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We have a large assortment of all makes of watches and clocks. The prices that will surely suit you.

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The Jeweller, Walkerton.

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You need flour, try a bag of Steinmiller's Cyclone Blend. We know you will be pleased about it.

We are so confident of this that we make you this offer:

"Get a bag from your dealer bake a batch of bread and if it should not turn out to your entire satisfaction, return it and get your money back in full. You will not be charged anything for the flour you have used."

Could anything be fairer?

The price per Half Barrel is **\$2.50**

Steinmiller & Lembcke WALKERTON. J. N. Scheffer Local Dealer

Grand Trunk Time Table

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:
 Going South: Express 7:11 a.m., Express 11:37 a.m., Express 3:12 p.m., The 7:11 a.m. and 1:40 p.m. trains carry mail.
 Going North: Express 10 a.m., Express 1:40 p.m., Express 3:36 p.m.

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Hogs sold at \$6.65 per cwt on Monday.

Ladies New Spring Suits at Helwig Bros.

Reduced prices on Robes and Blankets, at H.W. Pletsch.

Spring Millinery opening March 24th, & 25th, at Helwig Bros.

Mr. H. Keelan spent Sunday with his brother at Kenilworth.

A good assortment of trunks and valises at reasonable prices, at H. W. Pletsch.

Frank Schmidt of Neustadt, formerly auctioneer here, was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Loetz of Walkerton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jacob Scheffer.

Miss Mary Schneider has gone to Chesley to take a position in the post-office.

Miss Laura Diebel has gone to Harrison where she will remain for some time.

Jacob Lerch will move next week to the farm near Breslau, which he purchased recently.

For Sale:—Columbia Wyandott Hatching Eggs. Apply at Liesemer's Hardware Store.

Miss Hilda Clapp is prepared to take a few pupils. Conservatory or College Course taken up if desired.

A. Kunkel announces that he is now prepared to do all kinds of general repair work in the Wagner shop, next to the post office.

Jos. L. Meyer, is loading a carload of settlers' effects at Teeswater to ship to Ethmuir, Sask., where he has taken up a homestead.

An order placed with your grocer for a sack of Steinmiller's Cyclone flour will convince you that this brand is the best yet for an all purpose flour.

A meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the residence of Miss Maggie Thomson on Friday, March 31st at 3.30 p. m.

The ladies are cordially invited to the Spring Opening of Millinery and Dress Goods at John Hunstein on Friday and Saturday of this week.

August Runstedler, formerly of Mildmay is in the Walkerton Hospital, receiving treatment for a sore knee, which has been troubling him for over a year.

Jacob Schneider received a message from Elmwood last Friday, announcing the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Rudolph, who died after undergoing an operation.

Frank Cronin has returned from a trip to Bay City, Mich., where he went to visit his sister, Mrs. Jos. Reinhart, who has been seriously ill. She is now on the road to recovery.

Mr. William Helwig returned home last Thursday from the Ferguson hospital where he underwent an operation some three weeks ago. He is still somewhat weak, but is improving rapidly.

Ernest Eickmeiersold his fine mare last week to a farmer in Bentinck, receiving the handsome figure of \$250. The animal is coming four years old, and is an extra good one, having won first prize and diploma at the Mildmay show last fall.

Mrs. W. H. Huck went to Detroit last Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. P. Runstedler, who is seriously ill. When she reached Detroit, however, she found her sister in an unconscious condition, and death followed on Sunday morning. Mrs. Runstedler was 56 years of age, the cause of her death being apoplexy.



Now is the time to get your papering done before the busy House-Cleaning time. I have about \$600.00 worth of fine Wall Paper, all the latest designs and colorings at very reasonable prices. I will sell all Borders by the roll at same price as wall paper and will trim all papers free of charge. Please call in and see the new patterns at J. F. Schuett's Furniture Store, Mildmay, Ont.

Tuesday was the first day of spring. All the latest in Hats for Men and Boys at Helwig Bros.

Edward Schnurr visited friends at Berlin and Guelph last week.

Single and Team Harness at reasonable prices, at H.W. Pletsch.

Three new pianos were installed in residences in the north end of the village last week.

Garfield Eickmeier, tonsorial artist, had his shop in the Royal hotel block, newly papered this week.

Don't miss the millinery openings at the Corner Store on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Organization has been completed for the establishment of a municipal telephone system in Huron Township.

Michael Stumpf has taken the agency for the sale of the famous Bliss Native Herbs. See the advt. on another page.

E. Witter & Co. have secured the services of Mr. John Lobsinger of Karlsruhe, as head sawyer in their mill.

Miss M. Reinhart who had been spending a couple of months at Berlin and New Germany has returned to her home at Mildmay.

William Duffy has sold his fine stallion "Pride of Grey," to Mr. Norman Walpole of Durham. The animal was delivered to Hanover on Tuesday.

No cases have been entered for the Spring Assizes, which were scheduled to be held at Walkerton next week. This will save the county \$600 in Jurors' fees alone.

Last Sunday Rev. J. S. McMillan of Belmore exchanged for a second time with Rev. Mr. Gibson and preached two splendid sermons. He will always find a welcome in Mildmay.

We learn that the local Tent of Macabees is about to disband. Some of the older members have dropped out of this society, on account of the increase of insurance rates.

Clarence Keelan has completed his course at the Stratford Business College and intends leaving in a few days for Maple Creek, Sask., where he has secured a good situation.

Miss Millie Schurter extends a cordial invitation to all the ladies of this vicinity to visit her millinery rooms, and inspect her display. Openings on Friday and Saturday, of this week.

Mr. Albert Reinhart has sold his grant homestead at Davidson at a good figure, and has moved to Cavalier with his two brothers, George and Alex. where they have purchased a 400 acre farm.

Aged 108 Years.

Probably one of the oldest men in the Dominion died near Gorrie last Wednesday in the person of Mr. George Totten, who had reached the wonderful age of 108. Deceased was a native of Ireland but the greater part of his life was spent in Howick township. He retained his intellect to the last. The interment of this centenarian took place on Friday afternoon.

House Painting and Papering.

Jos. Reinhart announces that he is prepared to do house painting and wall-papering this spring, and guarantees good and satisfactory work.

Case Dismissed.

We learn that Judge Klein has dismissed the action brought by Wellington Richards against Wm. Carnegie, and which was tried at Walkerton on March 4th. Richards sued for wages amounting to \$90.

Bought Lots.

Jacob Bilger has purchased the lots on the corner of Absalom and Lambert streets from Mrs. Caroline Weis, and gets immediate possession. The price was about \$300. These lots adjoin his own property in this village.

Seed Oats.

Garton's Abundance, Pedigree Seed Oats, for sale at Geo. Lambert's Flour and Feed Store, yields from 90 to 120 bushels per acre. Ripens 10 days earlier than Banner. This is the oat that took first prize at the recent winter fairs. Price very reasonable.

Football Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Mildmay Football Club will be held in the Foresters Hall on Friday evening of next week, March 31st, for the purpose of re-organizing for the coming year, and to consider the advisability of again entering the W. F. A.

Moving to Berlin.

Mr. M. J. Seitz of Ambleside held an auction sale on Tuesday afternoon, and is moving this week to Berlin where he will resume his trade at shoemaking. He has sold his property to Mr. A. Krupp, the stage driver. Mr. Seitz has been postmaster at Ambleside for many years, and will be missed in that section.

Western Prospects Good.

Reports from different parts of the West are to the effect that spring is opening up, and the fall wheat crop looks excellent. Settlers are coming in great numbers from the United States, and there is a regular stream of homesteaders from the East. This promises to be a big year for the Western provinces.

An Extended Visit.

Mr. J. S. Milne left on Saturday morning for Los Angeles, California, where he will join his wife who has been spending the past month in that sunny clime. When the weather gets warmer they intend visiting relatives in Dakota, and the western Canadian provinces. They expect to get back home in July. Mr. George Schoenau accompanied Mr. Milne on his trip to Los Angeles, where he has accepted a situation.

Protection of Sheep.

Under the amended statutes of 1910, the owners or keepers of sheep which have been worried by dogs are entitled to claim two-thirds of their value from the township, in cases where they are unable to ascertain the owner of the dog or dogs which did the worrying. Where the owner of the dog is known, he will be compelled to make good the loss. Mr. Leopold Kramer of Mildmay has been appointed sheep valuator of the township of Carrick.

Death of Aged Widow.

The death of Mrs. Mary Hoefele of Deemerton took place on Thursday morning of last week, at the ripe old age of 89 years, 10 months and 10 days. Deceased was confined to her bed for the past month, and her end came peacefully at the above stated time, her son Michael Hoefele, with whom she had been living, finding her dead in bed. Mrs. Hoefele, who was born in Germany in 1821, came to Canada in 1857, settling first on the 4th concession of Carrick. One year later the family moved to Deemerton, where she has lived ever since. Her husband, Jos. Hoefele, predeceased her seventeen years ago. Two sons, Michael of Deemerton, and Joseph of Saskatchewan, are left to mourn her decease. The funeral took place on Saturday morning to the Deemerton cemetery.

The Queen's Maries.

On the occasion of the Coronation of the Queen it is proposed that the Maries on Canada shall unite with their namesakes throughout the British Empire in offering a gift to Her Majesty. The Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire have been asked to collect for the gift in Ontario. Contributions will be received from five cents to five dollars, and may be given only by those who bear the name of Mary, May, Maria, Marian or Marie. A list of contributors will be forwarded but not the amount given by each. The choice of the gift will be left entirely to the Queen. It is hoped that the Maries of Canada will appreciate the opportunity of showing their affectionate loyalty to Queen Mary.

The list must be closed by April 20th. As the time is short it would greatly help the committee if all who are interested will send in contributions, with names in full, as early as possible to Miss Plummer, Sylvan Tower, Toronto.

Lost.

On Sunday morning, between the Sacred Heart church and the Royal hotel, Mildmay, a gold metal watch with fob attached. Finder will kindly leave same at this office.

Plate Glass Front.

John N. Scheffer, the Star Grocery man, is going to put a new plate glass front in his store this summer, and was in the city last week getting some new ideas, in this line. We understand that John Hunstein also intends putting in plate glass in his store this summer.

Home-seeker's Excursions.

The Canadian Pacific Railway will run home-seeker's excursions to the Canadian west on April 4th, and 18th, and are making special preparations for the accommodation of their passengers. The C.P.R. is the most direct route. J. A. Johnston is the agent at Mildmay.

An Urgent Appeal.

An appeal is being made throughout the Dominion for the China Famine Fund, so it is thought by some of our townspeople that an opportunity ought to be given to all to share in the relief by contributing to this fund. Thousands are dying daily and the need is great; every dollar counts. The Globe says:—Things are still so bad in the famine area of China that the committee of the Relief Fund which is doing much good work in Ontario decided at its meeting in the City Hall yesterday to make a special appeal for contributions. The Lieutenant-Governor, who is Honorary Chairman of the committee, attended, Mr. W. A. Charlton being in the chair. The meeting decided to send a deputation to Sir Wilfrid Laurier asking if the Dominion Government will make a grant to the fund, and it was also resolved to approach the Mayor of Toronto to ascertain his views as to a city grant. The Merchants Bank have kindly consented to handle this fund and forward it to the proper authorities. Contributions will be acknowledged in the Gazette.

FORMOSA.

Joseph Ernewein of Provost, Alberta, returned to that place on Tuesday after spending a few weeks in this locality. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ernewein of this place, accompanied him to the west, and will reside there in future.

Chris Weiler last week finished hauling sawlogs from Michael Fischer's swamp.

Messrs. Anthony Schnurr and F. X. Beingsnesser have been appointed Pathmasters on the Culross side of this village and Jacob Huck and Ambrose Fedy were appointed by the Carrick Council.

Michael Graf has sold his Clydesdale stallion, Sir Torrance, to a man near Toronto, and has purchased another Clydesdale horse, which will arrive here in a week or two.

John Fahrer held a great wood bee on Saturday. An enormous amount of work was done.

Mike Goetz of Teeswater visited friends in Formosa, and his mother on the town-line, on Sunday.

Michael Graf accomplished a feat in horsemanship this week that has seldom been equalled. He met a traveller at the afternoon mail train, at Mildmay drove him to Normosa where he transacted business with one of our merchants, and had him back to Mildmay in time to catch the 3.11 train going south the same afternoon. There is just 90 minutes between the two trains, and the roads were anything but good, so Mike's accomplishment was nothing short of remarkable.

CARLSRUHE.

A great many of our farmers are at present occupied cooking maple syrup.

Henry Gross was in town last week. Henry is enjoying the best of health.

Mr. and Mrs. John Montag visited friends and relatives in St. Clements last week.

Herbert Pletsch journeyed to the west last week.

Mrs. John Meyer of Toronto is at present visiting her sister here.

John Kreugner of Walkerton visited his sister, Mrs. John Kaufman, who is very seriously ill.

David Freiberger spent Sunday with his brother John.

BORN.

Downs—In Carrick, on Tuesday, March 21, to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Downs, a daughter.

MICHEL—In Buffalo on March 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Michel, (nee Lillie Miller), a son.

MONTAG—In Karlsruhe, on March 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Montag, a son.

KUTZ—In Carrick on March 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kutz, a son.

CARRICK COUNCIL.

Town Hall, Mildmay, March 20, 1911. Carrick Council met this day pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

FINANCE REPORT.

The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee and recommended to be paid:

Municipal World, assessment roll paper and Guide	2 38
Mildmay Gazette, 1100 assessment Schedules and 100 auditors' statements	17 00
Robt. McNamara, furnishing new curtains for hall	12 80
J. F. Schuett, background for hall	8 00
8 window shades for hall	8 00
D. W. Clubine, work on hall, 3 four inch bolts	3 15
H. W. Pletsch, installing electric lights in hall	24 00
J. A. Johnston, Express 46c, postage, 90c stationery to date	2 10
Fred Scheife, repairs to town hall and lumber	5 10
Fred Biehl, part salary caretaker	4 00
M. Filsinger, 1 Council meeting 1 day R & B	5 00
Con. Schmidt, 1 council meeting	2 50
Jacob Miller " " "	2 50
Hy. Schnurr " " "	2 50
Chris. Waack " " "	2 50

Schmidt—Schnurr—That the Finance Report be adopted.—Carried.

John M. Fischer applied to Council for a grant to the Mildmay Spring Show.

Miller—Filsinger—That this Council grant the sum of \$25.00 to the Mildmay Spring Show.—Carried.

Schmidt—Schnurr—That Wm. Kleist be engaged to run the road grader for current year, at same rates as in 1910.—Carried.

Schnurr—Miller—That three Road Commissioners be appointed in the Village of Mildmay.

Moved in amendment by Schmidt and Waack—That one Road Commissioner be appointed in Mildmay.

The amendment was carried. Waack—Schmidt—That Leopold Kramer be appointed sheep valuator in the Township of Carrick for the current year.—Carried.

Miller—Schnurr—That Messrs. Filsinger, Schmidt and Miller be a committee to receive tenders for making concrete tile, up to April 15th, next.—Carried.

Waack—Schmidt—That D. W. Clubine be appointed Road Commissioner in the Village of Mildmay for the current year.—Carried.

By-laws Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 were read a first time.

Miller—Schnurr—That By-laws Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 be now read a second and third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Waack—Schmidt—That this Council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, the 22nd day of May, next, as a Court of Revision, and for the transacting of general business.—Carried.

The pathmasters appointed for 1911 are as follows:—

George Kieffer, Jos. Hauck, Frank Cronin, Andrew M. Schnurr, Matthew Weiler, Jacob Huck, Ambrose Fedy, Jacob P. Benninger, William Lowry, James Darling, Jos. Seifried, Ignatz Weber, Gregor Strauss, John Bohnert, Jos. Albrecht, Andrew Schnurr, Wm. Scheffer, And. Schmidt, John Schmidt, Jacob Becker, Jos. Dietrich sr., George Siegner, Louis Waechter, John Lints, Geo. McCulloch, Philip Stroh, John Peterman, John Duffy, Alex St. Marie, John Brewster, W. E. Lucas, Henry Busby, John Beitz jr., Herman Remus, Albert Rehkopf, David Braun, Simon Huber, Philip Schumacher, Jos. Filsinger, William Taylor, Peter F. Diemert, Charles Klein, John Reinhart sr., Geo. Vollick, Louis Dahms, Simon Goetz, Rudolph Kaufmann, Conrad E. Baetz, Geo. Haines, Arthur Lewis, John Arnold, Charles Koenig, Matthew Benninger, Andrew Stroeder, Christian Kunkel, Peter Reuber, Peter Kaufmann, John Juergens, Henry Boettger, John Wilton, Samuel Schmidt, Henry Steinhagen, John Lerch, Conrad Becker, Xavier Oberle, Henry Kleist, Jos. Lambertus, David Gress, James Hutton, John A. Hundt, John Rossell, Jos. P. Hundt, Peter Hesch, Joseph Stiegler.

The following poundkeepers were appointed for 1911. Anthony Opperman, Thomas Kelly, George Kuenemann, Hy. Halter, Peter Hackney, Geo. Eckenswiler, Chas. J. Dickison and John Diebel.

The following fenceviewers were appointed for 1911. Anthony Schneider, Chas. Titmus, Louis Braun, Jos. Hoffarth, Peter Kreitz, James Darling, Wm. Poffuss, Edmund Teskey.

John Robbins, an elderly farmer living on the eighth concession of Moore township, was so badly gored up by an infuriated bull last Thursday afternoon that he died shortly afterwards.

Hints for Busy Housekeepers.

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

FAVORITE RECIPES.

Cheese En Surprise.—The following recipe will be found most appetizing when served at one's dinner in place of the usual Rochefort, Neuchatel, or Camembert, and will prove extremely tasty for the little midnight lunches. A little time and patience are required in preparing it, and to some it may seem a trifle expensive, but you can prepare enough to serve six people at a cost of about 40 cents. Mix thoroughly together in a bowl one 10 cent cake of fresh cream cheese with one-quarter of a pound of Rochefort. Add a pinch of salt, a little pepper, a dash of paprika, a scant tablespoonful of Worcestershire sauce, a lump of butter, and a tablespoonful of thick rich cream. Use one green and one red pepper (see that these are firm and fresh) and take half of the green pepper and about two-thirds of the red, and with a 10 cent bottle of olives (stuffed ones are also nice for this purpose), mince all finely together, and stir this mixture into the cheese, seeing that it is evenly scattered throughout the cheese. Shape the whole and form in mound shape upon an attractive cheese dish; then take the remaining half of the green pepper and cut in uniform strips, and garnish four sides of cheese. Take rest of red pepper, cut in star shape and place on top. When finished put immediately in the ice box and leave there until served. To those who are fond of cheese this will be a treat.

Escalloped Chicken.—Boil large, tender chicken until done, remove skin and gristle, and chop meat. Butter a large dish, put a layer of pounded crackers in the bottom, add bits of butter, and moisten with cream. On this put a layer of chicken, season with white pepper, salt, grated onion peel and nutmeg, bits of butter, and a few chopped oysters. Put over this more of the cracker, butter and cream, and then a layer of chicken. Cover top with the crackers and butter. Bake in hot oven over half hour.

FISH.

Boiled Trout.—Take a good sized trout, clean and lay in salt water for half hour; take out and boil in clear water in a cloth for one hour; turn out on platter while fish is boiling. Make the sauce as follows: Fry one small onion in butter until light brown; strain one can tomatoes and put in a stew pan; add the onion and pepper and salt and some chopped parsley; let it boil and thicken; pour over fish after removing from cloth, and serve.

Creamed Fish.—Cut in pieces two and one-half or three pounds fresh fish and four medium sized onions. Add large handful salt and five bay leaves. Cover with boiling water and boil fish five to ten minutes. When fish is done, drain off water and lift fish out with a fork. Then put the following sauce in dish and boil: Two and one-half cups milk, one heaping tablespoonful flour, one heaping teaspoonful sugar, one teaspoonful salt, one-half teaspoonful pepper, one-quarter teaspoonful allspice, tip of knife cloves, and large piece of butter size of an egg. Last add two tablespoonfuls vinegar. Let this boil and put fish in and let boil a few minutes longer.

CAKES.

White Cake.—Cream three cups of sugar with one cup of butter, add one cup of cornstarch, one cup milk, whites of twelve eggs, and three cups of flour, with three teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Flavor with vanilla and bake in four layers. Filling: Boil until thick the yolks of five eggs and one and a half cups of sugar and a half cup of milk; take from fire and add one cup each of chopped nut meats and raisins. When cool spread between layers.

Walnut Cake.—Two eggs beaten well, one cup of white sugar, two-thirds cup sour cream, one teaspoon of baking powder (heaping) sifted with one and one-half cups of flour, a pinch of salt. Bake in five layers. Filling: Two-thirds cup walnut meats, rolled, one-half cup white sugar, two-thirds cup sweet cream; mix and spread between the layers.

Poor Man's Cake.—Poor Man's Angel Food.—One cup of sugar, one and one-quarter cups of flour, half a teaspoonful of salt, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Sift together three times. Then add one cup of scalding milk and whites of two eggs, beaten stiff.

LITTLE HINTS.

Roller Towels.—Hang two towels on the roller, one inside of the other. The outside one to serve as a cover should be a trifle longer than the inside one to wipe on. In this way one can always have a nice, clean towel hanging in the kitchen.

Peach Butter.—To make peach butter out of dried peaches: Stew the peaches until perfectly tender and mash with a potato masher; add two cups of sugar to one pound of peaches and stew until of the desired consistency. Add cinnamon if desired. This makes a good rich butter, is inexpensive, and easily made.

Boiled Dinner.—To save time when making a boiled dinner slice the corned beef and put it into a large kettle, let simmer for an hour, then add small turnips, carrots, and potatoes. Cut cabbage into quarters and place on top. Let all simmer until done. Boil the beets separately in their skins; this keeps them from bleeding. When done peel and add them to other vegetables for a few minutes. The result will be a nicely flavored dinner.

Raisin Hint.—When seeding raisins rub a little butter on the knife and fingers. This prevents sticking and enables one to get along much more rapidly.

Quick Rising Yeast.—Boil six medium size potatoes in enough water to have two quarts when done. Have ready three tablespoonfuls of salt, one tablespoonful of flour made smooth with a little cold water, and when potatoes have boiled long enough to mash fine pour over the above while hot. When cold add one yeast cake that has been previously soaked and let all stand about twelve hours. One quart of this makes four loaves.

NUTS.

Nut Cookies.—Beat four eggs light, add one and one-half cups of sugar, about two cups of flour sifted with half a teaspoon each of salt and baking powder, and one and one-half cups chopped nut meats. Drop by teaspoonfuls on greased floured pans, place half nut on each and bake slowly.

Nut Bread.—Two cups of graham flour, one and one-half cups of white flour, two cups of sweet milk, one cup of sugar, one rounding teaspoon baking powder, one teaspoon of salt, one-half cup of pecan nut meats broken. Bake one hour in moderate oven.

WORTH KNOWING.

A mirror should never be hung where the sun shines directly upon it. The mercury spread on the glass to form a looking-glass is soon ruined by exposure to rays of the sun.

A good way to wash bottles or vinegar cruets is to put crushed egg shells and warm soapy water together in them and shake well. This will clean the glass well and will not scratch it.

Don't make the mistake of using cream cheese just so for sandwiches. Add to it a minced red pepper or onion juice or nuts or lemon juice or some seasoning which will add to its deliciousness.

If potatoes are overboiled, the best thing to do is to drain, leave them in the pan, stand it over the fire without the lid and stir briskly for a minute or two. Then add a little butter and serve as smashed potatoes.

Boiled potatoes are an excellent substitute for soap when the hands have become soiled by contact with blackened pots and pans. Potato water should, besides, be kept for removing silk.

To kill lice on any feathery plant, such as small ivy and the like, make a paper cone to cover the plant and burn a small quantity of sulphur under the cone. A pinch of sulphur will usually kill all lice.

Suet melted down in the oven and put into jars will keep for any length of time and is much easier to chop up if treated in this way. Puddings will keep better if made with suet that has been melted in the oven.

To remove grease from kitchen utensils rub them well with the rind of lemons (after the juice has been used) dipped in hot water. Brass is cleaned by rubbing it with the skins of lemons and salt. This will brighten it and remove all discolorations.

Do not throw away cream that has turned slightly sour, but add a teaspoonful of sugar, whip and serve with stewed fruit, etc. It will be found equal to sweet cream for this purpose, as even the freshest cream turns when brought in contact with cooked fruits.

A tiny pinch of sugar, as well as women to the water in which they boil vegetables, such as beets, turnips, carrots, corn, beans and peas. The flavor of the vegetable is thus better preserved, as much of the sugar it originally contained is lost in the cooking.

A few drops of ammonia in water will take the grease off of dishpans; in a little put into warm water for washing paint will make it look like new.

WILL BE 2,000,000 VISITORS

THE CROWNING OF GEORGE V. AND HIS QUEEN.

Festivities on a Scale Never Before Attempted at a Coronation.

Since the beginning of winter the chief functionaries of the British court have been busily absorbed with preparations for the coronation of George V., which will surpass in pagentry and in historical interest all former coronations of the character. While the ceremony of crowning the King and Queen in Westminster Abbey on June 22 will be almost identical in form with that of which has been followed in the investiture of British sovereigns since William IV. and Queen Adelaide, the auxiliary functions are expected to exceed in pagentry and magnificence anything that the nation has witnessed in the past, writes a London correspondent.

These will include the progress of the court through London on the day after the coronation, and a visit to the Guild Hall, with a reception of the King and Queen by the city authorities, a great naval review, a gala performance at the opera with minor celebrations and pageants, among which will be a "festival of empire" at the Crystal Palace.

Business men and transportation companies count on an influx of something approaching 2,000,000 visitors to London during the coronation season. A considerable proportion of these will be foreigners, Americans and colonials probably predominating. Hotels are receiving many orders for accommodations, but expect to be able to cope with the invasion. The best places are being reserved for the regular patrons, and managers say that prices for the coronation week will not be more than double the regular rates for the best hotels. Boarding housekeepers are likely to be less reasonable in charges to visitors who have not made arrangements for accommodations in advance.

ERECTING STANDS.

There is every indication that the erection of the stands for witnessing the procession to the abbey, and the progress through London will be on a scale more extensive than for the coronation of King Edward in 1902. Owners and tenants are asking the highest prices ever quoted for building sites and windows. Rates to the ordinary applicants for seats, which usually are held at the highest possible mark until a few days before the event, are apt to go down with a rush on the eve of the coronation when speculators find they have frightened away the public.

Dr. Davidson, the present Archbishop of Canterbury, will officiate in the abbey, in succession to the aged Archbishop Temple, who crowned King Edward. The recently appointed dean of Westminster, Dr. Ryle, who is at present bishop of Winchester, will assist the archbishop in placing the imperial mantle and pall of cloth of gold on the King's shoulders. This mantle is being embroidered at the Royal School of Art Needlework.

From the end of this month to the coronation, Westminster Abbey will be closed to visitors, while workmen are engaged preparing the building for the ceremony. Galleries for the peers will be erected in the north transept, and for peers in the south, and an especial accommodation for other official classes, the seating capacity of the abbey being about 30,000. Special chairs upholstered in silk with the royal arms, will be provided, as at the last coronation, and those who occupy them may purchase them at cost prices for souvenirs.

CARPET FOR THE NAVE.

A splendid pale carpet of striking design to cover the entire nave is being woven. Royal blue will be the foundation color. The ornamentation will include emblems, Order of the Garter and other heraldic devices with the pattern on a scale that will match only once in each 20 feet. Several of the highest officials, including Court of Claims, have been sitting in solemn conclave wearing their uniforms, robes of office and orders to pass upon the rights of various noblemen and others to perform certain parts in the ceremony. These claims are mostly archaic in their origin.

The dean and chapter of Westminster have the right to retain the robes and ornaments, the Earl of Shrewsbury to carry a white wand as lord high steward of Ireland, the Duke of Newcastle to provide a glove and support the King's right arm, while holding the sceptre by virtue of the tenor of the manor of workshop, barons of the Cinque ports to bear canopies.

Various other hereditary rights were confirmed by the court, to many of which appertain fees, such as five yards of scarlet cloth to the clerk of the crown and forty ells of crimson velvet to Earl Carrington, the lord great chamberlain, whose fees for occasional appear-

ances at high ceremonials of state amount to some \$100,000 a year.

Three claimants appeared for the right to carry the great spurs—the Earl of Loudoun, Lord Grey de Ruthyn and Lord Hastings. Sir Martine Lloyd makes claim to carry the King's silver harp, as Lord Marcher of the barony of Kemes, a position held by his ancestors through a thousand years, and James Thorne Roe de Morley wishes "to bear the royal standard of England and receive fees."

The former claims are under consideration and the last was vetoed. The request of the Earl of Erroll to walk in the procession as Lord High Constable of Scotland and have a silver baton of twelve ounce weight with the king's arms in gold on one end and his own on the other, was graciously allowed.

"But who is to provide the baton?" the earl asked anxiously.

"Oh, the court can say nothing about that," replied the lord chancellor.

FAST FRENCH EXPRESSES.

One Train Runs 104.37 Miles in 107 Minutes.

We are apt to regard the railways of Europe with contempt, and to condemn them as slow and unprogressive. As a matter of fact, the French have for several years held the leading position in respect of speed of their fastest expresses. The schedules of this year's summer service show a further acceleration. Thus, the Northern Railway has put on a new day express from Berlin to Paris, which covers the distance from Paris to St. Quentin (96 1-4 miles) in 93 minutes, a speed of 62.1 miles an hour; and the 53 3-4 miles to the Belgian frontier is covered in 51 minutes at a speed of 58 1-2 miles an hour. The Eastern Railway Company has scheduled an afternoon express from Paris to Bale, which runs the first 104.37 miles in 107 minutes—a speed of 58.5 miles an hour.

FRENCHMAN AND HIS TUTOR.

Frenchman—"Ha, my good friend, I have met with one difficulty—one very strange word. How do you call h-o-u-g-h?"

Tutor—"Huff."

Fr.—"Tres bien—huff; and snuff you spell s-n-o-u-g-h—ha!"

Tutor—"Oh, no; snuff is s-n-u-double-f. The fact is, words ending in 'ough' are a little irregular."

Fr.—"Ah, ver' good. 'Tis beautiful language. H-o-u-g-h is huff, I will remember; and c-o-u-g-h, cuff. I have one bad cuff—ha!"

Tutor—"No, that is wrong; we say kauff, not cuff."

Fr.—"Kauf—eh bien. Huff and kauf; and how do you call d-o-u-g-h—duff, ha!"

Tutor—"No, not duff."

Fr.—"Not duff? Ah! oui, I understand; is dauff, hey!"

Tutor—"No; d-o-u-g-h spells doe."

Fr.—"Doe! It is ver' fine; wonderful language; it is doe; and t-o-u-g-h is toe, certainly. My beefsteak was ver' toe."

Tutor—"Oh, no, no! You should say tuff."

Fr.—"Tuft! and the thing the farmer uses, how you call him—p-l-o-u-g-h, pluff? Ha! you smile. I see I am wrong. It is plauf. No! Ah, then it is ploe, like doe; it is beautiful language, ver' fine—ploe."

Tutor—"You are still wrong, my friend; it is plow."

Fr.—"Plow! Wonderful language; but I think I have had what you call e-n-o-u-g-h for this time; so good morning."

BRITAIN'S TAXES.

Lloyd-George's Budget Results in Over \$111,000,000 Surplus.

The burden of taxation is this year reaching a height never before experienced in Great Britain.

This is the situation revealed by the remarkable figures showing the state of the national exchequer published in the London Gazette. They show that up to February 11 the revenue collected amounted to \$827,923,540, a net increase of \$111,646,530 over that of last year.

The position at the moment is that Lloyd-George has received every penny of the increased revenue he expected, and in addition \$70,000,000 that he did not expect, and there is every indication that several million pounds will be added before the accounts are closed.

UP-TO-DATE.

"There is a thoroughly up-to-date love story."

"How's that?"

"They get married and live unhappy ever after."

Teacher—Tommy, how many is the half of eight? Tommy—On top or sideways? Teacher—What do you mean by on top or sideways? Tommy—Why, half from the top of 8 is 0 and half of it sideways is 3.

"Dear, oh, dear," sighed Mr. Sallowday. "I wish I knew some good way to acquire an appetite."

"Nonsense!" exclaimed his wife. "What do you want with an appetite? It would only give you more dyspepsia."

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDY NEWS FROM SUNSET COAST

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, MARCH 26.

Lesson XIII.—Review Golden Text, Psa. 144. 15.

One Truth These Lessons Teach. Final power belongs to the great King.

Therefore, the Aim is, To lead the pupils to worship and serve the King to whom worship is due.

Clue to Pupils' Interest. How one earthly king recognized the power and authority of God the greatest King.

Introduction. Many of you have read of King Canute on the seashore, and you need not to be reminded of the story to see in your mind the king sitting in his royal chair by the side of the sea with his scepter in his hand and his crown on his head. One hand is stretched out over the sea and he is saying to the rolling waves: "Sea, I command you to come no farther! Waves, stop your rolling and do not dare to touch my feet!" But the tide is coming in just as it has always done. In a few minutes King Canute is throwing his crown down upon the sand. He is saying, "There is only one King who is all-powerful, and it is he who rules the sea and holds the ocean in the hollow of his hand." He is doing this to teach his subjects who are gathered around that he is only an earthly king, and that real power and glory belong to the heavenly King, for, turning to them, he says: "Do you, my men, learn a lesson from what you have seen. It is He whom you ought to praise and serve above all others."

Lesson Story. We have been learning during the past three months about the earthly kings who ruled over the divided kingdoms of Israel and Judah. Over and above all there ruled the God of hosts, turning battles whichever way he chose, granting peace and plenty to the kings who followed him in purity and truth, overthrowing the worship of idols, teaching strange and wonderful lessons through his mighty works, permitting his prophets to perform miracles in his name, and taking his faithful servant into heaven in a chariot of fire on a whirlwind. We have come to understand more of God's dealings with men through the history of such kings as Jeroboam, Rehoboam, Aza, Omri, Jehosaphat, and Ahab, and through the teachings of their prophets Elijah and Elisha.

If we can remember the lessons for to-day learned from the lessons of long ago and have planted the truth they hold in our hearts, we shall not have spent these months in vain.

Let the teacher test the class by giving the aim of the different lessons and encouraging the pupils to tell in their own language the story that accompanies. For example, the teacher may say: "In one of our lessons we learned that the true worship of our hearts is what God would have from us to-day. Can anyone tell in his own words the lesson through which we learned this truth?" The response should be, "Elijah's Victory over the Prophets of Baal." But if there should not be an immediate response, the pupils may be led to remember the lesson if the teacher quotes the Golden Text. "Choose you this day whom ye will serve." The teacher might begin: "It was at Mount Carmel, and there was gathered a company of priests of Baal on the one side, and a single, lonely, white-haired prophet on the other side. There were two altars ready for the sacrifice." When she has gone thus far, some pupil will surely be ready to go with the story.

Write out the Aims in each lesson either on the blackboard or on tablets if the lesson is taught in individual classes and have the pupils read all the Aims.

If there is time, it might prove helpful to have the pupils restate as many of the Aims as they can in their own words.

Teach in closing the text for this lesson, impressing it as much as possible as a vital lesson for to-day.

Sing during the review Luther's hymn, "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God."

THE FIRST GERMAN RAILWAY.

Seventy-five years ago the first railway was introduced into Germany. The experiment was naturally on a modest scale from Ludwigshann joining up Nuremberg to Furth. The six kilometers of seventy-five years ago have increased to-day to 60,000 kilometers, a kilometer being five-eighths of a mile; and it is claimed that Germany to-day possesses the finest railway system in Europe. The first locomotive used on the Nuremberg-Furth line was named the Adler, and was made under the superintendence of Stephenson in England. It cost \$4,300.

Homoeopathic doses of hospitality seldom do much good.

A soft answer seldom turns away the book agent.

WHAT THE WESTERN PEOPLE ARE DOING.

Progress of the Great West Told in a Few Pointed Items.

Vancouver is to have more policemen.

The fur crop is light in the west this season.

Fish covered with dyes are being sold in Vancouver.

Gold dredges will be used next summer on the Tulameen river.

In Merritt, B.C., hay is \$27 a ton, and onions five cents a pound.

An oil company has been organized at Revelstoke with a capital of \$250,000.

The B.C. Telephone Company is operating 20,000 telephones in that province.

Next month a third ferry boat will ply between Vancouver and North Vancouver.

Fifty miles from the Kootenay Central Railway south of Golden, B.C., will be built this year.

Thomas William Cross, a veteran of the Crimean War, died at Duck Lake, Sask., recently.

The Mollie Hughes Mine near New Denver shipped 30 tons of ore to Trail, B.C., the other day.

The Doukhobors have 50,000 fruit trees planted on their lands along the Columbia river near Trail.

Prince Rupert has dispensed with its city solicitor and pays for its legal advice upon the European plan.

Work has commenced on what will be the largest and finest moving picture theatre in Winnipeg.

Over 800 pupils were enrolled in Medicine Hat schools last month. There are twenty-five teachers.

The people of Vancouver are planning great additions to many of their already enormous school buildings.

A fine specimen of beaver was seen the other day in the Assiniboine river within the city limits of Winnipeg.

St. Boniface College, Winnipeg, has lined up in favor of a provincial university with degree conferring powers.

Penticton, B.C., estimates that it will receive a revenue of \$8,250 a year from its electric light and power plant. The cost of maintaining the plant will be \$5,000 a year.

Old timers around Wapella, Saskatchewan, agree that this is the most difficult winter for grain hauling that they have experienced since coming into the country.

C. W. Brooks, of the Wisconsin Bridge and Iron Co., Milwaukee and Chicago, was recently in Lethbridge placing machinery contracts with the different coal companies.

Cutting has stopped in the logging camps north of Prince Albert and the men are all busy hauling. This promises to be a good year for a large cut.

Ah Yen died in Chilliwack, B.C., from asthma. His mourners buried him with Chinese honors, covering his grave with rice and roast chicken and sam suey.

CRUSHED HIM.

"How will you want your hair cut, sir?" said the talkative hairdresser to the man in the chair.

"Minus conversational prolixity," replied the patient.

"How's that, sir?"

"With abbreviated or totally eliminated narrations."

"I—er—don't quite catch you meaning, sir."

"With quiescent mandibulars."

"Which?"

"Without effervescent verbosity."

"Sir?"

"Let diminutive colloquy be conspicuous by its absence."

The hairdresser scratched his head thoughtfully for a second and then went over to the proprietor of the shop with the whispered remark:—

"I don't know whether the gentleman in my chair is mad or is a foreigner, but I can't find out what he wants."

The proprietor went to the waiting customer and said, politely:—

"My man doesn't seem to understand you, sir. How would you like your hair cut?"

"In silence."

The proprietor gave a withering look at his journeyman, while the latter began work and felt so utterly crushed that he never even asked his patient if he'd buy a bottle of hair restorer.

FOREIGN PORK CONDEMNED.

During the past fortnight no fewer than 177 frozen pigs imported into England were condemned by officials of the Bermondsey Borough Council on the ground that they were unfit for human consumption.

The meanest man in a community usually attracts more attention than the best one.

Mrs. Gibson—"I'm so tired. I was at Mrs. Heighton's party last night." Mrs. Gray—"I didn't go; but I did not get an invitation. Were there many there?" "Oh, no! It was very select."

A SEVERE CASE OF NEURALGIA

Cured After Long Years of Suffering by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

There is an excellent reason why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the most severe cases of neuralgia, sciatica, and other complaints in the group that are known as disorders of the nerves. This group also includes St. Vitus dance and paralysis, and the common state of extreme nervousness and excitability. Each of these complaints exist because there is something the matter with the nervous system. If the nerves have tone—are strong and healthy, you will not have any of these complaints. The reason Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure nervous disorders is that they restore weak, run-down nerves to their proper state of tone. They act both directly upon the nerves and on the blood supply. The highest medical authorities have noted that nervous troubles generally attack people who are bloodless and that the nerves are toned when the blood supply is renewed. It is thus seen that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure nervous disorders by curing the cause of the trouble.

Mrs. J. C. Adams, Norris Lake, Minn., says: "I am writing you at my husband's request to let you know the great benefit Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been to him. He is a river driver and therefore much exposed to all kinds of weather and wetting. As a result he had an attack of rheumatism, and then to add to his misery a severe tyre of neuralgia set in, locating on the left side of the face, and causing him such terrible pain that it would drive him almost wild. He was treated by several doctors, and finally went to Winnipeg, where they blistered his head and applied hot plasters which really only added more to his misery, and he returned home still uncured. In this way he suffered for nearly six years, trying all sorts of medicine, but never finding a cure. One day while he was suffering I went to a store to get a liniment, but they did not have the kind I wanted, and the storekeeper asked me what I wanted it for. I told him about my husband and how he suffered, and he placed a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on the counter saying, 'Take my advice, this is what your husband should take.' I took the Pills home with me and my husband started taking them. I am not sure how many boxes he took, but one thing is certain, they completely cured him, and he has never since had a touch of those torturing pains. You can tell how much he suffered when I say that the hair on the side of his head in which the pain was located turned quite gray. It looks odd, but he says it does not matter since the pain is gone. I believe he would not have been living now had Dr. Williams' Pink Pills not cured those terrible pains, and you may be sure we gratefully recommend them to all our friends and all suffering ones." Sold by all dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

SAVED FROM WORKHOUSE.

Story of Robert Blatchford, the English Socialist.

Robert Blatchford, best known as editor of the Clarion and author of "Merrie England," has put into his stories many of his own adventures in London, where, as a mere boy, he walked the streets, hunting for work to save himself from actual starvation. The following story, quoted in A. Neil Lyons' life of Blatchford, has served "interests" chief of which, perhaps, is its testimony to the enduring quality of the mother passion. The boy, tired out and despairing, had finally gone to the police office for a ticket to the Clerkenwell Workhouse. Waiting outside with other vagrants, he sat down on the pavement by a miserable woman.

She was a swarthy woman, her skin tanned by long exposure to the weather. She wore no bonnet, and was smoking a short black pipe. I watched her for some time, and thought what a bold, hard-winded face she had, and at length, more from curiosity to hear her speak than for any desire for information, I ventured to ask her a question about the tickets.

She turned upon me with a scowl, which gradually melted away as she looked at me, and at last said, not unkindly:

"What do you want to know for, boy? You're not going to Clerkenwell, are you?"

I said I was. She sat smoking for a few minutes, then took her pipe from her lips and stroking her chin with her great brown hand, said, very much to my surprise:

"You mustn't; no, you mustn't. You're only a boy, and not used to any kind of wickedness, I can see."

Don't you go, boy; don't you go. "I have no other place to sleep," I said.

She shook her head. "Sleep in the streets; boy, sleep on the bridges; anywhere but there. It's the worst workhouse in all London. No, you mustn't go." "But you are going." "Oh, me," she said, and laughed. "It's good enough for me. But you are different. Ah, don't be stubborn. Take an old woman's advice. It's a cruel place. Don't go, don't go."

"I'm not a child," I said.

She laughed again, not pleasantly, and answered, "You know nothin', nothin'. I know all. Been through it all."

Then, very earnestly, she continued, leaning close to me, "Be advised, now. Be told. I know these places; and I've had sons of me own." Don't go, don't go. D'ye hear?"

I rose up wearily from the pavement.

"I will take your advice," I said. She nodded and put the pipe back in her mouth.

"Good," she said, "good boy. Now you're talkin'," and turned her attention another way.

TARTS.

Mince Tarts.—In the center of a four inch square of pie paste place a small mound of mince meat prepared as for pies. Gather up the four corners and pinch the edges close together. Place a lump of butter on top of each one and sprinkle well with cinnamon and sugar. Bake and serve with brandy sauce.

Bohemian Tarts.—Two quarts flour, two teaspoonfuls salt, one-half cup melted butter, one-quarter cup sugar, two eggs, and one pint lukewarm milk. Add one cup

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raised yeast and make a slight sponge. Set in warm place for two hours to rise. Then roll sponge to about one inch thickness and cut into three inch squares and place in greased pan. In the meantime boil one pound prunes till soft, remove stones and chop fine. Add one-half cup sugar and mix well. Add one tablespoonful of this on each tart. Dust with powdered sugar. Let rise for half an hour and bake for twenty minutes in hot oven.

Date Tarts.—One cup sliced dates, one cup of sugar, three eggs, one cup of walnut meats cut fine, one-half cup of flour, one-half teaspoon soda; mix as for a cake and bake. Before serving cold, dip one-half cup of milk over the cake. Serve with whipped cream. This will serve twelve persons.

"I know what's passing in your mind," suddenly said the maiden as the habitually silent caller stared at her. "I know, too, why you are calling here night after night, appropriating my time to yourself and keeping other nice young men away. You want me to marry you, don't you?" "I—I do!" gasped the young man. "I thought so. Very well, I will!"

AN INVALUABLE MEDICINE FOR ALL BABIES

Mrs. R. McEwen, Thornloe, Ont., writes: "I think Baby's Own Tablets an invaluable medicine for little ones. I used them for my own child when he was small and last summer when I had a baby visitor whose food did not agree with him, I sent for another box of the Tablets and they quickly helped him." It is testimonials such as this that have made Baby's Own Tablets popular—that have shown them to be an invaluable medicine for little ones. The Tablets always do good—they can never do harm. Once a mother has tried them for her little one she will have nothing else. For with the Tablets she feels safe. They are sold under the guarantee of a government analyst to contain no harmful drugs. Baby's Own Tablets may be had at medicine dealers or at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

DID NOT WANT DUCKS.

In a certain village a lady started a poultry farm with the uncertain foundation of a barn door hen and thirteen eggs.

Not having even the most elementary knowledge of poultry, she inquired of a friend how long eggs generally took to hatch. She received the reply:

"Three weeks for chickens and four for ducks."

The lady friend met her some time afterwards, and on being asked how the poultry farming was going on, she replied, with a lowered countenance:

"Oh, I've finished with it; at the end of three weeks there were no chickens, so I took the hen off as I didn't want ducks."

Forgive your enemies—if they are larger than you are.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

GREAT TRIALS ON TRANSCONTINENTAL

ALPHONSE JONELLE TELLS TALE WITH HUMAN INTEREST.

Hardships attending work brought on Kidney Disease which threatened his life.—Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him.

Chicoutimi Ville, Chicoutimi Co., Que., March 13 (Special)—The trials of those men who push the great railroads through the obstacles Nature thrusts in their way have been proclaimed in many a page of fiction. But no story ever told is of more absorbing interest or teaches a greater moral than the actual experiences of Alphonse Jonelle, foreman on the Transcontinental, and well known here.

"I contracted Kidney Disease working on the Transcontinental, where I am a foreman," Mr. Jonelle states. "My skin had a harsh, dry feeling, and it itched and burned at night. I was always tired. Then came the pangs of rheumatism, and I finally got so bad I could not attend to my work. For five years I suffered, and in the end Bright's Disease developed."

"Then I began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Six boxes cured me completely. Dodd's Kidney Pills also cured my wife, who was suffering from Kidney Disease." From all parts of Canada, and every day reports come of Kidney Disease cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. There is never a case reported where Dodd's Kidney Pills have failed. They never fail.

"Grandpa, make a noise like a frog," coaxed little Tommy. "What for, my son?" "Why, papa says, that when you croak we'll get a thousand dollars!"

Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup is an unparalleled remedy for colds, coughs, influenza and diseases of the throat and lungs. The fame of the medicine rests upon years of successful use in eradicating these affections, and in protecting mankind from the fatal ravages of consumption, and as a neglected cold leads to consumption, one cannot be too careful to fight it in its early stages. Bickle's Syrup is the weapon, use it.

A girl who isn't stylish may look swell when she has the mumps.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

"If you want to marry me you should see my father." "I've seen him several times, but I want to marry you just the same."

Thousands of Consumptives die every year. Consumption results from a neglected cold on the lungs. Hamlin's Wizard Oil will cure these colds. Just rub it into the chest and draw out the inflammation.

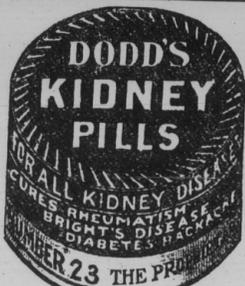
If a man's wife can read about politics without wishing she were a man he will never experience the pleasure of being henpecked.

Whether the corn be of old or new growth, it must yield to Holloway's Corn Cure, the simplest and best cure offered to the public.

Tourist—"This seems to be a very dangerous pass. I wonder there is not a warning board up." Guide—"Yes. There was one up for two years, but no one fell over, so it was taken down."

An Oil for All Men.—The sailor, the soldier, the fisherman, the lumberman, the out-door laborer and all who are exposed to injury and the elements will find in Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil a true and faithful friend. To ease pain, relieve colds, dress wounds, subdue lumbago and overcome rheumatism, it has no equal. Therefore, it should have a place in all home medicines and those taken on a journey.

Scott—"So Rawson has gone into the ministry. Last time I saw him he was in doubt whether to be that or a lawyer. I wonder what decided him?" Mott—"He probably recalled the saying that it is easier to preach than to practise."



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PISO'S

DOMESTIC SUPERSTITIONS.

Some Signs and Omens Noted in Kitchen.

If when washing dishes you forget an article, it is a sign you will hear of a wedding.

If you sing while making bread you will cry before it is eaten.

If your apron becomes untied, it is an indication that somebody is speaking of you.

To forget to put coffee in the coffee pot it is a sign of a coming gift.

To accidentally place the tea kettle on the stove with the spout toward the back is a sign of company.

If a coal of fire falls on the floor, it is a sign a stranger is coming to see you.

If, after sweeping a room, the broom is accidentally left in a corner, strangers will visit the house that day.

EMBALMING SECRET LOST.

The modern embalmers have not recovered the secret of the art as practiced by the old Egyptians, and probably never will. Some of the bodies, known to us as "mummies," buried three or four thousand years ago, are still in a state of perfect preservation. Back of the ancient art lay a religious creed. The ancient Egyptian believed that after many thousands of years the soul came back to find its body, and that if it was not found the soul wandered forever in misery and wretchedness. Hence it was absolutely necessary to preserve the body, and hence, finally, the embalmer's art.

WHY DO CHILDREN LIKE ZAM-BUK!

A Chat With Mothers.

"Whenever my children have any sore places, cuts, or skin troubles, they ask for Zam-Buk. They can always depend upon it doing what is needed."

So says Mrs. A. Alice, of 170 Chatham Street, Montreal.

A missionary, writing from the West Coast of Africa, says: "One boy who was treated for a bad case of ulcer, came back recently and said, 'I like best that green medicine.' The 'green medicine' was Zam-Buk."

Now, why should children, all the world over, show such a marked preference for Zam-Buk?

Children like Zam-Buk because, as soon as applied to a burn, a cut, or a sore, it stops the pain and then gradually, but surely, it heals.

Mothers might look a little more deeply into the action of Zam-Buk. First, it is highly antiseptic. As soon as applied it stops all danger of festering, blood-poisoning and inflammation. Second, it is soothing. It cools the wound or sore; allays the irritation; stops the pain and smarting. Then, thirdly, it stimulates the cells, beneath the injured part, to healthy action, and creates new, healthy tissue.

Just try Zam-Buk for cuts, or burns, or cold sores, or eczema, ulcers, rashes, bad leg, piles, varicose ulcers, or any inflamed or diseased condition of the skin. Its effect will highly satisfy you. All druggists and stores 50c. box, or free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Try Zam-Buk Soap, too, 25c. tablet.

Johnnie—"Pa, won't you please buy me a microscope to help me with my arithmetic." Papa—"What good will a microscope do you?" Johnnie—"I just read that they multiply rapidly."

Only one "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

He is a wise man who agrees with his wife rather than argue with her.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

He—"Have you ever noticed what small feet Miss Fetcham has?" She (jealous)—"No, but I've observed what small shoes she wears."

An Easy Pill to Take.—Some persons have repugnance to pills because of their nauseating taste. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are so prepared as to make them agreeable to the most fastidious. The most delicate can take them without feeling the revulsion that follows the taking of ordinary pills. This is one reason for the popularity of these celebrated pills, but the main reason is their high tonical quality as a medicine for the stomach.

"Why did Dollarby sell his hotel?" "He wasn't making money fast enough." "What is he doing now?" "He's luxuriating in the position of head waiter."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup Has been used for over SIXTY-FIVE YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE SUFFERING WITH PERTUSSIS, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLIC, SOOTHES THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAINS, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act, June 30th, 1906. Serial Number 1906.

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The Buyer and the Seller.

A true story is of a Southerner who went into the clothing store of one of his neighbors and asked him if he did not want to trade.

"Whatchergot?" said the storekeeper. The man ran his hand down into his coat pocket and pulled out an egg.

"This," said he.

"One aig!" said the storekeeper.

"And what do you want for that?"

"Wall," drawled the man, "you can gimme a couple of trousers buttons for it can't ye?"

"Ef that's all," said the storekeeper, "I reckon I kin."

The man received the trouser buttons, and, looking up at the storekeeper, he said, "Aren't you going to treat?"

(The custom South demands a treat whenever a swap of any kind is made.)

"Well," said the storekeeper, "What do you want?"

"Oh, I'm not perticular," said the man. "Gi' me a drink o' sherry."

So the storekeeper handed out a bottle of sherry and a glass.

"Help yourself."

The man thought a moment, and then said solemnly, "I nevah drink sherry without breakin an aig in it."

"Well, upon mah soul," thought the storekeeper. But he handed him the egg he had just received and said, "Here's yoh aig; you kin have it."

The man broke the egg into the glass of sherry, and in doing so discovered that the egg had two yolks. He drained the glass, smacked his lips, pronounced it a fine drink, and then said to the storekeeper, "You know you ought to gimme two more trouser buttons, don't you?"

"Why?" asked the storekeeper, perplexed.

"Because," said the man, "that aig o'mine had two yolks."

The Miller Act is working out well in its practical application. The keeper of a Montreal gaming house was recently found guilty of being the proprietor of a betting house and is liable to a fine of \$1000 or one year's imprisonment.

H.H. Miller, M.P. is to be commended for the effort he is putting forth to make it as hard as possible for men to do wrong.

Another Market For Our Produce.

Another market such as we are likely to have for our natural products will advantageously affect more people in Canada than would improved markets for any other line of production. In 1910 Canadian exports of agricultural products amounted to over \$90,000,000, and of animal produce \$54,000,000, a grand total of \$144,000,000, exported from Canada's farms last year. Next come the products of the forest, other natural products, the exports of which amounted to over \$47,000,000. Next the mines, the exports from which brought Canada over \$40,000,000 in cash. To this add \$15,500,000 for fish, which brings the total value for natural products exported from Canada last year to over \$246,000,000. All of these products are on the free list of the proposed trade agreement with the United States; the value of all will be increased by access to their markets.

Compared with the great value of our exports of natural products, the exports of manufactured goods sink into insignificance. In 1910 the value of exported manufactured goods from Canada was only \$31,491,918.

In the light of these statistics, is it not evident why we farmers are demanding access of our products to United States? What effect can a protective tariff have on the price of natural products produced on our farms, our forests and our mines when we have such a surplus for export! It must be evident to the dullest intellect that the price of our produce is set in foreign markets and the wider these markets are the better the price is bound to be. And what better market could we gain entrance to than that of the 90,000,000 people, our neighbors to the south?

There can be no question as to the value of the United States markets for Canadian farm produce. The strongest argument that can be advanced in support of our position on this question, is to give market quotations at United States and Canadian centres. Just now United States markets are dull and quotations are lower than usual. Nevertheless a comparison of Toronto and Buffalo markets last week show that when prime steers were selling at \$5.80 to \$6 in Toronto, they bringing \$6.40 to \$6.60 for the same quality in Buffalo. Hogs were \$6.75 in Toronto and \$7.30 to \$7.75 in Buffalo. The average price for cheese in Canada last season was 10¢ cents, in the United States it ruled three and even four cents higher. Farmers who were exporting cream across the line practically free of duty were realizing 10 to 12 cents more a hundred for milk than they would had it been manufactured in to cheese or butter in Canadian factories. One of our leading apple men tells us that free access to the United States markets will mean 50 cents more on every barrel of apples produced in Ontario. We all know from past experience what it will do for the barley.

The trade agreement as proposed does not injuriously affect our manufacturers; yet it opens to Canadian farmers one of the best markets of the world, and one, moreover, which is near at hand. Little wonder that our farmers hail with satisfaction the opening of the United States market to Canadian natural products.—Farm and Dairy.

Legal Questions.

L. J., Kinloss.—Qu.—A hires with B and the wages were to be so much a month. A finds the work unsuitable for him, and leaves B's employment and engages with another employer. Can B interfere and compel A to return and complete his contract?

Ans.—There is no law in this country to compel an ordinary laborer to return and complete his term of employment. An apprentice can be compelled to fulfil his articles of apprenticeship, and may be summoned to appear before the police magistrate for deserting his employment.

H. S., Brunner.—Qu.—My wife tells the neighbors that she intends to leave me, and also says she is going to leave me. For her threats what redress have I, and what is the best course for me to pursue?

Ans.—I don't see how you can control your wife's tongue. If she chooses to say foolish things, you will just have to bear with it as well as you can, and remonstrate with her in a kindly way for her folly. By maligning or disparaging her husband a wife usually degrades herself and family, and the same may be said of a husband who disparages his wife. The spouses have each a clear interest in maintaining the safety, reputation and welfare of each other, and it is their moral duty at all times to protect each other's life, security, reputation and honor.

No wonder J.W. Flavell, head of the Wm. Davies Pork Packing Factory, Toronto, is satisfied with the maintenance of present tariff conditions. The Davies Co. has averaged 50 per cent dividends during the last 13 years and in 1898 made 120 per cent. Flavell fears that under the proposed trade arrangement he will meet stronger competition to secure material for his packing plants and a reduction in the tariff on packed meats will affect the selling end of his business.

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Woman's Way.

It's always pleasant to hear a girl, when she comes home from a social whirl. She tells a tale of gowns she saw, of the hats of silk and the hats of straw; and Mrs. Jinks was a dream in white, and Mrs. Wax was a perfect fright. Would people listen if I should tell of the rags men wore at a party swell? Old Col. Wiggs, as you know, was there, and he made a botch when he dyed his hair. And old Bill Boggs was another guest; he had spilled some egg on his canvas vest, and his trousers bagged in a frightful way and he wore a hat that was much too gay. And Ezra Spink was among the crowd, with a cheap cravat that was far too loud, and his pantaloons were a total loss, and his whiskers looked like some Irish moss. Old Aaron Dingbat, the giddy flirt, was there wrapped up in a cheap blue shirt, with a plate glass gem on his manly breast, and three buttons missing from off his vest. The host, who stood in cheap cowhide boots, regaled his guests with some bum cheeroots, and searched our coats and our trouserloons, through a baseborn fear that we swiped his spoons.—Walt Mason in the Star.

Laporte vs Wehengel.

The end has come in the case of Laporte-Wehengel case for wrongful prosecution. As was stated in the Telescope several weeks ago, Laporte appealed from the decision of Judge Dixon who threw out his claim for damages against Wehengel. The case came up in the Divisional Court, Toronto on Thursday last before Justices Riddell, Sutherland and Middleton. Their summing up of the case was that owing to confusion of the answers of the jury given to the questions submitted to them by the Judge, a new trial would be ordered unless the parties were agreed that the Judges should be allowed to go over the evidence submitted at the trial and act as a board of arbitrators with all the powers of a jury on the case, and the parties be bound by their award. The counsel agreed to accept the offer of the court and on Friday the three Judges went over the evidence and the judgment was, "Upon a perusal of the evidence we are all of the opinion that there was reasonable and probable cause for the proceedings complained of. We therefore think the appeal and the action must be dismissed, both with costs."

Black Eye for Picture Men

After the first of June, if the bill now before the Legislature becomes law in its present form, no children under the age of fifteen years will be allowed to attend moving picture theatres unless accompanied by an adult. This clause, which will cause general consternation among the moving picture men of the Province is embodied in the measure introduced in the Legislature by Hon. A.J. Mathewson, Provincial Treasurer. The restriction is the one the theatre operators opposed most earnestly in their calls upon the Provincial Secretary when the matter was under consideration. They declared that to prevent children from attending the shows would put many places out of business, since their audiences were for the most part children.

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Were From Old Kentucky.

The battle was going against him. The commander-in-chief, himself ruler of the South American republic sent an aide to the rear, ordering General Blanco to bring up his regiment at once. Ten minutes passed but it didn't come. Twenty, thirty, an hour—still no regiment. The aide came tearing back hatless, breathless. "My regiment! My regiment! Where is it? Where is it?" shrieked the commander. "General," answered the excited aide, "Blanco started it all right, but there are a couple of drunken Americans down the road and they won't let it go by."

WALKERTON.

Mr. David Traill is the latest to purchase an automobile here, he having placed an order with Mr. John Korman for a handsome Ford touring car. The machine, which will cost in the neighborhood of \$1000, is of the latest 1911 model.

A Mildmay hotel-keeper was fined \$50.00 and costs in Walkerton last week for selling during prohibited hours. The charge was laid by License Inspector Cannon, and the accused on being summoned before the magistrate here pleaded guilty to the offence and was assessed as above.

While driving a commercial traveller to Chiepstow on Wednesday afternoon, Mr. John May in the blinding snow storm drove off the bridge west of Dunfield and the whole outfit was plunged into the water. The occupants of the buggy reached the bank in safety, but Mr. May's driver, a valuable black colt, was drowned.

Harry Hauck, the 8 year old son of Mrs. Harry Hauck was throwing sticks into the River from the Breakwater at Bradley's by the West End Bridge on Monday, when he overbalanced himself and fell into the river. Young Harry Brick was with him and when his head appeared, Brick with presence of mind grabbed him and pulled him out.

Oats sufficient to keep a cow fat for a year were stolen from the barn of Mrs. Peter Pletsch, a widow woman near the G. T. R. station, one night last week. The culprit who will feed his cow with oats stolen from a widow in this world will look more like a cow than a bird in the next as his chances are good for being decorated with horns rather than wings in the hereafter.

John Wright, a farmer from Huron township, was brought to the Walkerton Hospital the other day suffering from syphilis, a disease which is similar to ring-worm in cattle and which caused his neck to fester and swell from ear to ear. He caught the disease from his cattle, and the malady, it seems kept spreading under the treatment he was receiving, it looked awfully as though Wright would shortly be tuning the harp in heaven. But it is a great advertisement to the fertile valleys of Bruce that he preferred remaining here, and so he came to the Walkerton hospital in an endeavor to lengthen out his days upon earth. He succeeded to the extent that he is now able to return home, perfectly free from danger and almost sound in health.

Trouble at Cape Croker.

Two Owen Sound lawyers have been over at Warton settling some of the troubles of the Indians at the Cape Croker reservation. On a recent Indian celebration at the Cape W. Nadjewan, the band leader failed to put in an appearance. He was bawky, and the following Sabbath, Rev. Father Cadet, who is the director of the band, dismissed him from that office, and he was ordered to give up his cornet which he refused to do. He claimed that the band owed him sixty dollars for instructions, and he held on to the cornet. The Indian constable got out a search warrant but could not locate it. When high constable Ward of Warton went up with the same kind of document, the man in question, soon fished the cornet out of his mow of hay. He then determined on appealing to the courts and consulted W. Mason, upon the fine points of the law involved in the case. Mr. Mason advised him to apply for trial by jury, and the papers were sent to the Crown Attorney, who looked at them and sent them to the Police Magistrate at Warton with instructions to settle the matter there. This soon brought the dispute to a head. H.G. Tucker represented the band, and W. Mason the deposed bandmaster and the compromise was that instead of \$60 he was paid \$16, and it is said that his legal fees somewhat exceeded that amount.

An Unfortunate Example.

To a young man who stood smoking a cigar the other day there approached the elderly and impertinent reformer of immemorial legend.

"How many cigars do you smoke a day?" asked the meddler.

"Three," answered the youth, as patiently as he could.

"How much do you pay for them?"

"Ten cents," confessed the young man.

"Don't you know, sir," continued the sage, "that, if you would save that money, by the time you are old as I am you could own that big building over the way?"

"Do you own it?" enquired the smoker.

"No."

"Well, I do," said the young man.

A chorus girl in a harem skirt attracted considerable attention on the streets of Toronto recently. The men have worn the breeches so long that they take unkindly to the gentler sex in pantaloons in public.

Sometimes a man thinks that he can't live without a certain woman, only to find that after the ceremony that he can't live with her.

The Lure of the Sunset Trail.

First prize poem written by Edward W. McGregor, Airdrie, formerly accountant in the Merchants Bank, Mildmay. He was awarded first prize in the Calgary Albertan's prize story and poem competition for the following contribution:—

Winding away with sweep and bend,
Over the rolling plains of peace,
Blazing a path in its Westward trend,
To a mythical land where troubles cease,
Lies the road that beckons to strong and frail,
The luring path of the Sunset Trail.

It grips at the heart of young and old,
Holding them fast in its magic spell,
Daring each one to be brave and bold,
Tho' it lead by the gates of hell,
For the path lies lone by plain and vale,
The steadfast thread of the Sunset Trail.

The red man trod it on many a chase,
And it lured to the far beyond,
Till night cut short the headlong race,
And snow decked mountains hid the sun,
But gleaming far up in the twilight pale,
O'er mountain crest went the golden trail.

And its call is as clear to the pale face man
As it was in the long ago,
When the Indian proudly led the van
In search of the lordly buffalo.
But he has learned what it is to fail,
So he rides no more on the Sunset Trail.

But his pale face brother soon falls a prey,
With his spirit of wild unrest,
To the spell which quickens with every day
The spell of the awakening West.
So he pushes aside the sacred veil,
And he enters the land of the endless trail.

Plunging on to its innermost soul,
He drinks of the wine she gives,
And staggers on towards the unknown goal
Where the luring spirit lives;
Anxious to conquer and bravely assail
The mystic depths of the mystic trail.

So here's to the men both white and red,
Who have dared to assail the West,
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Thy mystic splendour can never fail
To draw man out to the setting sun,
For something is throbbing within his breast
Eager to answer the call of the West.

Two Sad Cases.

A young girl aged about seventeen years committed suicide in Toronto a few days ago because, as she stated in a brief note she left, she was in poor health herself, and was compelled to give up her position in a store, her father was dead and her mother was compelled to go out by the day and work to feed her and pay for her medicine. Whatever many religious people may say to the contrary, there are many others who firmly believe that the brave spirit of that little girl will find eternal rest. It was no doubt after a very hard struggle that the girl came to the decision she did, for the note would indicate that she came to her determination after due consideration believing that she was doing right. A short time ago a young man who was a consumptive and was pronounced incurable committed suicide but left a long statement giving his reasons for doing so. He said he was suffering from an incurable disease. He had seen the small fortune of his father spent on his behalf. He had witnessed his young mother grow old and grey haired in her devotion and care of him. His father was struggling to keep up his end, while he was the cause that made the lives of his parents a burden to them. He concluded that he would be doing only right in ending the struggle for all three.

Put the Ban On.

No man should be allowed to carry a revolver, dirk or other weapon in this fair land where peace reigns, law and order is observed to a large degree, and justice is meted out to the wrongdoer. Even with apparently careful handling of firearms there is frequently a sad toll of death, but in the hands of a youth, a half-drunken man, or one debilitated by an uncontrollable temper, not only the party has given the supposed offence but the public generally are endangered and often with little redress, if injured, owing to the too prevalent plea of temporary insanity. Put the ban on the use and consequent abuse of murderous weapons.

A Family of Coons.

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THE UNQUENCHABLE FIRE:

Or, The Tragedy of the Wild.

CHAPTER VI.—(Cont'd)

The moments slipped by. Presently she again sent the call hurtling through the trees. Again came the chorus; again she waited. And the sounds of the chorus were nearer at hand, and a crackling of undergrowth warned her of the presence of the savage creatures she had summoned. The deep blue eyes were alert and watchful, but she showed no signs of fear; nor did she move. Suddenly a less stealthy and more certain crackling of the frost-bound bush made itself heard; and the roving eyes became fixed in one direction. And through the trees a tall grey figure appeared, moving towards her. But this was not all, for several slinking, stealing forms were moving about amongst the barren tree-trunks; hungry-looking creatures these, with fierce burning eyes and small pricked ears, with ribs almost bursting through the coarse hides which covered their low, lank bodies.

But all the woman's attention was centered upon the form of the other—the hooded figure she had seen in the morning. He came with long regular strides, and truly he was calculated to inspire awe in the Wild. Even now, near as he was to her, there was no sign of his face to be seen. He was clad in the folds of grey wolfskin, and a cowl-like hood utterly concealed his face, while leaving him free to see from within.

As the man came up Aim-sa plunged into voluble speech. They talked together long and earnestly; their tones were of dictation on the part of the woman and subservience on the part of the man.

Then the Spirit of the Moosefoot Indians moved away, and the White Squaw retraced her steps to the dugout.

A look of triumph was in Aim-sa's blue eyes as she returned through the forest. She gave no heed to the slinking forms that dogged her steps. She saw nothing of the majesty of the hills which closed her in on every side, shadowing the forest in their overwhelming might. Her thoughts were upon other things; all her interest was in the dugout and those who lived there.

When she came to the house she received a shock. Nick had returned during her absence. He had come for the dog sled, and had since brought the vast carcass of a grizzly into camp. Now he was stripping the rich fur from the forest king's body. The five huskies were squatting around upon their haunches, waiting for the meal they hoped would soon be theirs, with shivering bodies and licking lips, and their jaws dripping saliva.

The man, still kneeling over his prize, greeted Aim-sa without pausing in his work.

"Wher?" he asked, sparing his words lest he should confuse her. The unconcern of the query reassured her.

"The forest," replied Aim-sa easily, pointing away down the hill. There was a long pause while the woodsman plied his knife with rough but perfect skill. The thick fur rolled under his hands. The snick, snick of his knife alternated with the sound of tearing as he pulled the pelt from the under-flesh. Aim-sa watched interested, then, as Nick made no further remark, she went on. She pointed back to the forest.

"The wolves—they very thick. Many, many—an' hungry." "They've left the open. Guess it's goin' to storm, sure," observed the man indifferently. He wrenched the fur loose from the fore-paws.

"Yes; it storm—sure." And Aim-sa gazed critically up at the sky. The usual storm sentries hung glittering upon either side of the sun, and the blue vault was particularly steely.

Nick rose from his gory task. He drew the fur away and spread it out on the roof of the dugout to freeze. Then he cut some fresh meat from the carcass, and afterwards dragged the remainder down the hill and left it for the dogs. The squabble began as soon as he returned to Aim-sa. A babel of fierce snarling and yapping proceeded as the ruthless beasts tore at the still warm flesh. And, in less than a minute, other voices came up from the woods, heralding the approach of some of the famished forest creatures. Nick gave no heed. The dogs must defend their own. Such

is the law of the Wild. He had Aim-sa to himself, and he knew not how long it would be before his brother returned.

And Aim-sa was in no way loth to linger by this great trapper's side. It pleased her to talk in her halting fashion to him. He had more to say than his brother; he was a grand specimen of manhood. Besides, his temperament was wilder, more fierce, more like the world in which he lived.

She hearkened to the sounds of the snarling wolves, and her blue eyes darkened with the latent savagery that was in her nature.

"The dogs—they fight. Hah!" she said. And a smile of delight was in her eyes.

"Let 'em fight," said Nick carelessly. Then he turned upon her with a look there was no mistaking. His whole attitude was expressive of passionate earnestness as he looked down into the blue worlds confronting him.

She taunted him with a glance of intense meaning. And, in an instant, the fire in his soul blazed into a wild conflagration.

"You're that beautiful, Aim-sa," he cried. Then he paused as though his feelings choked him. "Them blue eyes o' yours goes right clear through me, I guess. Makes me mad. By Gar! you're the finest critter in the world."

He looked as though he would devour the fair form which had raised such a storm within his simple heart. She returned his look with a fearlessness which still had some power to check his untutored passion. Her smile, too, was not wholly devoid of derision; but that was lost upon him.

"Aim-sa—beautiful. Ah! yes—yes, I know. You speak love to me. You speak love to White Squaw."

"Ay, love," cried Nick, the blood mounting with a rush to his strong face. "Guess you don't know love, my girl. Not yet. But maybe you will. Say, Aim-sa, I'll teach it ye. I'll teach it ye real well, gal. You'll be my squaw, an' we'll light right out o' here. I've got half share in our pile, an' it ain't a little. Jest say right here as ye'll do it, an' I'll fix things, an' hitch up the dogs."

Nick paused in his eloquence. The squaw's eyes danced with delight, and he read the look to suit himself. Already he anticipated a favorable answer. But he was quick-ly undeceived. Aim-sa merely revelled in the passion she had aroused, like a mischievous child with a forbidden plaything. She enjoyed it for a moment, then her face suddenly became grave, and her eyelids drooped over the wonderful eyes which he thought had told him so much. And her answer came with a shake of the head.

"Aim-sa loves not. She must not. The Moosefoot—she is Queen." "Curses on the Moosefoot, I say," cried Nick, with passionate impulse.

Aim-sa put up her hand. "The man—The Hood." Fear the Spirit."

And a chill shot right down through Nick's heart as he listened. But his passion was only checked for the moment. The next, and he seized the woman in his powerful arms and drew her to his breast. And he kissed her on her not too unwilling lips. The kiss maddened him, and he held her tight, while he sought her blindly, madly. He kissed her cheeks, her hair, her eyes, her lips, and the touch of her warm flesh scorched his very soul. Nor is it possible to say how long he would have held her had she not, by a subtle, writhing movement, slipped from within his enfolding arms. Her keen ears had caught a sound which did not come from the fighting dogs. It was the penetrating forest cry which rose upon the air.

"Remember—The Hood," Aim-sa warned him. And the next moment she had vanished within the dugout.

Now Nick knew that he too had heard the cry, and he stood listening while his passion surged through his veins and his heart beat in mighty pulsations. But reason was returning swiftly. And as he gazed over the forest waste he expected to see the mysterious hooded figure.

But what he beheld brought an angry flush to his cheeks. He did not see "The Hood," but Ralph walking slowly up the hill.

And a harsh laugh, which had no mirth in it, broke from him. Then a frown settled darkly upon his brow. What, he asked himself, had Ralph returned for? He bore no burden of skins.

And when Ralph looked up and

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saw Nick, whom he believed to be miles away, his heart grew bitter within him. He read the look on the other's face. He saw the anger, and a certain guiltiness of his own purpose made him interpret it aright. And in a flash he resolved upon a scheme which, but for what he had seen, would never have presented itself to him.

And as the gleaming sundogs, drooping so heavily yet angrily in the sky, heralded the coming storm of elements, so did that meeting of the two brothers threaten the peace of the valley.

CHAPTER VII. The love of these men for the fair creature of the Wild had risen to fever heat with the abruptness of tropical sunshine. Their passion had come into their lives at a time when every faculty was at its ripe-est; henceforth everything would be changed. The Wild, to them, was no longer the Wild they had known; it was no longer theirs alone. Their life had gathered to itself a fresh meaning—a meaning drawn from association with Woman, and from which it could never return to the colorless existence of its original solitude.

With the return of Ralph to the camp the day progressed in sullen silence. Neither of the men would give way an inch; neither would return to the forest to complete his day's work, and even Aim-sa found their morose antagonism something to be feared. Each watched the other until it seemed impossible for the day to pass without the breaking of the gathering storm. But, however, the time wore on, and the long night closed down without anything happening to precipitate matters.

The evening was passed in the woman's company. Ralph sat silent, brooding. While Nick, with the memory of the wild moments during which he had held Aim-sa in his embrace fresh upon him, held a labored conversation with her. To him there was a sense of triumph as he sat smoking his blackened pipe, listening to the halting phrases of the woman, and gazing deeply into her wonderful blue eyes. And in the ecstasy of recollection he forgot Ralph and all but his love. There was no generosity in his heart; he had given himself up to the delights of his passion. He claimed the fair Aim-sa to himself, and was ready to uphold his claims so long as he had life.

And all that long evening he heeded nothing of the dark expression of Ralph's face. The furtive glances from his brother's eyes were lost upon him, and even had he seen them their meaning would have had no terrors for him. With all the blind selfishness of a first love he centered his faculties upon obtaining Aim-sa's regard, and lived in the fool's paradise of a reckless lover.

And all the time Ralph watched, and planned. The bitterness of his heart ate into the uttermost part of his vitals, the canker mounted even to his brain. The deep fire of hatred was now blazing furiously, and each moment it gathered destructive force. All that was good in the man was slowly devoured, and only a shell of fierce anger remained.

But what Nick failed to observe Aim-sa saw as plainly as only a woman can. Her bright eyes saw the

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fire she had kindled, and from sheer wantonness she fanned the flame with all the art of which she was mistress.

Slowly the hours passed. It was Nick who at last rose and gave the signal for departure. It was an unwritten law between these two that when one left Aim-sa's presence they both left it. Therefore Ralph followed suit, and they retired to their sleeping apartment.

Outside the night was fine, but the threat of storm hung heavily in the air. The temperature had risen, a sure indication of the coming blizzard. Ralph was the last to leave the woman's presence, and, ere he closed the door, he looked back at the smiling face, so beautiful to him, so seductively fair in his eyes. And the memory of the picture he looked upon remained with him.

(To be continued.)

THE WOUNDED TIGER.

Fascination of Pursuit—How the Buffalo Sometimes Helps.

Perhaps some of the fascination of tiger shooting lies in the mischief that results from bad shooting or methods. This entails a carelessness which invests the sport with a gravity, marking it as apart from other shooting.

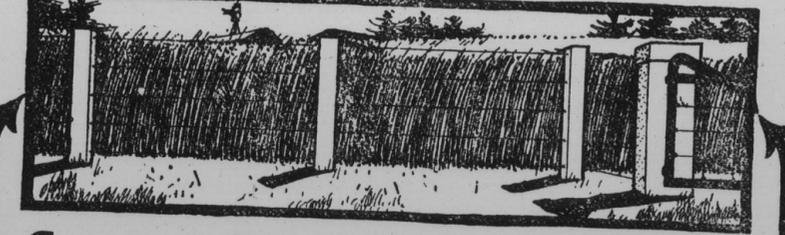
For first and foremost stands the safety of one's companions, whether they be beaters, trackers or elephants. "Shoot dead or leave well alone" is a counsel of perfection which should ever be borne in mind, even if not always attainable. With the tiger lying dead or gone away unwounded the trouble is ended until you wish to start it again. With a wounded beast afoot the trouble is hardly yet begun save in the matter of getting beaters and such like up trees or out of danger's way elsewhere.

With elephants, especially howdah elephants, pursuit may begin at once or be delayed, according to circumstances. Without them an hour or two's interval or more on occasion should elapse before starting on what may be a pleasant or an unpleasant duty, according to the sportsman's taste in these matters. But a duty it (nearly) always is. Wounded tigers are not articles to be lightly left littering a place. The intervals before pursuit allow of a chance of three things—and of one other which must be accepted unwillingly. The wounded tiger may die either directly from the wound or from the effects of drinking water on certain wounds. The wound may incapacitate him, from loss of blood or stiffening, for mischief. And his rage may have time to cool down. But he may also get clean away.

The pursuit begins. Its methods must vary under the many circumstances possible. Sometimes a tracker is necessary, and he works covered by rifles under the trunk of an elephant or close to the sportsman if he be on foot. Risk there is, especially in dense country, but with proper caution and precautions it is reduced to a minimum, such as previous reconnaissance by hawk-eyed experts up trees, stone throwing, the careful noting of the movements and sounds of animals, especially those

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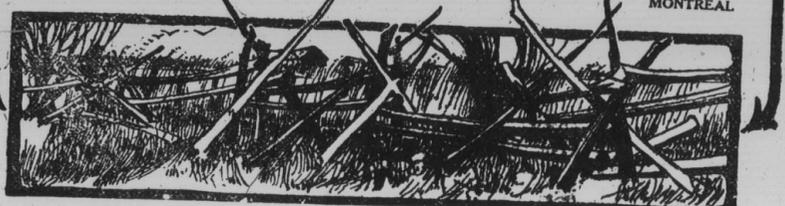
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of the ubiquitous monkey, peafowl or crow. The tree experts having "made good" a zone, it is traversed and another one started on. Sometimes if the covert is dense and impossible and if a herd of buffalo, or even of goats be procurable, they can be driven into particularly likely places. Although buffalo have a wholesome dislike of tiger, still on occasion they will face him en masse. Sometimes they perform their duties rather too well, and with horn and hoof, obliterate him, dead or alive. More usually they cause him to move, and so give a chance of a shot.—Badminton Magazine.

FOOD TELEPHONES STOMACH.

Dainty Morsel Announces Its Coming by Wireless Method

Sir James Crichton Browne described recently at the end of a dinner in London, how a delicate morsel, perfectly served, of delicious flavor and good aroma, will send to the stomach, before it is swallowed, a telephone message to say that it is coming. Such a morsel, he said, not only sets the mouth watering by stimulating the salivary glands, but it also induces a flow of the gastric juices by acting on the glands of the stomach. These glands it brings

into play before any portion is swallowed. It is, in fact, telephoning down to the stomach to say that something good is coming, and the stomach immediately prepares itself for its reception.

A nasty or insipid dish has no such effect. If it is nasty the stomach rejects it; if insipid, it receives it with comparative indifference. It is of the utmost importance, he held, that good flavor and good aroma should prevail, for nice food is more easily assimilated than that which is flavorless, and good cooking not merely tickles the palate, but it also contributes to the great work of nutrition.

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A despatch from Washington says: The negotiation of a new arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain will probably be taken up shortly by Secretary of State Knox and James Bryce, the British Ambassador. For some months President Taft and Secretary Knox have been anxious to begin negotiations for a new treaty to include every dispute between the two Governments. Drafting of this treaty will be an important step toward perpetual peace between the United States and Great Britain. The present treaty excepts questions relating to the national honor, the "vital interests" and the rights of third countries. President Taft and Secretary Knox believe the Senate would ratify a

treaty for the arbitration of all disputes between the two countries. In recent speeches the President has referred to this subject and expressed the hope that such an arrangement would be consummated.

The actual negotiations for the convention have been delayed until the attitude of Great Britain on the question. The speech of Sir Edward Grey, Minister of Foreign Affairs, in the House of Commons on Monday night, in which he said the British Government would welcome such a proposal, has, in the opinion of officers of the State Department, cleared the way for a convention along the lines indicated.

IT IS THE COMING COUNTRY

Mr. Thomas J. Drummond Enthusiastic As To Future of Ontario's Clay Belt

A despatch from Montreal says: Mr. Thomas J. Drummond, President of the Lake Superior Corporation, has just returned from the plant at Sault Ste. Marie, and is full of the subject of the rapid settlement of that great domain known as the Ontario clay belt traversed by the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Pacific for four hundred miles, and crossed north and south by the Algoma Central. The company have explorers out in all directions, and Mr. Drummond says that country, capable of giving homes to two million people, will be the surprise of the century, as it is really a timbered prairie, and will be settled up as quickly as the western Provinces. But he says Ontario should be astir, for the French-Canadian

nadians are especially adapted for such colonization, and all know what they have done along the line of the C. P. R. Although the two other roads have the advantage of traversing this clay belt, the Canadian Pacific, with its usual energy, will tap the country in various directions from the main line as a base, and get its share of the great traffic which is sure to come out of this immense domain. The President of the Lake Superior Corporation says there are at least sixteen million acres here of the very best land in the Dominion. It is understood that by the end of the year the Lake Superior Corporation will have spent twenty millions in two years, and the development is just begun.

BRITISH AERIAL PLANS.

Sum of \$665,000 Provided in Estimates for Aerial Fleet.

A despatch from London says: War in air was discussed in the Commons on Tuesday night. Mr. Haldane, the War Secretary, gave details of the preparations of the British army to fight with dirigibles and aeroplanes. He said that \$665,000 would be spent for airships and aeroplanes, and a further sum would be expended by the Technical Research Committee. The War Office has acquired five aeroplanes, three of the latest pattern, and five biplanes, purchased from Sir George White of Bristol, to be delivered in April. The War Office will make use of other biplanes, supplied by the same firm, for experimental purposes. An observation war balloon factory has been

completely organized, and Lord Kitchener will be placed at the head of a special committee to get fit men for the Royal Engineers, who can direct and conduct aerial warfare.

FEAR CATTLE PLAGUE.

Canada Places Embargo on All British Live Stock Except Horses.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Government has placed an embargo on the importation of cattle and all live stock from British ports, save horses, owing to an outbreak of foot and mouth disease at Cobham, Surrey. This will keep out cattle intended for breeding purposes until the disease is stamped out.

DIAMONDS FOUND IN CANADA

Mr. Chas. Camsell Discovered Them in British Columbia Rock

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Director of the Geological Survey announces that diamonds have been discovered by the survey in a British Columbia rock, the first recorded discovery of diamonds in Canada. The rock carrying the crystals is a peridotite of the variety known as dunite, consisting of olivine and chromite. The rock specimens in which the diamonds were found were collected by Mr. Chas. Camsell on Olivine Mountain, near the Tulameen River, where Mr. Camsell has been making a geological examination for the survey. Samples of the rock were submitted to Mr. R. A. A. Johnstone, mineralogist of the survey, to ascertain the nature of the minerals. In the course of his examination Mr. Johnstone secured some insoluble fragments of crystals, which appeared to be diamonds. More of this material was separated and a series of tests conducted by Mr. Johnstone, which established beyond doubt the nature of the material. The individuals so far extracted from a number of samples are small, none of them being larger than an ordinary pin-head, but many appear under the microscope to be clear and bright, and of good quality, though some are yellowish or brownish.

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The plant of the British Columbia Steel Corporation will be located at Port Mann.

New homesteads to the number of 25,000 have been opened to settlers in the west.

The Dominion Government has been asked for a subsidy for a ship-building plant at Port Mann.

Intercolonial Railway employees and motormen and conductors on the Winnipeg Street Railway have been granted increases in pay.

The storage dams already constructed or in progress on the Ottawa River will control one hundred and sixty-eight billion cubic feet of water.

A Montreal man served with legal notices in French, which he could not read, ignored them, and judgment was given against him by default. He applied for redress, but was refused.

In discussing in the Senate the bill to prevent the use of opium and other injurious drugs Sir Richard Scott said that Canada imported enough opium to supply the legitimate needs of 50,000,000 people.

The proposal of President Taft for an Anglo-American arbitration treaty has been received with great enthusiasm in Britain.

At Albany Mrs. Edith Melber was sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment for killing her son.

War preparations are going on in the far east.

Government Bonds at \$50.

Would Be a Secure Investment for Small Investors.

A despatch from Ottawa says: In the Senate on Thursday Senator Domville drew attention to a report that the British Government was about to popularize consols by issuing bearer bonds of from five to ten pounds sterling, which could be purchased at post-offices. He said that the Canadian Government should do something of this kind. He suggested that the Government should issue transferable three and a half per cent. bonds for fifty dollars face value, which anyone could purchase from any Canadian post-office, and which could pass from hand to hand. Sir Richard Cartwright said there was no doubt it would place secure investment within the power of small investors. He would call the attention of the Minister of Finance to the suggestion.

Explosion in the Cellar.

Damage to Hardware Store at Barrie of \$17,000.

A despatch from Barrie, Ont., says: An explosion in the cellar of J. R. Hamby's hardware store at three o'clock of Thursday afternoon was responsible for a \$17,000 fire on Thursday. V. Hamby, nephew of the proprietor, was very badly burned about the head in the explosion. The loss to stock is estimated at \$15,000, on which there is \$9,000 insurance. Damage to the building amounted to about \$2,500, and is fully covered by insurance.

Railway Development.

Important Announcements Made by Winnipeg Officials.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: The assumption that the present year will show a remarkable railway development in western Canada is established by a number of important announcements by various transportation companies during the past fortnight. These were supplemented on Thursday by the statement that the Grand Trunk Pacific will build 140 new stations, and that the Canadian Pacific will open fifty new towns on its new lines this summer.

Coming in Doves.

All Steerage Berths on Vessels Bound to Canada Booked.

A despatch from London says: The Canadian immigration officers at the headquarters in London estimate that the emigration to Canada from the United Kingdom so far this year is 50 per cent. more than in the corresponding period of 1910. All the steerage berths on vessels bound to Canada are booked up to the middle of May.

PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

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

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, March 21.—Flour—Winter wheat 90 per cent. patents, \$3.25 at seaboard. Manitoba Flour—First patents, \$5.40; second patents, \$4.90, and strong bakers', \$4.70, on track, Toronto.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 97½¢, Bay ports; No. 2 Northern, 96¢, Bay ports, and No. 3 at 92½¢, Bay ports; carrying Winter storage at Goderich, 1c extra.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, 81c, and No. 2 red Winter 80c outside.

Barley—Malt quality, 62 to 64c outside, according to quality, and feed, 52 to 55c outside.

Oats—Ontario No. 2 white, 34c, on track, Toronto, and 31½ to 32c outside. No. 2 C.W. oats, 36c, Bay ports, and No. 3 at 35c, Bay ports.

Corn—No. 3 American, 51½¢, Toronto freight.

Peas—Shipping peas, 79 to 80c outside.

Rye—66 to 67c outside.

Buckwheat—No. 1 at 48½ to 49c outside.

Bran—Manitoba, \$22, in bags, Toronto, and shorts, \$24, in bags, Toronto.

Ontario bran, \$22 to \$22.50, in sacks, Toronto, and shorts, \$24 to \$24.50.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—Spys, \$5 to \$5.50; Baldwins, \$4 to \$4.50; Greenings, \$4 to \$4.50; No. 2 assorted, \$3.50 to \$4.50 per barrel.

Beans—Car lots, \$1.75 to \$1.90, and small lots, \$1.90 to \$2.

Honey—Extracted, in tins, 19c to 11c per lb.; No. 1 comb, wholesale, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen; No. 2 comb, wholesale, \$1.75 to \$2 per dozen.

Baled Hay—No. 1 at \$12 to \$13, on track, and No. 2 at \$9 to \$10.50.

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

Potatoes—Car lots, 80 to 85c per bag.

Poultry—Wholesale prices of dressed poultry—Chickens, 15 to 16c per lb.; fowl, 11 to 13c per lb.; turkeys, 19 to 21c per lb. Live, 1 to 2c less.

The Dairy Markets.

Butter—Dairy prints, 18 to 20c; choice rolls, 18 to 19c; inferior, 16 to 17c. Creamery, 26 to 28c per lb. for rolls, 24c for solids, and 22 to 23c for separator prints.

Eggs—Case lots of new-laid, 20 to 21c per dozen.

Cheese—13½¢, and twins, 13½¢.

Hog Products.

Bacon—Long clear, 11½¢ per lb., in case lots; mess pork, \$20 to \$21, do., short cut, \$24 to \$24.50; pickled rolls, \$20 to \$21.

Hams—Light to medium, 16c; do., heavy, 12 to 13c; rolls, 12½¢; breakfast bacon, 16c; backs, 18 to 18½¢.

Lard—Tierces, 12c; tubs, 12½¢; pails, 12½¢.

Business at Montreal.

Montreal, March 21.—Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 38½ to 39½¢, car lots, ex-store; extra No. 1 feed, 37½ to 38¢; No. 3 C.W., 37½ to 37¢; No. 2 local white, 37½¢; No. 3 local white, 36½¢; No. 4 local white, 35½¢. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.60; seconds, \$5.10; Winter wheat patents, \$4.50 to \$4.75; strong bakers', \$4.90; straight rollers, \$4.25 to \$4.35; in bags, \$1.90 to \$2. Rolled oats—Per barrel, \$3.90; bag of 90 lbs., \$1.95. Feed barley—Car lots, ex-store, 49 to 50c. Corn—American, No. 3 yellow, 56 to 56½¢. Millfeed—Bran, Ontario, \$22 to \$23; Manitoba, \$21 to \$23; middlings, Ontario, \$24 to \$25; shorts, Manitoba, \$23 to \$25; moullie, \$25 to \$30. Eggs—Selected, 22c; fresh, 23 to 25c; No. 1 stock, 20c; No. 2 18c. Cheese—Westerns, 12 to 12½¢; casters, 11½ to 12c. Butter—Choice, 26 to 27c; seconds, 24 to 25½¢.

United States Markets.

Buffalo, March 21.—Wheat—Spring, No. 1 Northern, car loads, store, \$4.04 7-8; Winter, steady. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 50½¢; No. 4 yellow, 48c, all on track, through billed. Oats—No. 3 white, 34½¢. Barley—Malt quality, \$1.00 to \$1.06. Minneapolis, March 21.—Wheat—May, 97 5-8c; July, 97 7-8c; September, 92 3-8c; cash, No. 1 hard, 90 to 90 3-8c; No. 1 Northern, 91 1-8 to 91 7-8c; No. 2 Northern, 95 5-8 to 96 7-8c; No. 3 wheat, 93 5-8 to 96. Bran—\$20 to \$21. Flour—First patents, \$4.65 to \$4.95; second patents, \$4.55 to \$4.85; first clears, \$3.05 to \$3.50; second clears, \$2.05 to \$2.70.

Live Stock Markets.

Montreal, March 21.—A few choice steers sold as high as 6½¢, but the bulk of the trading was done at 6c, good at 5½ to 5½¢, fairly good at 5 to 5½¢, fair at 4½¢, and common at 4¼¢ per lb. Cows, from 3½ to



LABRADOR FOLK STARVING

Have Been Cut Off From Supplies by Great Ice Fields For Months

A despatch from North Sydney, C. B., says: That the rigorous winter just closing has caused extreme suffering and probably many deaths among the hardy inhabitants of the barren Labrador peninsula, who have been cut off for months by great ice fields from the possibility of securing food and clothing, is the fear felt here and in Newfoundland. The last reports from the bleak country to the north, which were received late last fall, said that the food supplies were almost exhausted and that hundreds of the natives, mainly fisherfolk and their families, were on the verge of starvation. Months have passed since the stricken Labrador people have secured help, nor has word come to the outside world as to how they are faring in their extremity.

Repeated efforts have been made to carry succor to the starving people. Vessels laden with supplies of food and of clothing have failed repeatedly to pierce ice floes which choke the strait of Belle Isle, the narrow stretch of water which separates Labrador from the northern coast of Newfoundland. The present misfortunes of the Labrador people had their beginning in the failure of last season's fishing catch. A blizzard which swept over Newfoundland and Labrador last week is believed to have further accentuated the suffering. A blanket of snow reached in some places a depth of from 20 to 30 feet deep. It is said that a large band of trappers who were operating in an interior section of Newfoundland are missing.

5½¢, and bulls 3½ to 5½¢ per lb. Calves, from \$1 to \$3 each. Old sheep sold at from \$4 to \$7, and yearling lambs \$5 to \$8 each. Hogs, \$7.25 to \$7.30 per 100 lbs., weighed off cars.

500. There are only seventy or seventy-five eggs known, and they are worth, all told, just about that many thousand dollars. The skins and mounted specimens in existence are 80 in number.—Harper's Weekly.

Toronto, March 21.—Four fancy steers brought \$6.12½, but the great bulk of the sales in butcher cattle were between \$5.25 and \$5.75. There were no cows sold over \$4.90. Good, sound lambs from 90 to 110 lbs. are quite firm at \$7, but the fat ones are not wanted. Sheep and hogs are unchanged. Calves are still dull.

PRICE OF ONE EGG, \$1.500.

The Great Auk is Regarded as Extinct.

Although it is as long ago as 1844 that the last great auk was seen alive, and the peculiar bird is set down as extinct, there is still a faint hope that somewhere in the cold regions it may be making a final stand for existence.

WHY SMOTHER.

Pneumonia Largely Caused by Poor Ventilation of Houses.

Why is it that people are so afraid of fresh air in the winter? Dr. W. S. Wheeler attributes the prevalence of pneumonia, in large measure, to bad ventilation. Certainly it is within the experience of everyone that hot, stuffy rooms are responsible for headaches, dullness and other minor ills. To persons who have acquired the fresh air habit the closeness of the rooms of the average house in winter is intolerable.

Modern civilization seems to have lent itself to a conspiracy to smother the race in the winter time. In the days of open fires there was fair ventilation up the chimney. Then came the hot-air furnace, which helped to overheat the house, but which at least constantly pumped fresh air into the rooms, since the intake flue opened out of doors. But it was expensive to take air at zero and heat it up to 70, so the indoor intake was devised—an economical system, to be sure, but one ingeniously designed to make the occupants of the house breathe the same air over and over.

The same difficulty arose with the hot-water or steam radiator, and, for that matter, with the base burner.

GROCER DIES OF EXPOSURE.

Montreal Man Unknown to Friends.

A despatch from Montreal says: Wandering from home, clad in little more than his night clothes, James Brown, of 3,090 Alice avenue, died from exposure early on Thursday morning. Mr. Brown was a retired grover, aged 75. The body was found on the side of the road near Crystal Park, a mile from his house. Several shirts, undergarments, and two pairs of socks were all the protection that he had from the cold and frost of the night.

Great auks were scarce even then, and when he returned the next year it was without any mate, and before long a fisherman shot him. Eight years or so later one great auk was taken alive on a small island near St. Kilda, and it is believed that in 1840 another was captured and killed as being the cause of a tempest. In Iceland, or near the coast line, a few remained until 1844, when what appear to have been the last two on earth were taken alive on Geirfuglasker, a rocky skerry near Belkjanes.

Thus perished a race of birds so ill adapted to self-preservation that on Funk Island, Newfoundland, many years ago, sailors used to drive them into pounds like so many sheep. Meanwhile, the record price of a great auk's egg stands at 300 guineas—about \$1,500.

STRIKE EXPECTED IN WEST

Miners' Agreement Confirmed Two Years Ago Expires April 1

A despatch from Winnipeg says: The C. P. R. headquarters has given out the following:—A big strike of coal-miners is expected in the Crow's Nest district and all through the West. Two years ago they had a strike in Crow's Nest Pass involving all the coal miners there. It was settled through the medium of a Board of Conciliation, and the agreement expires April 1. Negotiations are now under way

but it is not expected that a settlement will be reached before April and it is likely that on that date work will be suspended in the coal mines in the Crow's Nest and the Canmore districts. The mines affected have a daily output of approximately 13,000 tons of coal and coke. The number of men affected is three thousand. The points of dispute are wages and the recognition of the open shop.

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J. F. SCHUETT
AGENT, MILD MAY

NEUSTADT

Jacob Merkel sold his residence to Mrs. Chas. Dietrich, who takes possession on April 18th. Mr. Merkel understands intends moving to Galt.

Englebert Widmeyer left for Toronto and will try to get on Toronto Police Force.

Mr. Felker of Hanover paid a business visit to the chair factory.

The factory was closed on account of housecleaning. There are a number of good positions to be had here.

C Weigel has moved to Hanover, where he has secured a good position.

Messrs Hammer and Weltz shipped a carload of potatoes on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Geib have returned from their two month's vacation to Florida and Alabama.

Mrs. T. Loughheed, who spent the winter with her parents here, has returned to Alberta.

R. Gebhardt has severed his connection with James Whitehead's store at Walkerton, and will spend a short time with his parents here prior to leaving for the west.

Sixteen women assembled at the home of Mr. Hehn and manufactured two fine quilts.

Mrs. George Zimmerman is still very sick.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. TORONTO.

The railways reported 71 carloads of live stock at the City Market, consisting of 877 cattle, 1578 hogs, 381 sheep and lambs, 232 calves and 11 horses.

There were a few loads of good to choice cattle on sale, but the common and medium outnumbered them.

Trade was brisk for the good grades of cattle, but draggy for the common.

Prices for the choice cattle were steady to strong at Monday's quotations on account of the light run. Common cattle were slow of sale and lower in price. Common and medium cows were 20c to 30c per cwt lower. Bulls were lower, especially those of export weights. There were about 22 choice picked butchers' cattle that sold at \$6 per cwt.

Some common, light butcher cattle sold down to \$4 60 per cwt.

Exporters—One lot of 12 export steers, 1200 lbs. each, sold at \$6.

Butchers—Prime picked butchers sold at \$5 80 to \$6; loads of good sold at \$5 40 to \$5 75; medium, \$5 10 to \$5 30; common \$4 60 to \$5 10; cows \$3 to \$4 90; bulls, \$4 50 to \$5.

Milkers and Springers—Receipts were not large, but greater than the demand. Prices \$40 to \$60 each. Only the best duality milkers and springers are in demand, and slow at that.

Veal Calves—Receipts large, with prices easier, at \$3 50 to \$8 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—Prices for sheep and lambs were steady. Sheep, ewes, sold at \$4 50 to \$5 per cwt.; rams, \$4 to \$4 25 per cwt.; lambs, yearlings, \$6 50 to \$7 per cwt. Spring lambs sold at from \$6 to \$8 each.

Hogs—Selects, fed and watered at the market, sold at \$7, and \$6.65 to drovers for hogs f.o.b. cars at country points.

Mr. Harris reports quite a percentage of heavies, coming. One drover who had 62 hogs, had 19 that were too heavy and were culled out at 50c per cwt. lower price.

Clifford.

Mrs. Wm. Feathers, of Patty Browns farm in Minto, died suddenly last Wednesday.

Fred. Krueger sold his farm in Lakelet to Robert Mulligan for \$2,000.

Mrs. F. W. Graef, Herman and W. Graef attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Kaelbleisch in Port Elgin.

Henry Kolpin is at present working with the section gang.

John Moos, Jr., is learning the blacksmithing with W. Perschbacher.

W. Henry is the junior clerk at the Traders Bank here.

Mr. McKenzie, who has been teaching here for a number of years, left for Lindsay on Monday, and on Thursday last, the new teacher arrived, and during the same night he was taken seriously ill.

Mr. MacLachlan the buttermaker has resigned and the directors of the Alsfeld Cheese Factory have appointed George Aitchison of Bluevale.

James Kidd, a horse dealer who formerly resided here, died in Brandon Manitoba, last week.

A black colony has been settled near Emerson, Manitoba, and on Tuesday last 200 negroes arrived from Oklahoma with their effects to take up residence under the British flag.

Hon. A. G. McKay, Leader of the opposition in the Ontario Legislature, on Tuesday of last week passed the fifty-first milestone of his life. And he still lives in single blessedness.

AMBELSIDE.

Mr. Frank Cronin went to Bay City, Mich. last Wednesday in response to a message stating that his sister Mrs. Jos. Reinhart was dying from an attack of Typhoid fever. He returned on Monday. Mrs. Reinhart's many friends here will be glad to hear that she is recovering.

Miss Annie Kelly is visiting at Chapatowe with her sister Mrs. J. J. Fleming.

Mr. M. J. Seitz's auction sale on Tuesday drew a large crowd to the village. J. A. Johnston wielded the hammer and good prices for every article offered was the result. Mr. Seitz and family leave for Berlin to-day. We wish them success in their new home.

Mr. A. J. Kropp, the Teeswater stage driver purchased M. J. Seitz's property for \$225. We haven't learned whether it is Mr. Kropp's intention to move to the burg.

Mr. John Cronin sold a mare on Tuesday to a Brussels buyer for \$220. He offered \$240 for Mr. Cronin's brood mare but Jack thought the roll was too small.

Mr. Jacob Dosman is making preparations to build an addition to his barn this summer.

When making out your accounts use a printed billhead. A well executed billhead gives a standing with your customers. We execute letterheads, envelopes, statements, billheads and other printed material with neatness and despatch.

Several of the farmers in the vicinity of Exeter have their cattle under quarantine owing to the presence of mange in some of the herds. It is supposed to have come down with some of the Western cattle that were brought in last fall.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, as Flax Millers in the Village of Mildmay in the County of Bruce under the firm name of Voigt & Rosenow, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated at Mildmay this 18th day of March 1911.

Witness: B. Siegner, F. Rosenow, J. A. Johnston, Ex. W. Rosenow Est. Ferdinand Voigt.

Tenders For Concrete Work.

SEALED Tenders marked "Tender for Concrete Abutments" will be received up to March 29th, 1911 for the erection of two concrete abutments for bridge over the Saugen River about 2 miles south of Hanover. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office, Walkerton. Tenders to be opened at the Scarborough House, Hanover, at 2 p. m. on March 30th, 1911. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

James Warren, Engineer, Walkerton, March 10th, 1911.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Hardware Merchants and Tinsmiths in the Village of Mildmay, in the County of Bruce, has this day been dissolved by effusion of time. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Peter Daniel Liesemer and Edward V. Kalbfleisch, at Mildmay aforesaid and all claims against the said Partnership are to be presented to the said Peter Daniel Liesemer by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Mildmay this 2nd day of March 1911.

Witness: Magdalena Liesemer, Ex. C. Liesemer Est. Peter Daniel Liesemer, Edward V. Kalbfleisch

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