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## CORSETS.

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Corset Waists for Misses,  
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C. HUMPHREY TAYLOR

### Hartland Entertains a Real Globe Trotter

Henry Stewart of San Diego Boosting the 1915 Exposition

On Friday Henry Stewart, of San Diego, Calif., walked into Hartland on his round-the-world journey. A man of splendid physique, 60 years old, expecting to live 80 years longer, he is the embodiment of optimism. "I never get tired," was his answer to a question, "never get tired of anything but rag-chewers. Of them I have no use."

Mr. Stewart is on a walking tour around the world. He was born and reared in London, but for 25 years has been a citizen of the United States. He has traversed the continent five times afoot. He always begins his pilgrimages on St. Valentine's day and on Feb. 14, 1910, he walked away from San Diego, the extreme south-western corner of the United States. In the journal the sturdy walker keeps he has daily entries showing where he has stopped. To perfect these credentials he gets the signature and seal of the mayor or other chief officers of each town he passes. Where the place is small he gets the station agent to date-stamp his book.

He left the States at Detroit, where the mayor presented him with a staff and plate bearing these words, "Oct. 4, 1910. Last touch of U. S. Next at San Diego, Cal., Jan. 1st, 1915." He walked through Ontario and Quebec and entered New Brunswick via the ties of the Temiscouata railway. At St. Leonard's he crossed the river and discovered that he had inadvertently gone back to the States. But to keep his records straight Hon. Peter C. Keegan of Van Buren gave him a certificate showing that while he had crossed the line his feet had not touched American soil, there being a good foot of snow between his feet and the ground.

This man's itinerary will carry him to England, through Europe to Jerusalem where he will tarry for four months to post up his journal. His object is to boom the great exposition to be held at San Diego at the opening of the Panama canal in 1915. To pay his expenses he sells "boosters," a little leaflet briefly describing his trip and object. He promises to report from Jerusalem to every one who purchases a "booster."

He travels along the railways, his object being to interest the agents and start them talking of the big exhibition. In 1914 he intends sailing from Japan by man-of-war bound for San Diego.

The man is clad in khaki, a suit given by the 15th U. S. Cavalry. He wears a troopers fur cap given him at the citadel at Quebec. Mexican fashion he carries a blanket which was given by an officer at Fort Douglas.

Mrs. Dorcas B. Dickinson

Died, at Windsor, on Dec. 21, Dorcas B., relict of the late Elisha Dickinson, aged 87 years. In youth she yielded her life to Christ and was baptized by the Rev. Samuel Hartt. She leaves to mourn, four sons and three daughters. Four of her children passed on before her. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Jos. A. Cahill on Dec. 24. Her's was truly a life of faith and for her to die was gain.

Will Remove to Fredericton

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Greene, of Centreville, Carleton county, are guests at the Barker House. Dr. Greene is here arranging to secure a residence and will remove here and open practice of his profession as a dentist about June 1st—Gleaner.

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers.

The New International Bridge

H. H. Charles, formerly resident engineer of the National Transcontinental Railway at McGivney, is at the Queen Hotel today accompanied by Mrs. Charles. They are now residing at Van Buren, Me., where Mr. Charles is the engineer in charge of the construction of the new international bridge across the St. John river. The new bridge will be open for traffic about May 1st, the contractors, Messrs. Powers & Brewer, having made a record on the concrete work of the sub-structure, erecting 3,000 cubic yards in six working weeks.—Gleaner, Dec. 31.

### The R. B. Concert

Mr. Editor:

It seems to me that the New Year's Sunday School concert in the Reformed Baptist Church calls for more than passing notice.

The singing of anthems by the choir, solos by Mrs. Baird and others, and the singing of the little folks as well as excellent and the readings and recitations by young ladies and gentlemen as well as by small boys and girls were of the highest order and all the exercises in every department were both religious and educative and reflected in the highest degree the wisdom and care of the committees in their selection and no doubt will be of lasting benefit to all who participated.

Everyone did superbly and if I may particularize will say that Mrs. W. P. McMullin's review of the lessons of the past year were first class, and the recitation of the 23rd Psalm by Mr. Bert Nixon's little girl of four was perfect.

The very best order was kept and a good collection was taken; the little folks had a treat and everybody went away more than pleased.

Yours very truly,  
G. G. GRAY

### Big Poultry Show

We are looking for a big show, as everything points that way, and we want everyone interested in Poultry to attend this show. We have plenty of room for you, and will try to give you a good time. On the first night of Show, Jan. 17, there will be a Big Poultry Meeting, and we will be sure to learn something about Poultry Keeping, as we will have Seth Jones, of Sussex, to speak to us also others in the poultry industry. The last night of show, Jan. 18, we have arranged with the Moonfield Dramatic Club to give us two hours of solid fun. No one will make any mistake in attending the HARTLAND POULTRY SHOW, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17-18.

Everyone welcome.  
Carleton and Victoria Poultry and Pet Stock Association.  
—C. W. HURST, Secretary

John B. Bearisto

Mrs. Colin King, of Woodstock, received a telegram Monday from her brother Gerald Bearisto of Saskatchewan announcing the death of a younger brother, John S. Bearisto, at that place on Christmas eve. Both the young men are sons of James Bearisto, M. D., of Lakeville, Carleton county, and have been engaged in telephone construction in the west. The deceased was about nineteen years of age and was a very promising boy. His mother was a sister of Mrs. John A. Bowes of St. John. The body will be brought to Lakeville for burial.

### Notice to Exhibitors

Exhibitors who intend to show birds at our show, are reminded that entries close Jan. 10. The Show building is admirably adapted for showing stock to advantage, and every opportunity is given the public to become acquainted with the merits of exhibits.

We are looking for a record attendance at this Poultry educational show.

C. W. HURST, Secretary

When buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is most effective for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

### Principal Appointed

Joseph Howe, a former teacher at Sussex and at Horton Academy, but who has recently been taking an advanced course at college, has been secured to take L. R. Hetherington's place as principal of the Grammar school at Richibucto. Mr. Howe has many friends in Fredericton.—Gleaner.

Both of the gentleman named were at different times principal of the Hartland School.

Do you know that fully nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, and require no internal treatment whatever? Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely and see how quickly it gives relief. For sale by all dealers.

## Hartland Department Store

JOHN T. G. CARR, Proprietor

1911

The winter so far has been pleasant but the cold, blustery days of January, February and March are yet to come.

If you have not already bought your

## Winter Clothing

don't put it off any longer.

Still in hand, a good line of Underwear, best makes. Heavy Pants, Suits and Overcoats also Sweaters, Caps, Socks, Mitts, Felt and Wove Oversocks, etc.

**Fur Coats** for men in Goat, Calf, Dog, Woman and Coon also Imitation Buffalo. Ladies' Coats in Electric Seal, Astracan and Cloth also Boas, Stoles, Throws, Muffs, Caperines, etc.

**Men's Fur Collars, Gauntlet Gloves, Mocassins, Shoepacks, Overshoes, Felt Boots and Snow Packs.**

Our Fur Goods give satisfaction. We often have it said to us: "When I have to buy another Fur Coat I hope it will wear as well as this that I got from you Ten, Fifteen, Twenty years ago." Wishing all a Happy New Year.

## John T. G. Carr

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## HOME.

### OYSTERS.

**Oyster Loaf.**—Cut the top from loaf of bread and scoop and scrape out the inside, leaving the bottom and sides whole. Set the hollowed loaf with the top crust laid by it, in an open oven to get very dry and warm. Cut four dozen oysters in halves. Cook them over the fire in their own liquor. When they begin to curl at the edges, add the crumbs of the loaf, rubbed fine. A large tablespoonful of butter melted in one of flour; add a teaspoonful of hot milk; season with salt and pepper and cook for three minutes after the milk is added. Butter the inside of dried loaf. Fill with the oyster mixture, put on the upper crust and serve.

**Clear Oyster Soup.**—Wash each oyster and strain liquor through fine sieve. One quart of milk, one pint of oysters, one teaspoon of butter, one teaspoon of salt, white pepper. Put oysters in when the milk comes to a boil.

**Oyster Bouillon.**—Mash and chop fine fifty good sized oysters, put in a double boiler, cover, and cook slowly one hour; add a pint of water, a level teaspoon of celery seed, and strain through cheesecloth; re-heat, add a tablespoonful butter, a little salt, and serve in cups.

**Steamed Oysters.**—Buy the oysters unopened. Wash thoroughly with brush or coarse cloth. Place them separately in a steamer or coarse sieve over a kettle of boiling water. The deep shell must be underneath in order that no liquor may be wasted. As soon as oysters open, they are done and should be served at once with pepper, salt and butter on nice brown buttered toast.

**Panned Oysters.**—Plump a quart of medium sized oysters in their own liquor, adding a tablespoonful of butter, a tablespoonful of lemon juice, and salt and paprika to taste. Serve on toast.

### POTATOES.

**Delmonico Potatoes.**—Arrange alternate layers of cold boiled potatoes cut in dice, grated cheese, a minced pimiento, and white sauce. Allow two cupfuls of potatoes, one-third cupful of cheese, and one and one-fourth cupfuls of sauce. Cover with buttered crumbs and brown.

**Fried Potatoes and Celery.**—To fix raw potatoes sliced in the usual manner add a medium sliced onion and three stalks of celery sliced rather fine. Salt and fry in hot olive oil, or ham or bacon fat. (Use the outside stalks of celery, reserving the others for the cable use.) The celery gives the fried potatoes a delicious flavor, and all those who have tasted this recipe say it is fine.

**Brabant Potatoes.**—Cut the potatoes in dice and fry them for a few minutes in hot lard. Long before they are done take them from the lard and turn them into a frying pan with a generous lump of fresh butter; fry them until a golden brown, after which sprinkle some chopped parsley over them; season with salt and pepper, and spray them with lemon juice.

### FOREIGN DISHES.

**Liver, Spanish Style.**—Place in baking dish layer of sliced onions, then slices of liver rolled in flour, an liver layer of onions, a medium sliced sliced tomato, two small green peppers chopped fine, salt and pepper to season, two or three small slices of bacon, or a tablespoonful of lard may be substituted for bacon. Cover with boiling water, bake in moderate oven for about an hour, adding water if necessary.

**Potato Cake.**—Two cups of sugar, two cups of flour, one cup of butter, one large cup of English walnuts, one cup of potatoes mashed and seasoned ready to serve, one and a half cups of chocolate grated, one-half cup of milk, five eggs, using all the yolks and whites of three, keeping two whites for boiled frosting; two teaspoons baking powder, one each of cloves, cinnamon, allspice and nutmeg; one each of lemon and vanilla. Bake either in loaf or layers. Cream butter and sugar. Add milk, then yolks, then whites, then potatoes, soft spices, chocolate and baking powder in flour, and add to eggs

and butter. Then add beaten whites and lastly the nuts. Will keep fresh for a week or ten days.

**Mexican Tomatoes and Rice.**—Take four tablespoonfuls of rice, wash, and dry in a napkin. Place rice in the frying pan with a tablespoonful of lard, brown it over the fire a light tan color. Add to this three diced onions and allow to partially fry. In another kettle have a quart of tomatoes, salted and peppered to taste as for stewing. To this add four diced potatoes, two green peppers that have been prepared and allowed to lay in salt water a few minutes—a tablespoonful of butter and cold chicken cut in small pieces (although this latter is not necessary to the success of the dish) and when boiling add the rice and onions and pack away in your cooker for an hour.

**Mexican Beef Stew.**—Take 25 cent beef brisket, cover with water and boil until tender, strain, and let stand a few moments. To this add one cup stewed tomatoes, or two fresh ones, one-half teaspoonful of salt, Bermuda onion. Add last of all one tablespoonful of butter into which one-half teaspoon of chili pepper has been placed and fried.

### CHEESE.

**Potted Cheese.**—Three pounds well flavored cheese, three quarters of a cupful of butter, soft enough to mix; three-quarters of a cupful of vinegar, three-quarters of a tablespoonful of mustard, mixed with two tablespoonfuls cold water; and two one-half teaspoonfuls salt, speck of cayenne pepper. Put cheese through meat grinder, using the finest cutter. Add vinegar, butter, mustard, salt, and cayenne pepper. Mix and rub the whole together until smooth. Taste carefully and season more highly if necessary. Pack in small jars. Pour one teaspoonful of brandy over top of each jar to prevent spoiling. Cover tightly and keep in a cool place.

**Cheese Sandwich.**—Grate one-half pound cream cheese with three pimientos cut fine. Add a mayonnaise dressing of two eggs, well beaten, three even tablespoonfuls of sugar, a lump of butter the size of a walnut, one-half teaspoonful of dry mustard, three tablespoonfuls of vinegar, and two of water. Boil until thick, set away to cool, when add a little milk to thin, then add this to the cheese and pimientos; spread between slices of bread.

### USEFUL HINTS.

Fresh milk applied to boots and shoes has a preservative effect on the leather.

Never wash game, inside or out; merely wipe it with a cloth rung out in hot water.

To remove iron rust, dampen cloth, rub on cream of tartar, rub well, and let stand an hour, then wash.

Coffee or tea stains if rubbed with butter and then washed in hot soapsuds will come out quite white.

Lamp chimneys will not break easily if placed in water, which must be very slowly brought to the boil.

When washing flannels put two teaspoonfuls of ammonia into one gallon of water to soften the fabric.

In cleaning wall paper with bread crumbs use two-day-old bread in small pieces; clean with downward light stroke. Never go over the same surface, and never work horizontally. Cut away soiled part of bread continually.

Macaroni or rice, after being cooked, if put into a colander, and rinsed with cold water, will not stick together in a solid mass, as it is otherwise inclined to do. The rice can be put in the oven afterwards to reheat it.

To prevent the skin rising on the top of milk that has been boiled, as soon as the milk is hot, put the vessel containing it into a pan of cold water. Leave the milk until it is cold, and you will find that there is not the slightest skin formed. Mustard is the nearest approach to a universal cure-all. Few rains will not give way before a mustard plaster, and a wide range of internal inflammation from colds and other causes may be stopped by this timely application. It is the first and best report in threatened pneumonia, congestion of the lungs, or determined colds on the chest.

## BATTLE OF THE LINERS

### THREE CORNERED FIGHT FOR SUPREMACY AT SEA.

White Star Giants to be Excelled by the Hamburg and Cunard Companies.

The fight for the supremacy of the sea between Great Britain and Germany is by no means confined to the building of Dreadnoughts and super-Dreadnoughts. Both countries are striving to excel in the matter of mercantile fleets, and the fight is centered mainly upon the passenger and freight traffic of the north Atlantic.

The struggle has been going on for many years and vessel has followed upon vessel, each eclipsing its predecessors in speed or size. The Lusitania and Campania, built in 1897, with a speed of 22½ knots. In 1897 she did the passage from Southampton to New York in 6 days, her best day's run being 580 knots.

The next ocean greyhound to appear was the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse of the North German Lloyd, built in 1897, with a speed of 22½ knots. In 1897 she did the passage from Southampton to New York in 6 days, her best day's run being 580 knots.

The Hamburg-American Line then made a bid for the record with the Deutschland, built in 1900, which easily proved herself the fastest ocean steamer afloat at that time. In 1903 she did the voyage from Cherbourg to New York in 5½ days, and she has also steamed from New York to Plymouth in 5 days 7 hours 38 minutes.

**THE NORTH GERMAN LLOYD** replied with the Kronprinz Wilhelm, built in 1901, and the Kaiser Wilhelm II., built in 1902, of 23 and 23½ knots respectively, but the Deutschland's ocean record remained unbeaten until the appearance of the Cunard company's Lusitania and Mauretania, both built in 1907, of 24 knots speed and 70,000 horse-power.

The North German Lloyd launched in 1908 the Kronprinzessin Cecilie, a fast boat of 23½ knots. She has covered 580 knots in a day, but has never been able to lower the Mauretania's record of less than 4½ days from Queenstown to New York.

And so for the present the laurels for speed rest with the Cunard Line, and the Mauretania's record is likely to remain unchallenged for many days, for it has been found that the addition of a knot to the speed of a ship is too costly in coal consumption to be remunerative, and experience has also shown that the average traveller is not so keen on making record trips as on having a comfortable voyage. Competition, therefore, is now taking the form of increased tonnage and better accommodation for passengers. Speed is being sacrificed to luxury.

The lines which are pitting their resources against each other are the White Star, the Cunard and the Hamburg-American. At present the North German Lloyd does not aim at ships of great tonnage, and indeed it is doubtful if it has any present intention to strengthening its fleet. It may be said that the two English companies are as active in competition against each other as they are against the German line.

### THE LARGEST VESSEL.

When the White Star Line placed on the stocks the Olympic, recently launched, and the Titanic it was believed that the limit in size had been reached. Both of them are of 45,000 tons and over 800 feet in length. But it has since been learned that the Hamburg-American Line is actually building a vessel destined, it is boasted, "easily to displace the Olympic as the largest vessel afloat."

The vessel, which is being constructed at the Vulcan yard at Stettin, has not been designed for speed—twenty-two knots being aimed at—but in other respects she will be a remarkable advance upon any vessel at present afloat. Her length will be 881 feet and her gross tonnage 50,000. Her captain's bridge will be 208 feet above the water line and the flag at her mast-head will be 208 feet above the water. The hull of the new liner is so enormous that the Deutschland could float within it as in a basin, even her funnels being hidden. The Deutschland is 682 feet long and her gross tonnage is 15,500.

The Hamburg-American Line announces that besides this leviathan it has fourteen other steamships building with a joint cargo capacity of 110,000 tons. This German company is already the largest steamship owner in the world. The boast that its new vessel will be the biggest steamer afloat may, however, prove unfounded.

### THE CUNARD LINE

has issued specifications and invited tenders for the construction of a huge steamer for the Liverpool-



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### ANIMALS AS GRIMINALS

#### DUMB BRUTES ARE BROUGHT INTO COURT.

All Due to the Superstitions of People so Prevalent in the Past.

The Saint James Gazette in a recent issue relates that a woman living in Etampes, near Paris, was counting her money as she walked along the street and dropped a note of \$200. The bill fluttered to the ground and was picked up by a goatherd who was passing with a herd of sheep. As the goatherd was about to hand the bill to its owner a goat grabbed it and immediately ate it.

The woman accused the goatherd of having purposely fed her money to the animal, and called an officer. The man and goat were arrested and taken before a magistrate. To prove his honesty, the goatherd offered to sacrifice the goat. The animal was killed and the bank-note was recovered, somewhat damaged, but with the number intact, so that the woman was able to exchange it. The goatherd then demanded that the woman pay for the goat, which she refused to do. The case is still in the courts.

This is not the first time that an animal has been haled to the bar of justice in France. Herbert Spencer, in his Descriptive Sociology, quotes Du Boys as relating several instances of the prosecution of animals for crimes of one sort or another. It is stated that

#### A COW WAS EXECUTED

with all due ceremony after conviction for a capital offense, in 1846. Insects which ravaged a village were tried before an ecclesiastical tribunal in due form in 1897. Counsel was granted them and several months passed in the usual memorials, pleadings and delays. They were finally condemned.

Berriat Saint Prix enumerated more than 80 cases of sentences of death or excommunication pronounced against animals, ranging from an ass to a grasshopper, between 1120 and 1741. A sow which had killed and eaten a child was tried, mutilated and executed in 1356, after having been dressed in man's clothes. The executioner received his usual pay for the execution. During the same century three swine and a pig were condemned to be burned, felled or buried, for having eaten a young shepherd. The rest of the herd were condemned as accomplices and their sentences were remitted only upon application to the Duke of Burgundy, whose pardon was granted with all the forms of chancery.

That the ancients ascribed reasoning powers to animals we know because we are told in the Bible that the serpent was condemned to "go upon his belly" because he tempted Eve.

#### IN THE MIDDLE AGES

this belief was very general. The ancient Irish are reported to have had such a veneration for wolves that they chose them as godfathers for their children, while in other countries wolves were regarded as lycanthropes or witches who had taken that form. In Italy cats were often suspected of being disguised witches. One story has come down to us of a hunter who cut off the paw of a wolf and retained it as a trophy, but upon opening his bag he discovered it to be the hand of his wife.

It seems almost incredible that such superstitions could have been

prevalent when the thoroughly modern Montaigne was engaged in writing, but such was the case. The Demonomanie des Sorciers of Bodin appeared in 1581, while the first great skeptical work in the French language was published by Montaigne in 1588. Of this work, which dealt with the superstition of witchcraft generally, Lecky said: "It would scarcely be possible to conceive a more striking contrast, then his treatment of its presents to the works of Bodin and of Wier." It was about this time, also, that Ayreult protested against the condemnation of animals, on the ground that there was no understanding there could be no crime.

#### VENERATION OF ANIMALS

has always been common in the East. The Indians have their sacred elephants and the Hindoos believe that the souls of men enter into the bodies of beasts and even of insects. A man who resided in Constantinople was bitten by a vicious dog a few years ago and when he applied to the authorities to have the animal killed, he was informed that the law did not countenance the killing of dogs, but that the beast would be banished to a neighboring island if he would pay the expense of transporting it. Many visitors to Constantinople, including Mark Twain, have commented upon the plague of dogs in that city, and it has been within only the last few years that the progressive element in Turkey has succeeded in driving the curs from the capital.

The Egyptians had deities who took the form of men and women and the heads of animals and birds. There was Kneph, the ram-headed; Thoth, the ibis-headed; Pashu, the cat-headed; Bast, the lion-headed; and Hathor, the cow-headed. Ra, Khons and Horus were all hawk-headed.

Set had the body of an ass, the tail of a lion, and the ears and muzzle of a jackal. The soul of the god Osiris was supposed to inhabit the body of the sacred bull Apis, and after the death of the bull, the body of his successor.

The Saint James Gazette does not state whether the lady of Etampes thought the animal was trained or whether she held it morally responsible for the theft; but it is evident that whatever her feelings may have been as to the animal, she blamed the man. And we must admit, in the language of the sporting writer, that she certainly "got his goat."

#### SHOWERS OF POTATOES.

Students Bombarded Members of Senate and Visitors.

Boisterous scenes marked the first meeting of the new National University of Ireland for the conferring of degrees, held at the University buildings, Dublin, a short time ago.

In addition to ringing bells and shouting and singing, the students in the gallery showered cold and boiled potatoes, squibs and bags of flour on those in the body of the hall, and on members of the senate as they passed up to the platform.

Ladies' hats were favorite targets and the reporters' table was so bombarded that the pressmen beat a retreat. The explosion of fireworks added to the deafening noise.

No word of the speech of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir Christopher Dixon, could be heard, and he sat down without having finished his address. Members of the senate, with their lady friends, left the building, showing disfiguring signs of the bombardment they had undergone.



## WOULD NOT BE WITHOUT BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mothers having once used Baby's Own Tablets for their little ones would not be without them. These Tablets are a never failing remedy for the little ills such as constipation, colic, worms, colds, etc., that afflict so many little ones. And then, too, they can be given with absolute safety to the youngest child for they are sold under the guarantee of a Government analyst to contain no opiate or other harmful drug. Concerning them Mrs. Chas. Whately, Peterboro, Ont., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my little girl and have found them to be of great value. Others to whom I have recommended the Tablets say they would not be without them." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### REMARKABLE

"I remember," said the Yankee, "when I was in Cincinnati we planted a small rose bush one morning and in the afternoon a large bush had come up, off which we gathered a score of full-blown roses."

"Oh, that's nothing," retorted the Britisher. "Why, I recollect burying a cat in our back yard one day, and in about an hour a sanitary inspector came up!"

### MOUNT CLEMENS, MICHIGAN.

Mount Clemens is famous throughout America as an all-the-year-round health resort, and thousands of people bear testimony to the benefits derived from its mineral waters in cases of rheumatism and kindred diseases. For bilious and liver troubles, digestive troubles, nervous disorders, general debility, etc., the efficacy of its waters is wonderful. Seventy-five per cent. of rheumatism are cured and ninety per cent. benefited. Write J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Grand Trunk Railway System, Toronto, for handsome descriptive booklet telling you all about it.

Fortune may not knock at your door, but you can always depend upon undesirable callers.

River steamers and forwarding Agents at Prince Rupert are accepting freight for up river points at the shipper's risk only. There is now enough freight at Prince Rupert, so they say, to keep all the river boats busy until the close of navigation. Warehouses at Port Essington are full of freight, as well as local warehouses at Prince Rupert. Transportation to Big Canon by rail over the Grand Trunk Pacific is expected to open within the next 30 days, but beyond that point there will only be stages and pack trains for the new towns beyond Hazelton.

### TERRIFYING NIGHT IN COREA.

Nobleman's Funeral Provides Weird Scenes.

The mountain, north of Seoul, is crossed by Peking Pass. We had overtaken the relay of chair-coolies in the afternoon, but the journey had been long and trying on all, and the men, completely exhausted, swayed and reeled from one side of the path to the other under their heavy burden. I insisted that they should rest.

Grateful for an opportunity to rest my cramped limbs, I scrambled from the chair, then stood transfixed with fear and terror. Coming over the crest of the mountains were hundreds of torches and lanterns. Faintly from far away came strange wild voices, shouting and screaming. Louder, louder swelled the weird, fantastic noise, and drums, and bells and gongs could be heard.

Turning to the men I cried: "What is this?" and pointed to the strange thing now descending quickly towards us. The men in an excited way talked altogether.

I could see that it was something very unusual and they seemed to be very much frightened. My Christian boy, Ke Tai, came to me from being alarmed. He carefully explained, but using many words I had never heard before. I listened, more mystified than ever; whether it were a mob or an uprising I did not know. He saw that I did not understand, and so at great length and with many more strange words, not in my vocabulary, he tried to enlighten my bewildered mind.

Nearer came the menacing mob, and above the clanging of brass, the yelling and wailing arose in an unearthly roar. Alone, at midnight, on the dark mountain pass, I stood and faced what I knew not, but certainly something terrifying and awful. My heart was filled with horror and a strange unutterable longing for my homeland and mother swept over my heart. Had my time come to go? It might be indeed so.

With faltering voice I insisted again: "Can't you tell me in a few words what it is? I will not fear."

**Shiloh's Cure**  
quickly stops coughs, cures colds, soothes the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.

## HE FOUND THEM NO FAITH CURE

"Yes; it is the nobleman who has departed from this world." It was a great funeral, nothing more. Midnight is the favorite time for the procession to the grave. The darkness will help to keep away the evil spirits, so they think; the bells and drums are used also to frighten away the malign demons by the noise. The loud wailing and piercing cries were from the large crowd of hired mourners.—Ellaue Wagner, in the Christian Herald.

### SEEN IN PARIS SHOPS.

There is a decided vogue for all antique laces. Scarfs, muffs, and sashes of the new Janus cloth are stunning. Hats covered with suede or undressed kid are new and pretty. Large brimmed hats covered with gold gauze and lace are striking. Tailless ermine is much in demand on handsome gowns or hats of velvet.

Sables and all the brown toned furs are especially in evidence this year. Black chiffon lined with white and trimmed with broad bands of ermine without tails forms a most fashionable scarf.

The most striking feature of the present styles in the vogue for vivid, vigorous colors. Many black velvet cloche shaped hats have facings of white satin and bands of ermine.

Commenting editorially on "The Trek to Canada," the New York Times advises the United States Government to advertise. "Get forth to the farmer and the business men of Canada the superior advantages of life in the United States," says the Times. One trouble about carrying out this programme is that Canada thought of it first and set forth her advantages. The Dominion Government has been busy for ten years and the western fields have made good. Nothing is more convincing than the moving pictures shown by the Grand Trunk, picturing reapers reaping fields of Saskatchewan, where the oats average 47 bushels per acre as against 37 in the great State of Iowa, and when we compare the wheat yield of Canada to that of the wheat producing States in the Republic we find that Canada produces almost double the average yield gathered in the American fields. One may travel for 100 miles in parts of Texas to-day without seeing even a bluebird or a sparrow. Spur tracks are built and water tanks set in on flat cars to water passing locomotives, for even the artisan wells have gone dry.

### ALIMONY

Mrs. Jarr—"Sistah Lobstock has just got a divorce from her husband."

Mrs. Wombat—"Don't say! How much alimony did the court do her?"

Away With Depression and Melancholy.—These two evils are the accompaniment of a disordered stomach and torpid liver and mean wretchedness to all whom they visit. The surest and speediest way to combat them is with Parmelec's Vegetable Pills, which will restore the beneficial action of the stomach and bring relief. They have proved their usefulness in thousands of cases and will continue to give relief to the suffering who are wise enough to use them.

"What did the poet mean when he called his country 'the land of the free and the home of the brave'?" "He was probably referring to bachelors and married men," said old Mr. Smithers, sadly.

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

The One I can't understand why you imagine she has wonderful conversational powers, when, as a matter of fact, she talks extremely little. The Other—That's just it. She shows remarkable discretion in the selection of things to be left unsaid.

Sores Flee Before It.—There are many who have been afflicted with sores and have driven them away with Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, which acts like magic. All similarly troubled should lose no time in applying this splendid remedy, as there is nothing like it to be had. It is cheap, but its power is in no way expressed by its low price.

"Pa, who was it wrote 'To err is human, to forgive divine'?" "I don't remember now; but I'll bet it was somebody who had erred and been found out."

As Fire Spreads in dry grass, so does an inflammation in the throat grow down into the lungs. Deal promptly with a cold as with a fire, and when you begin to cough use Allen's Lung Balm.

Some men lost sight of great things by their attention to trifles.

It takes an optimist to side-track trouble when he meets it.

## BUT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CLEANED OUT W. F. BLACK'S SCIATICA.

He was in agony when a friend gave him a box. Now he recommends them to everybody.

Newcastle, N. B., Dec. 12 (Special).—In these cold fall days when the chill winds crystallize the uric acid in the blood and cause the pangs of Rheumatism and Sciatica to bring sleepless nights to many a home, a man's best friend is the one who can tell his neighbor of a sure cure for his tortures. Such a friend is Wm. F. Black of this place. He suffered from Sciatica and lame back. He was so bad that he could not lace his boots or turn in bed. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him and he wants all his neighbors to know of the cure.

"Yes," Mr. Black says, in an interview, "I was so bad with Sciatica and Lame Back that I couldn't lace my shoes or turn in bed, when a friend gave me about a third of a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I started taking them without much faith in their curative powers, and found them all they were recommended to be."

"Now I am recommending Dodd's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from Kidney Disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills are no faith cure. They're a simple but sure cure for diseased kidneys."

### SENTENCE SERMONS.

You cannot lead without love. It's no use trying to be a grateful grumbler. Heavenly love is more than a love for heaven.

Originally to the original sin, according to the Bible.

The best place to feel for the needy is in your pocket.

The great Christian is not bearing the Christian cross.

Many mistake the worship of custom for the custom of worship.

People who are hungry to be martyrs make a good many miserable.

Love may seem to serve blindly, but the service illumines the world.

Many a saint would stoop in service but for fear of losing his halo.

Many a man thinks he is pious who is only peddling other people's phrases.

It is better to be killed by hard times than to have to work hard to kill them.

The fact that you are displeasing people is not evidence that you are pleasing the Lord.

It seems as though heaven might be a dull place, remember they have an inside view of all our antics.

You cannot always trust the motives of the man who thinks he can tell you all about the motives of the Most High.

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quickly stops coughs, cures colds, soothes the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.

### MAY BE WOODEN-HEADED.

Caller—"I didn't know your son was at college. Is this his freshman year?"

Mrs. Bunderby—"Oh, no, indeed! He's a sophomore."

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

### POSITIVE KNOWLEDGE.

Englishman—"Have you any Dreadnoughts in America?"

Yankee—"Surely, I married one."

Painkiller in winter checks chills, breaks up colds and thus prevents bronchitis. Laxative and purgative. Unequalled as a liniment for frost bites, chilblains, bruises, sprains. Sold by all druggists. Only one Painkiller—Perry's.

### PROOF.

"Have you forgotten that \$5 you owe me?"

"Not at all. Didn't you see me try to dodge into that doorway?"

To have the children sound and healthy is the first care of a mother. They cannot be healthy if troubled with worms. Use Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Giles (who has just cashed a check)—I don't think this money's right. The Cashier—"Would you mind counting it again, sir? I think you'll find it correct. Giles (having done so)—Yes, but you be careful, young man; it's only just right.

Sore throat leads to Tonsillitis, Quinsy and Diphtheria. Hamlin's Wizard Oil used as a gargle upon the first symptoms of a sore throat will invariably prevent all three of these dread diseases.

"I made an awful mistake yesterday." "What was it?" "I asked Cashleigh to lend me \$5, and he had to change a ten to do it. I might just as well have borrowed the ten-spot."

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

## EFFECTS OF TOBACCO.

Carbon Monoxide a Dangerous Constituent of the Smoke.

It has not been proved that tobacco causes any definite, characteristic lesions of the nose, throat or ear, declares a writer in the Boston Medical and Surgical Journal. While it is possible that the excessive use of tobacco may by indirect action produce a toxic effect upon the olfactory and auditory nerves, with resulting impairment of the sense of smell or of hearing, there is not at the present time any definite laboratory proof for such an opinion, nor is there sufficient clinical evidence to substantiate the belief.

The ill effects of tobacco smoke upon existing diseases of the throat arising from other causes is established and is the same as would be observed from any other form of irritation. That gastric and systemic nervous disturbances may arise from excessive use of tobacco in any of its forms is unquestioned; the nicotine content of tobacco is a recognized poisonous substance, and in the process of smoking there are involved other injurious chemical products.

Carbon monoxide is probably a more dangerous and injurious constituent of tobacco smoke than is nicotine, only a very fractional amount of which ever enters the tissues. If there is any more danger to be anticipated from cigarette than from cigar smoking, it is to be looked for solely in the inhalation of the smoke; cigarette smoking without inhaling is no more injurious than pipe or cigar smoking, probably not as much so, unless enormous numbers are smoked.

## ZAM-BUK CURES PILES.

Maritime Magistrate's Case. Mr. C. E. Sanford of Weston, King's Co., N. S., a Justice of the Peace for the county, and a Deacon of the Baptist Church in Berwick, says: "I have used Zam-Buk for piles and found it a splendid remedy. It cured me."

Mr. Thomas Pearson, of Prince Albert, Sask., writes: "Last summer I had a fever, which left me with piles. I started to use Zam-Buk, and three or four boxes effected a complete cure."

Zam-Buk will also be found a sure cure for cold sores, chapped hands, frost bite, ulcers, scrofula, blood-poison, varicose sores, scaly sores, ringworm, inflamed patches, babies' eruptions and chapped places, cuts, burns, bruises, and skin injuries generally. All druggists and stores sell at the box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price. You are warned against harmful imitations and substitutes. See the registered name "Zam-Buk" on every package before buying.

## NOT ALWAYS.

She—They say that experience is a great teacher.

He—Yes; but you can be a coachman all your life, and not know how to bet on a horse race.

Holloway's Corn Cure takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

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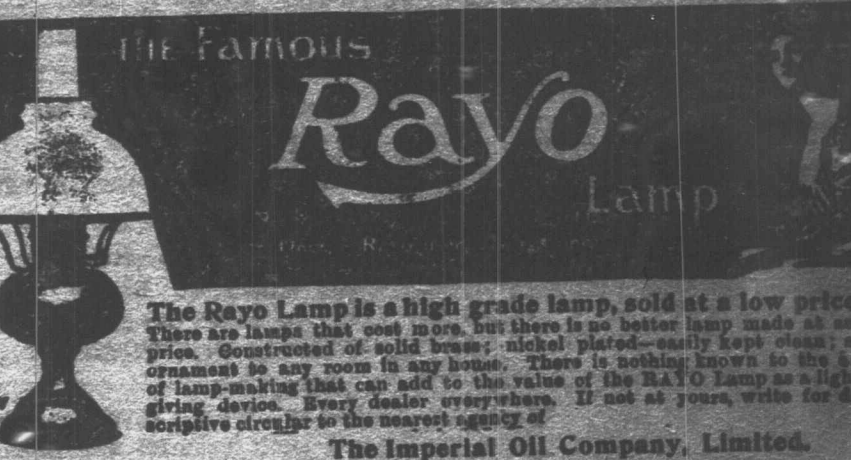
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The Famous Rayo Lamp

The Rayo Lamp is a high grade lamp, sold at a low price. There are lamps that cost more, but there is no better lamp made at any price. Constructed of solid brass, nickel plated, easily kept clean and ornamental to any room in any house. There is nothing known to the art of lamp-making that can add to the value of the RAYO Lamp as a lighting device. Every dealer everywhere. If not at your store, write for descriptive circular to the nearest agency of

The Imperial Oil Company, Limited.

## DON'T OVERDRAW YOUR BANK ACCOUNT.

To overdraw your bank account, whether mentally or physically, is more suicidal even than to overdraw materially. Repair wasted tissues, strengthen shattered nerves and rejuvenate your rheumatic system by visiting the famous Mineral Salt Springs of the "St. Catharines Well" of St. Catharines, Ont. A postal card to J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Grand Trunk Railway System, Toronto, will bring illustrated descriptive matter.

## SUBSTITUTE.

Charlie (hiding good-bye)—"I haven't the cheek to kiss you."

Alice—"Use mine."

A Simple and Cheap Medicine.—A simple, cheap and effective medicine is something to be desired. There is no medicine so effective a regulator of the digestive system as Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They are simple, they are cheap, they can be got anywhere, and their beneficial action will prove their recommendation. They are the medicine of the poor man and those who wish to escape doctors' bills will do well in giving them a trial.

## THE BEST WAS LAUGHTER.

"O Dear!" cried Mrs. Mason, seizing spoon and bending over a dish on the supper-table. "Here's a fly in my preserve."

"I'll bet he never got in a worse jam in his life," hazarded Mr. Mason, with the chuckle of a husband who rejoices in a momentary eminence over his wife.

## A YOUNG PHILOSOPHER.

Time is a relative quantity. Some minutes seem like hours, and some hours seem like minutes. How to control this flight is beyond most persons, but the little boy mentioned below seems to have progressed pretty well for a youngster. The teacher was surprised to see that he remained perfectly idle all through recess, and accordingly asked him why he did not play.

"Cause," he said, slowly, "it makes recess too quick if I play, and I want it to be a rest."

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AGENTS WANTED FOR TWO NEW LINES. Greatest premium proposition in Canada. Apply for particulars to J. H. Allen, 25 Albert St., Ottawa.

AGENTS — \$100 A DAY EASY. NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED. Sell at night. Absolute security to buyers. Best west of 30 years. For full info in one hour. Write to-day. Handy Joke Co., Harris, Ont.

## WANTED.

WANTED—MILITARY LAND GRANTS. Ontario or Dominion. Fully stated localities and prices. Box 33, Hamilton.

LEARN THE HANDED TRADE—NEW SYSTEM—constant practice—several instructors—few weeks complete course—hands free. Students earn to give to children. Write for catalogue. Mable Barker College, 441 Queen East, Toronto.

CHAMBER, Tumors, Lumps, etc. Internal and external, cured without pain by our new treatment. Write us before the cure. Dr. Buchanan Medical Co., Limited, Collingwood, Ont.

THIS TORONTO HOSPITAL FOR INDIAN CHILDREN offers two years' training, complete in management, post-graduate course in education. Graduates receive \$1000 per year. Applications will be received by Miss Green, Lady Superintendent, 10 Dundas street.

JAPANESE HAIR TONIC. We want every man and woman who has thinning or falling out of hair to try Japanese Hair Tonic. It keeps falling hair, causes hair to grow thick and abundant. For info write to us. We will send you free a 50c package equal to any dollar package—enough for two months' treatment.

MAGNETIC MEDICAL HALL, Chatham, N.B., Canada.

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WALKING OR OUTING SUITS. Can be done perfectly by our French system. Try it. British American Dyeing Co., Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa and Quebec.

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The most highly efficient application for the reduction of Swellings, Glands, Thick Neck, Glandular Enlargements, Its Positive.

## PILES

of all kinds, in any and all stages, quickly relieved and positively cured. Cure your suffering and live happily. "Common Sense" for Piles will do it. \$1 a box, 2 for \$3 boxes. Mailed on receipt of price.

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THE COSTLIEST FURS come from your part of the COUNTRY. Ship them to the BEST FUR MARKET and SURE FUR HOUSE. By shipping DIRECT to us you receive far better PRICES than you have obtained elsewhere, because we sell direct to the manufacturers of HIGH GRADE FURS.

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## "Seventeen mothers in the village

mothers' club agreed to decide by ballot which had the handsomest baby." "Well, who won it?" "Each baby got one vote!"

## Stop That Limp

Change that limping, useless horse into a sound, healthy horse, willing and eager to do a good day's work. Don't let a Spavin, Curb, Splint, Sprain, Ringbone or any other Lameness keep your horse in the stable. Cure it with

## Kendall's

Spavin Cure

It cures without leaving a scar, blemish or white hairs—because it does not blister.

Port Halls, N.C., June 14th 1899. "Have been using your Liniment for years and find it all that you represent. Have not been without it for 10 years."

CHOROS GORDON.

\$1 a bottle—6 for \$5. Excellent for lamenesses, etc. Sold by all Dealers. Ask for free book "A Treatise On The Horse" or write us for copy.

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## Local News and Personal Items

George Upham, M. P. P., was here one day last week.

J. G. Cheney of Fort Fairfield was visiting friends here recently.

Peter Clinch, the St. John insurance man, was here last week.

H. E. Gray, barber, of East Florenceville, was here on Monday.

There was lately somewhat of a shortage of cars for hay shipments.

Be sure to see the Poultry Show, as it will be larger and better than ever.

Remember the Big Poultry Show next Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17-18.

D. A. Aiton of Riley Brook was visiting his former home here over Sunday.

Miss Julia McCollom is in Amherst, the guest of Miss Fuller, who visited her last summer.

F. P. Atkinson, superintendent of the N. B. Telephone Co.'s local lines, was here yesterday.

Seth A. Fulton, formerly of Knox, died of pneumonia on Wednesday, Dec. 28 at Gillett, Colo., aged 61 years.

Mrs. Alex. Henderson of Woodstock, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Miller, returned home on Saturday.

Big Poultry Show will be held in Mr. Frank Hagerman's new concrete building Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17-18.

Lost: A boys' nickel watch between the school house and the village. The finder will please leave it at this office.

Miss Minnie DeLong who, during the first six months of the Osseva's existence was chief compositor has again accepted that position.

The survey of the Hartland and Miramichi railway is progressing favorably, about half the distance having been successfully covered.

E. T. Shaw, Frank Goodwin, William McAdam, Ray Rideout and H. M. DeWitt were passengers to Woodstock on yesterday morning's train.

A very convenient calendar is received from the Bank of Montreal and a very handsome one from H. N. Dickinson, representing Balmain Bros.

Rev. E. L. Steeves, who has recovered somewhat from his illness, moved with his family to Surrey, Albert on Rev. S. W. Schurman now occupies the Baptist parsonage.

Through an error in copy the Prize List of the Hartland Poultry Show announced the wrong days. The correct days are Tuesday and Wednesday next. Come!

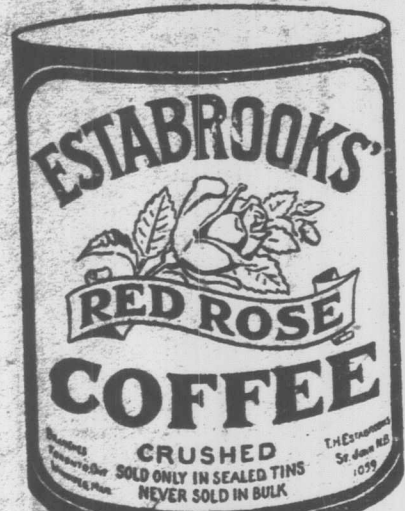
For a few days DeWitt Bros. have been closed to business by reason of a financial situation which all earnestly hope will end happily. The crisis is expected to pass in a day or two.

A young man of the village was on Friday arrested for alleged violation of the C. T. A. Before Police Magistrate Dibble on Saturday he was examined and dismissed for want of convicting evidence. Two other young men were called as witnesses.

Come to Hartland next week. The Poultry Show will please you. The public meeting will be educative and profitable. "The Squire's Stratagem" by the Bloomfield Dramatic Club will delightfully entertain. Don't forget the days—Tuesday and Wednesday.

### Blending coffee

is a fine operation requiring highly developed skill. The secret of that unusual richness and brilliancy in Estabrooks' Coffee is in the perfect blending of strength and flavor. It is a coffee for particular folk.



Sold only in 1 and 1/2 lb. tins.

Try it for breakfast to-morrow

The village schools reopened on Monday.

F. N. Grant visited Woodstock yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. London, Woodstock, was here yesterday.

Miss Lena Hayward of Woodstock, was visiting friends here last week.

R. B. Owens has a dandy pung and other things for sale cheap. See ad.

P. W. D. Campbell of the N. B. Tel. Co., St. John, was here last week.

James S. Faulkner has moved from Avondale to his new residence at Somerville.

Miss Jennie Pelky of Gordonsville, returned from a visit to Woodstock yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hagerman spent the Christmas holidays with their sister Mrs. J. A. Parker, Chester.

At the Poultry Show Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17-18, you can see the incubators and brooders in full operation.

Lee Ryan, who was so severely burned in his cell in the Woodstock jail a few weeks ago, died from his injuries last week.

The Hartland Poultry Show promises to be a great educator for the poultry breeders and others as well; be sure and see it.

Howard Jacques, a harness maker of Woodstock, dropped dead of heart disease in Woodstock on Monday. He was 66 years of age.

Work on Hagerman's new cement block building is moving along rapidly. The first floor will be ready for occupancy in a few weeks.

Addington Campbell of South Gordonsville, whose father died of pneumonia last spring and who himself had a severe attack, is ill again of the disease.

Buyers are paying \$1.10 for potatoes, 30 cents for oats, and there is no change in the hay situation. Butter in tubs brings 20 cents, and good rolls 22 cents. Fresh eggs bring 25 cents.

Service in the Methodist church next Sunday at 7 p. m. Preacher, Rev. Wm. Whitehouse. Subject of series: "Glimpses into the life of Paul." 1. "Paul: The Persecutor." All are welcome.

Writes W. H. Armand of West Glasville: "Enclosed please find 50 cents in payment of subscription to the best paper published in these parts. Wishing you every success in the New Year, etc." Thanks!

Mrs. Andrew Carthy of St. Mary's, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Fredericton hospital, is convalescing at the home of her mother, Mrs. Owens, here. Donald Boland of Woodstock is also visiting Mrs. Owens, his grandmother.

The Orange lodge has rented Burt's hall for their special use, and will sub-let it to the Church of England for use on Sundays. It has been cleaned thoroughly and renovated to some extent and for the purposes for which it will be used will be highly in favor by all concerned.

In the Methodist church on Sunday evening, Jan. 1, Rev. W. W. Whitehouse gave a special New Years address, prefatory to the usual sermon. The reverend gentleman is accredited a talented speaker whose eloquent earnestness is doing much to strengthen and uplift the congregation.

The following announcement from the Vancouver World will interest a host of friends of both the persons mentioned: "On Saturday, Dec. 31, Hanford Sylvester Albert Belyea, formerly of Hartland, New Brunswick, was married at the First Baptist Church to Miss Helen Jennie Amelia Nevers of Hartland, New Brunswick. The ceremony was performed by Dr. H. Francis Perry in the presence of relatives. After a sojourn in California and Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Belyea will reside in Vancouver."

Last week a party of American engineers, representing, it is alleged, the International Survey of the St. John, was at work taking widths and depths of the river. They had worked from Green River down and ended their labors a short distance below here. It was claimed their object was to get data of the low water conditions for use in estimating the effect that storage dams on the head waters might have. It was hinted that their work had to do with the existing or proposed diversion of water to the Penobscot. It could not be learned with certainty that the crew were officially identified with the International Survey, and some people went so far as to express an opinion that the men were the emissaries of American lumber interests.

Last evening a meeting was held in M. L. Hayward's office for the purpose of organizing a physical culture class. The annual meeting of the Farmers' Tel. Co. was held at Windsor on Monday. A report will appear next week.

Geo. F. Smith, Miss Lou Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Creighton, and Miss Blanche K. Dibblee of Woodstock were New Year guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Graham.

For Sale—A late model Empire typewriter the same as new. A bargain. Apply to the OBSERVER for further particulars.

Girl Wanted—To learn typesetting. Pay from the start and a permanent situation afterward. Apply at once at THE OBSERVER office.

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## KAFFIRS MENACE COLONY

### KAFFIRS ARE RAPIDLY GAINING GROUND IN AFRICA

#### Caucasians are Frequently Seen Shining the Boots of Natives.

Although it played no conspicuous part in the recent South African election campaign, the native problem will demand an increasing amount of attention from the Union Government and Parliament in the near future. In addition to the vexed question of the franchise, various matters of affecting relations in general between whites and blacks are certain to call for serious consideration. Probably few South Africans are able to treat seriously the views recently propounded by Prof. R. Broom, of Cape Town, who foresees that before the end of the century the Kaffirs will be the dominant race in the sub-continent. But, so far as they indicate the progress of the blacks in civilization, his statements are of much interest.

#### MAY - A MENACE.

Remarking that the white people numbered 1,200,000 and the Kaffirs 7,200,000, the professor asserted that one of the principal factors that was welding the natives together was religion, which was being disseminated by missionaries. Even if their numbers remained stationary, under the guidance of an intelligent chief the natives would be a menace to the white population. But they were increasing at an enormous rate, and in Cape Colony they were being educated to a great extent.

Nearly every native boy and girl was taught to read and write. He wished he could say the same of the white people. The school returns of the colony showed that 130,000 natives and 80,000 white children had received education. More and more black labor was being employed in the colony. In a very short time the native would have a large number of trades in his own hands.

#### IN SKILLED WORK

he was steadily displacing white labor. Ultimately he would displace the farmer as well. If they gave the native political equality as some politicians had advocated, social equality was bound to follow. In Cape Town one could see natives having their boots blacked by white men. In the past, natives were taking place, and eventually they would find that the race would become a mixture, such as they found in the United States of America. In 1890, if things went on as they were going, there would be something like thirty millions of blacks in the Union. Segregation, in Prof. Broom's opinion, was the only policy that would save white South Africa.

#### A SYMPATHETIC BURGLAR.

A thoughtful burglar who broke into the house of Joseph Brown, Broadham Highroad, last week has earned the gratitude of Mr. and Mrs. Brown by returning through the post two highly prized miniatures, whose intrinsic value to the thief was inconsiderable, says the London Daily Mail. The thief took £12 or £14 worth of portable valuables, including a gold miniature locket containing the portraits of Mr. Brown's two little boys. The parents were particularly sorry to lose the locket because the elder of the boys died only a short time ago and the miniature could not be replaced.

#### THE DIFFERENCE

Just before the election a local politician delivered an address upon politics in general to a school. When he had finished, he said: "Now, can any of you tell me what a statesman is?"

A little hand went up, and a little girl replied: "A statesman is a man who makes speeches."

"Hardly that," answered the politician. "For instance, I sometimes make speeches, and yet I am not a statesman."

The little hand went up again.

"I know," and the answer came triumphantly. "A statesman is a man who makes good speeches."

#### THE GENTLE CYNIC.

Sowing his wild oats has caused many a fellow to raise a check. The only way you can get some men to respect you is to use a club.

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If you want to know how really devilish a small boy can be, get engaged to his sister.

Even when a man gets the better of you in an argument you can sometimes shut him up by offering to bet him a dollar.

Locksbur—I wonder why the milkman is so dead anxious to own an airship? Floxind—He has a pipe dream of getting a free supply of his merchandise from the "milky way."

## BANK OF MONTREAL.

### Report of Annual Meeting.

The 33rd annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Bank of Montreal was held at the head office of the company on December 5th, with Mr. R. B. Angus, the president, in the chair. The annual statement submitted was one of the best in the history of this financial institution. The Bank of Montreal, which is so ultimately bound up with the financial history of this country, has become the strongest of our financial institutions. At the present her total assets have reached the enormous sum of \$240,000,000. With her 147 branches scattered throughout the country the bank is able to keep in close touch with the business interests of every community, and is doing her full share in promoting the financial and industrial development of the country.

The annual report showed a balance of profit and loss on Oct. 31, 1909, of \$603,796. The profits for the year ended Oct. 31, 1910, after deducting charges of management and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, was \$1,707,982, making the total profits \$2,311,778. From this was deducted four quarterly dividends at 2½ per cent., amounting altogether to \$1,440,000, leaving a balance of profit and loss carried forward at the end of October, 1910, of \$861,778.

A further examination of the report shows that the bank has deposits bearing interest of over \$154,000,000, while considerably over \$43,000,000 is on deposit not bearing interest. During the year the deposits had increased by \$18,000,000, an indication of the bank's growth. The note circulation of the bank amounted to \$14,500,000, being slightly larger than the paid-up capital. The bank has a reserve account of the large sum of \$12,000,000. The amount of call and short loans in Great Britain and the United States was reduced by \$14,000,000 during the year and now amounts to \$61,918,000. This amount of money is kept on call in New York and London at a low rate of interest, as the bank finds it less disturbing to Canadian business interest to have it on deposit in foreign centres. It was on deposit in Canada and were demanded at a few hours' notice it might seriously embarrass local institutions.

The loans and advances made by the bank during the year show an increase of \$21,000,000, indicating that the bank is doing its full share in assisting in the development of our rapidly growing country. Altogether the financial statement is one of the most creditable ever presented by Canada's premier financial institutions. The business transacted has been large, the profits to the bank have been satisfactory, the deposits, loans, circulation, as well as the assets have all increased throughout the year. Today the bank is in a better position than ever to enter to the needs of the business communities, and better able to assist in the financial development of the country than ever before.

#### WORRY DOES KILL.

It Persisted In It Breaks Down the Minute Cells of the Brain.

Modern science has brought to light nothing more curiously interesting than that worry will kill. More remarkable still it has been able to determine from recent discoveries just how worry does kill, says the Journal of Physiological Therapeutics.

It is believed by many scientists who have followed carefully the growth of the science of brain diseases that scores of the deaths due to worry and that alone. The theory is a simple one, so simple that any one can readily understand it. Briefly put, it amounts to this: Worry injures beyond repair certain cells of the brain, and the brain being the nutritive centre of the body, the other organs become gradually injured, and when some diseases of these organs or a combination of them arises death finally ensues.

Thus worry kills. Insidiously, like many other diseases, it creeps upon the brain in the form of a single constant water over a period of years and does worry gradually, imperceptibly and no less surely destroy the brain cells that lead all the rest, which are, so to speak, the commanding officers of mental power, health and motion.

Worry, to make the theory still stronger, is an irritant at certain points which produces little harm if it comes at intervals or irregularly. Occasional worryment the brain can cope with, but the iteration and one reiteration of one idea of a disquieting sort the cells of the brain are not proof against.

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and the surface of the brain struck lightly with a hammer every few seconds with mechanical precision, with never a sign of a stop or the failure of a stroke. Just in this way does the annoying idea, the maddening thought that will not be done away with, strike or fall upon certain nerve cells, never ceasing, diminishing the vitality of the delicate organisms that are so minute that they can be seen only under the microscope.

#### HYDROPHOBIA SKUNKS.

Sleeping men Bitten by the Pests Contract Rabies and Die.

While stopping at a Western ranch over night, Dillon Wallace, now on a Western trip for The Outing Magazine, relates a conversation with a ranch hand about hydrophobia skunks. He says in Outing:

"A man connected with the ranch joined us, and conversation turned to the menace of hydrophobia skunks. He informed us that six weeks earlier a homesteader, sleeping on the floor of the cookhouse with open door, was bitten on the head by one of these animals. Some time later, while in Winslow, he was attacked by rabies, and died in great agony. One of the doctors attending the man was scratched by him, and was then in the Pasteur Institute in Los Angeles undergoing treatment."

"Formerly it was believed that only a species of small skunk inhabiting this region was given to attacking men in their sleep, but the one that wounded the homesteader was of the larger species well known throughout the United States. Another skunk, since the above occurrence, bit a collier dog on the ranch and the dog developed rabies and died."

"In much of the territory through which I passed skunks are a real menace, not, I may say, in the open wilderness, but in the vicinity of old ranch buildings which they infest. I heard of several cases—I should say at least a dozen—where sleeping men had been attacked by them and had later developed rabies and died. The people bitten are almost invariably poor sheepherders or homesteaders, unable to pay their expenses to Chicago or Los Angeles, the nearest points at which Pasteur Institutes are now located, and even if they had the money to meet these expenses they are usually from three to four days' travel from the railroad when the accident occurs, which, with two or three days by train from the nearest railroad station to the institute, combines to make so long a delay that treatment is generally ineffective."

#### MEAT ECONOMIES.

Soup-Bone with Dumplings.—Purchase a soup bone, about a pound, for a small family, put in a kettle and half cover with water, allowing it about three hours to cook. Keep plenty of water on it so it will not boil dry, season with salt when about half done; pare potatoes and let them boil with the meat for half an hour before dinner. Before you put the potatoes in, take about half the liquid in another kettle or pan, add a little water, and set on a stove to boil while you mix the dough for dumplings as follows:

One quart of flour, into which two teaspoonfuls of baking powder has been sifted, add a little salt and a good sized teaspoonful of lard; mix altogether with a fork, then add enough milk to make a soft dough. Toss out on board and cut with a small-sized biscuit cutter. Take half the number of biscuits and put in the liquid, which should be boiling, and let them cook for fifteen or twenty minutes. The remaining biscuits can be baked for dinner.

Then if there is any meat left after the meal, cut it off and grind with it a few potatoes and two or three small onions in the meat grinder, and you can fry it like hash or make into small cakes and fry.

#### EARTHQUAKES IN JAPAN.

Japan, which has just suffered a flood by which 30,000 houses in Tokio alone have been submerged, is peculiarly the victim of elemental forces. The country contains fifty-one active volcanoes and has an average of about 500 earthquake shocks yearly. As for fires, it used to be estimated that a city like Osaka was rebuilt once in ten years owing to this cause alone. It was no uncommon thing for three or four acres of the lath and plaster houses to be wiped out in an hour or two after the over-turning of a kerosene lamp.

A sturdier type of building and a more efficient fire-brigade has made insurance in Japan possible, but floods and earthquakes still take a heavy toll of life and property.

Date Pie.—Make a good crisp crust and bake brown nicely. Put in a layer of nice large dates, stoned. Spread with one-third cupful of whipped cream, sweetened a little. Place small pieces of red jelly here and there, then spread the white of one egg on the top. Place in the oven just long enough to brown the egg. This is excellent.

## SALADS.

Fruit Salad.—One orange for each person to be served, take then a sharp paring knife and cut into the orange sideways two cuts three inches long and one inch apart; then begin by cutting from the top down half way of the orange on each side cut, which will form a handle cut into the orange, and then scoop out the remaining orange, which will be a form of basket. Of the orange that was taken out add as follows, which serves six people: Take six oranges doing the same as described taking the orange that was scooped out, cut into small cubes, small pan of pineapple chunks, two peaches, two pears, two bananas, all cut into small pieces, put over all one half-cupful of sugar, mixing well, then fill baskets; put on top of each two cherries and serve each basket on small plate with leaf lettuce.

Clubhouse Salad.—One package of macaroni boiled and cooled. Four or five good-sized bunches of celery; cut in small pieces, season with salt and white pepper. Mix with the following cream dressing: Mix one teaspoonful salt, one tablespoonful mustard, one and one-half tablespoonfuls sugar, five tablespoonfuls melted butter, two eggs, slightly beaten, one and one-half cups of cream (sweet); add slowly one-half cup vinegar; cook dressing in double boiler, stir all the time until it thickens. Just before serving add two pounds English walnuts chopped. If you add nuts earlier the salad will turn black, otherwise it is white.

Moor Chicken.—Get 25 cents' worth of chicken from leg. Cut in two inch pieces, season with flour on all sides. Into a large frying pan put a rounding tablespoon of lard, or lard and butter mixed; heat very hot and put meat in, scattering surplus flour over it. Turn when one side is browned, and when all sides are brown cover to depth of half inch above meat with boiling water. Reduce heat and simmer for about forty-five minutes, tightly covered to save all gravy. The result is a meat as palatable and tender as chicken and plenty of gravy for the children. Enough for five or six persons.

#### CLEAN HANDS.

Most persons who take any pride at all in the preservation of habits of ordinary cleanliness take it for granted that their hands are clean for this would seem to be the very foundation of personal decency. In all cities the large department stores, as well as the drug-stores, are fitted with a vast assortment of things that are solely for the care of the hands, manuring tools, files, polishers and whiteners, leading one to suppose that much thought and care are directed to the beautification of the hands, and as a natural deduction that here, at least, cleanliness might come even before godliness.

It is said to be obliged to suggest, nevertheless, that most persons have hands that are not washed often enough and not washed thoroughly enough.

The bacteriologists tell us that if half a dozen people simply dip their hands into a basin of water, and then remove them without any effort at cleansing, the water will be found to swarm with bacilli. One shudders to think what would happen to that water if a few of the average cooks or bakers or hand-lers of fruit should dip their hands in it.

It is the food question that makes this matter of clean hands so vital. All the food we eat must first pass through human hands, and sometimes through many of them. It has been proved that typhoid fever can be transmitted to others by a person who has long ago recovered from the attack, and that it may be and is done through the agency of dirty hands. A case has been reported where a cook infected member after member of the families she worked for, although she had been a well woman herself for years.

As to food, we are perhaps more at the mercy of our cooks than of any one else. The food may be, and probably is, not really clean when it is delivered at the kitchen door, and it rests with the cook herself to handle it and clean it that it shall be free from germs when served to the family.

Some dirty hands are harmless, and some apparently clean hands are dangerous. A hand covered with the soil of gardening may be a terrible sight, and yet there may not be a dangerous germ on it, whereas the pretty hand of the girl who goes out without gloves and holds a car strap or touches a railing may be lavishly soiled with some teeming multitudes of germs, some of which she will convey to her mouth with the next piece of candy she eats.

Hands should always be most carefully washed before food is touched, never mind how harmless the previous occupation may seem; and gloves should always be worn when one is outdoors.—Youth's Companion.

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### EGGENTRICITIES OF DIET

#### "INSATIABLE HUNGER" HAS MANY FREAKS.

Doctor Declares People With Such Appetites are Bottomless Pits.

W. Saltan Fenwick kept an audience alternately convulsed with laughter and shivering with something that was pretty nearly akin to horror in a lecture he delivered at the Institute of Hygiene, in London, England, on "Eggentricities of Diet." One of his most amusing statements concerned patients he had known who suffered from the disease of "insatiable hunger."

"The earliest notice of it," he said, "is to be found in the Book of Genesis, where Pharaoh consulted Joseph about his dream of the fat and lean kine, in which the lean kine devoured the fat ones without appearing an atom the better for it. That exactly describes the case of the 'insatiable hunger' victims. They will eat almost anything, yet are always hungry, lean, and ill-favored."

Then he went on to give instances he had known. A girl of 6, he said, who ordinarily at table ate as much as the seven other members of the family put together, one day escaped to the kitchen, and there put away a raw codfish, two pounds of tallow candles and several pounds of butter.

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Another stardier was the case of a boy who, on being shut up in an empty room, was discovered afterward to have eaten his clothes.

"People like that," said the lecturer, "are bottomless pits. You can throw all your goods and chattels into them."

Talking about what he called the "idiosyncrasy of diet," he told of people who plastered their food with salt and never sat down to a meal without emptying the salt cellar. He knew of a girl who never left the table without emptying every salt cellar she could lay hands on and who would increase ten pounds in weight in twenty-four hours. She was frequently unable to wear a dress that had been quite loose for her the previous day.

**CHILDREN EAT PAPER.**

Then he told of patients whose craze was to eat paper, these being mostly children, who would scrape the paper off the walls to satisfy their strange craving, the result being the formation of sodden paper balls in the stomach, which sometimes proved fatal. There were girls who died or got into serious trouble through eating wisps of their own hair; dressmakers, mat, and mattress makers, who had a strange taste for cotton, string or anything at all that they might be working with, and varnishers and polishers who drank themselves to death with their varnish and polish.

Finally, he had a go at the vegetarians. "They are the most difficult people in the world to treat," Dr. Fenwick declared. "Prove to them that vegetarianism is making

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Imagine the sensations of one of our Puritan grandmothers if she could have heard a young woman give as reason for not joining a reading circle that whilst clubs occupied four afternoons and two evenings, while two mornings were devoted to lessons in whist playing! This is an extreme, although actual case, but it shows one temptation of modern life. Most of us have a personal acquaintance with one or several women who are members of whist clubs and waste precious daylight hours over card-tables. Surely this frittering away of time and energy, this emulation in dress, in refreshments, in prizes, this round of excitement, associated with card clubs, are demoralizing and immoral. "The card habit is almost as fatal as the opium habit," says one disgusted woman. In fashionable society circles this mania for cards is seen at its worst, for it has developed a love of gambling which has infected even the children, if we may believe the newspapers. Dr. Huntington of Grace Church, New York, in a recent sermon on Puritanism, probably had good reason for condemning society women for encouraging gambling. He calls for a revival of the old Puritan spirit of discipline in place of our modern indulgence in luxury, pleasure and excitement and says that women, as custodians of morals, must be the ones to cultivate that spirit.—The Congregationalist.

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Miss Beatrice Welling is spending her vacation in Fredericton and Chatham.

The Masonic ball given on Tuesday evening was a great success.

C. H. Elliott is spending the Xmas season at his home in Chatham.

Mrs. Frank Turner and Miss Joanna Everett spent a few days of last week at Grand Falls.

Guy Turner of Fairville is at home for his vacation.

Miss Gwen Hopkins and Master Raymond Hopkins were in Edmundston for some days of last week.

Miss Jennie Watson is visiting Mrs. Pickett at Hillendale.

Sheriff and Mrs. Tibbitts returned from St. John on Tuesday accompanied by their daughter Mrs. Tinker and her son George.

Mrs. W. W. Pickett and daughter Ruth are visiting friends in town.

Miss Helen Manzer and Miss Grace Porter are home from Sackville for two weeks.

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### Coldstream.

(Intended for issue of Dec 23.)

Santa Clause left his first consignment of Christmas novelties here last week,—a girl at Rudd Craigs, also one at Fred Newers and best of all twins, a boy and girl at Leighton Nobles. Well done! Saint Nicholas!

Miss Mildred Carpenter spent Sunday with friends in Upper Brighton. She has accepted the position of teacher in that district for the ensuing term.

Miss Hannah Estabrooks, accompanied by her little niece Agnes Waters returned from Florenceville on Saturday.

There will be a concert in the church here on Saturday evening. A silver collection will be taken for missions.

Albert Pagett of Tobique is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Lockhart closed her school on Wednesday in order to attend the Institute at Woodstock.

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