Pins made; something new and cheap. The Pails we sell at 25c, for a short time. R. Shipley.

—An Ontario publishing company are pub-lishing two million exercise books containing the words and music of "My Own Canadian Home" for use in the public schools.

—Mr. David Costley, the veteran bear-killer of New Ross, is, perhaps, the most successful hunter in Nova Scotia. He is now 61 years of age and has just killed his 73rd —Mr. Henry Crouse, of Wilmot, who cut and broke his foot so badly a few weeks ago that Dr. Miller had to remove some of the bones, is around sgain and will fully regain the use of his foot.

Over 100 laborers, and all the chief contractors will go from Nova Scotia to aid in the construction of the West India Electric Tramway which is being engineered by Mr. B. F. Pearson, of Halifax.

—Ice cream will be served by the members of Mission Band connected with the Baptist Church, Lawrencetown, in the store lately occupied by Lorne Gullivan, Thursday even-ing, July 15th. All invited.

—The adjourned meeting of the Board of Trade will meet in Mr. O. T. Daniels' office this evening to complete preliminary work necessary to the formation of a Board. A full attendance is requested. -Mr. L. O. Giles has received two hand-some medals from the Avonian Cycle Club, of Windsor, trophies won on July 1st by a victory in the bicycle race for novices and a second position in the three mile race.

—Rev. W. C. Brown, secretary of the South Farmington Creamery Co., gives us the following figures of their business in June. Amount of milk received, 240,000 lbs; butter made, 5,000 lbs; cheese, 22,000 lbs.

—A few days ago Dr. Miller of Middleton assisted by Mr. Hall, of his drug store, removed from the back of Mr. Elias Fales a large Melanotic tumor. Mr. Fales, though over seventy years of age, is doing well. —The Orange lodges of the valley cele-brated the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne, at Margaretville, on Monday 12th inst. About fifty of them marched in pro-cession and a very pleasant day was spent in true picnic style.

—The Valley Telephone Co. have extended their line to Clarence and Pound Hill, and the following instruments have been placed. Clarence.—Freeman Fitch and E. J. Elliott. Round Hill.—W. E. Haley, Bancroft & Co. S. E. Bancroft and Wm. Anderson.

On the 9th, Mr. Benjamin Burgoyne while hewing a piece of timber at Roop's factory, Middleton, put the corner of the axe in the side of his knee making an ugly wound. Dr. Miller who dressed it thinks with care he will get the use of the joint acain.

—Major Pugmire, the new provincial offi-cer of the S. A. forces in the East, will con-duct a service in the Victoria Hall on Friday, July 16th, at 8 p.m. Silver collection taken at the door. All are welcome; everyone come. Ice cream will be served at the close of meeting in the S. A. Barracks for the small sum of ten cents.

—Jubilee stamp collectors are making a house to house canvas of Annapolis county. Several sales of unused 8c. stamps were reported last week at as high as \$2.00 per stamp. What a pity some one had not been gifted with sufficient foresight to purchase the whole 200 of this denomination, that were sent to the office here, at par. —Mr. John Dargie of West Paradise, left last Monday for the Northwest where he will have charge of a gang of men in the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway. He was accompanied by Mr. Bert Kinney of Bridgetown. It is expected that it will take five years to build the road. The work is not at all new to Mr. Dargie who was engaged in a similar capacity on the C. P. R., some years ago.

—The total apple shipments from Halifax last season amounted to 409,733 barrels, the highest record for any previous year being 264,410 barrels in 1894-5. Probably the shipments via St. John fully make up the 500,000 barrels that it was estimated would be exported from the province. Canada and the United States sent 2,919,846 barrels to the English market last year, more than double any previous export.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Vicie Langley is visiting friends in New Brunswick.

Mr. B. H. Calkin, of Kentville, was in own last Saturday.

Rev. Isa Wallace preached in the Baptist

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bent returned on Saturday, from their American trip.
Rev. Mr. Freeman is a visitor at the home of Mr. Chas Rumsey, Clarence.
Mrs. J. H. Charlton of Middleton visited friends in Bridgetown last week.
Miss Flossie Alley of Mass., is a visitor at the home of her grandfather Mr. E. Bent.
Miss Blauche Everett, of Waltham, Mass., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Frank Vidito.
Rev. A Lund left on Thursday last for Windsor where he will supply for a few weeks. weeks.

Rev. J. L. M. Young, who has been ill for some weeks, is now able to be around

week with their daughter Mrs. Gillis of Annapolis.

Miss Laura D. Mitchener of Kentville, is is a visitor at the home of her friend, Miss Bernice Kinney.

The genial R. A. Carder is representing the International line of steamers in the province this summer.

The Misses Nina and Freda Giles, of Granville Ferry, are visiting their friend Miss Emma Johnson.

Post office inspector, C. J. McDonald who has been quite ill for the past few days, at Middleton, is recovering.

Mr. Aubrey S. Tuttle of Pugather Trived here on Thursday last and will have charge of the Mountain Mission.

Miss Agnes Kelley who has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Cann for several weeks has returned to her Yarmouth home.

Rev. Mr. Mason, home missionary from P. E. I., preached in Gordon Memorial Church on Sunday afternoon last.

Mrs. E. Ruggles and daughter Bessic returnedhomeon Wednesday, from Dartmouth, where they have been visiting friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. Geo, H. Dixon and Mrs. W. A.

turned home on Wednesday, from Dartmouth, where they have been visiting friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. Geo. H. Dixon and Mrs. W. A. MacKenzie, who accompanied the body of Mrs. Young to St. George, N. B., returned last Friday.

Miss Molie Blanchard, teacher at Upper Granville, accompanied by her little sister Dorothy and little Miss Fellows leave for Truro today.

Messra. Harry Fowler and W. H. Goucher from Kentville rode to Bridgetown on Sunday on their wheels and returned by train on Monday.

Miss A. Homer, teacher of the primary department in the Bridgetown school, left on Tuesday for her home at Barrington, where she will spend her vacation.

Mrs. J. A. Shoemaker, of Washington, D. C., accompanied by Miss Irene E. Gordon of Columbus Avenue, Boston, have left for Digby, N. S., to spend the summer months.

Mrs. Harry Ruggles was bastily summoned to Halifax on Saturday last in consequence of the death of her sister, Miss Ella Taylor.

Mrs. Ruggles was accompanied on her return home yesterday by her mother, Mrs. H. Taylor.

Miss Mary Calder, who has been employed in the Lynn General Hospital for the last three years, returned home last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Calder, Tupperville. She was successful in obtaining a diploma at the above institution.

Our school teacher, Miss Abbie Parke has Our school teacher, Miss Abbie Parke has severed her connection with us after a residence of three years.

Mrs. Almon Hall, son and daughter, have returned to their home in Mass.
Charles Mitchell spent Sunday at home after an absence of a year and a half.
The schr. F. W. Loring, Capt. Curry loaded soft wood for Rockland, Me., and sailed Monday night.
At our yearly election of S. S. officers, Isaiah Brown was elected Superintendent, Robert Chute, Assistant, and Miss Luella Chute, Organist.

A very large find of gold is reported from Renfrew. The discovery of the lead was purely accidental. There is estimated to be \$4,000 worth of gold in sight in the quartz blams out by one ahot.

New Advertisements

Grass Sale! Road, in flow of the earth chasers.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under \$5.00, cash; above that sum, three months' credit with joint notes with approved security, with interest.

SOLOMON CHUTE.

Clarence West, July 12th, 1897.

J. E. BURNS, Auctioneer. 16 21

**SEASON TICKETS!** 

Tickets for the privilege of driving on the Bridgetown Driving Park for the balance of the season will be sold at \$2.00 each. Apply

BICYCLES For Sale or Hire

We have two Ladies' and four Men's Wheels in perfect order which we offer for sale at very low prices. Or we will hire them out at 25c. as hour, or \$1.50 per day. Wheels ordered by tele-phone will be sent by messenger to any address within a reasonable distance from our works, where all wheels are kopt.

Pack Your Apples in the new apple barrel, manufactured by the Annapolis Manufacturing Co., Ltd., of Lequille, N. S. Cooperages established at Bridgetown, Paradise, Lawrencetown and Middleton. Barrels delivered at all stations or cooper-ages from Annapolis to Wilmot and Digby at the following prices:—

Soft wood barrels with flat hoop....
Hard wood barrels with flat hoop....
Hard wood barrels with old split hoop
Soft wood barrels with old split hoop.
Cider Barrels... Prices given on application for cranberry barrels.

Both ends of all barrels planed. Sofwood staves champered and croed ready Both ends of all barrels planed. Soft wood staves champered and croed ready for setting up at \$4.25 per net thousand. Heads planed at \$3.75 per hundred pairs. Car lots at 25 cents less on both of the above. Orders can be sent to the following: Mr. David Joderie, Paradise; Mr. R. E. Fitz-Randolph, Bridgetown; Mr. Wallace Croft, Lawrencetown; Mr. Amos Hiltz, Middleton, or to

Annapolis Manufacturing Co., Ltd. JAMES PENNINGTON. Lequille, Annapolis County, N. S. 14 4i New Advertisements

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Large and Complete stock of

Seythes. Snaths. Rakes, 2 bow, bent, and 2 and three bow Clipper and India Steel Sevthes. Hay Forks, 2 and 3 tines. Hay Fork Handles, Straight and Bent,

-ALL AT-**EXTREMELY LOW FIGURES** Call and ask for prices.

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RICHARD SHIPLEY.

Canned Peaches. Canned Pineapples, Canned Tomatoes, Canned Corn.

Canned Peas. Canned Pumpkin, Canned Baked Beans, Canned Salmon, Canned Oysters,

Canned Haddie, Canned Beef. Canned Deviled Ham Canned Potted Ham.

JUST RECEIVED

-AT-

ONE CASE Ladies Corsets

"Mayflower,"

"Queen," "B.B., Ventilator," "Yatisi," "Ball's Coiled Wire."

IN STOCK: Ladies' Shirt Waists. Ladies' Summer Undervests, Ladies' Black Silk Gloves.

Ladies' Colored Silk Gloves, Ladies' White Silk Gloves, Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, Misses' Fast Black Cotton Hose, Boys' Kniekerboeker Hose,

Gents' Half Hose. Gents' Summer Underclothing.

The sale of DRESS GOODS still on. JOB LOT! Former prices: 20c. to 50c. per

yard-now for 12c. Bridgetown, July 7th, 1897.



To waving fields the farmer takes his way, Resolved to profit by the shining day, Swift at its feet the trembling grass is laid,

The DIAMOND BLADE is the Every one warranted.

H. R. SHAW

HEADQUARTERS FOR

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Summer Goods!

It would take up too much space to attempt to enumerate the large variety of goods embodied in this great discount sale. REMEMBER 75c. will purchase \$1.00 worth of goods,

the original prices of which were extremely low. Our prices and values this year have been convincing to our customers what prompt pay will do in meeting foreign competition.

Our Ladies' Blouse Waists were acknowledged to be

the best make and values in the trade. Nevertheless, we will include the balance on hand in this discount sale. \$1.00 Blouse Waists, 75c Blouse Waists, Reduced to 56c 67c Blouse Waists, Reduced to 50c A few Blouse Waists. Reduced to 20c

A few Ladies' Capes, extra quality, reduced to just half price.

Dress Goods, Challies, etc., etc., 75c. on the \$1.00. Special Discount on Ready-made

Clothing and Carpets. \$1.00 Carpets reduced to 75c.

75c. Carpets reduced to 56c., and so on down to 15c. per yd. Lace Curtains from 35c.

BECKWITH

CASH SALE!

Blouse Waists, Capes & Straw Sailor Hats.

Until sold out we offer the balance of the above mentioned lines at the following low figures, viz.:

WAISTS BLOUSE Extra Value for 75c. and 85c. Marked for this sale only 60c

Extra Value for 98c. \$1.00 and \$1.05. Marked for this sale only 75c Extra Value for \$1.10 and \$1.20, -Marked for this sale only 85c Extra Value for \$1.25 to \$1.50, Choice of the lot for only \$1.00

Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Capes.

COLORINGS: Black, Navy, Brown, Fawns, Tans, Tabac and Red. These goods are all extra values at regular prices, but at the reduced prices are "snaps" for any body Our 95c. Cape, Marked for this sale at 70c each Our \$1.25 Cape, -Marked for this sale at . 95c each

Marked for this sale at \$1.00 aach Our 1.30 Cape, -Our 1.50 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 1.15 each Our 1.80 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 1.30 each Our 1.95 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 1.40 each Marked for this sale at 1.50 each Our 2.05 Cape, Our 3.35 Cape, Marked for this sale at 2.50 each

LADIES' AND MISSES' SAILOR STRAW HATS. We have still a nice variety, comprising White, Black, Navy, Brown and mixed effects, from 20c. to \$1.50 each.

All to close out at a Great Reduction. STRONG & WHITMAN.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS

NE	LOT (Starched	Collars	and Cuf	fs),	 	Former Price. 65c	Reduced to.
66		"	"		 	75e	59c
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"		"	"	Plain Linen,	 	90c	69c
	"	. "	"	Narrow Stripes,	 	95c	69c
"	"	"	. "	Spot Linen,	 	\$1.00	75c
"		. "	"	Fancy Patterns,	 	1.00	75c
"	Detached V	Thite Col	lar, Fano	 	1.10	79e	
"	Detached C	ollar and	Cuffs, D	 	1.25	-85c	
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"	Fancy Che	ek,			 	1.35	1.00
"	French Law	n, separ	ate Colla	 	1.50	1.10	
66	White Law	n, separa	te Collar	s and Cuffs,	 	1.50	95c

LADIES' CAPES

bling grass is laid, As easily as he swings the 6 only Ladies' Capes, latest styles, - Your choice for \$2.95

MEN'S STRAW HATS

best Seythe on the market. One Lot Men's Straw Hats, One Lot Men's Straw Hats, 350 50c & 55c Two Lots Men's Straw Hats, 49c Two Lots Men's Straw Hats, These are not last year's Hats, but all the latest New York styles, and are good

JOHN LOCKETT & SON.

Rev. J. H. Stewart (Presbyterian) will reach here next Sunday morning. Mr. Alex. Carder, of North River, is isting at Mr. and Mrs. John Grinton's. Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Covert, of Paradise ere the guests of J. Webb on the 8th and h.

town, were among the visitors at the Baptist church on Sunday morning. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard. Cloverdale Division of S. of T., was the

mand. The proceeds went towards purchasing regalia for the officers.

The concert held by the day school scholars, under the management of our popular school teacher, Miss Hannah Saunders, exceeded our most sanguine expectations; it was just delightful. The proceeds will be spent in purchasing things necessary in school work.

Miss Mary F. Gesner is the owner of a very old and antique piece of furniture. It is a rocking chair over one hundred and fifty years old and was brought here from New York by Colonel Barclay, a loyalist, at the time of the American Revolution. It was purchased at the sale of his effects by her grandfather the late Major Abraham Gesner and is much prized by its present owner.

Judge Savary's Undelivered Oration

Why Was It Suppressed?

rather, as in former days, to the Christian temper, the calm judgment, the habitual moderation of sentiment, the practical asgacity of the monarch, the sixtieth year of whose reign the longest and happlest in English history, her subjects now celebrate. And while with becoming reverence for the heroes and worthies of the past, we meet in this historic spot, where there are borne to us from the ages the drum best of the military muster, and the clash and clang of opposing arms, and fancy catches the echoes of hostile cannon, with which these hillsides for a century and a half almost unceasingly resounded; but where we and our fathers, for sixty, nay for a hundred years, have enjoyed the blessings of an unbroken peace, and every other bounty that Providence can bestow on His most favored children; well may our hearts swell with unertainment committee for some inexplica acceptable part of the afternoon's program to the hundreds of people who went there denoe can bestow on His most tavored children; well may our hearts swell with unspeakable emotion as our voices blend in magnificent paean which to-day in every clime, with the rising, the mid-day and the descending sun, rolls joyfully around the world. And the spirit of the occasion is in unison with the aspiration of the poet: particularly for the purpose of listening to orations and appropriate addresses. Judge Savary's paper would have been peculiarly appropriate to the occasion, and even at this late date it will be some satisfaction to know that the people of the valley will have the

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be illuminated and Venetian masts bearing trophies of flags and strung with bannerets now line a considerable portion of the route between Long Walk and the College. A beautiful canopy is crected over her Majesty's statue at Castle Hill, and grand arches are at Windsor Bridge and Eton College. How majestically floats that ensign of Empire over these Berkshire decorations of this aupicious occasion as we pass to-day on our way up to London!

To-day (Sunday 20th) the Queen and court attends the Thanksgiving services at St. Georgo's Chapel, Windsor Castle. Her Majesty will drive from the Palace and after alighting at the cloister entrance oppo-Majesty will drive from the Palace and after alighting at the cloister entrance opposite Albert Chapel will walk to her seat opposite the altar. The Dean of Windsor officiates. At the organ, Sir Walter Parratt presides. At the afternoon service the principal feature is Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise." The west end of the nave of the chapel, against the beauitul window, an enormous orchestra and platform carpeted with blue has been erected for the vocalists and instrumentalists. Sir Walter Parratt, the Queen's Master of Music, conducts the service assisted by Madame Albani, Miss Agness Nicholls, and Mr. Edward Loyd, the Queen's private band, Eton Orchestral

A few from this vicinity attended the social at Clarence on Monday evening and had a fine time.

Mrs. Goodspeed and daughter of Toronto, are among the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Starratt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Young entertained on Saturday evening a large number of young people very pleasantly.

Mrs. Smith and daughter of Yarmouth and Miss McKinnon of Arcadia, Yarmouth Co., are at Durting's hotel this week.

Miss Marshall and the Misses Schaffner of South Farmington, returned on Monday after a short visit at Miss Marshall's home.

Miss Languille of Washington, D. C., is visiting her Unole and Aunt Mr. and Mre. Alonzo Daniels, West Paradise, as are also their son Allister, wife and two little sons from Mahone Bay.

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Next, the forms that we would "beckon from the shadowy past" are those of Armstrong, Doucet (another expatriated Frenchman), Phillips, Hoar, How, Winniett, Willins, Cosby, Lawrence, Hanfield; and now we witness the descendants of the first permanent settlers, after about fifty years unher willing detention, suddenly snatched from their abodes of peace and plenty, and seattered like dust and leaves when the mighty

mine Enoma B. Brown is home from bereasted the state and state of the more is again heard for a state of the more is again heard for a state of the more is again heard for a state of the more is again heard for a state of the more is again heard for a state of the more is again heard for a state of the more is again heard for a state of the Scattered like dust and leaves when the mighty blasts of October Seize them and whirl them aloft and scatter them far o'er the ocean.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

The thermometer registered 102° in the shade in New York last week and 107° at Montpelier, Vt.

The total amount of railway subsidies voted this session by the Dominion Parliament is \$4,335,587.

Over 6,000 lives were lost in the earthquake disturbances that recently visited the province of Assam, India.

The Duke of Abercorn is now mentioned as the probable successor to Lord Aberdeen as governor-general of Canada.

Highwaymen have held up several trolley cars in Chicago recently, robbed the passengers, and made good their escape.

Owing to the drought in certain parts of Australia it will be necessary for that country to import thousands of tons of wheat.

A formal order-in-council has just been passed admitting New South Wales to the benefit of the Canadian reciprocal tariff.

It is estimated that the liquor traffic costs Canada directly about \$40,000,000 yearly, and about \$16,000,000 for riminal expenses.

Cape Colony has announced its intention of presenting the British Government with a magnificent warship, equipped for service.

The rioting at Calcutta has, it is thought, ended, a compromise on the plague measures

skies; autiful as songs of the immortals poly melodies of love arise.

Rambles in Merrie, Merrie England.

ITS ABBEYS, ITS TRADITIONS AND ITS

RURAL LIFE.

By J. RUPERT ELLIOTT, Author of "Americ

THE ROYAL SHIRE (Continued.)

The Diamond Jubilee ceremonies and fe

tivities really commence to day (Saturday, June 19th) in the Queen and royal family's attendance at the Grand Military Tattoo given at Windsor by the Royal Horse Guards and Second Battalion Coldstream Guards. There are a good number of bands in attendance

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ended, a compromise on the plague measures having been arranged between the authorities and rioters.

Petitions against the exhibition of spirituous liquors at the International exhibition, to be held in St. John, N. B. this fall, are being circulated.

The Publish words in St. being circulated.

The British warship, Wallarco, has hoisted the Union Jack on Russell, Bellona and Stuart islands, belonging to the Solomon group in the Pacific ocean.

The Ottawa lumbermen are satisfied with the dollar a thousand rate on pine, fixed by the United States tariff bill, and now do not want the export duty on logs.

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There were 30 failures in Canada last week against 39 in cerresponding week last year and 368 for second quarter of 1897 against 384 for second quarter of 1896.

Mrs. John Allen, an Ontario woman, has given birth to triplets. The three boys are to be named Victor, Diamond and Jubilee in honor of the Queen's long reign.

Within three days four building and loan associations, whose estimated assets and liabilities foot up over a million and a quarter dollars, have gone to the wall in Louisville, Ky.

Ky.

In a battle which has just taken place l In a battle which has just taken place between four hundred Greek raiders and a detachment of Ottomah troops near Metsovo, the former were repulsed with the loss of one hundred and twenty killed.

It seems to be definitely settled that the Canadian miners in British Columbia are to have smelters of their own. Herstofore the output of Canadian mines has had to go across the border to be smelted.

Fourteen people were killed by cyclones and cloudbursts in Minneapolis Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Every railroad in the state has had some damage to the traoks

the state has had some damage to the tracks and rolling stock. The damage will probably exceed \$1,000,000. exceed \$1,000,000.

An illicit still seized at Stoneham, Ont., last Wednesday was the largest ever known to exist in Canada, having a capacity of five thousand fermenting gallons, representing a loss to the revenue of six hundred dollars a day, or a hundred and eighty thousand dollars a year.

Agness Nicholls, and Mr. Edward Loyd, the Queen's private band, Eton Orchestral Society, the choir of St. George's and the Windsor and Eton Choral and Madrigal Societies. We cannot be present at that sublime service long to be treasured in memory, which is to take place to-morrow morning, at "St. George's, Windsor, but we would fain be there; we would see that grand old Queen enter the sacred shrine of royal distinction, and see her bow, as the millions of her subjects will be bowing, to offer their thanks in song and prayer; we would know London, July 10.—The Canadian rifle team have been practising steadily at Staines for some time, and many good socres have been made. Yesterday a friendly match was shot by the full team, twenty, against a like number from the London Scottish volunteers, one of the best shooting battalions in the Kingdom. The weather was excellent and bull's eyes were put on at the various ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards, with great regularity. At the conclusion of the match, when the scores were totalled up, it was found that the Canadians were on top, defeating the London Scottish team by thirty-two points. The totals were: Canada, 1,811; London Scottish, 1,779. In the individual scores Wilson, of the London Scottish, headed the forty with 97, followed by 95 each by Captain Davidson, of the 8th Royals of Quebec, and Lieut. Ross, of the 13th Battalion of Hamilton.

Belleise.

Last Friday was a very warm day here, at noon the mercury stood at 90°.

Charles Barsa, Eaq. of Halifax, with wife, infant and nurse, are staying for a while with L. D. Gesner.

We noticed "mine host" Langley and wife of the Grand Central, Bridgetown, on the street Sunday evening last.

Dr. Alice G. Merchant and daughter, Goraldine, of Dallas, Texas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Israel J. Parker.

Mr. Cenas Harlow was here last week in the interest of H. J. Crowe, prospecting for lumbering for the coming winter.

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Mr. Charles Wade has his large stable up and nearly boarded in. When completed it will be a great addition to his place.

Miss Mary F. Gesner is the owner of a very old and antique piece of furniture. It is a rocking chair over one hundred and fifty may in its at the Royal Berkshire Home Chapel, the London Daily Telegraph fitly says in its control the such the Loundon Daily Telegraph fitly says in its country in that portion of the new world where her religious zeal and martie netter on the street of the Queen living under the shad of two of her majestic Berkshire Home Chapel, the London Daily Telegraph fitly says in its country in that portion of the new world where her religious regal and martie netters of the Queen living under the shad of the United New of her majestic Berkshire Home Chapel, the London Daily Telegraph fitly says in its code of the Queen living under the shad of the whole of the dueen living under the shad of the London Antiest leave of the Queen living under the shad of the London Antiest leave the control of the Queen living under the shad of the late of the Queen living under the shad of the late of the Qu

mated all winese privilege it was to be put sent in the famous Chapel. As evidence of the earnest desire on the part of the people of this royal borough to attend these impressive proceedings, it may be mentioned that the Dean of Windsor had to consider no less than 5,000 applications for admission. Fortunate, then, were those who, yesterday afternoon found themselves within the precious of the historic fane, listening to the well nigh perfect interpretation of a work, upon every page of which is writ the word "immortal." Notable even was this event in the annals of the historic Chapel of St. George.

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George.

It will now be admitted fitting in these days to think somewhat about the ancestry of our wonderful Queen. We give it as it has been presented to us by an authority:—"Queen Victoria is the daughter of the Duke of Kent, son of George III, son of Mary Queen of Scotts, daughter of James I, son of Margaret, daughter of Henry VII., son of Margaret, daughter of Henry VII., son of Margaret, daughter of Henry II., son of Edward II, son of Edward III, son of Edward III, son of Edward III, son of Henry II., son of Matilda, daughter of Henry II., son of

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Rector. In St. James', Bridgetown: Service with celebration of Holy Communion at 11; Evening Service at 7.30. Service on Wednes-day evening at 8. In St. Mary's, Belleisle: Service at 3; also on Thursday at 7.30. All

Service at 3, also on Thursday at 7.30. All seats free.

BAPHST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Pastor, Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath-school, 10 a.m.; Preaching Service at 11 a.m.; Evangelistic service 7.30 p.m. B.Y.P.U. Tuesday evening at 7.150 clock. General social service Friday evening at 7.30. Service at Granville Centre on Sunday afternoon.

GORDON MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. R. S. Whidden, Pastor. Service at 3.15 o'clock, Bible-class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. General prayer-meeting at 7.30. Service at Annapolis at 11 a.m.; Bible-class and Subath-school at 2 p.m. General prayer-meeting at 7.30. Seats free in both churches. All are cordially invited

PROVIDENCE METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. Strothard, pastor: A. Lund, assistant pastor. Strothard, pastor: A. Lund, assistant pastor. Sunday school 946 m. pastor. General Class every Monday evening at 8; Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8; Epworth League every Friday evening at 8. All arcoordially invited. Granville: Preaching every Sabbath at II a.m. and 3 p.m., alternately. Bentville: Preaching every Sabbath at 3 p.m. and 7.30 p.m., alternately. Mountain Mission: Preaching fortnightly, Durling's Lake at 10.30 a.m., Hill at 2.30 p.m. ROUND HILL.—G. J. Coulter White, pastor. Ings Jake at 1.00 a.m., that 2.50 p.m. a SOUND HILL.—G. J. Coulter White, pastor. Preaching service on the 1st Sunday of the month at II a.m., and on other Sundays at 7 p.m. Prayer-meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday-sohool atter morning service, other Sundays at 2.30 p.m. service. other sundays at 2.30 p.m.
METHODIST CHURCH.—REV. J. H. TOOLE,
Pastor. Preaching service at Port George at
11 am.; Brooklyn at 3 p.m.; Lawrencetown
at 7 p.m. Epworth League at Port George on
Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock, and at
Lawrencetown on Friday evening at the
same hour. All are condially invited to
attend these services.

SPRINGFIELD CHOUIF.
BAPTIST CHURCH.— Rev. J. Webb, Pastor
Preaching service at East Dalhousie in the
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in the Probate Court, 1897

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas Tracy, late of Clementsport, in the County of Annapolis, mariner, deceased.

To be sold at public anctien on the premises of the said late Thomas Tracy, at Clementsport, in the County of Annapolis, on Saturday, at ten colock in the forence under a License granted by the Judge of Probate for the County of Annapolis dated the first day of June, A. D., 1897. of Annapolis dated the first day of June, A. Dr., 1897.

All the estate, right, title, interest, claim, property, and demand which the said late Thomas Tracy at the time of his death had in and to the following lands and premises situate at Clementsport, in the County of Annapolis, bounded and described as follows: Commencing on the main highway running from Clementsport to Digby at the Corner of lands now belonging to Douglas Berry, following said Mrs. George Cory, thence northerly, following said Mrs. George Cory, thence northerly, following said Mrs. George Cory in et ill it comes to the Dominion and Atlantic Railway lands, thence along said Dominion and Atlantic Railway lands till it comes to lands of Douglas Berry, thence southerly along said line to place of beginning, containing one acre and one half more or less.

JOHN LOWE, Execute Bridgetown, June 12th, 1897.

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The Trials of Teachers.

Is there any other class on which the community makes demands so severe as in case comes a time when every other one of them, matter how carefully tended, passes beyond his reach. No lawyer saves all his clients; no clergyman or revivalist exhibits an unbroken phalanx of saints. Yet the the influence of the streets, often with that of the home, is expected in his five or six hours a day to accomplish more than all the sources of evil can undo, and to bring out all his pupils blameless and complete—soul, body and grammar. Madame Roland once defined marriage as an institution where one person was expected to provide happiness for two; but a school is an institution where one person is expected to provide joy, peace and the multiplication table for at least forty. Surely this is a cruel requirement. No maxim is more formidable than that German proverb, brought home many years ago by Horace Mann, "As is the teacher, so is the school." It would be quite as true to say, "As are the parents, so is the school," or, "As are the grandparents, so is the school," ives created the brain-cells

er of the United States House of Represenhis own sacred desk, "I ought to have went to that lecture." He had been reared in the public schools, and had all his life been edior, public speaker, or office-holder, vet with this grammatical-or ungrammatical-re-English say to his own pupils in the recitation room, many years since, "I have spoke of." These sins against good grammatical morals do not prove that these distinguished persons had not attended good schools or

paid attention to the instructions; they simply showed that other influences had counterbalanced these. Probably these influences school, will speak better English than the school steadily up to the age of fifteen. Why, then, lay all the blame for errors upon the

the merely grammatical, for which to answer. Much of the deadness, the lifelessness, which teachers. The little boy whose story is now in the efforts to unite John's two red apples and Charlie's two red apples-and this be cause, while he knew perfectly well that two and two made four, he yet could not grasp "the process" of applying that principle to the apples—finds companions every day. Professor Alpheus Crosby of Dartmouth Colthat he could bewilder almost any school by propounding this simple question: "If you should set out from the school door, walk five miles north, then turn round and walk the school door?" The very simplicity of the question perplexed their minds; there was nothing like it in their arithmetics, and they were not used to thinking for themselves. Sometimes, though rarely, the child got the better of the questioner in this sort of game, as when the little girl who was asked by the two-thirds of a pie or three quarters, replied, boldly, "Two thirds," Then ensued a long and said, quietly, "But, if you plea I don't like pie!" The logic was all on her side. The teacher, in his haste to condemn, had omitted to establish the fact that the larger piece of pastry was the thing to be

ed; in her case it was the smaller piece. It must always be remembered, if possible. that in dealing with children we are not usually dealing with a dull or stupid class, wanting in activity or in the love of knowledge. The dullest boy is alive enough when a runaway horse is to be seen through the window. The slowest girl is only too impetnous when the school house takes fire. The child least interested in the teacher's questions has commonly enquiries enough of his own with which to bombard his father at breakfast or his mother at bed-time. The boy who finds his text-book the hardest will go out at recess time and pick up a new game what to say, when to run, where to go, who is in, who is out, and what it means to be in or out. These things he will indeed learn much quicker than his teaaher could. Sucely the fault is not then in the child's own mind, the power is all there, running to waste The child is no more to blame than Niagara was to blame because it took so long for men to learn how to harness it for all the duties of municipal service it now performs in Buffalo. The power is all there; what is needed is the wit to use it. It is for this that normal schools are established and teachers'

Probably, if the truth were told, the best thing that teachers can do is to remain pupils nselves as long as possible; that is to al ways studying something that keeps them in the attitude of learners and shows them how the mind of the child works. So long as we are studying we are all children. The schoolboy never gets so much good out of any problems as those which puzzle his teacher a ttle--in arithmetic or grammar--because he feels that he and his teacher work together But it is not needful that the preceptor should be really puzzled, if he or she only retains the childlike freshness and eagerness of mind. I have seen that most attractive instructor, the late Professor Blake of Brown University, pausing from his protound enquiries to help a circle of little girls in sum mer to develop their small photographs; and this," or, "Let us do that,"-always in the first person plural-until every child felt as if enlisted in some wholly new and important experiment, with the aid of some kind broth-er about a year older than herself.—F. W. Higginson, in Harper's Bazar.

Heart Pains Leave in a Day.

UNABLE TO ATTEND TO HER DAILY DUTIES— AND A GREAT SUFFERER FROM HEART TROUBLE—INDUCED TO TRY DR. AGNEWS CURE FOR THE HEART, AND IT PROVED

the way to the door." These are the words of Mrs. W. T. Rundle of Dundalk, Ont.: "I was a great sufferer with pain in the region of my heart. For a time I was quite unable to attend to my household duties. I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, and I must say the result was wonderful. The pain immediately left me, and after the first day I have had no pain or trouble since." Sold by S. N. Weare. These are the words of Mrs. W. T. Re to gather up his gold. His rage and con-

New York, June 30.—The bicycle pool is broken. After years of organization the ironclad agreement has gone to smash and with it the price of high-class wheels have alumped. The Pope Manufacturing Company annonce that the price of the Columbia 37 has been reduced twenty-five per cent. The John P. Lovell Arms Company come forward with a similar announcement. It

helieved a oig oloyde rate war is on and an public will get some cheap wheels this immer.

The true greatness of man consists not in the extent of his wealth, nor the beauty of his person, but in the majesty of his intellect and the purity of his moral nature.

THE JAPANESE RULERS' METHODS OF DEAL His Majesty's daily oustoms are very reg and remains at work there until 4 p. m

Majesty about any public matter he inquires about the subject, the purpose and condition and decides it. He is firm and not change able. When he decides a matter once h cannot after that be moved.

ment officers. The Prime Minister, Coun money from my treasury to support then positions by borrowing money all Cabinet Ministers, therefore, cannot do so. There-

Count Matsukata retired from His Maj-Matsukata went again to consult the En

articles relating to the private misconduct His Majesty sometimes smiles.

His Majesty is fond of reading books and

newspapers. He is especially fond of German books. He likes to compose Japanese poems, which he can do very readily. His

well-taught mother, even if never going to that some of his subjects have given their lives soldor, will speed better highest child of an ungrammatical mother, going to school steadily up to the age of fifteen. Why, subjects from such quixotism, and to preserv them from any but necessary danger.

and peaceful one, blessed by the love and respect of grateful subjects; and when His Majesty makes a tour anywhere in Japan without his guards he is in no danger, but is received everywhere with reverence and

7. In meeting other riders ascending the right of way to the up riders. 8. When riding straight ahead, never HOW THEY WERE MADE BEFORE PRINTING

> iders and pedestrians to give warning your approach. This does not mean the they are to get out of your way. in meeting a novice give plenty of room.

material for manuscript books about the eighth century. It is said to have been inthe stomach withdrawing the excess of blo in case this plishing this, the attainment of a favorable state of mind is of great importance. Sleep cannot be enforced by a direct exercise of

> aged is one of quiescence, one of indifference are disposed to continue active they may b mind and thought is next akin to dream and dreaming is next akin to sound sleep. Many mental methods have been advise and put in practice for the purpose of secur in sleep, the design being to turn the thought nonotony, as by mentally repeating well reing. But the state of indifference, if this can be obtained, is likely to be the most efficient, as being the least active. The men

HOW ENGLISH TIMEPIECES ARE TRIED AS T er way of taking care of them and having them convenient for use was to arrange them s long as there has been a watch trade in thereabouts. There used to be three centers of the English trade, these being Liverpool oventry and London; now there are prac tically but two, Coventry and Birmin obtain a Kew certificate, and of the watche for bookmaking were greatly increased, and that go to Kew 75 per cent. are from Coven

try, according to The Jewelers' Review. tion, but Coventry has come nearest, with 92, and is always well to the front. The Kew test is no light one. The watch is tested and more pressing. Finally young Raphael, in desperation, resorted to the following detime screws, meaning the millionth of an inch, will make a difference of twenty seconds a day, the delicacy of its adjustment will be

appreciated, as will also the risk of intrusting its repair to any but skilful hands. Turkey Won't Yield. London, July 2.—A despatch to the Times

A Constantinople despatch to the Stan-dard says that Edhem Pasha, commander-in-chief of the Turkish forces in Thessaly, has tendered his resignation of command to the sultan, on the ground that under the proposed antee the discipline of the army.

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"My daughter was suffering with catarrh
of the stomach, and tried many different
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helped her at once. She has taken fifteen
bottles and is now able to work all the time.
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ANNA MERRILL, Eaton, Que.

It does not take much more time to se "I thank you" than it does to say "Thanks," er take a cold bath when you are tired." Is known to be polite, however, not by the He points out that the greater the exercise words he or she uses, but by their manner in

and that a cold bath does not assist the skin in getting rid of this product, whereas a warm bath does. The doctor adds:—

"When you take a cold bath you depend upon the heart to bring about reaction. If this heart be already tired by the long ride it may not be strong enough to bring about reaction, and the blood and its waste material may not be brought to the surface. Internal congestion may follow, and, as I have tennal congestion may follow, and, as I have tennal to the surface of the surface. Internal congestion may follow, and, as I have tennal to the surface of the surface. In the surface of the surface of

een in two cases, death may ensue. It | The little boy told his mother that "It you may be perspiring, the cold bath is harmless provided always the heart be not tired. A simple rule for the bicyclist, wherecan tell. With perfect boyhood and naturthe other tucked confidently in mine, he said, 'Thank you, sir,' in the old-fashioned way of my own boyhood.' United States Duty on Coal

Washington, June 29.-The Senate Committee on Finance have fixed the duty on coal at sixty-seven cents per long ton. This rate applies only to coal shipped from counlong enough for the pulse rate to be abuot tries which do not impose a higher rate on normal, he can then, with perfect safety, Canada, the Canadian rate on American coal being the same. There has been a strong contention to hold the rate down to that orig inally fixed by the committee and even to lower it, but this effort was vigorously con tested by the Senators from the coal-producing states, and the latter class have won.

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE! ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of CHARLES A. CHUTE, late of Granville, in the County of Annapolis, farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested to, within twelve months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate

FRED B. STONE, HARRY RUGGLES, Executors. Dated Bridgetown, May 26th, 1897. 3m EXECUTOR'S NOTICE ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of EPHRAIM BAUGKMAN, late of Paradise West, in the County of Annapolis, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within six months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate

CHARLES M. DANIELS, Bridgetown, April 20th, 1897. 4 3m ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of HICHARD S. McCORMICK, late of Bridgetown, in the Country of Annapolis, Merchant, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within one year from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate pay-MARY McCORMICK, F. L. MILNER, Proctor of Estate.

Bridgetown, March 24th, 1897. NOTICE

ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of ALBERT FITZRANDULPH. late of Williamston, in the County of Annapolis, farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within one year from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate AGNUS M. FITZRANDOLPH, Or ROBERT FITZRANDOLPH,
Administrator, Lawrencetor Williamston, April 12th, 1897.

Portland Cement.

On and after MONDAY, 21st JUNE, 1897, the Steamship and Train Service of this Railway will be as follows (Sunday except-

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Bridgetown, March 19th, 89.

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he tondard the beautiful illustrated series of articles of the following are already completed: "The Great Department Store."
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"The Working of the Bank."
"A Great Manufactory." "A Great Manufactory."
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Boys's Scotch Grain Boots,
Boys's Buff Boots,
Youth's Heavy Grain Boots,
Youth's Heavy Grain Boots,
Women's Dongola Boots,
Women's Extra Fine Boots,
Women's Kid Lace Boots,
Women's Pebble Boots,
Women's Pongola Boots,
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L. CHUTE. Payson Store, Bridgetown.

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The subscriber offers for sale the valuable property, on Port Lorne Mountain, known as the Josenh Corbett farm. This farm is nicely located, being within one mile of three schools, post office and churches. The farm contains one hundred acres, more or less, has two extra pastures with never failing water; is in good condition and cuts sixteen tons of hay. There is also wood and poles enough to supply the place. There is a nice dwelling house with woodhouse combined; a barn 30x40 feet; carriage house and piggery, 30x30 feet. There is a never-failing well of water on the premises. Intending purchasers will please call and examine. Terms to suit purchasers. Apply to Mrs. Louisa Slocomb on the premises.

CAUTION!

All persons indebted to the estate of the late J. AVARD MORSE, either by accounts or promissory notes, are hereby notified that all payments of the same must be made to he undersigned, as no person has been auth rized by them to collect said accounts o E. BENT, J. B. GILES, Executors

Bridgetown, March 10th, 1896. Direct Evidence

A. STANLEY BANKS.

The Household.

If when washing paint you would us ittle powdered whiting on your wet cloth, you would find all dirt and grease disappear t once without injuring the most

For a good shampoo, use five cents' worth f powdered castile soap, the same quantity f borax, add to them two tablespoonfuls of lcohol, the beaten yolk of an egg, and one pint of hot water. Keep tightly corked in a

When buying sheets allow a quarter of a yard wider than is necessary to cover the bed and tuck in, as it is then possible when the sheets are wearing thin in the middle to cut them down the centre, seam selvedges together, cut the thin part away from each side, and re-hem. The sheets are then as good as new.

rrangement of furniture do not put all the large pieces, piano, bookcase and, perhaps, fireplace, on one side of the room, for it will ook over-heavy and not well balanced. It is often desirable to insert screws in

plastered walls, and it is found hard to make hem hold. The hole made by the screw should be enlarged and the edges of the plaster thoroughly moistened with water. Then fill the space with plaster of paris and press "Why, Mr. Smith," she said reproachful the screw in the soft plaster. When the plaster has become hard, the screw will be finger, "you don't think I'd want this; two A good way to destroy cockroaches is to dollars a yard, indeed! I wit was five dollars a yard!"

Waggons, Phaetons, Express, place a deep vessel with perfectly smooth sides in the middle of their run, and put some sweet cake in the bottom. Then place a lath | tongue, and that she could drive a bargain on the outside. The roaches will run up the laths to get to the sweet cake, and, dropping over, are unable to get out, and are at your wand exorbitant rates. We were at dinner

a human being. Next consider how you would want to be treated if you were in her family, mischievously. place. Impress her with the fact that labor s honorable. And that to be a good cook and a neat housekeeper is the first great duty of every well-educated woman. Treat her as one who has an interest in her welfare and anxious to see her better her condition in life. In short, do unto her as you would have others to do unto you.

In making currant jelly care must be taken form jelly readily. Free the currants from leaves and stems. Put them in a porcelain lined kettle and mash part of the fruit, so that they will quickly form a juice and not burn so readily. Cover and heat slowly. When the fruit becomes soft, pour the hot pour out as much of the juice as possible. Turn the juice into a jelly bag and strain. Measure and return to the preserving kettle. Put over the fire again and when it begins

minutes.

Meanwhile place in pans as many pounds of granulated sugar as there are pints of juice. Place the pans in the oven and allow the sugar to become heated. Stir it frequently, aking care that it does not brown. When the juice has boiled 20 minutes add the hot sugar which will make a hissing sound as it goes in. Stir until the sugar is dissolved and

the juice is again clear. Have jelly glasses standing in a large dripping pan contain about an inch of hot water. Fill the glasses with the liquid jelly and set away until it comes formed and perfectly cold before | take great pride in excelling every other town

That all dish cloths and towels should be washed and scalded each day, and thoroughly dried before they are again used. That a little Borax or ammonia dissolved in the water in which silver is washed will

keep the silver bright. That knives should be scoured regularly | rific crash up stairs startled him. Upon in-

every time they are used. That drops of water should never be al. had ruthlessly hurled itself through his roof, lowed to dry on the steel blade of a knife, doing considerable damage. That in itsel as the mark made is almost permanent.

water, keeping the food closely covered with stitute for liquors (alcoholic).

Italian Burned Custard. Take a large three quarters of a cup of sugar, put it into a saucepan with a little hot water and set it over the fire to melt and brown; when it is well boiled, and browned to the color of burned sienna, turn a little less than half of it into a mould and let it | butter." run over the entire inside surface of the mould, which, by the way, should be of tin.

Then, to the remainder of the burned sugar, which was left in the saucepan, add five eggs.

The article a trial. She therefore purchased a not beaten beforehand but beating them into the sugar one by one. Then add one and a back to the shop in a state of great wrath. half pints of milk, beating it again very thoroughly, and let the whole mixture stand a quarter of an hour, after which turn it into | last neet? Aw varry nearly poison't mi owd the mould. Set the latter into a saucepan with a little water around it and let the water boil until the custard is cooked. Place t on the ice or in a cool spot, and when thoroughly cold turn it over for the table.

The top surface will be covered with a coating of brown sugar. An Angel in the House.

For a good, everyday household angel give s the woman who laughs. Her pastry may not always be just right, and she may occa- a negro boy what they meant. "Oh," was ionally burn her bread and forget to replace issing buttons, but for solid comfort all day and every day she is a very paragon. Home s not a battlefield, nor life one long, unend- strange 'bout dat; they'se doin' it ebry day, ing fight. The trick of always seeing the 'most. When de train is coming dey jes bright side, or, if the matter has no bright | fires dem shots when she gets good onto de side, of polishing up the dark one, is a very important faculty, one of the things no woman should be without. We are not all born off an' drops 'em in de bay. Den dey rows with sunshine in our hearts, as the Irish | 'round an' picks 'em up. Sometimes dey gets prettily phrase it, but we can cultivate a a lot of 'em. Other day Josh Johnson got neerful sense of humor if we only try.

fishes an' does odd jobs an' lives.' Stir the yolks of six eggs and three quan ers of a teacupful of white sugar into a quar of milk, flavor to taste and bring to boiling. line a glass dish with slices of stale sponge cake dipped in sweet cream, cover with a layer of ripe strawberries, sprinkle over powdered sugar; then a layer of cake, and strawberries as before. When the custard is quite cold, pour it over the whole. Beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, beat lightly and spread over the top. Decorate with hulled berries. ne a glass dish with slices of stale spor

Good Air. Impure air and overheated rooms are a fertile source of wrinkles. The nerves of the face are deadened by close or impure air, the finer muscles lose their tone, the tissue of the face shrinks, and these shrinkings become Joker's Corner.

ormed man whose mind seemed incaps of subtle reasoning. His wife was read same to this passage: "She cannot cond his great projects, and he desp hend his great proje

Ellen, he's wrong there; you could ne make me believe that a man would desp At another time, he was protesting tha

"But it says so in the bible," put in his sister, quoting. "And Peter's wife's mo-ther lay sick of a fever." "Yes," cried my friend, delighted to prove

Arrange bric-a-brac by contrast in color mother '-not Peter's wife, stupid. 'Peter's symmetrical, and the slender elegance of the tall vase will emphasize the roundness of the tall vase will emphasize the roundness of the us into gales of laughter without in the least

> was often accused of preferring an article simply because of its high price. This she earnestly denied.
> One day she strolled into a favorite store t happened to be bargain day, and a floor-

She was very fond of pretty things, and

walker whom she knew called her attention

informed us that it was a mere slip of the r two from the floor to the top of the bucket, | if she chose. There was a little colored man one evening, when John came to see about

> opened the door to hear what would occur She explained the work in her usual dignified

heard her say, despairingly, but fervently, Oh John, you're such a dear little man! An ill suppressed chuckle in the hall fol-lowed by a peal of laughter from the dining room sent Mary flying upstairs, and none of us were cruel enough to refer to it when we saw her again.

door for a direction. Miss Mary, who hap pened to be on the stairs, overheard. "Jane," she called softly to the waitre 'it's a long distance; if that man's going to

One day she was relating to a sympathetic audience how a friend of hers had received a terrible shock, followed by temporary in sanity. We were holding our breath, our eyes big with interest, for Mary had been an eye-witness and was always an impressive

recovered, we should never have forgive ourselves for the burst of laughter which greeted this conclusion:—"My dear women," said Mary solemnly, "she fainted dead away, and when she came to her senses she found she hadn't any!"

There is a small town in one of the eastern states, not far from Boston, whose inhabitants in their vicinity. They try every new in vention, and if it has any sort of merit it is sure to be ass ned to duty in some part of That fewer dishes will be broken if a small | the place. Two portly gentlemen, one a sea mooden tub is provided instead of the ordinary tin dishpan. captain and the other a lawyer, both retired from active life, were the prime movers in the experiments and adoptions, and naturally in the course of time they fail to agree. E

treme jealousy then prevailed, and a bitter animosity sprang up between them. Unfortunately these two gentlemen lived next door to each other. In fact, so close were their houses that the side walls almost That silver should be thoroughly dried, then polished with chamois, if it is to retain was reading a book in his study when a tervestigation he found that an unruly chimne was a matter of great annoyance, but when That the flour barrel should be raised from the floor to prevent dampness.

That food should be kept hot for late bounds. Hastening down to his library, he comers by standing the dish in a pan of hot pulled out his lawbooks and hunted up similar cases, devising and scheming how he could secure satisfaction from the detestable That oranges often prove an efficient sub- captain. While thus engaged a note arrived from his enemy that read as follows, "If you don't return those bricks at once, I will

put the matter in the hands of the law."

Marm alace and Fish When orange marmalade was first intro duced into this country it was extensively advertised as an "excellent substitute for

A Lancashire workingman's wife, seeing two-pound jar of it. Next morning she came "You owd villun!" she exclaimed, "what

did you myen (mean) bi selin' mi that stuff man wi't (with) it!' "Heaw wur that? Didn't yo say it wur substitute for butther?" " Yes. I did."

"Well, it is a grond substitute! Aw used

some ov it to fry a bit o' fish wi', an' it made us o' (all) sick as we cud be!' -A visitor in Pass Christian, Miss., the other day heard some pistol shots, and asked

"Shooting for hats!" exclaimed the visitor. "what on earth do you mean?" "Nuffin' seben." "What does Josh Johnson do besides shoot for hats?" was asked. "Oh, he

-Two Irishmen were working together one day, when one remarked to the other who appeared very glum: "Arrah, Mike, what is the matter with

you this morning?"
"Well, Pat," replied the other, "I was dreaming that I dined with H. R. H. the Prince of Wales last night, and after dinner was over he asked me if I would have a taste

"'Yes, your royal highness,' said I. " 'Hot or cold, Mike?' said he. "'Hot, your royal highness,' said 1. "While he was away for the hot water I woke up, and I am sorry now I did not drink

it cold.

-Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Miscellaneous.

When a Cabinet Minister addresses his

At the beginning of Matsukata's Cabinet Parliament decided to reduce the salaries of Matsukata, addressed his Majesty about it. His Majesty did not consent and he said:
"Many officers cannot live upon a fixed salary. Some Cabinet Ministers have been obliged to borrow money, and I advanced If the present Cabinet Ministers retain their

fore I cannot consent to the reduction of sal esty. However, the Cabinet once more de-bated the question with the Count, and

His Majesty was not inclined to see him again, and sent an attendant to say to him: "I have already commanded about the remore." The salaries were, therefore, not reduced. His Majesty understands the condition of the lower classes, and familiarize himself with the private conduct of the Cab inet Ministers. When he reads newspaper any Cabinet Ministers and attacking him,

ability in that respect is much admired by his attendants. His Majesty dislikes all pretense and hypocrisy.

When it has been reported to His Majesty

The first books were written on tablets of tone, lead, copper, ivory and wood, sheets of horn, and, at a later period, the bark of trees-whence "liber," a book. After a ime material was obtained from the Egyptian water plant, papyrus. But as the demand for books increased a more endurable material was sought for, and parchment, made chiefly of the skins of goats and sheep was employed.

Parchment came into general use as a

vented at Pergamos, 159, B. C., on account of an Egyptian embargo on papyrus. Howclusively that it was used centuries before that date. It was soon found that the best way to take care of books written on flexible material, such as parchment or papyrus, was the ignorant child, who at length held up her a scroll was called "volumen," and from this we get our word volume Usually the manuscript books were rolled on a rod or staff a little longer than the width of the manuscript. The ends of the rod were thus left in sight, and frequently they were

> The preparation of books was a real art among the Greeks and Romans. Sometimes the Romans employed a great number of professional copyists in a "scriptorium," or writing establishment, and in that way made it possible to produce several copies of a book in a single day.
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> The art of illuminating manuscript books eems to have been practised by all nations of antiquity that used parchment and papyrus. It is said that we owe the preservation of many old time books to the custom of il-

made beautiful with gold, silver or ivory.

luminating manuscripts, for often persons who had no understanding of the text kept the book for the sake of its elaborate orns In order to save the expense of writing materials, writings that were considered unimportant were sometimes erased or washed out, and the parchment was used again Valuable parchment scrolls or books were eatly rolled and labeled, and then packed away for safe keeping in round boxes that were as high as the scrolls were wide. Anoth-

around the walls in cases made for that pur-Ancient manuscript books are of great value. Many of them are preserved in the li brary of the British museum and in other great libraries of Europe. With the invention of paper the facilities

since the invention of the printing press "of making many books there is no end." A Raphael Story. Raphael, the great Italian painter, whose elebrated Biblical pictures are worth fabulous sums of money, was not a rich man when young, and encountered some of the vicisaindes of life like many another genius. Once when travelling he put up at an inn and remained there, unable to get away through lack of funds to settle his bill. The landlord grew suspicious that such was the case and his requests for a settlement grew more

He carefully painted upon a table-top in his room a number of gold coins, and, placing the table in a certain light that gave a startling effect, he packed his few belongings and summoned his host. "There," he exclaimed, with a lordly wave of his hand toward the table, " is enough to

settle my bill and more. Now kindly show

The innkeeper, with many smiles and bows,

ushered his guest out and then hastened back

ernation when he discovered the fraud

knew no bounds, until a wealthy English traveller, recognizing the value of the art put in the work, gladly paid him £50 for the table.

Itching, Burning Skin Diseases Cured for Thirty-Five Cents.

A physician, who is himself a wheelma of several years' experience and who has also devoted great attention to other athletics, lays down this general proposition:—"Never take a cold bath when you are tired." the more poisonous waste material is created, and that a cold bath does not assist the skin

matters not how hot you may be, how much | was a beautiful visit." The brilliant scholar by he may know whether the heart be tired, is simply to count his pulse, having in a pre-vious quiescent state ascertained what his individual pulse rate per minute is. When, after, a'long ride, his pulse rate is normal he may with safety use the cold bath. He should, therefore, rest after a tiresome jour-ney until the pulse is normal or thereabouts normal, or what is far better, get into a te-pid bath, one neither very hot nor very cold.

plunge into cold water, and these two proedures form the ideal way of using water n the surface after fatigue."

When he has remained in the warm water

Rules of the Road The following road rules which apply t he Maritime Provinces have been compiled for the consideration of bicyclists. A car ful perusal of same may save the reader and

rider much annoyance and many unpleasant experiences and mishaps: 1. In meeting, riders, pedestrians and rehicles, keep to left. In overtaking and passing them, keep to the right. In crossing, the rider bears to the left, who by s ing passes behind the other. 2. In turning corners to the right always

3. In turning corners to the left keep a

ar out as possible without trespassing on

the right side of the road. Never expect pedestrians to get ou of your way; find a way around them. 5. Never coast down a hill having cro streets along the way. 6. Never ring your bell except to giv notice of your approach.

vary your course suddenly to the right or left without first assuring yourself that no towards which you turn.

9. Always ring your bell in overtaking

To Sleep Well. OW TO PROPERLY COURT THE INDULGENCE A light supper just before retiring is usu ally of advantage. Babies and brute animals are usually somnolent when their stomachs are well supplied with food, the activity of from the brain, where it is not needed during sleep. On the other hand, people who are very hungry usually find it difficult to sleep. and indignant discourse by the and indignant discourse by the Romans and during proper hours should be cultivated And, then, a habit of sleep at a regular time

> The very effort of the will to command sleep is enough to render its attainment nugatory. The mental state to be encoura feeling that the recumbent posture is a proper one for rest, and that if the thoughts safely allowed to take their course without any effort toward control. This state of from objects of interest to a condition of

nention of these simple methods will be su ficient to suggest others equally effective. Testing a Watch.

There has been watchmaking at Coventry England, which is for the last 200 years or The test of a good watch is that it should At Kew no watch has yet succeeded in getting the 100 marks which signify perfec

in every position and its rate registered, no only per day, but per hour; it is hung by its pendant, hung upside down and back down hung on each side, placed dial down and back down and at any number of angles, and to finish up with is baked in an oven and frozen in an ice pail. No wonder that a watch with Kew certificate is a comfort to its owner. When it is considered that it makes 18,00 vibrations an hour and must not vary a second a week, while a quarter turn of its two

from Constantinople, says: "Towfik Pasha will announce to the ambassadors of the powers that the cabinet maintains the right of Turkey to retain Thessaly by right of con

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