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WANTED-Organist and Choir Leader for Athens Methodist Church, apply to Mr. H. R. Knowlton, Athens.

Mrs. Olive Putnan, Phillipsville, and Mr. Mrs. Fred Stowe and Mrs. McClenathan, Bouchville, N.Y., spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Gibson, Mill St.

Mrs. G. W. Lee, Reid St. accompanied by her sister Mrs. A. E. Abbott of Sault Ste. Marie, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Lee's son, Mr. W. V. Lee of Almonte.

Mr and Mrs. D. Given of Syracuse, who have been guests of the Misses Lee, Reid St., returned via motor car on Monday to to their home.

Miss Anna George, Wincherster, has returned home after spending two weeks at the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dillabough.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cornell have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Taylor, at their summer home, "Villa Minerva," on the St. Lawrence. Mrs. Taylor is a sister of Mrs. Cor-

Mr.' and Mrs. W. B. Percival and son, Harry, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brown will visit Toronto and Western Ontario points the latter end of this ---

Mr. George Foley, Deseronto, was a guest at the home of his parents, luring the past week.

Mr. Emmett Covey has purchased a Chevrolet touring car from Percival and Brown.

F. W. Clarke, manager of the Merchants Bank in Athens the past few years, has been notified he is being moved to Montreal, and with Mr. Clarke is busy packing his household goods for shipment to the metropolis. Her mother, Mrs. A. E. McLean, of Gouverneur, N.Y., is in Athens this week with her.

On Thursday afternoon Erastus Livingston drove into the village with his pony and hitched it to a post on Elgin street. The animal became frightened by a passing car which was carrying some loose boards, and, breaking the halter, bolted, coming in contact with a tree. It was so badly injured that it was short by the veter-

The high and public schools opened on Tuesday morning with a full attendance of pupils. There were no changes on the teaching staff of the public school, but two on the high school staff—Mr. Hartley, B.A., taking the place of Mr. Case, and Miss Sheridan, B.A., of Brockville, taking the place of Miss Lewis. There is such an influx of pupils in the high school that many are finding it hard to secure boarding places. to secure boarding places.

Mrs. V. O. Boyle received for the first time at the rectory Tuesday afternoon from four to six. The pleasant rooms were made very attractive with beautiful flowers, and the guests with beautiful flowers, and the guests included several parishioners from Oak Leaf and Delta who motored in for the occasion. In the tea room at the charmingly pretty table, with its centre of golden fluffy chrysanthemums, were Mrs. A. W. Johnston pouring, and Mrs. M. C. Arnold cutting the ices, and the wants of the many guests were attended to by a bevy of young girls in dainty frocks. Mrs. Boyle was assisted in receiving her guests by Mr. Boyle, Mrs. E. Taylor introducing the ladies to the several out-of-town guests at the rectory, and Mrs. J. D. Johnston showing the ladies to the tea room. Little Miss Kathleen Taylor waited on the door; Irene Gifford was in charge of the Victrola, while Mary Duffield showed the guests through the rectory which had been recently re-painted and decorated by the Ladies' Guild of the church.

Harry Vollick and family, of Breck ville, are guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Newton, of Cornwall, Mrs. W. T. Faulkner and daughter Greta, of Norwood, who have been on a motor trip to Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo, spent Monday and Tuesday of last week in Athens, guests of Rev. and Mrs. Newton at the parsonage.

Mrs. W. G. Parish, who has not been enjoying the best of health late-ly, is spending a couple of weeks in

Mrs. W. H. Wiltse, who has been in Toronto undergoing treatment for cancer under Specialist Br. Glover, has returned home not very much improved in health, to the regret of her many friends.

Cecil Taber, of Brockville, was a week-end visitor at the home of Dr. H. M. Moore.

Miss Cora Grey has returned to Athens for the fall and winter millin-ery season.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Brown were in Ganandque recently attending the sil-ver wedding anniversary of a relative.

F. . Musgrove, of Montreal, has returned home after a pleasant holi-day of a week or so spent in the Meth-odist sursonage, Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cole, of Ottawa, are suppding a few weeks in Athens with the latter's mother, Mrs. A. H. Wilson, Mill street. Mr. Cole is recuperating from a recent severe illness.

Hev. V. O. Boyle and Mrs. Boyle and guest; Mrs. Greer, of Boston, Mr. and Mss. Reakie and Miss Clarke, of Montreal, and Miss Boyle and friend from mour Belleville, are enjoying an outing at Charleston Lake in one of the Johnston cottages on Bertha Island.

A pleasing little function took place at the Anglican rector Tuesday evening when Mrs. J. F. Harte was presented with a beautiful cut-glass bowl and address by the members of the Anglican choir, of which she is a valued member. After the presentation, refreshments were served and a happy social evening was much enjoyed by the choir and several of their young friends.

If one would judge by the prepara-tions in progress for the village school fair and concert on Saturday, the 18th inst. under the Women's Institute, it promises to be a plendid affeir. The fair will be held during the day in the town hall, the sports taking place on the grounds, and the concert will be in the hall in the evening. The pro-gramme will embrace drills, choruses, recitations, musical numbers, and the recitations, musical numbers, and the play, "A Canadian Fairy Tale," given by the punils of the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Johnston and son, Leonard, arrived home Wednes-day from an enjoyable holiday with friends at Rochester, N.Y.

Dr. J. W. Stevens, Mrs. Stevens and small girlie, of Westport, are weekend visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Scovil. Dr. Stevens enjoyed a duck hunt at the Lake on Monday with Dr. C. B. Lillie.

SUMMER RESIDENT AT CHARLESTON IS LOST IN THE WOODS

Search Party Found Him Exhausted and at Sea.

Charleston, Sept. 9.—Mr. Barnes, who spends his summers at the Green cottage, had an experience on Wednesday he will not soon forget. After breakfast he went to the woods back cottage, had an experience on weunesday he will not soon forget. After
breakfast he went to the woods back
of the cranberry marsh to hunt all by
himself. He was expected back to
the cottage for dinner, but failed to
appear. Supper time came and still
no signs of Mr. Barnes. The family
became uneasy and gave the alarm
and soon a posse was out in search of
him. They took with them some guns
and fired shots in the air and were
answered by a report from Mr.
Barnes gun. The posse went in the
direction whence the shot came and
found Mr. Barnes completely lost,
tired and hungry, but all prepared to
spend the night in the woods.

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POULTRY WORLD

GUIDING THE AMATEUR IN POUL-TRY RAISING

Herewith the Times presents the first article of a short series by a United States expert, T. F. McGrew, giving in a somewhat extended form the advice necessary to aid the backyard beginner in his start at poultry raising:

(ARTICLE I.) It is quite possible to keep a 19w hcrs about every home provided there is ground space that may be devoted to them. The advantages of so doing are many. The most important, lowever, is that the keeping of the hens may become both a pleasure and may become both a pleasure and t. To assure both of these re ires, first of all, a suitable house for the hens to roost, to lay and to live in.
This house should be so constructed as
to protect from all kinds of weather conditions and to protect the neigh-

Those who keep animals of any kind should remember that those who live near them or who live anywhere within the radius of migration possible to the animals should have fair consideration. Do not impring that a license ation. Do not imagine that a necessary tag about the neck of a cat or a dog prevents depredations. Nor does a wire fence about an enclosure restrain the hens that can fly over; nor does the title to the land, either as owner or renter, permit of having a chicken pen or yard that is not sanitary.

There are two honest objections to poultry keeping. One objection is the crowing of the cock early in the morn-ing under or near to where neighbors sleep, and the other is the bad odor that will arise from filth accumulations in or about the poultry houses. Neither of these is necessary, nor should either

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occur. Hens will lay quite as well without the presence of a male. The male is useful only to fertilize eggs for hatching, and he need not be kept about at other times. Usually it is better for those who keep only a few to purchase pullets each fall when about ready to lay, or if the pleasure of caring for little chicks attracts, buy them from someone who sells baby chicks or buy eggs and hat he chicks under a brood hen.

STANDARD BREEDS

for the pleasure they derove from hav-ing and caring for them are fanciers, who would scarcely be included in the who would scarcely be included in the practical class, yet tne more practical they may be the greater is their success. These are usually more directly interested in form and feather for exhibition than in food production. They are the pioneers in the making of breeds and varieties that are so valuable to those who keep a few hens. No other kind of hens can equal the well-bred kinds for both egg production and table poultry. When making a selection choose the ones that will produce the 1 ind of eggs preferred or the kind preferred for meat.

No breed or variety is the best. All are best for the purpose intended. Some

are best for the purpose intended. Some will prosper better in quarters that restrain them than will others. There are poor layers and layers of medium are poor layers and layers of medium quality and splendid layers in nearly every kind. Having all good layers is a result of selection. Vigor is of the most importance; perfect health must be considered as a part of vigor. No hen ever has or ever will be a continous layer that does not have both of these. No kind of care or feeding will prefer a good layer of a fewl lack. of these. No kind of care or feeding will make a good layer of a fowl lacking in constitutional vigor. One that is all right in every way will be apt to lay well, though fed and cared for in an indifferent manner.

The prime factors for success with appulyer whether they are kent for the

poultry, whether they are kept for the sency or for genera, purpose or just a few in the backyard, are the same. The fowls must be bred for the pur-case intended. They must me select-

ed and culled so as to retain only the best. Equal attention must be given to selecting for proper size, shape and color that is necessary, when selecting for health, vi. -r and possible egg production. While all of this seems complicated, one that is apt at the work can go over five or six hnudred in a day and do it well. As an example, 700 hens in one flock were culled by two men in one day. Two hundred of them were removed.

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Th egg yield of those left kept to within a few of as many as the entire lot had been laying. Those removed were turned out on a farm where no ot. 37 poultry was kept. Some of them died, some were dressed and sold to marl. 1. Of the 150 that were left none of them laid all winter, but they did fairly well in April and May. The 500 selected ones laid more eggs than they had ever laid before. This came as the result of having used males for breeding that were line bred for laywere removed.
egg yield of those left kept to breeding that were line bred for lay-ing, by selecting the best according ac-rule, in housing them properly houses not being crowded, so many less in the building and proper care and feeding.

POULTRY HOUSES

The best houses for poultry are those that cost as little as possible, fust so they have a floor that will be dry, a roof to shelter and side walls built to roof to shelter and side walls built to prevent wind, rain or draughts of cold air coming into the house from any point except in front. The prime features of importance are that the fowls shall have a dry, warm footing inside where there is as little dampness as it is possible to have in a building of this kind.

building of this kind.

Th. number of hens to keep must be governed entirely by the space that can be allotted to them. It is not best to have so many that they will be forced to live in so little space as to be deprived of room sufficient for hear, aful exercise, which cannot be assured unless each hen has as much as twenty-five square feet. Twenty hens can be kept on a plot that is 20 by 25 feet. Both the house and the runway must be kept clean and sanitary.

Fowls so kept must be confined within an enclosure to prevent their wanin an enclosure to prevent their wan-dering about and becoming a nuisance in the neighborhood. The need for this will be apparent to all who know the determined propensity of hens to get over into the neighbor's lot and dig up the flower beds. An enclosure to prevent this is a necessity, and herein lies the greatest danger of failure in the keeping of poultry. A hen that is healthy and active, and no other kind are good layers. Healthy hens are on the go continually, and they keep things well stirred up. This con-tinual digging and stirring of the ground inside of the enclosure is quite

STUNG IN I:ER AMBITION. (Boston Transcript.)

ene" ial, so long as the ground is dry

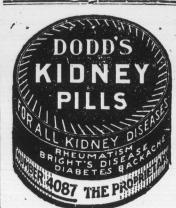
"So Margaret's boy is a mere accountant and she had such great hopes of him. "Yes, poor woman; she little knew that she was nursing an adder at her

breast." Minard's Liniment For Burns, Etc.

> MAKING IT FIT. (London Opinion)

"Did you hear about the defacement of Mr. Skinner's tombstoner" asked Mr. Brown a few days after the funeral of that eminent captein of industry. "No, what was 1tr" inquired his neighcuriously.
omeone added the word 'friends' to "What was the enitarh?"
"He did his best."

A PREACHER'S PLAINT. (North China Standard.) Doctor: Do you talk in your sleep! Patient: No; I talk in other people's. 'm a clergyman.



LEARN TO DO WITHOUT

If you find yourself unable to live within your income, there are just two remedies; either you must increas your income, or reduce your standard of living. That proposition is so simple that a six-year-old child should grasp it, but it seems too much for a lot of us grown-ups, says Carl Marshall, in the Thrift Magazine. If Marshall, in the Thrift Magazine. If we could examine the budgets of most of the people who are howling so lustly about the high cost of living and the difficulty of making both ends meet, you would find that the tap-root of their troubles is that they are buying too many things that they could get along without. The plain truth is that the standard of living that has been adopted by the vast majority of Americans is entirely too high for Americans is entirely too high for sound economics. The masses of our people insist upon having a great deal more in the way of expensive luxuries than can be supplied by any possible adjustment of the forces of production. It is simply not physically possible for everybody to have fresh laid eggs, the choicest cuts of steak and out of season fruits and vecesables.

eggs, the choicest cuts of steak and out-of-season fruits and vegetables. Neither can there be a piano in ev-ery home, or costly furs and laces for every woman. There are not enough of these things to go around, and that is all there is to it.

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Nor is the remedy to be found by
the easy process of raising everybody's wages. That would not make
make diamonds more plentiful, add to
the number of minks and foxes, or increase the percentage of porterhouse steak in a fat steer. Raising wages merely adds to production cost, and at the same time feeds the passion

A Witness Testifies SHE WAS WEAK AND NERVOUS



ton, Ont. — "About five years ago
uffering with woman's trouble. I
became all run-down
weak and nervous. I
was so completely
down and out that I
could not do anything, could scarcely
dress myself. I had
the doctor and took
other medicine but
without getting better until I began
taking Dr. Pierro's
Favorite Preceription and his Golden
Medical Discovery.
It was only neces-

Medical Discovery.

It was only necessary for me to take about three bottles when I was completely restored to health and strength and I have been in better health than I ever was before. I have had no use for medicine since, but should I need it I would take these same remedies, knowing them to be arrelled.

Ft. Saskatchewan, Alta.:—"It is with reat pleasure that I write the following and great pleasure that I write the following and I hope it will help the many sufferers who do not know the good Dr. Pierce's medicines would do them if they would try them. "In regard to my condition, I will say that I suffered from childhood from a very weak back; I had the misfortune of having spinal meningitis when I was one year old and until I was 13 I did not see a well day, but a very kind lady told my mother about Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and she got a bottle to try it. It did me so much good that mother got me 6 bottles. Recentgood that mother got me 6 bottles. Recently I happened with a car accident and burt my back badly. My doctor gave me up and said I would not live, but I still stick to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and to my surprise in three weeks I was out of bed and better. I owe my life to it and nothing

else, and shall never be without it.
"If any sufferer wishes to write I will answer with pleasure."—MRS. NOEL-BARTHOLOMEW.

for over-buying. The real remedy, both for individual and for the nation, is diminshed consumption of needless things. This will divert labor to the production of necessities, with a con-sequent reduction of cost, and at the same time, provide a margin of income

over expenditures.
Of course, these are all very fundamental economies, but it will do us no good merely to know it; we must apply it. Failure to apply this doctrine is the cause of most of the economic discontent that hurts. People have got into their heads that they are entitled to more of the world's good things than they are able to earn. The man who is living beyond his income, is not "playing the game," as our English friends put it. No one has a right to more than he can pay for and the fellow who tries to get it, is usually due for some hard bumps. The sensible thing to do is, first, to find out the things you think you can get, then pick out from them the things you want most, then set abou gettin gthese things first. When na-tions adopt this policy, it is called political economy; when individuals adopt it, it is called thrift. It is simply the principle of the square deal, or trying to get the things we are entitled to, and no more.

In upper New York one day last summer, the writer paused on his way to watch some workers who were building a big factory. Nearby was a time-battered old gentleman seated in a big luxurious car who also seemed to be watching the job. He turned out to be the contractor who was putting up the building, and he gave us some information as to the details of the steel construction that was going on before us. Then he invited me to ride down to the city with him. "It must be a great pleasure to be able to irde about at will in a vehicle like this, but I got ready to enjoy it by serving my time behind a wheelbar

WHAT HE ORDERED. (Pearson's Weekly.) Chatty Waiter (giancing out of window): "The rain'll be here in a mindow): "The rain'll be here in a min-ute or two now, sir." Customer: "Well, I didn't order it I'm waiting for a chop.

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Perhaps shaved soap is the most efective and harmless washing agent with the washing machine. But it takes time to shave time to shave laundry soap. As an alternative you may use soap chips or some sort, but may use soap chips of some sort, but be sure always to pour very hot water—boiling water, in fact—en the soap chips so that they dissolve thoroughly before putting them into the washer. Otherwise the action on the clothes may be too strong. This is a good precaution, either washing in a machine or in the good old fashioned way.

Ammonia used not too aburdantly is as harmless as anything that you may use, and if you soak your clothes the night before a good plan is to mix a tub of water with the chill off. Add ammonia and let the clothes soak in this water all night. Then wring

this water all night. Then wring them out before putting them in the hot water and soap. Where you have a machine it is a simple matter to put them through the electric wringer. But wringers, electrical wringers, especially have their dangers. They simply have no consideration for buttons, so you must learn the trick of looking out for the buttons yourself when feeding the clothes.

Of course, you do not want to seek

any woollens, stockings or knitted under things. However, it helps to keep them for ten minutes in water in which you have mixed borax. Some people never use the washer for flan-nels or stockings, as it is not a diffi-cult matter to wash them out on a board, though of course woollen things should be rubbed as little as possible. And be sure not to use water that is too hot. To be perfectly accurate, it is not well to use water any warmer than one hundred degrees, and if you wish to use it cooler than this, it will be better, though flannels should never be put into excessively cold water. Silk under things should be kept from extremely hot water just as carefully as should woollens. Some persons never dry flannels or woollens of any sort with a wringer, preferring to have this done by hand.

With the usual wash, remember that with the usual wash, remember that no matter how well the things are washed your clothes will not appear clean if they are not thoroughly rinsed in more than one rinse water. Remember, too, that even if you use a washer garments or table linen that are stained should be attended to between watering them in soan water. So fore putting them in soap water. So the things to be laundered should be well sorted over. A good many stains will come out if you merely pour boiling water through them before they have been put into soes water. Also it is a good idea to check over clothes, that may be quite grimy, no matter if they have been worn only a short time, and then to rub the specially soiled spots with soap before putting them in to wash. In this way you will not need to look out for the soiled spots later, nor will you have to wash the clothes so long if the specially soiled spots have already

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for women of to-day really don! for women of to-day really don't know much about jaundry secrets— that of you have your clothen properly or have them hung properyl and dried as they should be you can get along with less ironing and the ironing will be easier and will take less time. For instance, table linen and bed linen should be hung and dried straight. If they are then it will be simpler to prepare them for ironing.—

The Uses of Sphagnum Moss

(Experimental Farms Note.) (Experimental Farms Note.)

These plants (for there are many species of Sphagnum) grow best in a climate that is moist and only moderately warm in summer. They are one of the chief forms of vegetation to be found growing in the swampy region known as "Muskegs." Sphagnum bogs occur principally in Nextoundland, the Maritime Provinces, Northeastern Quebec, Labradar and the western parts of British Columbia.

The Sphagnum plant consists of a stem and branches which are clothed with small, numerous, overlapping leaves. They differ from most other leaves. They differ from most cher mosses in being entirely devoid of rootlets. Another peculiarity of the Sphagnum is that the leaf never has a central vein or midrib. The outer part of the stem as well as a considerable part of the leaf is composed of a large number of special "absorbent cells" which are able to take up and hold water like a sponge. The amount of water absorbed varies according to the species, but ranges from ten to twenty times the weight of the dry Sphagnum. Owing to the ability of these cells to absorb the water required by the plant for its development the presence of rootlets is unnecessary. Sphagnum usually grows in a situation where the soil undernieath is permanently damp.

grows in a situation where the soil underneath is permanently damp. Sphagnum or Bog Moss has been used for a considerable period as a packing meterial for plants. Owing to its power of retaining moisture, it helps to keep rooted plants in a fresh condition until they errive at their destination. It is also extremely useful when dried as bedding material for horses. rial for horses.

But it is owning to its use since

But it is owning to its use since the beginning of the war in the form of absorbent pads for dressing wounds that Sphagnum has recently gained an importance hitherto unknown. Cotton is so largely in demand for the manufacture of explosives that some substitute had to be found and in any case cotton wool found and in any case cotton wool has an absorptive power of only four to five times its own weight. Of the species of Sphagnum found growing on this continent four are used for this purpose. When collecting the moss great care should be taken to have it free from any admixture of leaves, twigs or roots of other plants which may be growing in the immediate vicinity. Each handful should be squeezed gently to remove excessive moisture, but care should be taken not to break the main stem. The moss should be spread in thin layers to not to break the main stem. The moss should be spread in thin layers to dry; before the drying process is complete it should be gone over carefully and sorted, after which the d.ied moss may be packed into bags or light boxes for despatch to the depot where it is required. The final making up into pads of the sizes required should be left to be done by the experts of the War Department.

the experts of the War Department.

At the present time Scotland is turning out these pads at the rate of four millions per month, while Canada during the year 1913 was asked to supply twenty millions of such pads.

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And there are others waiting in Algeciras, the future bridge-nead to the African railway system. Therefore Fritz, several of him, has taken up his abode in an inn opposite the dusty harbor station.

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Fourteen years ago the kaiser's delegates to the Algeciras conference, having loeked hungrily for weeks toward the African headlands opposite, finally infermed the spoiled child of Europe that he could not have all he wanted. France and other people had friends as well as rights. Then the kaiser determined finally upon war.

Now, until she comes again into the political limelight, Alereries takes a siesta in her wonderful sunshine, and fashionable Britain makes rendezvous in the Heina Cristina hotel, which to my knowledge has no counterpart in Europe and perhaps scarcely any on the habitable giobe.

Here in the glorious gardens over the bay, one glow of myriad arums and white iris and roses and flowers I cannot even name, milracle-workers, the people who make the spells, take a rest. It is a country house and a country club together, and it looks ecross its terraced gardens toward Gibraltar and to the African mainland.

Algerciras in as English discovery served from Bohadilla junction by an English railway company and a resting place of many whose daily round for weeks on end is upon the rock opposite. Ronda of balcony fame, up in the hills, was perhaps never as good as it used to be. It is Tivoli without its t's-trees, temple and (alas?) now torrent.

But Algeciras was never so good as it is. At sundown great white birds settle in flocks upon one tall tree in the garden and turn it into a snow pillar, and at sunrise the faint scent comes up to my bedroom window from an orange tree in fruit and flower, the same that was brought here in fruit overnight to please an English lady who wanted to "wake among cranges"

Along the cliff edge towards "Sandy Cove," where adorable English children are padding in the sun, there is a carpet of blue crocus, edged with scanled, while the forecr'ng broom throws dashes of almost violet gold into the color scheme.

Down by the sleeny port dusty strings of

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SHOULDN'T NEGLECT IT. (Boston Transcript.) "My daughter, professor, plays en

tirely by ear.
"And arn't you having her treater INTRUDERS.

"Why don't you take children is this apartment nouse"
"Their crying," replied the janitor
"is liable to interfere with the phono

graphs and player pianos.' GETTING DISCOURAGE. (Boston Transcript.)
"Your father did not object to ou marriage as much as I expected."
"Oh, poor pana has given up the ide of being too particular."

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"In our complex civilization on scarcely knows what ethical principles to follow," says a writer. On might set forth reasonably confiden in the Ten Commandments and the Sermon on the Mount.—St. Louis Globe-Democrate. Globe-Democrat.

PRODUCING

MILK AT LOSS

Says Report of Farm Min

ister's Committee.

Eight Gallons Cost \$3.26. Average Price \$3.02.

Toronto, Sept. .- Hon. Mannias Doherty's committee has made

interim report on the cost of producing milk in the counties of York, Oxford and Dundas. The cost, based on

a survey of certain farms in York

County, for an eight-gallon can of

milk is placed at \$2.96. To this fig-

ure it is necessary to add 30 cents for

city delievry, bringing the price up to \$3.26 per can, as against \$3.25, the

wholesale price, which, it 's proposed,

will govern the retail distribution of

milk in Toronto for the winter

A statement accompanying the re-

A statement accompanying the report from the Minister of Agri 'repoints out that, while \$3.25 per can is the winter price prevailing for eight months, and \$2.65 the price for the four summer months, the average price received for the year in \$3.02 per eight-gallon can of milk, yet, according to the figures compiled

by the committee, the actual cost of milk the year round per eight-gallon can is \$3.26. "It is evident, therefore," says the Minister, "that the producer is moderate in his request

"So far as the consumer is concern "So far as the consumer is concern-ed," says Mr. Doherty, "I have always felt that if the consumer really un-derstood the cost of production of such articles as milk he would be

such articles as milk he would be quite satisfied to pay a fair price, and I feel that the best interests of all will be served by giving the widest publicity to the facts and lacins a fair price on the necessities of life, and making any economies which may be necessary on the luxuries.

REVOLUTION

for a winter price."

ITALY NEAR



Sept. 19, 1920 Evils of Intemperance

Temperance Lesson Proverbs 23:19-21, 29-35. Commentary.—I. Good counsel (vs. 19—21). 19. Hear thou Take good heed. My son. The inspir d writer speaks as a father or teacher who is giving intsruction to an inex-perienced youth. The address here is perienced youth. The address here is tender and impressive. Be wise.—It means much to use the means within one's reach to become wise. The exhortation here given implies that one can direct his actions wisely if he will. Guide thine heart in the way. God has endowed us each with conscience and reason. He has further endowed us with will, or the power of choice. The responsibility is placed upon us of recognizing what is the right way and or directing our step therein. 20. Be not among winebib-bers— We are counseled not only to refrain from strong drink, that is, not to be winebibbers ourselves, but also not to be companions to them. There is great danger in associating with those who are evil in their practices and habits. Riotous eaters of flesh— Here is a warning against gluttony. It is a sin against the body, and a sin also against God, to gorge one's self with feod. The appetite craves food from time to time and there is discomfort if its demands are not met, but the wrong lies in eating in excess of bodily needs for the sake of gratifying the appetite. 21. Shall come to poverty—Strong drink indulged in calls for more drink and still more until money and all other property is gone.
II. Questions answered (ve. 29, 30). 29. Who hath woe? Who hath sorrow —"Who hath Oh? who hath Alas?"—
R.V., margin. These words express sorrow and suffering of the most intense degree. Here is woe that includes loss of health, loss of strength, loss of property, loss of mental pow-er, loss of affection, loss of friends loss of reputation, loss of character loss of life, loss of heaven. "Some one has called this lesson the drunkard's looking-glass. It is also the other end of the moderate drinker's career." "It is scientifically indisputable fact, that alcoholic beverages more than any other one factor un-dermine the physical and intellectual powers of the race, endanger the genpowers of the race, endanger the general welfare, and create hereditary allments and degeneracy. More than half of the inmates of our penal institutions were actuated by alcohol to the criminal deeds for which they

the time dethroned, self-control is lacking, and dangerous disputes arise. Babbling-"Complaining"-R. V. is a common thing for the drunken man to talk foolishly, as well as complainingly. Persons under the influence of alcohol say things they would have no thought of uttering when they sober. Caution and modesty are for the time being absent, and the tongue is given loose rein. Wounds without cause — Because strong drink takes away reason, and stirs a quar-relsome spirit, the victim is not in a condition to use prudence in pro-tecting himself. Uncounted end unpal*--- revenue it provides is immeasurably beneath the cost of the poverty recorded saloon brawls are a sad commentary upon these words. The wife and children of the drunkard times without number suffer such wounds at the hands of those who should be their natural protectors.

were convicted: about one-fourth of

the insane and feeble-minded owe their pitable fate to alcohol." Who

hath contentions—The spirit of strong

and contention. Given a company of

men with appetites for strong drink

30. they that tarry long at the wine

The answer to the questions of the preceding verse. No other class of men answers to the description nearly as well as drunkards. One of the prominent features of the drinking health is the teatures of the drinking habit is the tendency to follow up one drink with another. The Japanese have a proverb: "A man took a drink, then the drink took a drink, then the drink took the man." This is where the fallacy of the moderate drinker ap-To continue to drink moderate pears. To continue to drink moderately is the exception and not the rule, for the rule of strong drink is, more and more until the day of final destruction. mixed wine—Not different kinds of wines mixed together, but wines with spices, aromatic herbs and other ingredients, introduced to heighten the flavor and increase their

intoxicating power.

Exhortation and warning (vs III. Exhortation and warning (vs. 31-35) 31. look not thou—The steps often follow the eyes, and the exhortation is appropriate. Temptation is more easily resisted when first presented than later. He who recognizes the temptation, and parleys with it, has already half yielded to its power. We are urged to keep away from the vile thing, and ever consider it as vile when it is red—The wines of Paleswhen it is red—The wines of Pales-tine were chiefly red and these were preferred to the white, and wines were even tinted to highten the color, giveven tinted to highten the color, giveth his color in the cup. "Exarkleth in the cup." The color is the cup—"Sparkleth in the cup." The color is made to the bead, or eye upon the wine, that sparkles to please the fancy of the lover of strong drink, when it moveth itself aright—"When it goeth down smoothly." The color is the last—The sight of the wine may be pleasing, the taste and odor may be attractive, the companionship offered may be inviting but "ion ship offered may be invited to high the color of good government. It is the most lawless organization in existence, and ruthlessly violates every human and divine ordinance which interferes with its nefarious purposes. It is a striking confession and commentary that, in times of carried also that the liquor trafit is the enemy of good government. It is the most lawless organization in existence, and ruthlessly violates every human and divine ordinance which interferes with its nefarious purposes. It is a striking confession and commentary that, in times of carried also that the liquor trafit is the enemy of good government. It is the most lawless organization in existence, and ruthlessly violates eve attractive, the companionship offered may be inviting, but "at the last" it is something very different. It prom-ises well at the beginning, but is a base deceiver. biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder—The meaning is that it stings painfully and fatally it may also mean comprehen-sively: for there is no wound more immediately prevalent in its effects over all the functions than the bite of over all the functions than the one of noisonous snake, which at once affects the blood, the digestive organs and the mind. So is it with intoxicating blooms, Our felloate and composite physical nature, our intellect, and our one large all destroyed by it. The process species of snake here referred. to as an adder is not known.—Ill.

said to be hooked inward; they are easy to slide in, but are hard to get out when fastened on their victims."

33. thine eyes shall behold strange women—"Thine eyes shall behold strange things."—R. V. The drunkard's vision i sconfused, distorted. One of the effects of wine is to inflame the passions, and arouse the baser nature. The carousals that attend the freely flowing wine are void of all decency and a reproach to civilization. The Revised Version intimates one of the fearful effects of continued indulgence in alcoholic beverages, delirium gence in alcoholic beverages, delirium tremens. thine heart shall utter perverse things—With the intellect clouded, and the moral sense blurred by indulgence in drink, the drunkard says the most unreasonable things.

34. Lieth down in the midst of the sense it means death for more the lies.

sea—It means death for one to lie down in the waters of the sea with the thought of throwing off all care and simply resting. One may flote in the water, but he cannot safely lie down there as he would throw himself on a couch for rest. Drunken men pay little regard to where they go or where couch for rest. Drunken men pay little regard to where they go or where they sink down in their stupor. Upon the top of a mast—The drunkard is utterly regardless of life. He is as one falling asteep clasping the masthead, whence in a few minutes he must either fall down upon the deck and be dashed in pieces, or fail into the sea and be drowned.—Clarke. 35. Stricken—not sick—The victim of alcohol is unconscious of the ruin his course is unconscious of the ruin his course is bringing upon him. His conscience is dulled and his heart hardened. Beaten -felt it not-He is bruised but will not relet it not—He is bruised but will not acknowledge the injury. When shall I awake—Others read it, "When I awake." After one debauch is over the victim plunges into another. I will seek it yet again—The chains of habit have become thoroughly fixed, and only through the grace of God can deliverance be found.

deliverance be found.

QUESTIONS.—How long ago were the words of this lesson written? How does the sin of intemperance of that does the sin of intemperance of that time compare with the same sin to-day? How does strong drink destroy happiness? What is there about wine that is attractive? Why are we for-bidden to look at it? To what is it compared in the lesson? What effects are mentioned in this lesson? What is the sure way to evoid becoming a sure way to avoid becoming a drunkard?

PRACTICAL SURVEY Topic.-Alcohol-raise claims and

true charges.
I. Faise claims.

II. True charges.
I. False claims. Sin is always deceitful. Evil instinctively see as dargness or disguise. It never presents itself in its true character. rleasure itself in its true character. Pleasure or profit is always the ground of private or public appeal. Every indulgence or system of wrong seeks support by faise claims. Neither is ever necessary or profitable to individuals or nations, possesses any inherent rights and can impose obligations except for its overthrow. Its nurpose is cept for its overthrow. Its purpose is always destructive and its results ruinous. It is an intruder in a universe originally planned for holiness. The use of aicohol can be traced to a very use of aiconol can be traced to a very early period of history. The first record appears in scripture immediate-ly succeeding the frood. In sacred and men with appetites for strong distance and all beral supply of liquor, and ly succeeding the flood. In sacred and there are sure to be quarrels and profane history its course can be fights. Conscience and reason are for traced. It is the most ancient, the most universal and the most gigantic evil of all time. The manufacture and sale of intoxicating poverages has no place among legitimate industries. place among legitimate industries.
Science has discovered that alcohol Science has discovered that alcohol never exists in any normal or healthy substance. It is always the product of decomposition, and is the expinee of rottenness. The claims of lod or medicinal value have long been disproved by science. The claim of revenue is equally false. Legitimate industries would afford increased, and more remunerative, employment. The palton revenue it provides is immea-

and crime engendered.

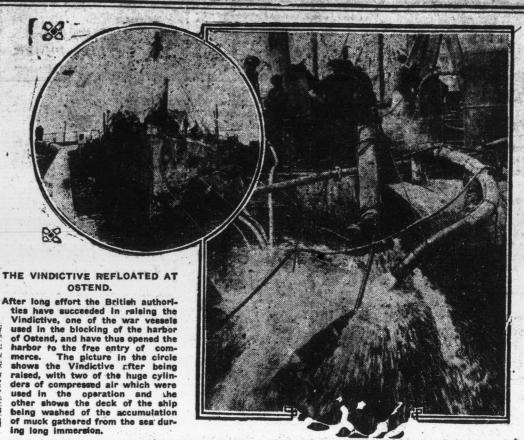
11. True charges. It is charged against the manufacture and use of alcohol for beverage purposes that it is the enemy of the individual, of the home and of the state. Its use week home and of the state. Its use weak-ens physical energy, destroys brain ens physical energy, destroys brain power and blunts the moral faculties. Under its influence men forsake their high plane, are unfitted for social and ecome more imbruted than the brute become more imbruted than the brute itself. Its inspirations are always criminal. The saloon is the natural rendezvous of thieves, gamblers, blacklegs It is the habitat of criminals of every hue. From saloons went forth Wilkes Booth, Guitteau, Czolgosz and many another fired for their murderous tasks. The home is dependent upon the individual and is dependent upon the individual and is dependent upon the individual and is the vital center of both personal and national life. No nation can rise above the standard of its average home. By its injury to the individual, alcohol becomes the inavitable for of alcohol becomes the inevitable foe of the home, which takes procedence among all civinely-established institutions among men. It antedates both church and nation, and is the founda-tion of both. Its impairment affects wide interests. Its integrity is vital and its injury irreparable. Alcohol transforms the natural protectors of childhood into unnatural monsters robs infancy of its inalienable rights. To be well born is the right of every new member of the race. This is im-possible where alcohol holds sway. It is charged also that the liquor traf

FROST IN ALTA.,

But Most of Grain Beyond Danger Stage.

Edmonton, Sept. .- There was quite a little frost in the Edmonton district last night, and it is estimated that some of the late crops may have suffered damage, but not to any serious extent. Most of the grain in this district has passed the danger stage. This has been an excellent fall, and to a an adder is not known.—III.

Note: "The teeth of the serpent are





JOHN TERRANCE MACSWINEY

brother of the Lord Mayor of Cork, MacSwiney was drafted under the Military Service Act at Iroquois Falle in 1918. For refuest to wear the uniform, he was court-martialed and sentenced to two years' imprisonment, but was released in March, 1919, returning to Ireland.

the cutting in the Edmonton district is completed, something over 60 per cent. Cutting is finished in the south and in the central portion of the pro vince 70 to 80 per cent. In the south and east of the province threshing is going on. There is a little threshing in this district, but it is not general

ENVER TO LEAD REDS ON INDIA

Berlin, Sept. —At the request of Premier Lenine and War Minister Trot-zky, of the Soviet Government, Enver Pasha, the Turkish Nationalist leader, has been made commander-in-chief of the Bolshevist forces mobilized against India, according to advices received here from Moscow. It includes the Bolshevik troops in the Caucasus, Per-sia, Afghanistan and Turkestan, the despatches declare.

Enver spent two days at the Red army headquarters at Smolensk with Trotzky, and thereafter was received with much ceremony by Lenine at

In diplomatic circles the move by Moscow is regarded largely as a man-oeuvre to force England to a quicker peace with Russia.

Winter Wheat

Results of Experiments

Winter wheat is one of the chief money crops of Ontario. Its market value for the Province amounted to about thirty-five million dollars in

Fourteen varieties of winter wheat have been grown under experiment at the Catario Agricultural College for twenty-rive years with average results for this period as follows: Yield of grain per acre 43.9 bushels, yield of straw per acre 2.8 tons, and weight per measured bushel 80.8 founds. The results for 1999 were 2.8 founds. The results for 1999 were 2.8 results for 1920 were 3 per cent. less results for 1920 were 3 per cent. less in yield of grain per acre, 29 per cent. less in yield of straw per acre, and 2 per cent. greater in weight per measured bushel than the average results for the whole period. In fifteen years of the twenty-five year period, the yields of grain per acre surpassed those of 1920. In only nine years of the twenty-five year period were the the twenty-five year period were the weights per measured bushel greater than those of 1920.

Experiments at the college have shown that the best results have been obtained from sowing large, plump, sound, well-matured seed of strong vitality. Seedings which have taken place from the 28th of August to the 9th of September have given better results than those of either earlier or later dates.

later dates.

Five varieties of winer wheat have been distributed for co-operative experiments throughout Ontario in each of the past four years. The following table gives the average results in bushels of grain per acre for 1920, and for the average of the four years:

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	Bushels	per Acre.
:		Average
Varieties.	1230.	4 Vears
A. C. No. 104	26.9	26.3
mproved Dawson's		
Golden Chaff	26.4	25.1
mproved Imperial		
Amber	22.7	24.2
harkov	22.3	21.1
aroslaf	173	90.0

The O.A.C. No. 104 was decidedly the most popular variety of those under test, eighty-two per cent. of the experimenters giving it first choice.

This new hybrid wheat will be distributed this autumn in connection with the co-operative experiments to every person who asks for the experiment with varieties of winter wheat. DISTRIBUTION FOR EXPERI-

MENTS IN AUTUMN 1920. As long as the supply lasts, marerial will be distributed free of charge in the order in which the applications are received from Ontario farmers wishing to experiment and to report the results of any one of the following tests: 1 Three varieties of wining tests: 1, Three varieties of win-ter wheat; 2, One variety of winter



PRINCESS MARY.

Who is being invited by the Canadian National Exhibition to visit the Ex-hibition in 1921, which will be "Women's Year."

rye and one of winter wheat; 3. Spring applications of five fertilizers with winter wheat; 4, autumn and spring applications of nitrate of soda and common salt with winter wheat; 5, winter emmer and winter barley; 6, Hairy vetches and winter rye as fodder crops. The size of each plot is to be one rod wide by two rods long. Fertilizers will be sent by express be one rod wide by two rods long. Fertilizers will be sent by express for number 4 this autumn and for number 3 this spring. All seed will be sent by mail except that for number 4, which will accompany the fertilizers.—C. A. Zavitz, Agricultural College, Guelph, Ont., August 21st, 1920.

MAY LOSE WEALTH.

Salem, Mass., Sept. .- An attempt will be made by appeal to a jury to break the will of Edward F. Searles, The date for a hearing on the issues will be set later by agreement of the aged recluse or Methuen, who left an estate estimated at \$50,000,000 with Arthur T. Walker, New York, formerly a school teacher in Ontario, as residuary legatee. Counsel for Albert Victor Searles, Boston, a nephew, made this announcement when the will came up for probate to-day, saying that a formal motion for a jury trial would be filed within ten days.

Searles nephew is an artist. The multi-millionaire left him only \$250,000 and stipulated that he should lose feit everything if he contested the will. The date for a hearing on the issues



tries Threatened. Employers Are Resisting Passively.

> Paris, Sept. *.—That the meeting on Sept. 10 of the executive councils of the Italian Federations of Labor will discuss socialization of all the productions in case the employers remain hostile, is believed from Italian despatches received here. Italy in on the brink of a Communistic revolution. The Italian General Confederation

Socialization of All Indus-

of Labor, formally moderate, is now directing the Communist menace. The directing the Communist menace. The confederation will not call a general strike, but, unless the employers submit, will force an industrial revolution on Soviet lines. The confederation already has proclaimed its solidarity with the metallurgists.

Employers are resisting massively.

Employers are resisting passively and declare they are not responsible for debts or selling contracts made by workers controlling their works. Oc-cupied factories are unable to produce a normal output, lacking material and

LAYS 104 EGGS IN 104 DAYS

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. .—A record yet to be beaten in continuous egglaying has, according to F.C. Elftrd, Dominion poultry husbandman, been made by a barred rock pullet at the Experimental Farm at Kentville, N.S. This pullet has laid 104 eggs in 104 days. As a rule a hen lays two or three and then misses a day, and some are known to have laid five or six dozen without a break, but never before, in the knowledge f the Dominion Poultry Department has a hen laid 104 eggs without a miss.

WILL BURN IT

Rather Than Sell Tobacco Low, Say N. C. Farmers.

Newburn, N.C., Sept. . .- With five million pounds of tobacco ready for American and foreign buyers on the American and foreign buyers on the opening day of the world's largest loose leaf tobacco markets, several towns in eastern North Carolina closed their tobacco warehouses in protest against the low prices offered by large tobacco corporations, Prices opened 25 to 40 per cent.

Prices opened 25 to 40 per cent. lower than last season, the best grades selling from forty to sixty cents per pound while the poorer grades brought only eight to fifteen cents.

Farmers and business men in various sections of this State are holding mass meetings to night to deformine

mass meetings to-night to determine what action further than temporarily closing the market shall be taken. It is pointed out that with a 25 per cent. decrease in tobacco production this year and a big increase in consumption, the market should be as high if not higher than last year.

At Wilson, N.C., the largest single

loose leaf tobacco market in the world, loose leaf tobacco market in the world, prices averaged 20 cents per pound, against 40 cents last year. The farmers declare they will burn their tobacco before they will sell at these



YOUTH COMMANDS RUSS REGIMENT.

above photo illustrates the extre mitles to which the Russian armies in Poland are reduced.
was taken just after the capture of the Polish city of Grajewa, and shows a twenty-yes
youth, who is in command of a regiment, addressing those of his forces who remained. twenty-year-old



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William H. Morris, Editor and Proprietor

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1920

MISSION CIRCLE NOTES.

On the afternoon of Wednesday, Aug. 20, the girls of the Mission Cir-cle met at the home of Mrs. Newton to bid farewell to Mrs. T. S. Kendrick, who has been their honorary presi-

dent.

The honorary and active members were present, and after a sociable time Mrs. Kendrick was presented with a set of individual bread and the following adbutter spreads, and the following ad-

ress was read:

o the Honorary President of the
Bluebird Mission Circle,

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cle, feel deep regret at your departure from our midst.

However, we feel assured that your kind motherly prayers will yet be ours when you have left us to take up your duties in your new home.

True to your motherly instincts, you have ever given us kind help in our Circle and the best of counsel. We feel that mere words but futily express our sense of appreciation be-

cause of your efforts. Therefore we ask you to accept this present from the girls as a slight token of our love

Our lives can best repay you for your efforts on our behalf, and, so, we will ever labor for the Master.

Myrtle, Cross, President, Grace Conlon, Treasurer.

Mrs. Kendrick then replied, expressing her sorrow at leaving the girls; then luncheon was served on the lawn of the parsonage.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bluebird Mission Circle met at the home of Miss Marian Cornell on Tuesday evening, Sept. 7th. After the regular meeting, the girls presented Miss Selena Pritchard with a silver tray and read the following address:

Dear Selena,-As this is our last neeting together, we take this opportunity of expressing our appreciation of your help.

We have always found you ready and willing to help us in our Circle work, and we are sure no president could be more faithful to her duties than you were while president of our Bluebird Mission Circle.

Your example, not only in your Circle work but in your daily life, is one that any girl would be proud to follow, and we are sure many have. We have never heard you say that you had done your share when you might well have pleaded that as an excuse for not helping others, but you were always ready to do more than your share.

We shall miss you in our work, but our loss is someone else's gain, and we know you will never be content unless doing something to carry on the good work.

Accept this gift, and with it our wish that all joy and happiness will be yours in your new home.

Signed on behalf of the Bluebird Mission Circle,

Marian Nash Cornell, Martha L. Carl.

Miss Pritchard replied, thanking he girls and assuring them that she would always think of the Bluebird Mission Circle, of which she has been o long a member.

Refreshments were then served and pleasant hour spent.

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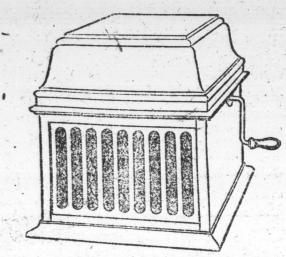
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Cottage Prayer Meeting Monday at

Prayer Meeting Wednesday at, 7,30

PARISH OF

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Christ Church, Athens-

8,00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School. 7.30 p.m.—Evening Prayer. Trinity Church, Oak Leaf—
19.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.

St. Paul's Church, Delta— 1.30 p.m., Sunday school.

2.30 p m Harvest Thanksgiving Service

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BLIND BABIES--AN APPEAL

An Open Letter to the Generously Disposed.

A few weeks ago I came across in the London Spectator an appeal by Sir Arthur Pearson, in behalf of a specially halpless class of the com-

munity, in which he says:
"At Sunshine House, Chorley Wood,
we have 25 babies who are being
taught to be little human beings, so
far as that is possible, from their
earliest days until the age of five,
when they are transferred to the residential schools for the blind. There
are ehough poor blind babies in the are enough poor blind babies in the Kingdom to fill six Sunshine Houses, and I want money to enable me to start the other five."

From this it would appear that in England there is room and need for six homes for blind bables and only one in existence. But here, in this favored Canada, nothing has heretofore been done in this direction, except a movement commenced last year by the late Mr. T. Hope Churchill, of Toronto. who, after collecting between one and two thousand dollars, specially deposited in a local bank to the credit of the fund, asked me to aid him in raising a sufficient sum to purchase premises for the proposed home. Having warm sympathy with Mr. Churchill's praiseworthy enterprise, I promised to give him the nec essary assistance, but circumstances prevented me undertaking the work until the present time, and meanwhile death suddenly removed Mr. Church-ill. Now, in order that the money collected may be utilized for the pur pose for which it was subscribed, a charter (without stock subscription) is being secured so that the incorpor ated company can legally and properly lay claim to the money in the bank and proceed to carry out the objects for which the charter is sought, viz.

To provide a refuge for baby and infant blind, to provide free scientific care, training and maintenance, to save the lives of even a few of the many of such unfortunates who, for of such service, perish every year; and to return these little ones to their parents, at school age, with normal healthy bodies and sound minds." Such, in brief, is the task before the promoters. Money is urgently required to carry it to successful com

pletion. Canadians have never been known to turn their backs on any de-serving cause, claiming their aid, and surely this appeal will meet with a generous response. Help now, with-out waiting to be called upon by a collector, so that the close of the year may see "The Blind Babies' Home, Nursery and Kindergarten" in successful operation in the Capital city of Canada. Cheques may be "Canadian Blind Babies" payable to Home." A All remittances will be

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A CANDID WITNESS

In the examination of an Irish case for assault, counsel of cross-examin-ing one of the witnessess, asked him what they had at the first place they stopped at? He answered:

"Four glasses of ale."
"What next? "Two glasses of wine." "What next?" 'One glass of brandy."

What next? "A fight, of course!"

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AT THE MUSICALE.

(Boston Transcript.) "Professor Adagio just raved over Josephine's playing."
"How rude! Why couldn't he conceal his fee! ags like the rest of us?

Pacific coast eggs, introduced in the Atlantic coast market two years ago, | now command a premium of from one | to two cents in the New York market because of the strict grading by their

Hades Seen in Malaysia

"Kuala Lipis is very near to one's visualization of Hades," writes William Beebe in the Atlantic Monthly liam Beebe in the Atlantic Monthly of a jungle river station in Pahang (Federated Malay states). The American adventurer - naturalist describes the burning, fever stricken remoteness of one of the most inaccessible parts of the world. Near his rose covered dark bungalow in Kuala Lipis, "close under the lofty jungled heights, deep within a blind, hanging valley, six white men welfered in the valley, six white men weltered in the stifling heat and planned the impossible—the combatting of virulent cholera among superstitious Malays."

Mr. Beebe draws an impressive

contrast between man and Nature in the Pahang hinterland—"Wild men of the mountains, Sakais, almost monkey-like in their life, and wandering lepers with dissolving surfaces which once were faces. And in the same country with all these people whose lives were so ptifully hopeless, threading the bamboos and the tree ferns, were wonderful pheasants, indescribable argus, and green peacocks in flore." in flocks.

He writes of floating in a govern-ment houseboat down the Pahang whose "banks teemed with bird life of glorious colors, monkeys who laughed in the night. As one wakes from slumber, so came the dawn, gradually, in these tropical lowlands. The glare of the sudden leap of the sun above the horizon was dimmed, delayed, diluted, by the thick morning mist—mist whose grayness I loved to think of as the exact shade of ele-phant's breath." He had himself pnant's breath." He had himself struggled through an attack of chol-era and adds, as a detail, that it was necessary to have his Malay servants boil the knives and forks an instead of simply washing them in the river—"With dead cholera victims floating past, children and others, and a hundred cases dying down river out of every two hundred, I dared take no

HORRIFIED BY LEPERS.

Once the writer went ashore after peafowl—"and was balancing my ammunition, when a face suddenly appeared, more horrible than any beast, more inhuman than the lowest monkey. It was but the memory of a face, and should have belonged to a corpse long since buried; but, instead, t surmounted a living, well made body. Then I saw three men, and realized that I had engaged, 'sight unseen, three lepers." He continues:

"This horrible shock, together with brief but shorn return of fever med.

a brief but sharp return of fever, made that forenoon a nerve fashioned mirage. The heat and humidity pressed upon me like material substance. I listened, yet dreaded to hear sounds, fearing them only less than the end-less silence which framed them. less silence which framed them. less silence which framed them. When I squatted on a log, the rhythm of the hosts of advancing leeches (a pest with which the Malay jungle is infested), would sometimes seem to merge into a thousand endless, undusting lines of vermin, closing in on lating lines of vermin, closing in on all sides, and the feel of their measur ed loopings on neck or wrist or hat rim was almost unendurable. windless shush, shush of leaves under their combined movement increas ed, until it became a veritable bellow

"I longed to return, but I knew must not. I must not give in to this terror of jungle things which usually aroused only interest. Then came the climax. I had the chance of my life—ten peacocks at close range—and for a while was putting myself togeth er when I fairly screamed and dropped my gun, leaping from the hiding place my gun, leaping from the hiding place and climbing ten feet into a tree ten-anted by fireants, in a trembling sweat of fear. A tiny squirrel—one of the little dwarfs scarcely as long as one's had reacted as from the charge of a buffalo.

MEN IN EVENING CLOTHES.

There is a graphic description of formal dinner Mr. Bebbe attended in the wilderness of Kuala Lipis, its circumstances typical of the manners and customs of the world ranging Briton.
"I shall never forget that entertain

-because of its sinceer hospital ity, its discomfort and the eiem tragedy which ever played and flick ered so near the surface. In breath less heat we donned full evening dress and * * * then had to walk through dense reeds to the house of the government agent.

The air was still and saturated. Crickets chirped, and once an elephant Crickets chirped, and once an experimental triumphed far in the distance. The covered the narrow smoking lantern covered the narrow path with a tapestry of shooting lights and shadows.

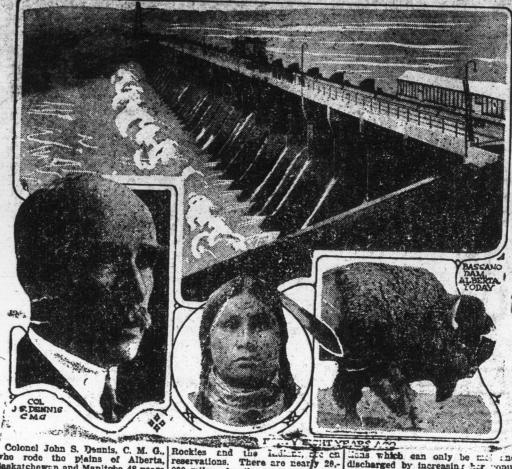
"We dined on a full course English dinner, with heating alcoholic drinks, waited on by a quartette of turban d Indians, with the verspiration pouring down their shining faces. The lamps were gratefully dim, the servants stood silent as ghosts. The atmosphere was tense with an undercurrent of racked perves. We had beared of racked nerves. We had heard rumors of four of the six white people to greet us. Semething, and some thing petty and unreasonable, had kept the other man and woman away.

EFFECTS 93 MERVE-RACK.

"All knew that a deadly epidemic of cholera was surely working its way up river, and preparation for this added to the ghastly climatic and isolated conditions of their daily life. The sight of evening dress brought the memory of the outside world vividity to mind and intensified the terrible trials of this breathless hell. First one, then another, enapped out angrils from time to time, then looked ashamed, but never apologized; that would have been to recognize the from time to time then deadly overwrought nerves, which

must not be spoken of.
"The strain of the breaking point rose and fell, throbbing like the waves. Once a man smashed in and flatly disputed an assertion. For five minutes there was silence heavy minutes there was shence neavy with embarrassment, and attempts at con-trol. The only sounds were the patter-ing of the Malay's feet over the split bamboo, and the squeaking of the is running her high-powered car on dividends she expects from her wild-

Forty-Eight Years in "Canada's Western Empire"



who rode the plains of Alberta, Baskatchewan and Manitoba 48 years occasion, suggested and built in Alberta the largest irrigation sys-tem in North America, recruited thousands of British and Canadians in the United States during the re-cent war and not only volunteered for but saw service with the Can-adian Expeditionary Force in Siberla.

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after five months, refuses to be parted

from its benefactor, and now practi-cally lives in one of the pockets of

About five months ago, in Walt-am the baby squirrel fell and was aurt. A friend of Blum's turned the

little animal over to him in its injured state and he nursed it back to

Since that time the squirrel has been given frequent opportunities coreturning to the haunts of its par-

ents, but persistently declines to go. In Pullman cars, hotels, on the

street, in fact, everywhere, the squir-rel curls itself in Mr. Blum's pocket and nibbles away at the toothsome nuts always to be found there.—Bos-

It is usually safe to say that when a child is pale, sickly, peevish and restless, the cause is worms. These parasites range the stomach and in-

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You Have Catarrh

reservations. There are near 000 miles of railway in the ago, when Indians and buffalo were provinces, or one talle for each 125 plentiful, knows more about "Can-persons and of 225,000,000 acres of persons and or 225,000,000 acres or good agricultural land, but 35,000,ther man. He killed and ate the
buffale, narrowly escaped being
scalped by Indians on at least one
occasion, suggested and built in
Alberta the largest irrigation syshe within filteen miles of these rail-way lines waiting for settlers. "Think of it," says Col. Dennis, "rnd the world crying cut for food." His view is that while Canada has won cent war and not only volunteered for but saw service with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in Siberia.

Now the four western provinces of Canada have a population of 2,500,000, the buffalo are to be found canada's share in the great struggle has involved her in financial obligaa standing among the nations by her

discharged by increasing her copulation and developing her cast ample security for many times her war debt, must be made oductive of wealth through development. Between 1905 and 1914 about 2,500,000 people settled in Canada,

2,500,000 people settled in Canada, the largest proportion in the four western provinces. They left Great Britain, the United States and other countries for their new home, and Col. Dennis believes that 500,000 col. Denms believes that 500,000 each year may follow them until these provinces have a total population of 19,000,000. Canada, he further believes, is destined to be "the keystone in the arch of the British Empire."

LIFE SAVING.

punkah rope, dim jungle sounds, and the rustling of a gecko or snake in the rof. Then I spoke of some cas-ual thing in the outside world, and all leaped hysterically to answer; some-Organizations of volunteer life saver one swore at a servant, and again the nust look to their laurels. Within a few thread of normal conversation was days the National Women's Life Saving "They begged us to talk, talk of the League will be an incorporated body. A little more than a year ago when about fifteen young women got together and with some misgivings decided to organize the league they did not dream that twelve months later it would have a membership of 190 girls, a hundred of whom were good swimmers efficiently posted in the art of life saving, that incorporation papers would be all ready to sign, that plans to open local branches in Beston and New Jersey would be under way with the prospect eventually of estarting similar branches all over the United States.

Most of the fifteen originators were League will be an incorporated body. A coast, of Singapore, of England; but the conversation always settled back cholera. A woman decided-and changed her mind three times in two courses—to clear out to Kuala Lum-pur, then to stick by her husband."

Most of the fifteen originators were Most of the fifteen originators were good swimmers, two or three of them in fact holding certificates for helping to save life in the water and without exception each had spent much of her vacation time in the vicinity of one and another of the stations of the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps.

The names of the officers and projectors given by Miss Mehrters show that

tors given by Miss Mehrtens show that even at the start the league had good material.

For instance Miss Florence

equal on earth for coughs, colus, ca-tarth or throat trouble. You see it's no longer necessary to drug the stomach—that spoils digestion—just simply inhale the balsamic essences. when about 17 years old swam fro when about 17 years old swam from the Battery to Coney Island, was made vice-President: Miss Adeline Trapp, who when 16 years old swam through Hell Gate and was the first woman to do it and who before had earned a silver medal by fescuing a girl from drowning at Old Mill Fort, was elected secretary. Miss Sadie Marrin and Miss Recretary. Miss Sadie Marrin and Allessecretary. Miss Sadie Marrin and Teresa Daly, slated for treasurer and Teresa Daly, slated for treasurer and treasurer respectively, had financial secretary respectively, had been like the other two officers at home in the water since the age of 6 or On the roll were Mrs. Clara Bonton, holder of a medal for saving a man holder of a medal for saving a man from drowning: the Misses McClory, cousins; Miss Rebecca Trapp and Miss Hecklar, off of whom had proved over and over again their power of endurance and cool headedness in the water. "The progress we made at the practice meetings," Miss Mehrtens continued, "was remarkable and the interest we excited in visitors to the baths and out-siders who learned what we were trying to do was alcost incredible. Coming at

first out of curiosity one and another would say, 'I should love to do that.'
"Come on in and learn,' we would suggest, and usually they did. The membership climbed fast, although we only accepted candidates who knew a little about swimming or at least were not timid in the water. One girl I remember who had never learned to swim because she never had a chance, when taken in hand by one of our members actually learned in one lesson, such was her fear lessness and enthusiasm. That is the sort of members we like to get. We adnait no girl to membership under 15 years of age and not then unless she is normally strong and intelligent.

in life "Size doesn't count for much saving. Miss Trapp, for instance, is a little bit of a thing who doesn't weigh, I imagine, 100 pounds, but in an emergency her quickness, coolness and fearlessness count far higher than mere pounds would."

pounds would."

Referring to the training of the members of the National Women's Life Saying League, the president said that during the last six months they have had two courses of lectures given by an Englishman who was formerly a teacher in the Royal Life Saving Society of England, and by a New York physician, the first consisting of lessons in life-saving, taking place Monday and Friday evenings at the Twenty-third street day evenings at the Twenty-third street bath, Manhattan, and the President street bath, Brooklyn; the second

course in first aid to the injured, the half drowned, the stunned, those taken with cramp and so on, being given at rooms in East, Thirty-fourth street.

The life-saving lectures have been conducted like conferences, Miss Mehrtens declared, English and American life-saving methods being compared and discussed and the best points in both selected for practice.

discussed and the best points in both selected for practice.
"According to the teaching of the Royal society," said she, 'any one knows even a little bit about swimming in according well able to help anyone in is perfectly well able to help anyone in the water, provided he is she knows how to avoid or break that drowning clutch, the fear of which scares off so many amateur helpers."

amateur helpers."

The final life-saving lecture will include life-saving tests given during the first week in June, probably at one of the baths, at which time members who prove their skill will receive certificates that they are qualified to teach life-saving scientifically. More than one hundred girls have taken the lessons, and most of them will qualify for a certificate, the president thinks, although it is not likely that many will take up the work professionally.

"Already our example is telling for good in the rablic schools," said the president. "I krough some of our members who terms a land swimming drill has been included in the gymnasium work of several of them and more are sure to follow.

sure to follow

"Visitors have gone back to other cities and told of our league and its aims, with the result that local branches are now being formed in Boston and New Jersey, which means in turn that before a great while probably every seaport town in the United States will have a woman's life-saving league. hope so, anyway."

In answer to the common criticism

that no matter how well a

that no matter, how well a woman can swim, she is apt in time of danger to lose her head, Miss Mehrtens produced a sheaf of letteps and newspaper climpings describing hundreds of rescues effected by women and girls.

"On the contrary," she declared, "it is the exception for a girl who learns to swim when very young to lose her head in time of danger in the water. Take the well known case of Dolly Stevenson, who a few years ago saved a venson, who a few years ago saved a little girl of her own age from drawn ing in Gravesend Bay sixty yards from shore. The drowning child pulled her under once, and when they got to the surface she twisted herself aron... Dol. ly's legs so that if the latter had first-class training both could have lost their lives.

every one most.

"Then there was Mamie Kavanaugh, 12 years old and small at that, who saved a young woman in Jamaica Bay, and Miss Trapp, who was only 14 when she rescued a young woman much larger than herself under circumstances which would have daunted most far more experienced men swimmers. I have at least ten cases on record of rescues by girls of ten to fourteen years of every one most. by girls of ten to fourteen years of age. Now, is it likely that as these children get older they will be less reliant and quick to act in an emerg-

"Here is the case of Mrs. Nickerson, a small woman of fragile appearance who, seeing a small boat upset in a storm off Hoffman Island, was the only one of her party, which included several men, who promptly took measures to have ropes thrown from the yacht they were on to the unfortunates in the wat-er. Her bravery on that occasion was so conspicuous that it earned for her a medal."—N. Y. Sun.

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CHEESE MARKETS. CHEENE MARKETS.

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NOT WANTED HERE.

Undesirable Aliens Reach U. S. Via Canada.

Ottawa, Sept. .- Continental immigrants insist on coming to Canada in contravention of the regulations, and such a number of them have been turned back that the Immigration Department has sent sharply-worded cables to the steamship companies. warning them against bringing in such people. They are mostly Poles and Russian Jews.

Russian Jews.

The immigration regulations do not ban continentals whose relatives or friends here send them a prepaid ticket, but few of them do so. Instead, they come indirectly and thus are not eligible. All of them planning to stay in Canada are heading for the cities, while the greater number aim to get into the United States by the back door and evade the restriction. into the United States by the back door and evade the restrictions in vogue there. A large number have been rejected and taken back at the expense of the steamship companies. The situation has come to be such that the Department has were debt different to the state of the state the Department has warned the different lines to conduct such examinations on the other side as will prevent the futile embarkation of ineligibles.

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She came along humming behind the watched the orange light from the She came along humming behinder closed lipe, and then suddenly arning a corner, stopped dead short with a horrified stare in her eyes. Latrine had come round by one of he lowest dens in the city. Katrine new it both inside and out, for there was no place from hut to hut in Dawon that she was afraid to enter. The loor was standing open. It opened nward, and there was a group of mensome inside and some outside, and mong them they were forcing into the street a drunken woman. The latry to the place was beneath the entry to the place was beneath the evel of the ground, and reached by a few uneven, miry steps, and up these the unfortunate was blindly stumbling der a rain of blows, pushes and rees. She was old, and her hair camed in ragged streaks across her ot eyes, her tawdry skirt was ong, and got under her unsteady feet.
ust as she had managed to totter to the upmost step, a young man in the group behind her struck her a heavy blow between the shoulders. She triped in the long skirt and trod on earing it with a ripping sound from he waist, and fell forward, striking er face on the uneven frozen groun atrine sprung forward, but before the could reach her the woman h taggered to her feet and turned to ace her tormentors, the blood streaming now from her cut lips, her trembling hands vaguely grasping it her torn skirt and trying to keep it to her waist. A roar of laughter burst from the men at the pitiful sight, and then died suddenly as they recognized Katrine, She stepped in front of the old wcman, and faced them with a scorn in her eyes beyond all words. Then she turned to silence



ture's waist, and supported her frail ture's waist, and supported her frait, tottering steps over the silppery, uneven ground. For an instant the men stood abashed and ashamed; then when the spell of those-great fearless, scornful eyes was removed, their natures reasserted themselves, and a general leach went round. eral laugh went round.

mockingly, as the two retreating figures disappeared in the gathering dark ness. Katrine heard it, ...nd wince]; but she did not relax the hold of her supporting arm, and by gentle and repeated questioning managed to elicit from the helpless old being w ere she lived. Katrine turned her steps in the given direction, and drawing out her handkerchief wiped the blood from the old woman's face, and smoothed her straggling gray hair back behind her ears. When they reached her cabin at las Katrine saw that the stove was black and empty. There was no light of any sort in the place, and the freezing darkness of the interior chilled her through. She would not leave the old women until she leave the old woman until she had lighted a fire and candle for her and got her into bed; then, without waiting to listen to the mumbled and incoherent thanks showered upon her, she went out gently and on to her own place. See felt in a very serious mond as she made her cup of coffee mood as she made her cup of coffee and cooked herself a plate of bacon, and then sat in the red glow or her well-tended hearth to her solitary

"Birds of a feather!" that hateful sentence echoed round her, until the silent walls themselves seemed taunt-ing her. Was she not, after all, really akin to that (1 weman, and might she not so 2 cay end like her? What was all her own drinking and cardplaying and knocking about in the saloons to end in? The shivered and threw a frightened glance round her. girl, who would have laughed all sermons, advice and admonitions scornfully aside, was almost startled now into a sudden reformation by the She could not forget it, and in silence the whole scene rose up vividly before her. She began to look for Stephen to come and break the silence and glanced impatiently at the clock several times. He was coming in town that night, she knew. It was a relief such as she had never experienced not her own company only any longer

She was unusually silent all the ev-ning. Stephen did not try to force her into con ersation; he was conten to sit on the opposite side of the hearth and let his eyes rest upon her in sil-

flames play over the oval face and throw up its regular lines. She was sitting sideways to him, gazing absently into the heart of the glowing coals, and her shadow, formed by the lamp between her and Stephen, fell strongly between her and Stephen, fen strongs, and clearly outlined upon the opposite wall. Stephen st. in his corner and gazed at it through half-closed eyes. He had been working hard all day, and in the keen, biting air; the warmth and the rest were grateful to him. The silence in the room had lasted so long that he began to feel drowsy under the influence of this quiet warmth. He watched the shadow sleepily, and dreamy fancies floated across his brain. The clean-cut, delicate profile was magnified to colossal proportions on the blank well. So it seemed to Stephen that beautiful presence we did dominate his life, fill in completely the blank of his colorless existence, as the large shadow filled the wall. Then, as his gaze followed its outlines, he saw what his eyes had not found before—a huge upright line of shade, forr d by her chair-back, ran up beside, and mingling with the other lines. It seemed to curve over toward her shoulder, and then a few econds more, and to Stephen's drowzy gaze, the harsh line expanded into a hideous grotesque figure. Out of these few shades upon the wall there leaped a picture to his eyes—the girl, and at her side, bending over her, a hideous devil, a strange vampire, hovering nearer or further, in blacker or lighter shades, as the flames in the fire rose and fell. Stephen watched in a fascinated stupor, an then suddenly as the light died down in the grate and the shade leaped out nearer and blacker, he started to his feet with a sudden ex-

The girl started, too, and looked up.

Stephen pointed to the wall.
Katrine turned, the blaze had prung up on the hearth, the shadows were gone, the illusion vanished.
"What is it?" she said again, won-

iy.

nothing—a hideous shape on
Stephen. "I deringly. on, hothing—a indeous scape of the wall," stammered Stephen. "I was watching your shadow, and another seemed to come up and threaten it. Imagination, I suppose—perhaps I had fallen into a dream," he added, hurriedly, fearing she would laugh at him

But Katrine did not laugh. But Katrine did not langn. Size to your callin and the looked at him gravely and in dience. In her mind she was pondering a question, hesitating, half fearing to speak to him, half impelled to, and that is all you want!"

Her tone was jesting and cynical tredness had half help back, and the equal opposite forces acting on her mind kept her

unused to her present Stephen. stephen, unused to her present mood, felt perhaps she was annoyed or wearied, and drew out his watch. It was past ten.

"I will say good-night," he said,

rising.

Katrine got up too. Her face paled wat more, her bosom rose and fell

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Ctephen was startled and confused, ut his veice was very tender as he cook her hand in his, and said: "I don't understand, dear; what do ou mean?"

He f.:ther hand tremble in his. She looked up at him appealingly. Her eyes seemed frightened and uncertain. She was more womanly at this moment than she had ever been. Accustomed to her bright, fearless independence, admire that as he might, in this weakness, whatever its cause, she was irresistible.

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Stanban 'coked at her a moment in

Stephen looked at her a moment in silence, with a sense of apprehension and alarm. He could not do as she asked; he was not free—lis claim

asked: he was not free—lis claim held him.

"I don't know quite what you mean," he said, a little stiffly, though he felt he did know. "It would be quite impossible for me to go away now; my whole heart's in the work, are I've sunk all I had in it."

"es, and your soul, too," said

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suddenly, looking at him with shaning eyes and a cam take.
"You're a slave now to your gold,
the same as we am are nere—a commainty of slaves," and see laugned.
Stepnen grew red, and looked confused, anarmed, and angry, all at the
same time. same time, remonstratingly, "and leave ground

remonstratingly, and leave ground like that. It would be insanity. Ask Talbot, ask anybody if they would." "Talbot!" rpeated Katrine, soorn-fully; "He's the worst slave of all; but then he never preached about his soul, and wanting to reform peo-

"No one can reform you if you won't reform yourself," replied Stephen, coldly; and there he spoks the Who was it who put in our pray-

er, 'Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil'? Here I live in temptation; I am always thrown into evil. If I were not—" Her voice was very quiet, and had

a strange, pathetic note in it. It ceased, and then there was silence.
Stephen felt as if a hand were aid on his lips and crushed down the voice that kept struggling from his heart. A second more, and then the

girl laughed suddenly.
"Oh, I was stupid! I did not know what I was saying—did not mean it, anyway. It's quite right for you to

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stick to your claim and the idea you started with, and so on. You will make a great success if you do,

as ever now-the usual hardness had come back to her face. The moment of submission, of confidence, of repentance, had passed—a mo-lent when she could have been moved, and won to any life he wished and he had lost it. He come back to her face. The moment felt it. Yet how could he have done

otherwise?
"Forget what I said—quite," she added; "and 40 now. It's getting late, and I want to get down to the

A thrill of horror went through Stephen, as she knew it would. He gazed at her blankly with horrible eeling, as if he were murdering some-

"What are you waiting for?" she said, impatiently. "Why don't you hurry back to your claim?"

"Katrine—I—" he stammered, staring at her, but even as he looked, a great wall of sold seemed to rice he. great wall of gold seemed to rise be ween them and shut her from him.
"Forgive me," he muttered, brokenly;
"I can't give it up now."

"Good-night," said Katrine; and he turned and fumbled for the door hanlle and went out.

When he was gone, Katrine turned to her small square of looking-glass that hung beneath the lamp on the

said, looking at the sweet reflection and smiling lips.

A few minues after Stephen had gone, a slight figure, muffad up to the eyes, slipped out of No. 13 and hurried with quick steps down the uneven footway of Good Luck Row.

"What a fool I was to-night!" she

uneven footway of Good Luck Row,
That night Stephen climbed to his
cabin with his head on fire and a
singing in his ears. A terrific struggle was going on in his breast. He
felt the path of duty was clear to
him now, and equally that he did not
want to follow it. He had tried to
shut his eyes to it; tried to believe
that it was not clear, that he did not
know what was right or necessary to
do, and therefore that he might be exlo, and therefore that he might be excused if he did not do it; but he could close his eyes no longer. They had been dragged open to-night, and he could not wilfully close them again. As he strode up the narrow little snow path leading to his cabin, he felt that

he knew his duty, and he groaned out aloud in the silent icy night. To leave now meant to endanger,

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perhaps to sacrifice, the million dollars that he felt in a month or two he could take out of his claim; and to stay meant to endanger, perhaps to sacrifice, a human soul! A million dollars, a human soul! These two ideas possessed him. A million dollars, a human soul! The two thoughts rang alternately theorem his best not lars, a human soul! The two thoughts rang alternately through his brain until it seemed as if voices were crying them out upon the soundless air. According to his religion, spirits combated for the soul of man, and it seemed to Stephen that night as he mounted the solitary path under the far-seeing eyes of the frosty stars above him, that spirits really fought around him, good and evil, for the victory. "A million dollars!" shouted the evil ones; "do not throw them sway." "A human soul!" wailed the others; "do not let it fall into evil." His sensitive, excitable mind trembled His sensitive, excitable mind trembled before the crisis. His own soul shud-dered and sickened, for he seemed to see the host of greed of gold, and they were stronger than the hosts of light. And Stephen himself now was badly equipped for the conflict. He felt and recognized with dismay he had not the strength and the fervor now that had brought him through former battles. He was as a warrior that has fallen asleep and awakened to find his arms grown rusty while he has been

(To be continued.)

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Deadly Indian Weed That is Chear and Can Easily be Smuggled.

and Can Easily be Smuzgled.

(From the Hong Kong Telegraph.)

The Indian weed is being largely imported into Inao-China at the present mornent, says our informant, who holds a high position in the military world. He has given us a sprig or two of the hempplant, which obviously lends itself to the uses of smugglers. With first hand know-ledge of his subject, he declared that this weed, more pernicious than opium or alcohol, will in the near future take the place of opium in the far East.

It is of small bulk, this deadly weed, is cheap in comparison with its elder brother, opium and can be smuggled easily. The opium convention does not, as far as we know, take acount of the danger which threatens from the importation of this drug.

dasger which threatens from the importation of this drug.

The French authorities in Indo-China absolutely prohibit the hemp plant, but nevertheless, it is being taken into the country in ever-increasing quantities. It can be useen a drink, can be smoked or chewed; the physical and mental effects are deadly. We have not been able to ascertain as yet whether this noxious drug has made its appearance in Mong Kong, but we take this opportunity of calling the attention of the authorities ro the danger of it doing an it is a danger that should exercise the thoughts of the legislative council.

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The noxious weed is smoked much by the lowest class of netives in South Africe, where it is known under the name of dalga and causes many crimes, the Bushmen and Hottentots running amuck when saturated with its hellish effects.

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For folks who are cut of sorts, not faeling just up to the scratch, per-haps bothered with headaches or constipation, to them Dr. Hamilton's



If everybody's misery was written in There'd be but little pleasure here

among the human race, The glow of cheerful happiness wo fade away and die,

And all the springs of joy and mirth would soon be running dry. would soon be running dry.

So don't you grow discouvaged then,
if everything goes wrong,
For if you wait, a streak of joy will
sufrely come along.

Don't keep a moping all the time as
mournful as a hearse,
But gulp your trouble down and say,
it might be worse.

—Chicago Herald.

JOY IN SORROW.

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The joy of Christ was not a thing apart from the rest of His experience; that is harsh and painful, but the joy of self-determination with humanity and the bearing of all its pains and sorrows. "He took not upon Him the nature of angels," remote from actual experience of life's reality. Still less did He take upon Himself the separateness of self-absorption. "But He took upon Him the seed of Abraham" (Heb. 2:16). He was so near to God in spirit, that He could not hold Himself apart from any man. All His life and action sprang directly from His abdding moral relation to the Father, and the character and quality of His joys were determined by the same fact. To Him even the sorrows, were the sources of joy, the never, failing fountains of inexpressible gladness.

THE RAINBOW. (Layman, in Sheffield, Eng., Indepen

dent.) The little church was slowly empty-ing after kvensong. Through the open doors came the soothing har-mony of the voluntary as the organist mony of the voluntary as the organist followed the benediction "Amen" with soft strains that fell on the ear like a veritable "Nunc Dimittis," finding their way almost unconsciously into the very hearts of the departing congregation, and adding to the sense of spiritual peace already induced by the courties. Outside in the little churchs. Outside in the little churchservice. Outside in the little church-yard a group gathered around a lofty granite cross, whose base showed a list of names of "happy warriors" who had passed on after giving their young lives for the cause of humanity. The spirit of sadness lingered in the The spirit of sadness ingered in the faces of some of those who contemplated the memorial erected to their own glorious dead; while in others there seemed a glow of pride surmounting the feeling of personal loss that told of an undying hope and faith in reunion beyond the grave.

And so we turned away, out into the

And so we turned away, out into the still beauty of a Sabbath evening in summer. The setting sun still shone from a blue sky flecked with white cumulus clouds, and over in the south-east a glorious arch spanned the fir-mament—the rainbow, with all its prismatic beauties. It was if Nature had worked its wondrous charm in order to distract our minds from meorder to distract our minds from memories of past sorrow, and to remind us that while there is life there is hope. God's "bow in the heavens," with its age-old message, must always appeal to men, if only from the material side, the admiration of its inimitable color-scheme and its vast curve of span. Then again we recall the fact that it is emblematic of life's courses, with its varied experiences of journey, with its varied experiences of joys and sorrows, sunshine and cloud. Were life one perpetual joy we should have no greater happiness, for we should have no comparisons. Even the continuous sun in tropical countries is far from an unmixed blessing as many a traveller has found when longing for the shadow of a rock in a thirsty land. It is well that life brings with it clouds, if only that we learn our lessons botter.

I love the rainbow; from my ear-liest years it has always had a fascin-ation for me. It was, I think, one of the things that gave me a glimmering of something that was far beyond man's power to compass; something that ranked with the thunder and that ranked with the thunder and lightning that awed us, without having quite the same mental or phychical effect. Above all, it was, and is still to me, a never-failing reminder of the promise given in the beginning of the world's history, as told in Genesis. With the knowledge that they alone were the survivors of the great flood, Noah and his family doubtless stood in fear lest there might come a time when they might not have the good fortune to escape a similar visigood fortune to escape a similar visi-tation. With what relief then did they welcome the Voice that told them this: "This is the token of the them this: "This is the token of the covenant which I make between Me and you, and every living creature that is with you, for perpetual generations: I do set My bow in the clcud, and it shall be for a token of a covenent between Me and the earth. And it shall come to pass when I will reit shall come to pass, when I will remember My covenant which is between Me and you, and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall no more become a flood to de-stroy all flish." There we have the Patriarch and his family starting life

our lost hopes and look ahead. What more fitting than the association of te rainbow with fresh hope? Com-posed of all the colors in creation's scheme, what could better indicate the qualities of hope? Before it can evolve its beautiful parorama there must be the clouds of adversity, dripping with the rain of circum ping with the rain of circumstance; no cloudless sky can bring that glorious message. If we had no troubles hope would be unnecessary. Yet hope is like the rainbow in that it is compounded of the filmiest materials, the most evanescent elements; but, spiritual in its essence, it is insurpassable in its value in our lives. It gives us a fresh outlook, a sanguine spur or incentive to our efforts to attain to the bright side of things. Intangible, yet most potent, it is one of the chief



a mere existence; it is one of the fam-ous trinity that we are bidden to keep constantly before us—Faith, Hope and

THE INJURED FINGER.

How To Treat It When No Antiseptics Are To Be Had.

and sometimes suppuration ofttimes fol-low the bruising of the fingers. Worse still, at times the injury results in an unsightly finger nail until the blackening disappears.

Mow, the next time you squeeze your fingers in the door or hit them when you aim for the head of a tack sent yourself on a chair in front of a stationary wash-stand and hold your hand under the cold stand and hold your hand under the cold water fancet in as nearly an upright position as is possible and let the cold water run on the injured members for nearly an hour. If the water gets toe cold turn it off or a few minutes, but be sure and keep the hand in the upright position, so that the blood will not run too freely into the bruised portions of the funger and discolor it.

of the finger and discolor it.

Cold water is nature's own antiseptis,
While away camping with a physician
and his family where there were many and his family where there were many campers in a lovely spot miles away from a drug store the doctor demonstrated the healing virtues of water in many ways. One day a member of the camp had the misfortune to get his hand poisoned by having it cut with the fins of a sertain fish. When he came to the doctor for aid his arm was greatly swollen and darkly nurnle, even above the doctor for aid his arm was greatly swollen and darkly purple, even above the elbow. The physician washed the wound with small sponges of absorbent cotton saturated with cold spring water, and he also made him keep compresses made of absorbent cotton and cold water over the wound, changing them as so as they became warm for fresh ones. was one of the quickest and most satisfactory cures I ever witnessed.

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acnes, together with disturbance of the digestive organs.
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PLENTY OF ROOM

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(Boston Transcript.) (Boston Transcript.)
Wife—Oh, John, our cook has become
engaged to the milkman.
Hub—Don't worry, my dear. Engagements are breakable and you know
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THOSE WAGE. (Boston Transcript.)
Bix-That's the fourth umbrella Fve lost this year.

Dix—Your overlied expense must be considerable.

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BURIAL AT LANSDOWNE

Of Rev. G. E. McRae, Wife and Daughter, on Sunday.

George E. McRae, wife and daughter Ina. They were returning to their home in Edmonton and had reached Butler. Indiana, when their car was Lansdowne, Sept. 5.—The intelligence was received here Thursday morning of the tragic death of Rev. Indiana, when their car was struck by a train and all the occupants were instantly killed. The family had been visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity since July.

DONOVAN THE MAN FOR LEEDS, SAYS TRAVELLER

veller. After Covering
Constituency.

Belleville Intelligencer, Aug. 30.
Sir Thomas White is expected to resign his parliamentary seat in Leeds constituency on account of his appointment to the G.T.R. arbitration board. There is considerable speculation as to what will happen in Leeds after Sir Thomas retires, but a Scotch-Canadian commercial traveller who spent Sunday in Belleville says that he has just been all over Leeds constituency and made special enquiries as to the political feeling. The result of his enquiries, he says, was to establish the fact that from one end of the riding to the other the opinion was expressed that the strongest candidate possible would be Mr. A. E. Donovan, formerly of Athens, who recently represented Brockville constituency in the Legislature, but was swept aside by the anti-Hearst referendum vote which produced so many surprises. The traveller said that no stronger "come-back" than that of Mr. Donovan could be imagined. His defeat for the Provincial House was a disagreeable surprise to his hosts of friends, and the result was not pleasing either to Conservatives or Liberals, being one of those flukes which occasionally happens in abnormal times.

According to the observation and

According to the observation and conclusions of the traveller in ques-tion, A. E. Donovan could win Leeds with the largest majority ever recorded, getting a generous measur of Liberal support as well as Con

COUNTY W. C. T. U. HOLD CONVENTION

Leeds County W.C.T.U. held a successful convention at Gananoque on Wednesday and Thursday of last week meeting at the Methodist church. The sessions were presided over by Mrs. B. O. Britton, president.

B. O. Britton, president.

The reports of the various departments showed that good work had been done during the year. On Wednesday afternoon several excellent papers were read. Mrs. B. H. Brown, Athens, read a most interesting and helpful paper on W.C.T.U. work from its inception. Other papers were written by Miss Edith Giles, Brockville, Miss Drew, Brockville, and a very interesting talk by Mrs. W. J. Webster, recording secretary of the county.

The efection of officers took place on Thursday morning. Mrs. I. N. Beckstedt, Lansdowne, was re-elected hon. president. Mrs. B. O. Britton, not wishing to continue in office as president, her place was taken by Mrs. B. H. Brown; first vice-president, Mrs. V. L. Mackie, Athens; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. H. Donevan, Lansdowne; recording secretary, Mrs. W. J. Webster. Lansdowne; recording secretary.

downe; recording secretary, Mrs. W. J. Webster, Lansdowne; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Slack, Athens.

nore detailed report will be given

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Mr. Jack Coleman, Brockville, was

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friends here.

Mr. Richard Wiltse, Plum Hollow, made a recent visit with his cousins at "The Lilacs."

all hope for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Etta Eaton has resumed
position on the staff of the Brock
Business College, after spending

Mr. S. W. Lawson has returned after spending a week at Toronto fair.
Mrs. F. B. Wight, Pendleton, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. W.
M. Empey, and little son Borden, of Montreal, spent a week very pleasantly with friends and relatives and left for their homes on Monday last.
Mr. Jas. Sheldon spent last week at his fishing camp, Delta Lake. Mr. Sheldon is by way of a sportsman and finds great pleasure in "rod and gun."
We were pained to know of the sudden illness of Mr. J. P. Lamb, and

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