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NOTES AND COMMENTS BY THE EDITOR

The most satisfactory substute for coal is spring.

The man who said "What you don't know doesn't hurt you" never saw a gossip suffering for information.

"Said Mr. Gallager to Mr. Shean," Williams' Camphorated Mustard Cream will loosen up that cold in your chest and help your stiff neck. Rub it on and rub it in. Your druggist has it. 35c a jar.

In the days of Tutankhamen's (3250 years ago) the ladies wore their skirts shorter than they do to-day, but they didn't bob their hair, but had several bobs on the back of their head. It is claimed that before another year the "Tutankhamen" style will be in vogue again.

Writing from Crokett, California, in renewing his subscription to the Press, J. E. Hughes says, "We see many references to people we know, and that revives fond recollections of the days that used to be, and is a great pleasure to us. Sister and I hope to visit the old home town in the not distant future and renew old acquaintenances and visit the old scenes once again.

Uncle Jack Miner will be here next Wednesday. There are less than one hundred seats yet available for the evening entertainment, and the hall will be crowded in the afternoon. The Public School children of Ormond are coming out in a body to hear the wonderful "Uncle Jack," and they will receive an education that will stay with them through life.

James Fawcett Dead

Mr. James Fawcett, Maple Ringe died last night after a lingering illness. Had he lived until June he would have reached his 97th birthday. The funeral will take place from his late home, Maple Ridge on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

An Apology

If you expect to see something in the Press this week and can't find it, just blame the editor—who is somewhat under the weather. The spirit is willing but the mind sluggish, the desire is strong, but the ache acute. It is evident that a number of our country correspondents have something "ailing" them for we miss their always bright and cheering news notes.

Three important auction sales are advertised in this weeks issue, one on 28th Feb. one on 1st March, also one March 7th. Read them carefully. The wise farmer advertises his sale in the Winchester Press.

Miss Pirt's class in Home Nursing has increased in interest and attendance as the days have passed On Monday some of the High School girls accepted an invitation to attend, the total number present that day being over ninety.

Something Good, Something Funny, Something really worth the money at "The Ladies' Aid" in the Town Hall to-morrow night. Get your seat reserved at Flora's Store.

"The Spark of Life."

The people of Winchester were treated to a very fine entertainment last Friday evening, when the Winchester Citizens' Band, assisted by local young ladies, presented their play, "The Spark of Life." The hall was by no means filled, but the Band Committee are quite satisfied, even though it took almost the entire receipts to pay expenses.

Many who were fortunate enough to be present said it was the best play ever presented, by local talent, in Winchester, and many will be pleased to learn that the Band intend putting this play on again about the 20th of March, and those who were unable to be present last Friday, will have the opportunity of seeing it; and no doubt the hall will be too small to accomodate the crowd.

Each character played their several parts in splendid shape, and showed some very fine acting, and when all did so well it is difficult to particularize. The leading parts were taken by Miss Anna Timmins and Mr. W. F. Workman. Miss Timmins took the part of the Mechanical Doll and was exceptionally good, and Mr. Workman's part as the old Doll Maker was well put on. The comedy scenes were furnished by Toots, played by Miss Doris Kenny, who acted her part as good as any talented artist; also Mr. Wm. Smith who showed both skill and energy in the acting of Tommy Tucker. Mr. J. H. Larue handled the Mephisto Part, along with the part of Bud Barlow, in a most up-to-date manner. Mr. Cecil Summers took his usual part, the Mysterious Stranger, and everyone knows how mysterious Cecil can act, "I beg your pardon—" We must not forget Mrs. Heinie, played by Miss Pauline Hutt, and Dora Mee, played by Miss Mable Sullivan, both doing well.

Mr. J. L. Dixon, President of the Band, was director and stage manager, and deserves much of the credit for the success of the play, as he devoted his time unsparingly to make it a success. The lighting effects were handled by Mr. Delong Preston, which added very much to the beauty of the scenes.

There was a somewhat tiresome delay between the second and third acts while the scenery was being changed, but a good snappy Orchestra filled in the time. The third act was a beautiful lawn scene and it was certainly wonderful, (with such limited space) how the effect could be accomplished in such short time between acts. Mr. T. O. Keyes very kindly loaned the outdoor scenery to the Band, and the set-house and other scenery were built especially for the play.

The specialties consisted of a Piano Duett by Misses Hutt and Shaver, a vocal Duett by Misses Kenny and Hutt, and Instrumental Duet by Messrs. Smith and Workman. Those who played in the Orchestra, which was so heartily encored, were Messrs, Workman, Latimer and Smith, also Mr. Larue in the prelude. Mrs. Kenny was the sole accompanist for the evening.

On the whole it was a very enjoyable evening, and each member put forth their very best efforts to make it a success, and we feel quite sure that Winchester and the surrounding country will be patiently waiting until "The Spark of Life" is presented again.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL JOTTINGS

Mr. F. A. Coons has been laid up by illness during the past week.

Mrs. W. H. Elliott of Ottawa spent Friday the guest of Mrs. G. E. Payne.

Mr. Harold Carkner spent the week-end with friends in Norfolk, N. Y.

Mrs. T. W. Boyes and son Jack, were visiting friends at Merrickville last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Barlow, of Chesterville were visitors in Winchester last Saturday.

Mrs. Leslie Dixon and children spent the week-end at her parents home in Chesterville.

Miss Mildred Allison, of Morewood was the recent guest of her cousin, Miss Helen Ault.

Miss Dora Anderson has returnd to Sudbury, after spending a few weeks at her home here.

Mrs. Geo E. Coburn, was called to Braeside, owing to the serious illness of her father, Mr. A. W. Gillmore.

Mrs. Eden Hughes, of Vancouver, B.C. was the week-end guest of her former school-mate, Mrs. O. Coughler, of town.

Mr. Hubert Merkley and sister Evelyn visited their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nesbitt, of Winchester Springs, on Sunday.

The Misses Ruby Quartz and Martha Dickson spent the past week end in Kemptville, the guests of the latter's sister Mrs. John M. Jackson.

Mr. Earnie Gilroy, who is now located in Smith's Falls with Dr. Moffatt, veterinary, was home for the week-end. He says he likes it in Smith's Falls and they are already doing a good business.

Congratulations are extended Mr. Arlie McIntosh, nephew of Mr. Geo. Mowat, on his heading his class list in his recent examination in accountancy, and having passed in other exams at McGill, Montreal.

Mr. A J. Junger representing Barnekows's Cheese Rennet of Malmo, Sweden accompanied by Mr. J. B. Campbell, Canadian Representative of Montreal Que. were in town on Wednesday soliciting business for their products. Mr. Junger is enjoying his visit to Canada and finds our winter climate quite the same as that of Sweden. The Cheese business of his native country is practically all on a co-operative basis and their cheese product in its variety of types is practically all for arcticles for home consumption.

One of the best of the winter will be "The Ladies' Aid" in the Town Hall, to-morrow night. Reserve your seat at L. Flora's store

On Monday, February 5th, the death angel visited the home of Jesse J. Casselman, two miles east of Morrisburg, and bore away a loving mother to her eternal reward. Her maiden name was Catherine Schwerdfeger,

Rev. J. K. Curtis spoke on three characters, Simple, Sloth and Presumption, at last Sunday night's service, showing how the counterpart of these men, with the chains on their heels is found in every community to-day. The next sermon will be on Christian's experiences at the Cross.

The township of Lancaster lost two of its oldest residents last week in the deaths of Allan D. Grant, aged 86 years, and John McBean, aged 88. both natives of the third concession, and the village of Lancaster was also bereft of one of its old residents by the death of Barry Joseph Sullivan was a native of Munster county, Ireland.

A remarkable case of fecundity in swine is reported from the farm of George Perrin in Montague township, a few miles from Smiths Falls. On that farm is a Yorkshire sow, born April 11th, 1921. On March 16th, 1922, it gave birth to sixteen pigs, on August 30th, 1922, sixteen more pigs came and on the 4th day of the present month this same sow presented its owner with a litter of 18 pigs, making a total of 50 pigs in ten months and 19 days

John S. Barkley, blacksmith, of Dixon Corners, died at the General Hospital, Cornwall, on Friday morning, the ninth of February, death following an operation. Although not feeling well toward the previous week-end the fatal sickness did not beset him until Saturday night when he was suddenly stricken. He was taken to the hospital Wednesday. John S. Barkley was born at Dundela 53 years ago, the eldest child of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Barkley, of Hainsville.

Leave your orders for Feed Wheet at $1.40 per 100 pounds Sample on exhibition at our office. J. A. Campbell.

Sunday School Will Attend

Arrangements have been made whereby all the children of the Methodist Sunday School will attend the afternoon entertainment of Uncle Jack Miner in the town hall here on Wednesday afternoon next. It will be a great treat for the children.

Debate at Avonmore.

Something over twenty of the Winchester High School students with Principal Copeland and some of the other teachers went down to Avonmore this afternoon when there will be an entertainment and debate. The subject of the debate is, "Resolved that the Press is a greater power for Good than the Platform." Those who are to take part in the debate, and uphold the place and power of the Press, are Messrs. Cecil Dukelow, Elric Lanoue and Garfield Claxton, three of our very promising young men.

One Touch of Lumbago makes the Whole World Kin—and a few rubs with Williams' Camphorated Mustard Cream takes away the pain and loosens the stiff joints. Rub it on, and rub it in. It won't blister. 35c a jar at your druggist's.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NOTES

All men from the ages of seventeen to a hundred, are invited to the Brotherdood meeting, to be held in the Baptist Church next Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. It will be Brief, Bright and Brotherly. The subject will be, "The Virgin Birth of Christ."

Winter Races.

Word comes from Potsdam, N. Y. that the McKinny Bell pacer Marus, with a record of 2.14¼ was sold to Dr. Phelps, of Morewood N. Y. and is now in training at Jonnie Powell's stables, at Potsdam, N. Y. Marus was in four races at Sarana Lake and Lake Placid, winning first money in all. She was drivn by J. Powell. There are also five other race horses in Powell's stables viz: Ruth Hal 2. 18, Ben Hal, 2.25, Bessie Barns and Mabel J. and Don F., the latter is a horse from Montreal.

Will Erect A Mill.

Mr. Jas. Slater, who has a gang of men getting out logs on a timber limit he secured in Lanark County, near Lavant, came home for the week-end. He has already several thousand logs in the bush, and intends erecting a mill to cut them into lumber. Mr. Slater says he enjoys the out-door camp life and hard work of the lumber camp. He brought home with him a live black squirrel which he captured while in the woods. This is the second black squirrell he has captured this winter

Late Robert Johnston

There died at Adanac, Alberta, Monday Feb. 5th, at 2 o'clock p. m. after an illness of but two days, Robert Johnston, in his 65th year. Deceased was born at Inkerman and until five years ago, was resident of this district. He is survived by his wife and three children, Mrs Ray Hummel, Rosetown, Sask. Mrs. Earle Beach, Ottawa, Ont. and Raymond at home. Besides one brother John Johnston of Alberta, and three sisters, Mrs. Little, Saskatoon, Mrs. Weston, Iroquois and Mrs. Beach, Ottawa. The funeral was held at his late residence, on Wednesday Feb. 7th, and interment made at Adanac.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the M F Beach Company, Limited, was held on Thursday with over eighty per cent. stock representation present. The Manager's report and Auditor's report were presented and approved. The same Board of Directors were re-elected.

The following resolution was unanimously passed,—On account of the hazardous rish and unfavourable location and the net results from the operation of the Manufacturing end of the business, that for the above reasons no further extension or expenditure be made on Plant and that the Management be instructed and empowered to have in view the liquidation of the Manufacturing assets of the Company

Death of Geo. J. Hoy.

There passed away at St. Luke's Hospital, Ottawa, on Monday, a very much respected and esteemed resident of the township of Mountain in the person of Mr. George J. Hoy, aged 59 years. Mr. Hoy, whose farm home is about 2 miles east of Mountain Station, was taken to the hospital at Ottawa in November last, where he underwent an operation for cancer. He was recovering nicely when he was attacked with the prevailing flu, which in his weakened condition he could not throw off, and death resulted. He is survived by his widow and one son. Mrs. J. S. Robinson, wife of the reeve of Mountain, and Mrs. John McCormick are sisters. In religion the late Mr. Hoy was a Presbyterian and in politics a conservative. The funeral took place from his late residence yesterday and was largely attended, the remains being taken to South Gower and placed in the vault there.

Successful Bazaar

After weeks of labour and planning, the members of the Mission Circle of the Methodist Church were rewarded on Friday afternoon and evening last by the splendid success of their annual bazaar which was held in the School room. The room was very prettily, very artistically decorated, the decorations being carried out after the order of St. Valentine, the red and white making a very pleasing effect, and added to the attraction of the splendid display of arcticles offered for sale. Afternoon tea and supper was served to those wishing it, and needless to say there were few who attended who did not partake of the dainty refreshments offered. To those who had the bazaar in hand is deserving all the complements that were so freely passed. The executive have asked the Press to thank all those who so generously contributed or in any way added to the success of the bazaar. The net proceeds amount nearly $250.

How It Works

A lady in Winchester, who is promnent in church and society work, visited one of our stores not long ago to find out the prices of certain articles she desired to purchase. She was shown the goods and after considerable inspection she turned and said "why I see the same goods listed in ——'s Catalogue at" quoting a much lower price, "and I think I will send there." The patient and obliging shopkeeper explained to her that she could not personally inspect the goods listed in the Catalogue, that when she did get them she would find they were different from what she expected, and then he said "See here, Mrs. —— didn't you come to me not long ago to sell a ticket for something in your Church, and didn't I buy it. Well why didn't you send a ticket to each of the city department stores, and ask them to buy one. Why don't you ask them to contributed to and support the Women's Institute, the Church, the School concerts, and horticultural society you so frequently come to me and ask contributions for. Now the next time you come to me for a subscription or to purchase a ticket for some society you are interested in, I will tell you that you had better write to the departmental stores in the cities, where you think you can get your goods cheaper." The lady was so taken by surprise that she could not answer, but it is but fair to say that she came back the next day and purchased the goods she wanted, and acknowledged the unfairness of what she thoughtlessly suggested, in buying the goods she needed by catalogues.

What a Great Man Jack Miner is. Everyone Should here him.

Mr. F. W. Kerr, of the Manitoba College, Winnipeg writing, to the Press says.

Dear Friend.

When Jack Miner comes, you ought to hear him. He is the most unique character I have ever met and one of the most deeply religious. He has never been taught oratory or anything else and yet he has all the gifts of the born orator. His addresses are a subtle inter-play of wit and pathos, suffused with a sense of the great elemental simplicities of life. He looks like a lumber jack but his touch on the wounded foot of Canada goose is as light as a mother's. His heart seems charged with a great suring love for every creature God has made.

I think Jack Miner would be a great Evangelist.

He wields the same magnetic power over vast audience that Alexander did with song. He went to give an address before the professors in Toronto university and they kept him talking for three solid hours.

I think we ought to tell our friends and congregations about this wonderful man so they will not find out what they have missed after he is gone.

Yours Very Sincerely
F. W. KERR
Manatoba College.

Barns Burned

Word came from Morrisburg yesterday that seventeen cows, twelve horses and thirty pigs were destroyed, and two men narrowly escaped with their lives. and $10,000 damage was caused on Tuesday by a fire of undetermined origin on the farm of Wm. Mullin, near Morrisburg. Threshing operations were begun yesterday afternoon and it is thought that a burning brand from the outfit found its way into the well-stocked barns. Threshing outfit, the property of Joseph Reddick together with his horse was destroyed.

Late Mrs. Thompson

There passed away on Saturday last, 17th inst., an old resident of Winchester, in the person of Malissa, wife of Miles Thompson, in her 82nd year, after a brief illness of the prevailing influenza. She had been in failing health for many months past. The funeral service was held in the Methodist church on Monday afternoon and was largely attended, and the remains laid at rest in Maple Ridge Cemetery. She is survived by her husband and several children.

A WINTER VERSION

Mary had a little cold;
It started in her head.
And everywhere that Mary went
That cold was sure to spread.

It followed her to school one day;
'Twas not against the rule.
It made the children cough and sneeze
To have that cold in school.

The teacher tried to drive it out;
She tried hard, but—kachoo!
It didn't do a bit of good;
The teacher caught it too!

Birth

At Winchester, on Friday, Feb. 16th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Eagleson, a son—William McKinley.

At Winchester on Thursday 22 Feb. 1923 to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Deeks, a son.

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Chicken Halibut.
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Apply T. O. Keyes.

Seed For Sale.

White Blossom Sweet Clover, $6.00 per bus., Alsike $8.00 bus., Rod Clover $14.50, Timothy $5.00. All seeds recleaned and Government-tested. Bags included.
41-6p A. C. Muir, Ceylon, Ont.

House For Sale.

Frame house on Albert Street, with 3 lots. Apply to Geo. Flegg, Winchester.

Farm For Sale or Rent

A farm consisting of 50 acres choice land mostly all cleared, situated about one mile south-east of Inkerman Station. Fair buildings. Apply to
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For Sale

A number of Brood Sows due to farrow first of April. Apply to
41-3 J. C. Campbell,
Phone 601r31 Winchester. Vernon.

Man Wanted

Man wanted to work on the farm by the year. Good house and garden will be furnished, also best wages to right man.

Richard Justus,
Phone 619r31 R. R. 3 Winchester.

Lost

A solid gold hair brooch, somewhere between Winchester Public School and the residence of the undersigned. Finder please return to H. L. Lee or at Union Bank and receive reward.
42-3p

Farmers Attention!

Mr. Ellis, of the Ellis Cheese Factory, informs the executive of Cloverdale Farmers' Club that he is preparing to meet all competition as to the price of Milk. The competitive spirit of Mr. Ellis has enabled the farmers in the surrounding country to produce at a profit. You can further increase this profit by buying your supplies co-operatively through your Farmers' Club.

H. STODDLEY, President.

JUST ARRIVED

The Assortment of Agateware advertised two weeks ago is in stock to-day and will be ready for Friday & Saturday Shoppers.

Tea Kettles
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BLUE WATER

A TALE OF THE DEEP SEA FISHERMEN

BY FREDERICK WILLIAM WALLACE

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CHAPTER EIGHTEEN—(Cont'd.)

"That's Frank's cheque in thar' all right," remarked Uncle Jerry.

"Get de cook for steam de ongvelope open," suggested Jules.

The other shook his head. "No, no; we'd better jest leave it as it is. Ef some o' them lawyers thought we did that they'd swear it was a put-up job on our part."

It was four in the afternoon when they swung off, and allowing for the set of the tide against them, they figured in doing the ninety odd miles in twelve hours. None of the Lillian's crowd knew when the hearing of the case was to come off, as they had left the Cove before the date was set, and ignorance of the date gave Jules and Captain Clark a great deal of anxiety. What if it had already been before the court? What if it had been decided against Frank? The buildings might even then be torn down and Morrissey in possession. The suspense was agonizing, and throughout the long night as the gallant vessel stormed to the northward both men kept the deck, consumed with anxiety.

When they made the Lurcher by soundings, the wind hauled to the north-west and freshened The fog vanished with the advent of the colder wind, and close-hauled, the Lillian was dragging her lee rail through the smother, and the gang rejoiced in the weight of the breeze.

"Go it, you ol' peddler!" they shouted. "Tear th' patch off yerself!" And Jules walked the quarter and prayed for wind and plenty of it.

Their prayers were answered, and when the maintopmast snapped off at the masthead and fell in among the gear with the staysail thunderously flapping in the breeze they actually laughed as they crawled aloft to cut the raffle away.

While the Lillian was beating up the Bay in the teeth of a norther, with her decks awash and every plank and beam in her protesting at the press of sail she was carrying, Frank was tossing around on his bed in an Anchorville hotel. He had secured nothing but what he already had, and though he had brought the late Captain's housekeeper down with him to testify that he had been at the Crawford house on the date of the supposed sale, yet he knew that his case was decidedly slim. Another drop in his cup of bitterness was added by the fact that his opponent had declined to make terms. "On no account will I sell my land to Westhaver," Morrissey had written, and in the words Frank felt that the spite and hatred of boyhood days were still rankling in the man's mind. And Wrigley had spoken about an offer being made by a Bayport company for the property. In fact, he had already given the option to them.

Looking very pale and anxious, Westhaver entered Lawyer Stevens's office promptly at nine, and the advocate was none too enthusiastic about the outcome.

"I made your offer to Wrigley, agreeing to pay two thousand dollars for the strip of land you require for buildings and flake-yard, but he says that his client will not sell to you on any account. He also tells me that he has given an option upon that property to the Bayport Fisheries Company."

"So I understand," answered Frank dismally.

"How will that affect you, Captain?" enquired the other kindly.

"It'll ruin me pretty near. I've got a big contract to fulfil, and without that land I'll have to hand th' bulk of it over to someone else. All th' money we've invested in th' buildin's will be a dead loss, though th' Bayport Company might take them over——"

"Yes, they may," nodded the lawyer; "but a great deal will depend upon the leniency of your opponent. He can, if he likes, enter a restraint against you forbidding you to remove a single thing off the land. He can claim everything you have put up on it——"

"Is that th' law?" queried Frank huskily.

"Yes!"

"Then that's jest what that feller'll do ef he knows it. Oh, but I've bin several times a dam' fool in this business! I sh'd ha' stayed at sea until I l'arned t' move about ashore 'thout gittin' foul o' things like this. Yes! I'm some mug when it comes t' business." And feeling utterly dejected and depressed in spirit, he walked along to the Court House with the advocate.

Promptly at ten the case was opened. Mr. Wrigley, of Wrigley and Wrigley, respectfully saluted the Judge and stated the facts for the plaintiff, Captain Robert Morrissey, of Boston. "My client is the sole relative of the deceased shipmaster, and as no will was made regarding the disposal of the late Crawford's property, my client lays claim to it."

"What does the property consist of?" enquired the Court.

"Ah—ahem! The property consists of some sixty acres of land, house, and barn, situated in the village of Long Cove, Bay Shore County."

"Had the deceased any personal property or moneys besides the real property?"

"Ah—ahem! The deceased Captain was living upon an annuity which ceased at his demise. His household goods were sold by his own instructions to responsible parties, and the proceeds of the sale were given to his housekeeper. My client has no interest in this."

After some additional statements regarding Westhaver's supposed purchase of the property in litigation and which Mr. Wrigley declared was never consummated, Mr. Stevens stated the case for the defence.

"You state that your client gave the deceased a cheque for the amount of the sale?"

"Yes, your honor!"

"Then you will produce the honored cheque for the proof of delivery."

This, of course, the defence was unable to do, and all that Stevens could show was the receipt, which being unwitnessed was practically worthless, the cheque stub with the number and date of the cheque, and the testimony of the housekeeper, who proved that the defendant had called upon her master that afternoon.

"Did you overhear any of the conversation between them?" enquired the Judge.

"No, sir. They was out on th' porch an' I was in th' kitchen."

"What do you suppose your late master did with the cheque?" enquired Mr. Stevens.

"I dunno, sir," replied the woman. "I never see no cheque. Th' Captain was a very particular man, an' he'd never 'low me t' touch or see any o' his papers or letters. He's swear awful, sir, ef I did."

Even though he was fighting for a lost cause, Mr. Stevens made a great effort in Westhaver's favor. "We have here, your honor, a young and ambitious man who is a victim of circumstances and ignorance of the law. Captain Westhaver is a native of Long Cove and one of that fine breed of Nova Scotians who have made our fisheries famous the world over. He has an unblemished character, and there is not a man who knows him but will testify to the same. My client, wishing to give up the sea and remain near his widowed mother, formed a little business up at his home, and with this object in view, he called upon the deceased with a proposal to purchase a strip of land from him. After some conversation, the deceased master mariner offered to sell all his property for the sum of two thousand dollars and two or three days later my client handed him a cheque for the amount, and the deceased gave him the receipt which is now before the Court. That this piece of paper was never witnessed by a third party is due to ignorance of the law on the part of my client and the late Captain. Unfortunately, while my client was away upon a business trip the Captain died, and investigation showed that he had neglected to advise his notaries in Anchorville regarding the transfer of the property, and he had also neglected to cash the cheque. The papers necessary to substantiate my client's aim cannot be found, with the result that Captain Westhaver is placed in an awkward position. My client, thinking that everything was all right, went ahead and constructed buildings upon the property, and I think this fact alone should convince the Court that Captain Westhaver was acting in good faith." With a few more remarks he closed the case for the defence, and while Frank scanned the face of the Judge, he felt instinctively that he had lost.

Mr. Wrigley was rubbing his hands and smiling all over his face, when the Judge commenced summing up the evidence, and as Westhaver caught the exultant look upon the lawyer's pallid face he felt that he would take a great deal of pleasure in having Mr. Wrigley with him for a trip on the Lillian.

While he sat waiting for the inevitable decision there was a commotion in the hall-way, and a mob of sea-booted figures clattered unceremoniously into the Court-room. To Frank's intense surprise, Uncle Jerry and Jules were in the van of the mob, and from his seat he could see the whole of the Lillian's gang, cook and all, elbowing their way to the front. Captain Clark, with his rubber boots and oil coat on and a Derby hat on his head, waved a letter and shouted:

"Hold th' case, Judge! Is Mr. Smith here?"

The Judge looked up severely at the interruption, and Mr. Smith, who had been one of the witnesses, stepped from his seat.

"Here's a letter addressed to you which we found in one o' Cap'en Crawford's ol' ditty boxes. Open it quick!"

With the odoriferous trawlers crowding around him and peering over his shoulder, Mr. Smith opened the letter and hastily scanned it.

"Mr. Stevens," he said, "here's something which will interest you. Give it back to me when you have finished."

The Court Usher banged his gavel and called for silence, and the Judge, looking over at the chattering fishermen who had so unceremoniously disturbed the sanctity of the Court House, said severely:

"I have a mind to order the arrest of you men for contempt of Court. Captain Clark, what do you mean by this interruption?"

Uncle Jerry reddened. "Excuse me, Judge," he said. "I'm sorry ef I've done any harm, but I think I've found somethin' that'll prove my nevvy's case."

While Frank gasped in consternation, his lawyer arose and addressed the Judge. "I have here the necessary documents to prove my client's claim. Here is a letter written by the deceased Captain and address to his notaries, Messrs. Smith and Crosby. In it he has written: 'I have sold my house and land to Captain Frank Westhaver of this place for two thousand dollars. Make out the deeds and send them to him. I am also sending you this cheque, which I want you to get cashed and send the money to the Treasurer of the Sailor's Orphan Society of Liverpool, G.B., saying that it is a donation from Asa Crawford, late master of the Liverpool ship Guinevere.' Now, your honor, I would ask you to compare the signatures on this letter and on the receipt which my client holds——"

Mr. Wrigley jumped up. "Excuse me, but is that cheque endorsed by the deceased?"

Frank waited in a cold sweat for his lawyer's reply.

(To be continued.)

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Appreciation.

"John, dear, did you enjoy the Welsh rabbit I made?"

"Darling!" And the biscuits! Enjoy them? Why, I couldn't sleep all night for thinking about them!"

Three rules which may help to cure stammering are: (1) Read aloud slowly and distinctly while alone in a room. (2) Take a deep breath before speaking, and when difficulty arises, stop and begin again. (3) Look ahead for any word known by experience as a stumbling block, and take a deep breath before tackling it.

EASY TRICKS

An Unfair Game

No. 20



This catch game may be played on a friend two or three times before he "catches on" that it is a swindle in which he cannot win.

Take a handful of matches out of your pocket and, holding them in a bunch, break them in two. Throw the pieces of matches on a table and say to your unsuspecting friend:

"Now, you take one and I'll take one and so on until between us we have all of the pieces. The person getting the last piece wins."

Of course—as this is a swindle—you win. You repeat the trick; this time you take the first match. Again you win.

The secret is simple. No matter how many matches you took out of your pocket, you made the number of pieces even by breaking the matches in two. The number being even, the person taking the second piece will take the last.

While winning, however, you prepared for the repetition of the trick by dropping one of the pieces on the floor. That made the number odd. In that case the man getting the first piece, also gets the last.

The moral is—don't play the other fellow's game.

(Clip this out and paste it, with others of the series, in a scrapbook.)

Queer Uses for Gold.

To the ordinary uses to which gold is put the natives of India add a number that are curious. According to a bullion report of Messrs. Samuel Montagu & Co., gold in the form of thin leaf is swallowed in India for medicinal purposes.

A frequent form of piety is to regild the domes of religious buildings, and such operations can easily absorb £10,000 or more. Sovereigns with a shield on the obverse side are in constant request.

An injury as to the ultimate use of some thousands of pounds revealed the curious fact that a Rajah of queer tastes had imported them to form a centre to each pane the windows of his palace.

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Snubbed by a Queen.

It seems always to have been true that a pioneer of any invention which is afterwards to become indispensable must suffer misfortune, and perhaps even perish, before his creation can win the recognition it deserves.

This was the case with the steel loom for knitting stockings, invented in the sixteenth century by William Lee.

Lee took his invention to Queen Elizabeth, but she withheld her patronage. Again he improved his machine, so that it would knit silk stockings—the Queen's love of silk hosiery had been one of her chief reasons for disinterest—but again he was disappointed at not receiving a royal grant.

Things were no better under James I., so he went to France, and when success was almost within his grasp at the French Court the assassination of the king balked him again. Broken-hearted, he died, but in the next century Oliver Cromwell granted a patent on his device to the Company of Frame-work Knitters.

He Kew Why.

Teacher—"Do you know why we call our language the mother tongue?"

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We have lost many of the qualities that our primitive forefathers possessed; they could move their ears, grasp things with their toes, and track down their quarry by means of their noses as dogs do. These powers were no longer needed when man became civilized, and Nature took them away.

In America there are great caves containing pools and lakes inhabited by fish and newt-like creatures, all of which are without eyes. For thousands of years they have lived and bred in the dark, and gradually their useless eyes grew smaller and smaller, until finally they disappeared altogether.

Great birds such as the ostrich and the emu still have wings, but they are so small that they will not serve for flight. All of these birds live on the plains, where speed of foot was found to be more advantageous than the power to fly. They ceased to use their wings, and Nature gradually reduced their size. The ostrich of ten thousand years hence will probably have no wings at all.

Many nocturnal creatures — owls and bats, for instance—have almost lost the power of seeing by day. They have developed eyes with widely-opened pupils able to take in the faintest glimpse of light; but what they have gained in one direction they have lost in another, for their large pupils cannot close when they encounter strong sunlight, with the result that these creaures become dazzled and nearly blind on bright days.

Ought to Know.

The young English teacher was trying to make a class of very small children understand a sum in subtraction.

"Now listen," she said. "If I had ten shillings in my purse, and went into a shop and bought a hat for five shillings and a pair of gloves for three-and-six, how much should I have left?"

Nobody answered but little Ikey, who inquired in a disgusted tone: "Vy didn't yer count yer change?"

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Woman's Interests

Winter Evening Amusements.

Do you dread the winter like the small boy of my acquaintance who complained the other evening, "I don't like winter 'cause we never have anything to do after supper, only sit around and go to bed long 'fore we're sleepy." Yet isn't winter one of the prettiest times of the year, with its "silvery moon and the crystal snow" that crackles under your feet, and a gentle breeze to remind you that Jack Frost is out that night. Then, too, it is nice to be able to really get acquainted with our family after the rush of summer, and the hustle of the harvest time, it is pleasant to enjoy each other during the long winter evenings.

Still, I'm afraid my small boy friend was about right. How many of us plan entertainment for the younger members of the family on the long winter evenings? I can well remember the evenings at home on the old farm when my sister and I were youngsters and the many things mother always thought out for our evenings together. Sometimes there were just apples and pop-corn, but how good it tasted. Or sometimes it was pop-corn balls and home-made crackerjack that mother used to make for us. Other nights there would be stories; and what good stories, too. Then there was the big story book with pictures and all the lovely thrilling stories that we girls reveled in.

About once a week we would all gather around the piano and have a good old-fashioned "sing." How that old home would ring with those old songs. We must not forget the question box. Each one would put a puzzling question in the box and at night we would open it and discuss the questions. This box was often converted into the joke box or the mistake box. Both were fun but we girls liked the mistake box best, for we thought we had improved when we could catch Dad or Mother making a mistake.

Then there were the games. Some times flinch, and all the games you could think of that were played with the flinch cards, sometimes geography cards, authors, or Bible questions. What fun it was to see if we couldn't get more answers than Dad or Mother. Then there was the old society or club that we youngsters formed. Sister was the president and I was secretary, and we were also the entertainment committee. Such stunts as we put Dad and Mother through. And they had to dress up to come to our club, too, and, of course, we had to have some simple refreshments. It would not have been a club without them.

Some nights—and these were the best nights to us—we got the folks started, and all engaged in a peanut hunt or a marshmallow hunt. And what sport it was to roast the marshmallows after we had found them, only it was pretty hard to think we could only have a limited number that night.

How well one remembers such days. Do we, as mothers of to-day, plan the evenings for our children as we should? How common a sight it is to see father reading the daily paper while mother finishes a little sewing or has a book that she "just must finish," and the young folks are left to amuse themselves as best they can. There are such a lot of things we could do if we only thought so and would take the time to fuss a little. We must remember that the children will only be young once and those early days will be they days they will always look back on with pleasure, to live them over again and again—in their mind.

A simple recipe for the pop-corn balls and crackerjack referred to, is as follows:

Pop-corn balls—Three quarts of pop-corn. After popping shake until all the hard kernels have gone to the bottom of the dish, and lift off the top kernels.

Melt one tablespoon of butter, add a half cup of sugar and one cup of molasses. Boil until it is brittle and will crack when dropped in cold water and just before removing from the fire add a pinch of soda, stir thoroughly, pour over corn and mix. Then form into balls. This makes sixteen balls.

Crackerjack—Have six quarts of pop-corn in a straight-sided pan. Make syrup of half a pint of molasses, half a cup of sugar. Cook until it hardens and will harden when dropped in cold water. Add one-quarter teaspoon of soda dissolved in one teaspoon of boiling water. Let syrup foam up and while foaming drop into it shelled peanuts. Pour whole on corn and pack firmly so it may be cut into bars when cool. As many of the shelled peanuts may be added as the individual desires. This serves about twelve people.

What To Wear.

Why do women need less clothing to protect them from winter's chilling blasts than men? Put it the other way, if you will, and ask why men need so much more clothing than women.

The answer is the same in either case. They don't! And it is still the same if you say girls and boys instead of men and women. In the matter of protection from the weather what's sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

The fact is, that you can educate any part of the skin to stand exposure to the weather, provided that the exposure is consistently borne and that the total extent of the exposed area is not so great as to waste an excessive amount of the body heat. You must bear in mind that circulation in the lower extremities is difficult and it is always good judgment to dress warmly the feet and ankles.

Since heat production consumes a great deal of energy, and heat waste necessarily lowers vitality, it is not to be supposed that a person who fails to wear sufficient clothing to conserve body heat in extreme weather will have much resistance or endurance.

The young lady who arrays herself in a georgette waist with a V-shaped exposure should be careful to back it with substantial things underneath. Otherwise she will not be satisfied with room temperatures that are comfortable to others. She wants the temperature much higher and therefore much drier, the consequence being that she had a great deal of irritation of mucous membranes, the end thereof being catarrh.

The most foolish of all the foolish virgins, however, is the one who dresses in warm underwear six days of the week, and on the evening of the seventh day goes forth in the extremely slight protection of present-day fashions. If the pneumococcus doesn't get her it is because the apparition shocks him cold. The V-neck is all right if you like it and use it constantly, but get good underwear underneath, cover up your arms and shoulders and dress your feet and ankles warmly. You will feel better, be less irritable, more cheerful, more energetic, and better looking.

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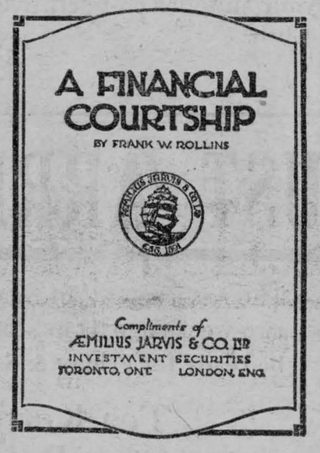

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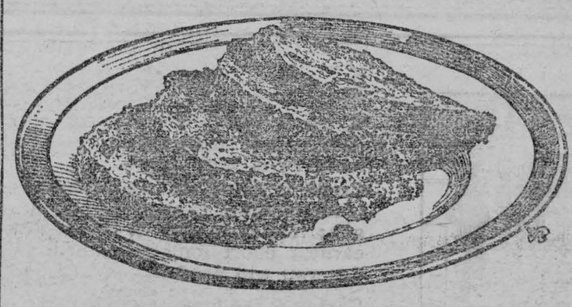

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E. F.:—Please tell me what to do to keep bugs out of my seed beans and yet not destroy the germination of the beans.

Answer:—To destroy the insects which injure beans in storage, place the beans in a close bin or in a barrel and obtain a pint or a pound of carbon bisulphide. Place a deep saucer or dish (other than metal) on the surface of the beans and pour out the carbon bisulphide in the dish, then cover the top of the barrels or close the door of the bin so as to keep the place as nearly air-tight as possible.

The carbon bisulphide evaporates quickly and has a very penetrating, unpleasant odor. It is very inflammable, hence do not have a fire of any sort about when you are treating the seed.

N. B.:—Will you explain to me the fertilizing value, if any, of fresh cow manure and clover chaff on a garden spot, or for a potato and strawberry patch.

Answer:—A ton of cow manure carries 12 pounds nitrogen, 3 pounds phosphoric acid and 9 pounds of potash, while a ton of clover chaff carries 84 pounds of nitrogen, 15 pounds phosphoric acid and 10 pounds of potash. From this you will be able to estimate the value of the material that you have suggested.

C. H. R.:—I am milking seven cows, nearly all fresh, and out of the seven, five of them hold their milk until they are very disagreeable to milk. Have been unable to learn either the cause, or a cure.

Answer:—About the only cause for the condition that you name is a tenderness of the cow's udder. Have your cows been exposed to a draft in the stable where they are housed?

An application of a mild liniment followed by some softening application such as a warm oil of some kind would have a beneficial effect.

F. H.:—Are potatoes a good winter feed for calves seven to eight months old? If oats are fed should they be ground?

Answer:—Speaking generally, potatoes are not considered good stock feed, that is, if fed in too large quantities. In a German experiment reported in 1907 the writer found that cows should not receive more than 33 pounds per head of cooked potatoes, and less of raw potatoes.

Director Hills of Vermont claims that potatoes at 15c per bushel are more costly than corn ensilage. If oats are fed to calves the oats should be ground so as to aid in their digestibility.

H. M.:—I would like to know if Sudan grass is any good for hog pasture; also how many March and April hogs can I pasture on one acre under average conditions.

Answer:—Sudan grass is not considered a good pasture for hogs. It is a harsh rank grass.

Pasturage can be very much better supplied in Ontario in the form of Dwarf Essex rape and red clover, sowing to the acre at the rate of 8 pounds of rape to 10 pounds of clover. Wheat and vetch at the rate of 1 bushel and a half of wheat to one half bushel vetch makes very good hog pasture. Either of these mixtures produce pasture much richer in hog-growing constituents than Sudan grass.

An acre of the mixture suggested should carry 15 to 20 hogs 3½ to 4 months.

W. L.:—Would like to ask how many times we have to sow rye and vetch on a piece of land to fit it for alfalfa. Have sown it three times.

Answer:—While sowing rye and vetch on a piece of land helps to work it down in shape for alfalfa such a practice is not necessary. I would judge from your description that your land is in very good shape, hence I would advise you to plow it medium deep as soon as the frost is out of the land.

After plowing, scatter lime on top of the furrows at the rate of ¾ to a ton per acre; also apply well rotted stable manure at the rate of four or five tons per acre. Work the ground down fine by several discings and harrowings, then apply a fertilizer carrying at least 3 to 4 per cent. nitrogen, 8 to 10 per cent. phosphoric acid and 4 per cent. potash at the rate of 400 pounds per acre. This can be best applied through the fertilizer dropper on the grain drill but it can be done by hand. Give the field one more harrowing then sow the alfalfa with a nurse crop like barley, sowing about 1½ bushels per acre and 15 to 20 lbs. of alfalfa seed. Again this can best be done through the drill, but if sown by hand cover it by one more light harrowing.

This should give you a good stand of alfalfa.

H. S. C.:—Could you suggest something to kill buckthorn in a lawn? I have a beautiful lawn but it is full of buckhorn.

Answer:—The only successful cure for buckhorn or narrow leaf plantain is to dig up the plant with a "spud," which is a chisel inserted in the handle of a hoe or similar implement.

Spraying does not seem to destroy this plant, hence the somewhat laborious method suggested has to be resorted to in order to clear the land.

Methods of Destroying the Rat.

It has been estimated that the annual loss in the United States due to rats is equal to at least $20,000,000. This estimate was made by Mr. E. W. Nelson, Chief of the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, who also states that the labor of 20,000 men is required annually to provide the food destroyed by this enormous army of rats. The brown rat is also a serious menace to health, spreading, it is believed, infantile paralysis and even bubonic plague. In Europe it is estimated after full enquiry that the average annual loss caused by each rat in Great Britain equalled $1.80, in France $1.00 and is Denmark $1.20. The English Board of Agriculture has applied special efforts to combat the rat pest, while a Sanitary League in France has carried on a similar vigorous campaign.

Methods of destroying rats are outlined in Crop Protection Leaflet No. 7 of the Entomological Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa. Copies of this leaflet may be obtained free on request to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. For trapping, the spring or guillotine type is recommended. These traps may be baited with meat, oatmeal, cooked eggs, or fruit. The wire cage traps are also excellent when rats are abundant. Poisoning has proved a speedy method of destruction. Great caution is needed in applying this method. Barium carbonate is a cheap, tasteless, and odorless poison. It may be mixed in a dough composed of four parts of meal or flour and one part of poison, or a stiff dough of eight parts of oatmeal and one of poison. The poisoned dough may be placed in the runways of the animals. Strychnine in the form of strychia sulphate is a raipd acting poison for rats. The dry crystals are inserted in bait such as meat or cheese. The recommended plan of preparing a poison is to make a syrup by dissolving half an ounce of strychnia sulphate in a pint of boiling water. To this add a pint of thick syrup and mix thoroughly. Oatmeal should be moistened with the syrup and grain soaked in it over night. They are then ready to apply to the runways of the rats. Other poisons, as well as the use of ferrets and weasels, are dealt with in the leaflet.



Distinction

Father—"I can't figure what you see in that Reginald person who's been hanging around here lately."

Daughter—"But daddy, haven't you noticed the cultured way he has of clearing his throat?"

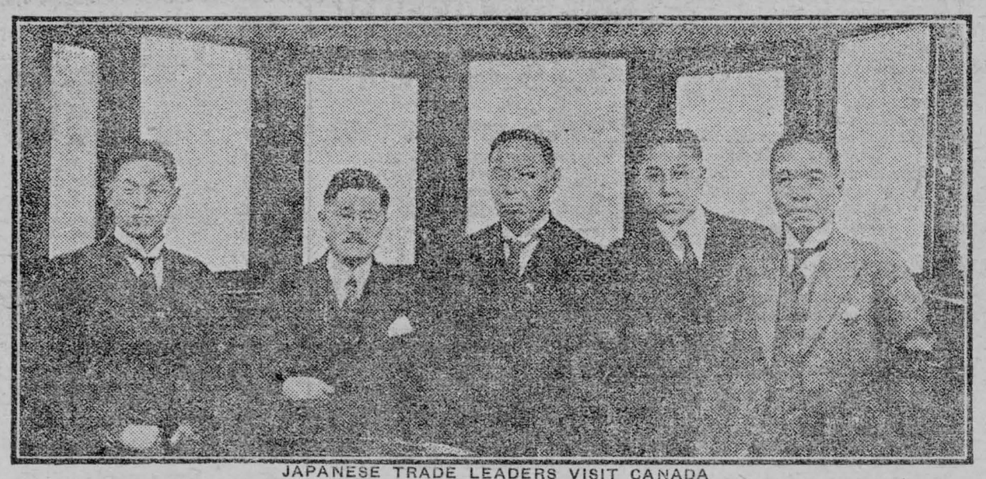
"Now and then Nature seems careless, and lays on the heavy hand of affliction, but almost always with a compensating super-normal touch to the other senses. On the whole she can be counted upon to strike a uniform average and maintain a consistent standard in the human product."

Too Many Cows Are Below the Standard of Profitable Production.

One may have a fairly good herd of cows but when their production is compared with that of many other herds in the country, the room for improvement becomes abundantly evident. Careful estimates have placed the average production of milking cows in Canada at 4,000 pounds of milk and the average production of fat at 150 pounds. Since it is known that a very large number of cows produce much above this amount, the inference is that many fall below it and are merely an unprofitable burden to their owners. Through cow-testing conducted by the Dairy and Cold Storage Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, herds have been brought up and up in production until they have become highly profitable as well as a source of pride to their owners. The average production of almost a thousand cows under test in the Province of Ontario in 1920 was 7,136 pounds of milk and 246 pounds of fat. One centre in that province showed an average of 9,413 pounds of milk and a little less than 350 pounds of fat. Whole herds have given an average of over 11,000 pounds of milk per cow and as high as 371 pounds of fat. Individual grade cows in some of the high producing herds have produced 15,000 lbs. of milk each and a quarter of a ton butter fat. And even these records are surpassed by highly bred, well selected and well fed cows that have given almost 18 tons of milk and two thirds of a ton of butter fat in the 365 days. At a time when labor means so much it is unfortunate for one to be working away with an average herd which could in a few years be brought up to a profitable standard.

Testing involves weighing and testing the milk from time to time in order to identify and discard the poor milkers. Herd improvement includes the use of vigorous sires from high producing mothers, generous feeding, and such kindness as to keep the cows comfortable under all circumstances. Pamphlet No. 24 of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, brings out clearly the reasons for and benefits from cow testing carried on for a number of years. A chart in this pamphlet shows that the improvement made in one herd in eight years amounted to raising the yearly average production from 5,500 pounds up to 12,500 pounds per cow. This pamphlet and other publications on cow testing are available at the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Japanese Trade Leaders Visit Canada



JAPANESE TRADE LEADERS VISIT CANADA

The Japanese Mission, which recently arrived at Vancouver on board the Canadian Pacific steamer "Empress of Australia," and crossed Canada via the C.P.R. on their way to New York, where they are to attend an international silk conference. Reading from left to right they are: S. Hoshino, President of the Japanese Raw Silk Company; Kino Nishitani, President of the Tottori Associated Raw Silk Company; K. Katsuki, Secretary; M. Miyasaki, Japanese secretary and manager, interpreter; Yoshio Sashida, M.P., head of the Tokyo Produce Exchange and of the Silk Mission.

Speaking to a reporter, Mr. Miyasaki said: "Japan is slowly changing, she is assuming new habits and new ways of living as she changes her way of production. Industrialism has taken hold of us. And as a result, you understand, we are going through the same difficulties which Great Britain did during the beginning of the last century. Industrialism is multiplying our population."

He stated that Japan, if the proper steps were taken, would be a good customer for Canadian grain, and speaking of general trade conditions in his own country said, that when complete liquidation had cleared the financial atmosphere, trade would once more take great strides forward. He added, "We are now buying a lot of lumber from you, and it is certain we will want more, much more. Your lumber has such a beautiful grain, and you know, we don't paint our houses in the interior."

Poultry

Feather picking among the flock is caused by the birds not getting enough meat material. A hen, in trying to produce eggs, craves all the materials necessary to produce this: Flesh, bone, blood, etc., as this is what an egg consists of. The flock should be fed daily on a mixture of bran and meat scraps, one-fourth meat scraps to three-fourths bran.

Leg weakness is caused by any of the following: In-breeding, lack of nourishing food, over-crowding, damp quarters and sometimes from too wide a perch to roost upon. The fowls have an unsteady gait. In attempting to walk, they topple over, either forward or backward, and in advance stages are wholly unable to walk. The feet and legs become feverish and dry.

For a treatment, one should rub the legs with oil of camphor, and add about fifteen grains of iodide of potassium to every quart of drinking water. A generous supply of good poultry tonic should be mixed with nourishing food.

The Sunday School Lesson

FEBRUARY 25

The Parable of the Pounds, Luke 19: 11-48. Golden Text—He that is faithful in that which is least, is faithful also in much, Luke 15: 10.

Lesson Setting—Jesus was drawing nigh to the city of Jerusalem. There was a great multitude with him. It had been stirred by his miracles, to great enthusiasm. Jesus saw that the people seemed to think that the dawn of the kingdom of heaven was at hand, and that they were ready to hail him as the Messianic king. Jesus felt that he must restrain this blind enthusiasm and dispel their expectation of an immediate kingdom, and speaks to them the parable of our lesson. It shows that the immediate duty of his followers is working and waiting in expectation of the Master's return.

I. Testing The Servants, 11-15.

V. 11, 12. **Nigh to Jerusalem.** As Jesus passed on to the city of Jerusalem, the multitude would draw the multitude, and enthusiasm would kindle enthusiasm. He knew that as soon as they came in sight of Jerusalem, the multitude would become uncontrollable. Now was the time for the steadying word and the tempering thought. **A certain nobleman went into a far country.** The setting of the parable seems to be historical. Archelaus, the son of Herod the Great, went to Rome at his father's death and begged that the Emperor might allow him to succeed to the throne. He was a cruel prince, and the Jews sent representatives to Rome to oppose his claims. After a long delay, Archelaus was granted his request. He went home and rewarded those who had watched his interests in his absence, by giving them governorships, and slew the leaders who had appeared against his claims. This historical reference would strike a chord of interest in his hearers.

Vs. 13, 14. **Called his ten servants;** not all his servants, but ten of them whom he regarded worthy of confidence and possessed of ability. **Delivered them ten pounds.** The word translated "pounds" is "mina." It represented a sum that a working man of that time could earn in about three months. In the parable of the talents in Matt., chap. 25, the master divides all his property among his servants, and each servant receives a large sum, but in this parable they receive a small sum, but still enough to test their capacity, dilligence and fidelity. **Occupy till I come.** Trade or do business till my return. They are given to understand clearly that there is a time of reckoning coming. **Citizens hated him . . sent a message;** sent an embassy. The embassy mentioned before consisted of fifty men, and when the Jews of Rome heard of their coming, eight thousand Roman Jews accompanied them to the emperor's palace.

V. 15. **When he was returned . . commanded these servants to be called. The fact that this master was a wicked man, whose going away and coming again was not like the going and coming of Jesus, does not weaken** the truth that Jesus seeks to convey. If the kingdom of heaven is not, as the multitude expect, to be set up immediately, and if Jesus is to go from his followers, he will come again. His absence means responsibility and opportunity, and his coming again means accountability. As there were those who justly refused to have Archelaus reign over them, so there will be those who unjustly oppose Jesus in his absence. But this only magnifies the responsibility of his faithful servants.

II. Rewarding the Servants, 16-26.

V. 16. **Then came the first . . thy pound . . ten pounds.** This servant has made a good use of his pounds. He had used a little well, and his reward is accrding to his stewardship. Note that in the parable of the Talents, while each man receives a large amount, the amount differs according to differing ability. The test, therefore, is fidelity solely. One man does as much relatively with his two talents as the other did with his five, and receives the same commendation and the same reward. Here the capital for all is the same, and the different results call for different commendation and different rewards as indicatisg different capacity and different fidelity to opportunity.

V. 17. **Well, thou good servant;** well done. **Have thou authority over ten cities.** His dilligent and energetic use of a little meets with an appropriate reward.

V.s. 18, 19. **The second . . be thou . . over five cities.** The second man has shown a measure of capacity and energy but he has not done his best and therefore there is no hearty word of praise and his promotion is determined by results.

V. 20. **Another came . . here is thy pound.** This man having an opportunity equal to that of the rest, comes to the master with no results whatever. **Laid up in a napkin;** a safe place, but not a fruitful place.

V. 21. **I feared thee.** He proceeds to give the reason for his inaction, and instead of finding the reason in himself, he seeks to find it in his master. He seeks to excuse himself by accusing his master. **Thou art an austere man;** harsh and heartless. **Thou takest up what thou layest not down.** You lift what you did not deposit. That is, he looked for results and returns that were not reasonable or just.

Vs. 22, 23. **Out of thine own mouth will I judge thee.** The master will find in the servant's excuse, a just ground for his condemnation. The servant had not acted up even to his excuse. **Wherefore . . . gavest not thou my money into the bank.** The servant had not brought the master his own, for that pound should have earned interest in the interval. Without risk to himself, the servant could have secured this interest. The banker would have been willing to use that money. **Mine own with usury.** Usury means legitimate interest, although now it means exorbitant interest.

Vs. 24-26. **Take from him the pound . . give it to him that hath ten pounds.** The man that has made the utmost use of his pound, receives yet more. Jesus proceeds to state this reward as a law of spiritual life.

Application.

The idea of service has grown among Christian people perhaps more than any other idea during the last two decades. Not so much what we can get out of life, but rather what we can give is becoming the accepted viewpoint. There can be no doubt as to the position which service held in the mind of the Master. Such emphatic sayings as "The Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many," (Matt. 20: 28), "He that is greatest among you shall be your servant," (Matt. 23: 11), and "I am in the midst of you as he that serveth," all bear testimony to the central place which service held in the teaching of Jesus. Mere profession could never take the place of the doing of God's will.

We are "stewards of the manifold grace of God." The conduct of the rich fool (Luke 12: 16-20) was condemned because there was not in all this man's thinking any idea of stewardship; no reference to God as Giver and Owner. He said, "My fruits, my goods, my soul, my barns." The man who received the one talent does not appear to have been covetous or dishonest, but simply negligent. He did not realize his accountability to his master, and had no sense whatever of his stewardship. To-day's lesson illustrates God's readiness to show approval and to warmly commend those who have been faithful.

For Home and Country

Lady Byng and the Home-Makers.

BY GIBSON SCOTT.

"We can scarcely ever get her to appear at our social functions and she is not only going to your Women's Institute Convention but is giving an address there. What is the mysterious drawing power?" asked an Ottawa lady.

The drawing power was the keen interest one Institute woman, and she the wife of Canada's new Governor-General, feels in the work and methods of all other home-makers for the betterment of their own homes and community, for at home in England the Lady Byng of Vimy had been an active branch officer in an Institute.

"But I did not come here to-night to make a speech. In reality I came to ask questions and learn from Ontario, the mother of the whole Institute movement, how you have carried on so successfully for 25 years, for this, I understand, is your Silver Anniversary," said Her Excellency to the delegates at the Eastern Ontario Convention recently held at Ottawa. "It is a real pleasure to come to a Canadian Institutes Convention, for over in England where we are young in this work, we feel that we can learn so much from Canada which first brought this Institute idea to us, and especially from Ontario, of how to meet and solve our difficulties and the best methods of carrying on the work.

"Now we find for instance that the third or fourth years is a critical and difficult time in the history of the branch. Interest begins to lag; we do not know quite what to do next. What have you done here, you whose branches have been going for ten, fifteen, twenty or even twenty-five years What were your methods? What did you do? What proved successful in your work for homes and community? While we have about 2,500 branches in England, we have not yet your long and successful experience.."

A lively discussion by the members followed this appeal, the result of which was a decision to collect for Her Excellency's consideration reports from the various Conventions of Ontario and other information showing how the branches had carried on and what were the underlying sources of their strength and permanency.

At the close of the session Her Excellency expressed the wish to meet every delegate and a brief informal reception left the Eastern Ontario Institutes with a warm place in their hearts for the new mistress of Government House and the conviction that those who were working in the Institutes for better homes and communities throughout rural Ontario had a co-worker of unusual sympathy and understanding in the first lady of the land.

There was also the thrill of inspiration in the knowledge that the apparently quiet unnoticed work in solving the problems at home in our own neighborhoods was a source of keen interest and real helpfulness to countries thousands of miles away. "For Home and Country" now enlarges its meaning to "and Other Countries".

The Dairy

The exact cause of warts on cows' teats is unknown, but constant irritation of the affected parts seems a likely cause. Warts that have slim necks may be snipped off with scissors, a few at a time, and tincture of iodine then applied to the wounds. Masses of small warts will disappear after a time if you immerse the affected teats for five minutes night and morning in water containing all the bicarbonate of soda it will dissolve when hot. After the evening immersion, dry the teats and apply freely a thick paste made of equal quantities of salt, flowers of sulphur, and cold-pressed castor oil.

Future Race of Giants.

Medical science may produce Methuselahs by A.D. 2023, and a race of supermen, mighty in stature and intellect, five hundred years hence.

Dr. Eugene Lyman Fisk, medical director of the New York Life Extension Institute, basing his calculation on the addition of eighteen years to the span of life during the past century, declares that medical science can guarantee man, within a similar period, a life of 100 years, which, in cases of exceptional longevity, may be increased possibly to 200 years.

He contends that man in 1923, notwithstanding recent progress, stands humiliated before the brute creation. He is carrying a greater burden of diseases, misery, and starvation than any animal. Two hundred and fifty thousand examinations at the Life Extension Institute discovered not a single perfect man or woman.

It is these faults in structure or adaptation, poisoning, infection, or deprivation of essential life factors that bring about man's death. The passing of time has nothing to do with it.

"It is possible," says Dr. Fisk, "for the age of youth to be carried up to thirty years, and capacity for work maintained until seventy or eighty. Physical appearance might be changed to some extent.

"I am willing to predict, assuming that science is not checked in its researches, that in 500 yeors the human race will present changes of physical condition and environment that will render society entirely unrecognizable to those of the present era. We must view the possibility of a super-existence in which there would necessarily be struggle and suffering and conflict, but an enormously amplified intelligence and living capacity."



Cuckoo

"Do you rent out rooms, Aunt Lizie?"

"Why, no, Willie. What makes you ask?"

"Pa said you had rooms to rent in your upper story."

ASK YOURSELF THIS!

I have found a question that I ask myself at least once for every task I tackle on the farm. It has paid me well to inquire of myself from time to time, "Why do I do this job this way?"

There was a time when I had thought myself of average intelligence, but occasionally I almost doubt that, when, after so interrogating myself, I must, to be honest, reply, "Just because I did it this way the last time."

For instance, when I ground feed I used to carry the corn so far that I couldn't keep the hopper filled, and had to step over the moving belt besides. I asked myself why. In about an hour I had cut two doors, set the grinder so it was out of the way when not in use, had it close to the corn, and so the belt didn't bother me. Now I can grind a lot of feed and at the same time get all my chores except the milking done.

Again, I answered my question by using bigger measures for carrying grain and feed, saving me lots of steps. I try to plan my chores to be getting something done each way I walk.

I took the throat latches off my bridles, and saved buckling them two or three times a day. I use snaps instead of buckles on all the halters.

I ask myself why I should stand in the rain to pump water for the stock. Now the pump is in the barn and I pull the water instead of push it. It's lots warmer and drier inside.

In certain seasons we have lots of telephone calls, especially at meal times. A few cents' worth of cord and the telephone could be set on the table. When the wife works upstairs she can take the phone along. She used to have to run out to the barn for me when a phone call came. A dollar installed a little bell. She pushes a button on the desk—one signal for telephone calls, another for meals, and so on.

I set my first silo before I realized how much the farm would increase in fertility and crops raised. The unhandy location made much walking. For $7.50 I moved the whole thing last summer, and then set a new one beside it so one chute serves for both, located where fewer steps do more work.

Our neighborhood inherited the idea that white wheat stands freezing better and yields better. Actual tests proved that red wheat winters better for us, yields often five bushels more, and brings a nickel more on the market. So we ask aurselves why we should raise white wheat any more.

When I first came to this farm I handled it in the usual way. When I began to ask questions of myself, I discovered plans that suit the farm and suit me better, and make more money.

If I see another farmer succeeding by some particular plan, I ask myself why it wouldn't work with me.

Some of these things I mention, especially the little time savers, may seem trivial. But life is pretty short, and when we have only so many minutes to use and enjoy in a day I think they all ought to count.—Earl Rogers.

Not Used to Capacity.

The Panama Canal is now carrying about a million and a quarter tons of shipping a month, and the revenue from tolls is about a million and a quarter dollars. That means that only about ten vessels a day pass through the canal—a number that is only half as many as the locks can handle even by daylight, and, since the canal is fully lighted, only perhaps a quarter of what it could handle in the twenty-four hours.

If we could farm forever without any setbacks it wouldn't be real living. Adversity holds an important place in the regular order of business.

A farmer in 1787 wrote: "My farm gave me and my whole family a good living on the produce of it, and left me one year with 150 silver dollars, for I never spent more than 10 dollars a year, which was for salt, nails, and the like. Nothing to eat, drink, or wear was bought, as my farm provided all."

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J. H. ROSS, Editor and Publisher.

Thursday, February 22, 1923.

There are two good rules which ought to be written on every heart: never believe anything bad about anybody unless you positively know it is true; never tell even that, unless you feel that it is absolutely necessary, and that God is listening while you tell it.—Henry Van Dyke.

The National Safety Council reports the number of motor deaths last year in the United States at 12,000. Those injured more than slightly may have been four times as many. The death list was greater than that at Waterloo. It was more than twice that at Austerlitz or Gettysburg, and even yet the figures are not quite complete.

The number of fires occurring on farms lately should lead the rural residents to look over their premises carefully and see if danger spots do not exist. Especially to be guarded against are chimneys where the mortor may have become loosened and sparks may get through in the attic or other places. Where stove pipes go through floors is another place and inflammable material left near stoves frequently ignites. In these cold days stoves are often kept at a high temperature and danger created that ordinarily would not occur.

A woman whose husband was given six months in jail at Welland recently, pleaded that she and her six children be allowed to go to jail with him, as without him they had no means of support. The woman's plea will serve to call attention to a defect in our penal system. It results in many cases in inflicting severer punishment on the innocent than on the guilty. When a man, who is the sole support of his wife and family, is sent to jail, he is fairly well provided for. He is deprived of certain liberties, but he is also relieved of responsibilities. He is furnished with food. lodging, clothing and heating, and also with medical attendance if he should need it. His wife and children, although they have committed no offence against the law, may be left without either food or clothing or shelter, except what charity may supply.

REMINISCENCES OF EARLY DAYS

For the Press:

The Directory, with its successor, The Press, I have been a continuous subscriber ever since they were first published. Pleased with their satisfactory progress and their high moral tone.

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The other day I came across a certificate of the birth of my dear father, in Aberdeen, Scotland, dated the 18th of May, 1825, nearly one hundred years ago. The paper upon which it was written was quite bleached with age.

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I have in my possession the declaration I made when entering upon the duties as assistant in the Winchester Post Office, dated the 10th of June, 1871. The declaration was made before my friend, the late George Mulloy, J.P., which signature is still quite clear.

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Upon my removal to Vernon Osgoode with my dear family in 1875, I soon met in with a dear old saintly couple, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter. They were members of the Primitive Methodist Church, of which Mr. Hunter was a local preacher in England. In one of the memoirs written by Chas. H. Spurgeon, he tells of how he sought and found his Saviour in the little Primitive Methodist Church in London, Eng. The aged couple referred to above would tell me how their forefathers had been visited by John Wesley, and his hands placed on the children's heads, following one who said, **"Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not."**

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After the New Year our winter came in like a lion with deep snow, and we are hoping it may go out like a lamb.

THOS. BOW,
North Annex, Regina.
Feb. 6th, 1923.

A WARNING

We would advise those husbands who advertise their wives as having "left my bed and board," and "that no one shall credit her on my account," to read the following notice in an American paper by an advertised wife: "I take this method of informing the public that he never had a bed; the board has always been furnished by myself; and as to anybody trusting me on his account, I know of no one that would trust himself. His credit has always been so much below par that he could not get

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Never be idle.
Make few promises.
Always speak the truth.
Never speak ill of anyone.
Keep good company or none.
Live up to your engagements.
Be just before you are generous.
Earn money before you spend it.
Drink no kind of intoxicating drinks.
Good character is above all things else.
Keep your secrets if you have any.
Never borrow if you can possibly avoid it.
Never play at any kind of games of chance.
Keep your promises if you would be happy.
Make no haste to be rich if you would prosper.
When you speak to a person look him in the face.
Save when you are young to spend when you are old.
Never run into debt unless you see a way to get out again.
Avoid temptation through fear you may not withstand it.
Ever live (misfortune excepted) within your income.
Small and steady gains give competency and tranquility of mind.
Good company and good conversation are the sinews of virtue.
Your character cannot be essentially injured except by yourself.
If anyone speaks evil of you let your life be so that none will believe him.
If your hands cannot be usefully employed attend to the cultivation of your mind.

Relieved His Mind.

A traveler who believed himself to be the sole survivor of a shipwreck on a cannibal island hid for days in terror of his life. Dodging from pillar to post he ran into a clump of bushes from which a thin wisp of smoke was rising. His knees knocked together and he lost his breath. Just as he was gathering his remaining strength to flee a voice from the clump remarked, "Why the devil did you play that card?" The "sole" survivor dropped to his knees and devoutly cried, "Thank God, they are Christians!"

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the policyholders of the Grenville Patron Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held in the Town Hall, Spencerville, on Monday, January 22nd. At this meeting a resolution was passed recommending that the directors enact a by-law which would enable people to pay for their insurance in fixed annual payments, or for three years in advance, at the insurers' option. The meeting was quite well attended and the annual statement showed that the company is in a good healthy condition and doing good work. Those present were unanimous that in these days of small profits on the farm the Mutual Companies with their blanket policy give farmers the best service for the least money.

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Think I'll jack her up
And let her rest awhile;
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—F. C. B.

ECHO ANSWERS WHY

A country town boasting a long history, somewhat recently installed traffic signs under newly adopted traffic regulations. Not long thereafter a certain pastor complained that all the young couples were passing his door and getting married by the other ministers. He finally asked a newly-wedded pair who were his staunch adherents, why they went elsewhere to be married. In reply, they pointed to a sign in front of his manse, "No Hitching Here."

WHEN THE MOTOR COUGHS

Coughing in the carburetor, followed by sharp explosions in the muffler, indicates a wrong adjustment of the auxiliary air valve. On the other hand, coughing followed by a choking down and stopping of the motor, indicates that there is water in the gasoline.

INSPECT WORKING PARTS UNDER CAR

Lay out an old piece of carpet underneath the car, and, with a handful of tools and an oil can, crawl under and make a careful inspection. The bolts that hold the engine pan and splash guards can be tried for tightness, likewise the spring-clip nuts. This may eliminate some of the rattling. Clean out the clutch housing and clogged drain holes in the pan. Look over the radiator support bolts. The underpart of the batter ybox may be corroded and can be scrapped. Hammer around lightly for loose parts, clean wherever it is necessary, and lubricate thoroughly all working parts.

IF EDITORS TOLD THE TRUTH

Only a short time ago the editor of a paper grew tired of being called a liar, and announced that he would tell the truth in future, and the next issue contained the following items:

John Doyle, our groceryman is doing a good business. His store is dirty and musty. How can he do much?

The Rev. Mr. Style preached last night on charity. His sermon was punk.

Dave Cankey died at his home here last Tuesday. The doctor gave it out as heart failure. Whiskey killed him.

Married—Miss Sylvia Rhodes and James Collins last Thursday at the Baptist Parsonage, by Rev. Gorden. The bride is a very ordinary girl who doesn't know any more about cooking than a jack rabbit and never helped her mother three days in her life. She is not a beauty by any means, and has a gait like a duck. The groom is an up-to-date loafer. He has been living off the old folks at home all his life and is not worth his salt. It will be a hard life.

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"HAVEN'T GOT TIME."

Opportunity tapped at the door
With a chance for a brother within,
He rapped till his fingers were sore.
And muttered, "Come on, let me in,
Here is something I know you can do,
Here's a hill I know you can climb."
But the brother inside very quickly replied:
"Old fellow, I haven't got time."

Opportunity wandered along
In search of a man who would rise,
He said to the indolent throng:
"Here's a chance for the fellow who tries."
But each of them said with a smile:
"I wish I could do it, but I'm very busy to-day,
Very busy to-day, and I'm sorry to say
That I really haven't got time."

At last opportunity came
To a man who was burdened with cares,
And said: "I now offer the same
Opportunity that has been theirs.
Here's a duty that ought to be done,
It's a chance if you've got time to take it."
Said the man, with a grin, "Come along, pass it in!
I'll either find time or I'll make it."

Of all the excuses there are
By which this old world is accursed,
This "Haven't got time" is by far
The poorest, the feeblest, the worst.
A delusion it is, and a snare;
If the habit is yours you should shake it.
For if you want to do what is offered to you,
You'll find time to do it, or make it.

SEED THOUGHTS ON LIFE AND BUSINESS

These thoughts were selected from different sources and no effort was made to associate the name of the author with each:

Good will is the most powerful factor in the affairs of men.

Truth makes the face of that person shine, who speaks it. Do not be put down by trifles.

Never stop to tie your shoe lace in a melon patch.

Nothing worth while in this world comes easily.

There is no better way of making a failure than by allowing yourself to be picked before you are ripe.

Be pleasant every morning until 10 o'clock; the rest of the day will take care of itself.

Do the thing that ought to be done when it ought to be done, whether you like it or not.

That man is rich who knows the things he ought to know when he needs to know them.

A happy disposition contributes more to success in a life career than any other single element.

Contentment with present attainment is the cause of all decline.

Mine Run.

Coal is defined by Cartoons Magazine as "what your dealer is always out of." Also it is what the miners go down and dig for, and what dad goes and digs down for. It is to the furnace what birdseed is to the canary, and what the canary is to the cat.

Coal is an ancient forest and flower-bed gone wrong; a primeval rose in any other form might smell as sweet, but would not be so expensive.

Coal is what you put in the rest of the cellar.

There are two kinds of coal—soft and hard. A hard coal miner is the one who goes on a prolonged vacation in the summer; a soft coal miner is one who does not belong to the union.

There are two kinds of soft coal, your neighbor's and clinkers. The first kind burns with a fine, steady blaze, with a high heat efficiency; the other is useful chiefly for sprinkling on the sidewalks and for hauling away in the spring.

Fire when you're ready, boys!

Write Like the Dickens is Right.

An Oriental paper having an English section printed the following notice:

"The news of English we tell the latest. Writ in perfectly style and most earliest. Do a murder commit, we hear of and tell it. Do a mighty chief die, we publish it and in borders somber. Staff has each been colleged and write like the Kipling and the Dickens. We circle every town and extortionate you for advertisements."

Changed Times.

Mrs. Millicent M. Miller, the noted eugenist, said in an address in Denver:

"On a beach one summer day, a half-dozen girls in red, one-piece bathing suits were playing ball. There were some cows in a nearby meadow, and, after a bit, the farm hand who was in charge of them went up to his boss and complained:

"'Say, boss, them gals is a-scarin' my cows.'

"'Ah, Jethro,' said the old farmer, with a sigh. 'Times is changed since I was young. In them days it was the cows wot scared the gals.'"

Here and There

GLASGOW, Scotland. — The Glasgow Herald says: An agreement has been made between the Government of the Province of Ontario and the Overseas Settlement Committee for the acceptance by Ontario of a certain number of British settlers. The majority will consist of unmarried men, but there will also be a limited number of married men and of youths and girls over 16 years of age. Of the married men, about 200 have already been accepted by the Ontario authorities in London from applicants now dwelling in the Hebrides, where agents on behalf of the Province have been carrying on a special canvass for some time past. The agents are also endeavouring to select from the same islands a number of female farm workers, and there is a proposal that a special ship shall be chartered to sail from the North of Scotland to convey these settlers in a body.

MEDICINE HAT, Alta. — The Moose Hall was recently the scene of what is probably the most important railway function in the history of Medicine Hat. The occasion was a banquet and presentation in honor of Henry Hardy, J. F. Fisher and Thos. Penhale, all engineers in the Canadian Pacific Railway service who have recently retired. There were more than 200 guests. A considerable number of the guests were from other railway centres throughout Canada.

CALGARY, Alta.—Beiseker, a town on the C. P. R. and G. T. P., about 35 miles northeast of Calgary as the crow flies, is in the grip of an incipient silver boom. On Saturday and Sunday men from the local district and from points afield, where the news spread with the usual rapidity of such tidings, staked out claims covering several sections about four miles east of the town. These were registered at the federal land office in Calgary.

No assay has yet been made of the ore, but those interested in the property are sending a sample to Edmonton. It may be necessary to bore another test hole, the finders say, before sufficient ore can be obtained to get a reliable assay. The original find was made by crews drilling for water and much of the first ore taken out has been given away as samples. The first find was made about three months ago.

CALGARY, Alta.—"We cannot expect to recover in a year or so from the effects of abnormal circumstances the whole country has been suffering from," remarked W. B. Lanigan, of Montreal, freight traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific, in the course of an interview with The Herald, in Calgary, "but I am safe in making this prophesy that this year will witness throughout Canada a revival of industry and agriculture, and that by 1924, the city of Calgary and the country tributary to it, as well as the rest of Canada are going to enjoy a return of their former prosperity."

It was in these words that the freight traffic manager of the great transportation company replied to the question as to how he viewed present conditions. "No matter what pessimists may say," he continued, "the resources of this country in minerals and in the fertility of its soil has not been appreciably touched and it has been inadequately advertised. The Province of Alberta, with its agricultural possibilities, its wealth of coal, and in my opinion, the waterpower of its streams and hills need only population to bring these possibilities into wealth. How any person can survey all these natural conditions and still remain a pessimist, is something I cannot understand."

BROCKVILLE, Ontario. — Several retirements on pension are announced on the Canadian Pacific Railway in this vicinity.

James Jelly, road master for the railway at Carleton Place for many years and a native of Leeds county, is retired on pension upon reaching the age limit. He entered the railway service as a youth and has seen the railway grow from small beginnings into the present great system.

James Milliken, section foreman for the C.P.R. at Carleton Place, is also superannuated. For some years he was on duty on the Montreal-Toronto mainline and a number of years ago was transferred to Carleton Place.

After 28 years as station agent at Merrickville, and nearly 40 years in the company's service, James A. Angus has also retired on pension. He is being succeeded by R. S. Corbett, Terrebonne, Que.

E. M. Jelly, who has been assistant division engineer of the C. P. R. at Smith's Falls, has been appointed division engineer, same road, at Schreiber.

The steel structure for the new C. P. R. overhead bridge over the G. T. R. tracks at Kingston Junction has arrived and the Dominion Bridge Company, Montreal, the contractors, has started to erect the bridge which, when completed, will open the new line into the city for the C.P.R. and C.N.R. trains.

Uncle Ez's Observation.

"When 'er man talks 'bout luck," remarked Uncle Ezra, "he generally means bad luck. 'Cause when he's prosperous he's gwinter take all de credit foh his own smahtness."

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Geronimo—The Arab Martyr.

In the blue waters of the Mediterranean near Oran, a little boat was dancing, when suddenly one of the Barbary corsairs swooped down upon it and took all the crew prisoners. They were taken to Algiers, and, as was the custom, most of the Spanish prisoners were loaded with chains and sent to haul stones for the new fort from the quarries.

But the soldiers found out that one of the crew was a Christian Arab, Geronimo by name, so they at once carried the story to the Governor, Ali Pasha, who was really a Christian from Spain, who had appostatized to Islam to save his life and wealth.

He saw at once that here was an opportunity to show his devotion to his new religion, so he gave orders that Geronimo should be chained in prison, and should be re-converted to Mohammedanism. But Geronimo had long ago given up home and kindred for the sake of Christianity, and he told his Arab teachers quite firmly, "No, I can never be a Mohammedan, even if my refusal costs me my life."

The renegade Pasha was furious when he heard of Geronimo's steadfastness, and as he went to inspect his new fort, he pondered in his mind how he could best punish him.

Suddenly his eye fell on some of his Christian slaves, who were lifting their stampers and letting them fall with a heavy thud on the damp cement, which they were ramming into a wooden mould, so that when it hardened it should form a huge block of solid stone, fit for the foundation of the fort.

The Pasha smiled grimly, and he called to the head mason Michael, and said, "Is that other mould still empty?"

"Yes, Lord," said Michael.

"See then that it remains empty, for to-morrow I will have this dog from Oran, who refuses to return to Islam, stamped into it alive."

Even Michael and the other Christian slaves who had long been accustomed to cruelty, were staggered at the horror of the sentence.

Michael tried to break the news gently to Geronimo, but to his surprise, he said quite joyfully:

"May God be praised for all, only may my Saviour of His pity remember my soul and forgive me my sins."

That night a priest in the prison heard Geronimo's last confession and prepared him for the next day.

The next morning, September 18, 1569, he received the Holy Communion and was still absorbed in thanksgiving when the Turkish soldiers came to fetch him. They hurried him through the narrow streets and out of the Bab el Oued gate, and there was Ali Pasha surrounded by soldiers and looking very grand in his full white breeches and bright green vest and coat with a long crimson cloak hanging from his shoulders—Geronimo looked no match for him—His hair was matted and his body covered with sores, and he had nothing on but the scanty garment he had sewn for himself out of the five ells of coarse cloth given to each prisoner on the day of his arrival.

Ali Pasha shouted contemptuously:

"Hallo, dog! why will you not become a Mohammedan?"

Geronimo answered simply: "I am a Christian and I will remain a Christian."

This angered the renegade and he retorted:

"If you refuse to become a Mohammedan I will bury you alive."

Geronimo said calmly: "Do as you will; I am ready."

The Governor made the soldiers take off his chains and bind his hands and feet and throw his face downwards into the cement placed in the bottom of the mould, then the workmen poured in earth and cement and battered it down with the heavy stampers. So was Geronimo's life crushed out of him, while his soul passed gladly to receive the martyr's crown.

Some three hundred years later when a young French officer was superintending the blasting of the walls of the old fort the workmen called him to look at a skeleton and the print of a man's form within a shattered block of stone.

The relics of Geronimo were taken to the Christian Cathedral of Algiers, and the faith for which he died is now preached by other Arab converts who belong to the heroic White Fathers, who have made a chain of Mission stations from Algiers right through the heart of Central Africa. So once again the blood of the Martyrs is the seed of the Church.

Teaching Your Dog to Carry.

Carrying is one of the most popular accomplishments of the trained dog. It is useful, too Canine messengers were of great value during the World War, and every year many lives are saved in remote places by dogs that have been taught by their owners to carry letters, objects, etc.

Puppies learn almost anything more readily than mature dogs. For that reason, begin training early. Begin when he is teething; his gums are sore, and he gets considerable relief from holding things in his mouth. At this period of his life he will often "mouth" hard objects, for no other purpose than to help Nature develop his teeth. It is instinct. Certainly, dogs will learn carrying at any age, but it is far easier to learn them when they are teething.

A glove is the best object to start with. Drawing it through his mouth makes his gums feel better, and secondly, the scent of his master on the glove makes it more interesting.

Movement interests animals of all kinds more than anything else. Even an object unattractive in itself will secure a dog's notice, if thrown a little distance, with a gesture for him to go get it. Sometimes a pretence to race with him for the object will awaken the desired response; and it is very natural for him, when he reaches the object, to grab it up in his mouth.

If the "run-after-it" method fails, you must open his mouth forcibly. Pass your hand over his jaws and with the thumb on one side and the fingers on the other, press his lips against his teeth. This will open his mouth, and you should be ready with your other hand to place the glove in it. Now slip the hand under his jaw and hold the mouth shut while you stroke his head with your other hand and speak kindly to him. Repeat the lesson two or three times, but do not tire him. Conclude by giving him a bite of something he likes.

After two or three days try leading him a few steps, still holding his mouth closed. From day to day work the hand back till it is on his neck instead of on his jaw; then you can transfer it to his shoulder, and a little later walk by his side without touching him.

Your talk to the dog, while he is learning, is important. When you begin to use various articles he must understand your caution of "Gently, boy," etc. I read of a dog's bringing a freshly laundered collar to his master without soiling it. It had fallen from a desk into the waste basket, and this observant dog knew that it did not belong there, and that it was something he should "handle with care."

The way to train a dog to go after things alone, or do any trick without your supervision, is to go through the performance with him exactly many, many times, always using the same words to start the thing. In this way, with patience on the trainer's part, a smart dog may be taught to take a basket and go alone after some article. Generally, too, he will know whether he is being given the usual thing, though of course he can not ask for it. If you have the merchant instructed to put what you want in the basket, the dog, if well taught, will do his part, and bring the basket back to you.

You should teach the carrier dog not to give up his package or message to any stranger. Have some person with whom your pet is not acquainted start to take the object from the dog's mouth, then change his mind. Let this be repeated a few times; then come up yourself, take the object (as though you valued it), and praise the dog. This method was first recommended by Bruette, one of the greatest "dog-ologists" of this country, and I have never known it to fail. A dog, like a person, dislikes being fooled, and clings to the person who seems to appreciate his efforts.—L. E. Eubanks.

Houses and Gardens of Pompeii.

Pompeii is to live again. At least the high purpose of Professor Spinazzola, director of the Naples Museum, is to make the city look as nearly as possible as it looked before it was destroyed. Recent excavations have given us a new idea of the ruined city and of its people.

Professor Spinazzola, who began the recent investigations, has discovered that the houses were two-storey structures; previously people had supposed that they were of one story. He has shown also that there were little balconies and loggias, such as we see in many Italian towns to-day, that overhung and opened upon the street.

The new discoveries reveal that shutters made of slats that opened and closed like modern blinds usually shut off the shops on the street fronts; when the shutters were closed they fastened on the inner side with a long bar. In many of the shops various articles were found that had been on sale.

In the interior of many of the houses Professor Spinazzola has discovered little gardens, some of which are scarcely larger than the top of a good-sized table. From the flower designs of the frescoes on the walls he has learned the varieties of the flowers that the inhabitants of Pompeii knew and has replanted the gardens with the flowers that decorated the beds almost two thousand years ago! The world Pompeii before was dead;

Sincerity.

To be sincere. To look life in the eyes
With calm, undrooping gaze,
  Always to mean
The high and truthful thing,
  Never to screen
Behind the unmeant word, the sharp surprise
Of cunning, never tell the little lies
Of look or thought. Always to choose between
The true and small, the true and large, serene,
And high above life's cheap dishonesties.

The soul that steers by this unfading star
Needs never other compass. All the far
Wide waste shall blaze with guiding light, tho' rocks
  And sirens meet and mock its straining gaze,
Secure from storms and all life's battle shocks,
  It shall not veer from any righteous ways.

—Maurice Sidney.

Advice.

If you don't want to be laughed at by others, laugh at yourself.

If you don't want to be criticized by others, criticize yourself.

If you don't want others to take you seriously, don't take yourself too seriously.

Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is the greatest in the kingdom of

A Little Bit More.

He isn't the least little bit unlike you,
  Nor the least little bit unlike me;
He hasn't more brains, or more talent, 'tis true,
  Nor anything else we can see.
Yet he really is different. There is something he's found,
  A secret that gives him high score,
For he does all the work that he's paid to do,
  And—a little bit more!

Should you ask, he would say: "It is part of the game,
  And the game's on the level, the square;
Who follows the rules will win riches and fame,
  And all that is splendid and fair."
Now, he may be quite right and he may be quite wrong,
  You may scoff, ribald laughter may roar,
BUT
He draws pay every week for the work he has done,
  And—a little bit more.

—Edmund Leamy.

Packing a Ship.

Have you ever thought what a tremendous task it must be to load a big ship?

It is work that can only be entrusted to skilled men, and if the slightest mistake is made trouble is sure to follow; a badly laden ship may even sink without the slightest warning.

The first thing the stevedore has to remember is that no vessel may be loaded so that a certain mark sinks beneath the water level. This mark, called the Primsoll line, runs right round the ship. If it is hidden by the water the Board of Trade authorities will refuse to allow it the ship to sail.

A ship's cargo must be placed so that goods for the nearest ports are on top of the holds. As far as possible also, the heaviest goods must be placed at the bottom.

The stevedore has to see that the vessel is deeper in the water aft than forward. Most difficult of all, she must be loaded so that she remains upright after discharging cargo at several ports.

A Great Remedy.

A cyclist was riding along an English lane when his hat blew off. A passing countryman picked it up and took it to him as he circled round, saying him the trouble of getting off his machine.

"I weally must get some stwing to keep this bally hat on," muttered the cyclist, as he wheeled off without a word of thanks.

The other's reply was short but expressive. "Get a nail, guv'nor!"

Habits are the only cobwebs that grow into cables.

A compound has been patented for making window shades washable and waterproof.



London to New York in Twelve Hours

General W. Sefton Brancker, director of Civil Aviation in Great Britain, predicts that the voyage over the Atlantic will be made in 12 hours within five years. Machines will attain a speed of 300 miles an hour.

Watch Your Lips.

It is the custom to judge the character of persons with whom one comes in contact by looking closely at their eyes and the straightness, or otherwise, of their glances.

Few people realize the importance of the lips as a guide to character. Husband-seekers should beware of a tendency to let the corners of the mouth droop—nothing warns a man of a worrying, grizzling temperament more than that. Yet to much of an upward curve denotes frivolity.

Very red, thin lips denote cruelty; an underlip which has too full an outward roll denotes lack of conscience; while when a mouth is long and thin, with the line between the lips clear cut and firm, its owner is usually morbid, selfish, and dominating.

The happy medium in mouths should have straight lips, not too thin, but of symmetrical fullness and with a slight upward inclination at the corners to denote merriment. Should this upward curve be ready to dimple deeply on provocation, this denotes a quick power of repartee and a ready but not malicious love of ridicule.

Where the Blow Fell.

Mamma (to three-year-old Diana, who is crying)—"What is the matter, dear?"

Diana—"Tomy hit me."

"Did he hit you on purpose?"

"No; he hit me on my back."

Noah's Ark was made of wood, but Joan of Arc was made of Orleans," wrote a youngster in answer to an examination question.

Romantic Life Story of Louis Pasteur

Louis Pasteur, the great French scientist, whose centenary was celebrated recently, saved more lives than any other man who ever lived.

He discovered man's most deadly enemy—the germ. The causes and cures of many terrible diseases, including yellow fever, typhoid, malaria, plague, sleeping sickness, diphtheria, and cholera, were all found as a direct result of Pasteur's labors. He did more than anyone else to safeguard us from the germs which lurk in bad food and so on.

More wonderful still were his discoveries in the science of surgery. Before his day, almost every operation was fatal. Patients died not because of any lack of skill on the part of doctors, but because of the fact that blood poisoning set in afterwards. Pasteur found that this was due to a germ which entered the wound from the air or from the surgeon's hands.

An Accidental Discovery.

Pasteur proved that almost every square inch of the world is filled with millions of germs. At first he found it difficult to convince people that he was right. He made a journey to one of the highest peaks in the Alps to prove that germs are unable to live in mountain heights.

Luckily, his discoveries were followed eagerly by an Englishman, Lister, who made still further progress in the prevention of blood-poisonng. To-day, everyone who has been cured by an operation owes his life to the great Frenchman and his English pupil.

Pasteur is remembered by the average person chiefly as the man who discovered a cure for hydrophobia, although this was by no means his greatest service to mankind.

His discovery of the germ was accidental. He was engaged in studying fermentation on behalf of alcohol manufacturers when he found that it was due to tiny living creatures. This set him on the path that was to bring him fame.

He was far advanced towards success when, at the age of forty-five, he was stricken with paralysis. His recovery, which was almost a miracle, was followed by the Franco-Prussian War, which shook France to her foundations and prevented him from continuing his work. And so for some years his labors ceased.

Then he turned his attention to anthrax, that deadly disease which attacks men and animals without distinction. He discovered that if he injected the germs of this disease in a mild form into sheep which were threatened, those animals were rendered immune.

From this time disinfectants were used more and more in surgical operations. Pasteur also rendered great services to farmers, silk-growers, brewers, and many other trades.

At the age of seventy-three he had finished his life's work. He had changed the conditions of life to an incredible degree. Not only had he learnt how to cure diseases, but also how to prevent them.

Pasteur was the son of humble parents, his father being a tanner. His student days were one long struggle against poverty. Not until he was awarded a pension by the State did he receive any real financial benefits from his discoveries. He also received the Legion of Honor, the greatest distinction that France can give. From obscurity he rose to be one of the world's greatest men, and ever since his death in 1895 his fame has been steadily growing. Even now we cannot fully appreciate all that he did for us.



IN THE SOUP

The French have succeeded in making their occupation of the Ruhr —From the London Opinion.

PHOTOGRAPHS SENT BY WIRELESS WAVES

TERMINATION OF YEARS OF WORK.

Mr. Thorne Baker, an Englishman, Has Solved Problem of Reproducing Pictures.

One of the greatest miracles of the century was accomplished during the closing days of the old year; a photograph was transported through the ether from one place to another by wireless waves.

True, the distance traversed was not very great— a mere hundred yards between two buildings—but that is of no importance, for once the method of harnessing ether waves has been discovered wireless will carry pictures across a thousand miles of sea and land quite easily.

For more than fourteen years Mr. Thorne Baker, the inventor of the new process, has been laboring to solve the problem, says a London newspaper. In 1908 he was successful in transmitting pictures over ordinary telephone wires; and since then he has given his whole attention to discovering a means of doing the same thing by wireless.

How has this wonder been accomplished? When the shutter of a camera is opened light rushes through the lens and strikes the sensitized film on the plate. This consists of a coating of chemicals placed upon a layer of gelatine. White light has an extraordinary effect upon the coating, enabling it to resist the action of chemicals to a great extent.

Lines Made by Light.

If we place the exposed plate in a dish filled with a developer, the solution will eat away the portions of the coating which have not fallen under the influence of white light, leaving nothing but the transparent gelatine. Those parts, however, which have received bright rays of light will not be attacked. Hence, in a negative, the shadows are transparent, whilst the lighter parts appear dense.

Hold a negative, gelatined side uppermost, between your eyes and the light. You will see that its surface consists of innumerable ridges and furrows. If a positive is made by printing on to another plate the positions of the tiny hills and dales will be reversed.

Now suppose we have a long, delicate pointer, a very slight movement of which suffices to make or break the contact of an electrical circuit. If we draw the positive plate under this pointer it will be moved upwards by the ridges which represent the shaded portions of the picture, falling again as it traverses the hollows of the lighter parts.

Connect the contacts of the pointer to a wireless set and waves will be sent out as the dark portions are crossed, but not whilst it is moving through the hollows.

The sharp end of the pointer which moves over the plate will record every bump occurring during its passage; but many of them are so slight, and the hills slope so gradually into the dales, that the waves sent out would not correspond exactly to the ups and downs of the photograph.

Receiving he Picture.

To obtain success we must break the surface into sharp rises and steep down grades. If you examine through a magnifying glass any photograph reproduced in a daily paper, you will find that it consists of innumerable little dots—some black, some white.

This effect is obtained by photographing through a fine wire screen. The black dots represent ridges, the white ones furrows. When a block is put into the printing press only the former touch the ink rollers. Hence the ridges make black dots, but the furrows, not being inked, make noimpression at all, and give the appearance of white dots.

A photograph treated in this way simplifies the task of the wireless-sending apparatus. The needle of the pointer arm travels from top to bottom of one edge of the surface, sending out a wave as each dot raises it. When i has reached the bottom of the picture it is automatically moved a tiny fraction of an inch inwards. It then travels over a second line of dots. And so, in course of time, it covers the whole of the surface.

What of the receiving station, where wireless waves are made to give up the picture they are carrying? Here a sheet of paper is moved by clockwork of electricity at exactly the same rate as the plate at the transmitting end. Above it hangs a delicately balanced arm provided with a kind of fountain pen. Every time the transmitting needle rises over a dot it sends out a wave which causes the receiving arm to drop and make a dot on the paper below it. The result is that when the transmission is ended the paper bears the same number of dots, arranged in precisely the same way as those of the original photograph. In other words, the paper shows a perfect reproduction of the original photograph. It is possible now to send a complete picture of good size by wireless in less than three minutes.

How the Pelican Feeds Young.

One of the most ludicrous sights in nature is furnished by parent pelicans feeding their young from the under side of the beak.

This sack is often six inches deep and a foot and a half long and it will stretch until it is large enough to hold several quarts of fish or other food.

The parent bird opens wide its beak and the little pelican sticks his head inside and helps himself to the contents of the pouch.

As the young grow larger they are able to penetrate farther and farther for their meals and one sees one of them with his whole head and neck far within the parent's capacious maw.

Most snakes shed their skins several times in the course of a year.

HOME BEAUTIFUL

By DOROTHY ETHEL WALSH.

Welcome Reflections.



Where in our preceding article we warned against unwelcome reflections, to-day we wish to point out the value of certain others. We are referring to those thrown off by mirrors. Mirrors serve as allies to many a decorative scheme. They save certain portions of an interior from obscurity and may be used to balance color values.

Take for instance the room in which the windows are in one wall. Colorful draperies may be used, and, if so, in what way can the opposite wall be equipped so as not to be overbalanced? A wall hanging may be used, but where the window draperies are of dominant hues a wall hanging which will blend with them will not be easy to find. Furniture may be ranged against the wall, but if it is heavy enough in color value to equalize the two walls it is probably too heavy for beauty.

The solution to the problem lies in the use of a mirror. One hung opposite a window will reflect the draperies and bring into that portion of the room the necessary color. It may also reflect a bit of the outside world as seen through the window, and this will have a tendency to make the room appear larger. Mirrors when placed wisely provide welcome reflections.

Yarns from the "Land of Cakes"

Dean Ramsay, the famous Scottish divine, strongly opposed the suggestion that Scotsmen have no sense of humor, and, partly with the idea of illustrating his belief, he made a collection of typical Scottish stories.

One of the best of these anecdotes concerns a house notorious for its scanty fare. A man inquired of a gardener at this house about a dog which, some time ago, he had given to the laird.

The gardener showed him a lank greyhound, on which the man said, "No, no; the dog I gave your master was a mastiff, not a greyhound." To this the gardener quietly answered, "Indeed, ony dog might sune become a greyhound by stopping here."

The Judge's Slip.

Another of the Dean's stories was about a boy who was so spoilt by indulgence that his parents were hardly able to refuse him anything. The child was in the drawing-room on one occasion when dinner was announced, and on being ordered up to the nursery, he insisted on going down to dinner with the company.

The child persevered and kept saying: "If I dinna gang, I'll tell thon." His father, then, for peace sake, let him go. At the table the child got everything he wanted under threat that he would "tell thon."

At last it came to wine, and as this was positively refused him the boy declared, "Now I will tell thon," and at last roared out, "Ma new breeks were made oot o' the auld curtains!"

More of these anecdotes are given in "Stories of Wit and Humor," by the late Dean Ramsay. Thus:

A Miss MacNabb, who lived on Loch Awe side in Argyllshire, had never been remarkable for her beauty. One day the Laird of Combie was a guest of Miss MacNabb's, and in proposing a toast to the hostess he said, "I propose the old Scottish toast of 'honest men and bonnie lassies,' " and bowing to the hostess he resumed his seat.

The lady returned the bow, and taking up her glass replied, "Weel, Combie, I am sure we may drink that, for it will neither apply to you nor me."

A Scottish judge dined at Coalstoun with Charles Brown, an advocate, and son of George Brown, who sat in the Supreme Court as a judge with the title of Lord Coalstoun.

The party had been convivial, and when breaking up and going to the drawing-room the judge, not seeing his way very clearly, stepped out of the dining-room window. The ground at Coalstoun sloping off from the house behind, the judge got a bad fall, but managed to reach the drawing-room.

The first remark he made was an innocent remonstrance with his friend the host. "Or, Charlie Brown, what gars ye hae sic lang steps to your front door?"

In Lanarkshire there lived a "sma' sma' laird" who, having business once with the Duke of Hamilton, was invited to Hamilton Palace.

A liveried servant waited upon them, and was most assiduous in his attentions. At last the guest lost patience and addressed the servant thus: "What the deil for are ye dance dancing about the room that gait? Can ye no draw in' your chair and sit down? I'm sure there's plenty on the table for three!"

An Honest Horse.

A ruling elder of a country parish in the West of Scotland was well known in the district as shrewd and ready witted. Three young students gave him a call in order to have a little amusement.

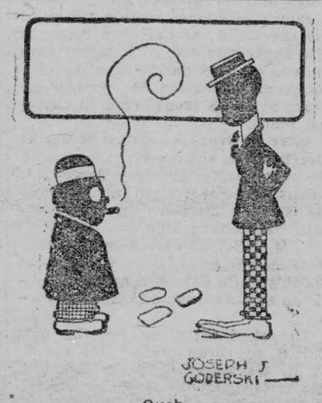
On approaching him, one of them saluted him. "Well, Father Abraham, how are you to-day?"

"You are wrong," said the other, "this is old Father Isaac."

"Tuts," said the third, "you are both mistaken; this is old Father Jacob."

The elder looked at the young men, and replied, "I am neither old Father Abraham, nor old Father Isaac, nor old Father Jacob; but I am Saul, the son of Kish, seeking his father's asses, and, lo! I've found three o' them."

A laird sold a horse to an Englishman, saying, "You buy him as you see him, but he's an honest beast." The purchaser took the horse home. In a few days the horse tumbled and fell, to the damage of the rider's head. On this the angry purchaser remonstrated with the laird, whose reply was, "Well, sir, I told you he was an honest beast; many a time he has threatened to come down with me, and I kenned he would keep his word some day."



JOSEPH J GODERSKI

Ouch

Ding—"What kind of doc is Jones?"

Ling—"I thought he was an eye doctor till I got his bill; then I found he was a skin specialist."

Getting His Own Back.

Jones, while buying a ticket for a music-hall show, was rudely brushed aside by three flappers, who got their tickets before him.

As luck would have it, he was given a ticket for the seat next to those occupied by the girls.

After several turns a comedian appeared who asked the audience: "If there are any girls present who could learn to love me, please stand?"

Jones was quick to seize the opportunity.

"Will you let me out, please?"

Whereupon the girls rose. Jones then sat down again.

The audience roared, but no one relished the girls' discomfiture more than Jones.

Always Acceptable.

Author—"The very first thing I sent to a magazine was accepted."

Young Friend—"Was it poetry or prose?"

Author—"Prose. It was a cheque for a year's subscription."

Impossible!

Conductor—"This train is making forty miles an hour, madam."

Old Lady—"Now, don't try to fool me, young man. We've only been gone twenty minutes."

Little-Known Facts About Animals.

Professor Giuseppe Renato some time ago published an exhaustive study on the various functions of animals tails, and the learned dissertation of the Italian scientist has aroused wide interest all over the world.

Dogs' tails occupy an important chapter in Professor Renato's book.

Passing lightly over the fact that in the Arctic regions the tail performs the functions of respiratory organs while the dog is asleep, Professor Renato considers it important that this appendage, rather than a dog's vocal apparatus, is the seat of his conversational faculty.

"Above all," says the professor, "the tail of a dog is an index to his psychological state. The animal raises and wags it under the impression of joy, lowers it when afflicted, and trails it between his legs when frightened.

"One may actually believe that dogs have a caudal language, and that the wagging of the tail is the method of communication between them."

Amongst cattle and beasts of burden, the professor points out that the tail is a weapon of defence against flies and other insects, which, in the natural state of those animals, meant often the saving of their lives.

He states that in the early struggle for existence in cattledom and horsedom the question of the survival of the fittest was purely a question of which had the strongest tail. This resulted in the development of the tail muscles of the cow and horse to a remarkable degree.

When a horse is struck on the back with a whip it switches the spot with its tail. The horse knows it was a whip and not an insect, but the reflexive muscles of its tail are so highly developed that it instinctively switches before the horse has time to telegraph to his brain and put in a stop order.

A cow finds it less fatiguing to keep up a perpetual up-and-down, side-to-side motion with its tail rather than the nervous, energetic one which the horse employs only when there is actual occasion.

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He Knew the Boys.

Once a boy got vaccinated. The medico as usual prepared to put a protecting white band round the boy's coat sleeve above the vaccination, but the youngster said: "Put it on the other arm, doctor." "What for?" asked the doctor, and he couldn't help laughing. I put it on the sore arm, of course, so that the boys at school won't hit it." "Put it on the other arm, doctor," the lad persisted. "You don't know the boys at our school."

MONEY ORDERS.

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Minard's Liniment for Burns & Scalds

HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON
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Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

All over the world at the present time, there is unusual activity being manifested in Public Health Work. In the countries of Central Europe, shaken to their foundations by the upheaval of the late war, the people are making valiant efforts to carry on some program of Public Health, knowing that the life and vitality of the nation can only be maintained by conserving the health of the individual and of the community. Reports of what is being done in many European countries are very encouraging, showing the introduction of new laws to meet the new and changing conditions that have arisen out of the world war. In Prague, important steps are being taken to co-ordinate the work of government and voluntary social agencies, so that a minimum amount of good may be done with the least possible overlapping of effort. Belgium is now launching a vigorous campaign to bring about the complete suppression of white lead in industry. As far away as East Africa, an energetic campaign is being carried on against the ravages of cattle plague, but whatever the place it has its own problems to be dealt with.

Everywhere the importance of education is being realized. The people want to know that sanitary and preventive measures are being taken to safeguard the public health. They want to know how to keep well, and how to prolong their lives.

And now education is being extended to the tribesmen of the desert. An interesting publication has just been distributed among the Mussulmans of Northern Africa. It is entitled "Kitab-Ec-Cihha" which signifies, in Arabic, "Book of Good Health." The advice and the prescriptions that it contains are edited in the style that the followers of Islam appreciate; that is, stories of the orient. Each chapter is headed by an epigraph, a citation from the prophet. The introduction reads somewhat as follows: "In the name of Allah, who is merciful and compassionate, may health rest upon you, O reader! We have written this book to teach you to observe the most precious of gifts—the gift which may bring you all other gifts in the world, and aid you to merit the blessings from above. We have written this book to teach you to safeguard the health of your body." The title of the seven chapters that follow are: Be clean. Fulfil your duties as a father. Learn how to protect yourself against contagious diseases. The preventable diseases. How to treat wounds. Diseases of domestic animal. The duties of chiefs.

The booklet makes reference to the words of Mahomet! "Cleanliness is the sword of the believer. If any evil overtake you when you have not performed ablutions, blame no one but yourself."

The passage of the Koran: "Allah creates beings that you know not of," has been introduced in the chapter on contagious diseases; the beings that man knows not of are the microorganisms.

All of which is very interesting, indicating that even in the bypaths of the world, whether people live singly or congregate together it is necessary to know something of sanitary measures and disease prevention if health is to be preserved.

Mrs. C. R. asks if the house should be kept warm in cold weather, without any ventilation, as she is afraid of colds, coming from the draughts. Yes, the house should be kept warm, but there should be some means of ventilation. If nothing else will do, let everybody leave the room for a few minutes and throw open the window, top and bottom so as to get in a supply of fresh air. In hot stuffy rooms one is always liable to catch cold, and besides if the air has been breathed over and over again it becomes very injurious to the health, and predisposes to colds and bronchitis and other chest conditions.

Animals' Eyes.

No two animals have eyes exactly alike. In every case they are adapted to the special needs of their owner.

The eyes of flesh-eating creatures are closer together than those of vegetarians. This is said to be due to the habit which the former have of fixing their gaze on their victims before springing. Human eyes are closer together than those of any other creature that eats flesh.

Tigers, lions, cats, and others of the same family are unable to see at great distances, but for objects near at hand their sight is very keen. Lions and tigers have round pupils, which grow bigger when the animal is angry.

Cats have pupils which can be dilated enormously. In the dark, or when the cat is angry, the pupils look almost round. In the first case, what little light there is is reflected by the retina, which is the explanation of the fact that a cat's eyes look green at night.

Animals that live on grass have large eyes, placed as a rule at the sides. This gives a wide range of vision and enables the creatures to watch for danger while cropping grass.

Stupid Man.

The inspector called to see why Johnny Winslow had not been to school recently.

"Why," said Mrs. Winslow, "he was thirteen years old last week, sir! I'm sure he's had schooling enough."

"Schooling enough!" exclaimed the official. "Why, I did not finish my education until I was twenty!"

Mrs. Winslow looked at the inspector and exclaimed: "Heavens! you don't mean to say you were such a thickhead as that?"

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Ireland's Gold Mines.

How many people know that there are gold mines in Ireland?

They are situated in Wicklow, and although they are not worked to-day, at one period in their history they produced nearly $75,000 worth of gold. These mines were discovered accidentally in 1775 by a poor schoolmaster.

He picked up a piece of metal which he proved to be gold. His wife refused to believe him, and told her friends that he was mad. But the story soon became public property and thousands of people rushed to the spot. So keen was the struggle that an armed guard was supplied by the Government to keep the vast crowds away.

In the two months which elapsed between the publication of the story and the Government's seizure of the mines more than 2,500 ounces of gold were collected by peasants. But when the authorities started to work the mines in a regular manner the same success was not achieved. Between $10,000 and $20,000 worth of gold was produced, and as the mines cost very much more than this to run they were closed down.

The gold was of extraordinary purity, and was found in pieces of all sizes, the largest being a nugget weighing twenty-two ounces.

Double-Faced.

Small Boy—"You must have a jolly time when you travel in the train."

Mrs. Grabber—"Why, dear?"

Small Boy—"Well, mamma said you were double-faced, and it must be fine fun to be able to look out of two windows at once."

THE HUMAN FACTORY

Its Motive Power is Rich, Red Blood.

The human body is the busiest factory in the world. There is no eight-hour day, no slack season, no holidays, no cessation of its labor at any time. Day and night work is carried on in the workshop of your body and it never ceases until the engine—your heart—stops forever.

The factory of your body has its motive power without which it would cease at once. That power is rich, red healthy blood, which keeps your whole system efficient and which drives away all disease that may attack it. Often, however, the blood begins to fail and becomes thin and poor. It becomes loaded with waste and charged with poisons. Then it is that your bodily workshop goes wrong; your physical machinery becomes disorganized and you fall ill. You become anaemic, perhaps the nerves break down, or you begin to suffer from indigestion, neuralgia, general debility, with pains in the back, head or side. In this condition of bloodlessness Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are just what you need. Their one mission is to make rich, red blood, which brings health and energy to every part of the body. Mr. Raymond Webber, Welland, Ont., tells what these pills did for him as follows:—"My blood was thin and watery, and I was in a badly run down condition. Pimples broke out on my body which caused me much discomfort. I would catch cold easily, which aggravated my condition. My brother advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after taking about eight boxes I felt that I was again a well man. I have since recommended the pills with good results to others."

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Considerate!

"Hard at it, Mrs. Grey?"

"Yes, Mrs. Blucher; this is my washing-day, and looking after a family of ten doesn't leave much time on my hands."

"Is that Kitty's voice I hear at the piano in the parlor?"

"Yes, that's her. I don't know how I'd get along without that girl. Always on these days she picks out her nicest pieces, like 'Sweet Rest By and By,' 'Mother's Growing Old,' 'Love Will Roll the Clouds Away,' and sings them for me while I'm running the clothes through the first water. 'Tain't every girl who'd be so thoughtful, I can tell you."

MOTHER! MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS

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No man can read with profit that which he cannot learn to read with pleasure.—Noah Porter.

Minard's Liniment for Neuralgia.

Young Grief.

Run from me, wind, to the far earth's end,
You must not make little grass blades bend,
You must not coax me by tilting a leaf,
I am alone with a deep, new grief.

Hide from me, sun, hide your glad, wild face,
You must not tease me to laughter again—
I have a rendezvous promised with pain.

Turn from me, joy, turn out of my way,
You must not call me nor bid me to stay,
You must not follow where lonely I go—
I have a heart that is burdened with woe.

Years from the present I may come to you,
Now I forbid you, my grief is too new.
Life, do not woe me with sunshine or smile—
I must be sad for a long, long while!

—Helen Frazee-Bower.

When I Was Young.

When I was young I gathered all
The shining words that Love would fling
So lavishly about my feet
And strung them on a silver string—
I hid them in a secret place
Against the day when I grew old,
Thinking to weep young tears again
Over the precious things Love told.

I did not know, when I was young
How smoothly love slips off the tongue.

—Mollie Cullen.

Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism.

"Howlers."

Among some delightful schoolboy mistakes recorded in the "University Correspondent" are:—

A grass widow is the wife of a dead vegetarian.

Tertium quid is a legal term meaning 6s 8d.

Psyche was a black boxer who fought Carpentier.

A circle is a round straight line with a hole in the middle.

Bacchus first taught the Greeks to get drunk, and Raleigh named tobacco after him in honor of the Virgin Queen.

The capital of Norway is Christianity.

Guy's Hospital was built to commemorate the Gunpowder Plot.

Teaching is a sedimentary profession.

Wells's history is a veritable mill stone on the road to learning.

Seeing It Through.

The farmer had engaged a Scottish laborer, and, placing a cheese on the breakfast table, told him to help himself.

When the farmer returned, some time later, he found the man still eating.

"Sandy," he exclaimed, "you take a long time to breakfast, don't you?"

"Aweel," replied the man, "a cheese o' this size is nae sae soon eaten as ye may think!"

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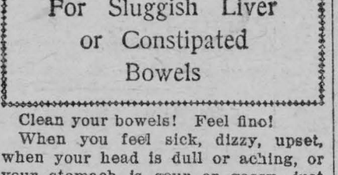



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Women who suffer should write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Cobourg, Ontario, for a free copy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women."

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Look at our Ginghams, per yd. 24c
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Cooking Salmon, 3 tins 50c
Pink Salmon, per tin 25c.
Medium Red Salmon, per tin 30c
Choice Coho Salmon, per tin 40c
Alaski Sockeye Salmon, per tin 45c
Clover Leaf Salmon, per tin 50c

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Silver Bright Quala Salmon 15c lb.
Medium Halibut 22c lb.
Herring per doz. 50c.

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1 lb. Brick 20c 3 lb. Pails 55c
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This week we have placed in stock Weston's English Quality Biscuits.
Melt in your mouth 45c per lb.
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2nd Sunday in Lent, Feb. 25th
Sunday School 2.30 p.m.
At the Rectory.
Evening Prayer at 7.30 p.m.
Subject—"Church Attendance a Help in the Building up of Character."
A welcome extended to all.

Melvin News

Little Miss Ilean Materson of Chesterville spent a few days days last week with her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. L. O. O'Neil.

Prayer Meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Greer, last Friday evening.

Miss Beatrice Dixon and and Miss Mable Suffel of Winchester spent the week-end with the Misses Edna and Annie Christie.

A sleigh load of our young people spent Saturday evening at the Morewood skating rink.

Mr. W. S. Wilson has been the guests of friends in Ottawa during the past week.

Strader's Hill

Miss Alma Jaycox spent Thursday with Miss Nina Casselman.

Mrs. Joe Muzick and daughter Mary, of Leang, Sask., and mother Mrs. Alice Strader of Ottawa spent a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Strader.

Mr. Guy Strader called on Edgar McIntosh on Saturday.

Guests at James Cook on Friday were: Mrs. Joe Muzick and daughter Mary and mother Mrs. Alice Strader Ottawa and Mr. Phil Strader of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cook, Miss Florence Cook and Miss Alma Jaycox spent last Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Barkley.

While playing hockey on Friday night Mr. Lloyd Cook had the misfortune of hurting his ankles very seriously, we hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Bernice Barkley is busy moving to Beckstead this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Strader of Rowena visited at Mr. Henry Hanson on Sunday.

Mr. Clifford Wyle of Toye's Hill spent Sunday at Mr. Stanley Casselman.

Mr. E. Johnson and family of Toye,s Hill spent Saturday with his brother Mr. Edwin Johnson.

Morewood

Mrs. Wm. Lizette and son who have been spending the month with friends at Toronto and vicinity returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Mildred Allison spent the week-end with her cousin at Winchester.

Mr. Allan Swerdfeger and family spent last week with the former's brother at Ottawa.

The Royal Bank intends leaving Morewood on February 28th, Mr. Moffatt will go to Peterboro, Tony to Ottawa add Mr. Wilson will be given the position of Reliving Manager for the balance of the year.

Owing to the illness of the Rev Mr. Jobb there were no services in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Rev Mr. Jobb is still confined to his room.

Mrs. A. B. Allison spent a few days last week with her daughter Mrs. Wm. Fawcett of Inkerman.

Reports are now current that the Hochelaga Bank will start business here about the first of March.

Poultry Feed. Sratch Feed per sack $3.00 Laying Mash $3.50 per sack. J. A. Campbell.

5,000 Facts About Canada

A popular and hardy annual is the "5,000 Facts about Canada" issued for twenty years by frank Yeigh, the well known Canadian writer and lecturer. The 1923 edition is now out and contains many additions and improvments, including a valuable map of natural resources of the Dominion. The booklet is wonderful compilation in brief of the story of the Dominion under fifty subjects, ranging from "Agriculture" to "the West" and "the Yukon" and is indispensible to any educated and intelligent Canadian who wants to keep up to date about his country, or who wishes to advertise it by sending copies away, as many do, while it is widely used in schools. Leading news dealers keep the book in stock or it may be had by sending 30 cent for a copy to the Canadian Facts Publishing Co., 588 Huron St., Toronto.

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Two pure bred registered Jersey Cows, one four years old freshened Jan'y 21st, and one nine years old due to freshen April 1st. Both these cows are high testers. Also 1 pure bred registered Jersey bull two years old, a fine individual weighing 1050 lbs. and 2 bull calves eligible for registration. A. S. Brown & Son
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Delivered to your home on Saturday, Feb. 24th. 5 Roses Flour at $3.60 per sack. Leave or phone your order.
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Auction Sale

HIGH GRADE HOLSTEINS

The undersigned on account of ill health in the family, intends giving up dairying and will sell by Public Auction on Lot 12, Con. 3, Winchester Township.
Three miles west of Chesterville at Nation Valley

Tuesday February 27th, 1923.
At One O'clock p. m.

1 High Grade Holstein Bull rising 2 yrs, 22 Head Milch Cows, (7 two years old, 1 three year old, 2 four years old, 3 five years old, 9 seven years old. One has freshened and most of the others will freshen in March.) 1 Bay Horse 7 yrs,. old weighing about 1300, 1 Brown Horse 7 yrs. old weighing 1400.
TERMS:—Six months credit will be given on approved joint notes or 3 per cent off for cash.

Andrew Carruthers, Prop.
THOS. IRVING. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale

Farm Stock & Implements

Having sold my farm I will sell by Public Auctio, on Lot 7, Con. 1, Township of Winchester, 1 mile East of Winchester Springs, on

Wednesday, March 7th, 1923

Commencing at 1.00 o'clock Sharp, the following:

LIVE STCK

1 Bay Mare, 6 years old; 1 Gelding, black, 5 years old. 1 Brown Colt, 3 years old.

26 head of Cattle consisting of 17 Milch Cows; 9 Heifers, 2 years old, all in calf; 1 two year old Bull.

2 Brood Sows, due to farrow about time of sale.

2 Geese, 1Gander, 2 Ducks, 1 Drake. 175 Barred Rock Hens; 50 Leghorn Hens, in good shape.

MACHINERY, Etc.

1 Walking Plow, No. 10, Percival; Set Randal Harrows, 16 discs; 1 Spring Tooth Cultivator; Disc Seeder; 1 Cleveland 10-20 Tractor; 1 Tractor Stiff Tooth; 1 Tractor Plow, 3 furrow; 1 Waggon and Box; 1 Milk Waggon; I Cutter; 1 Motorcycle, Excesior, twin cyl.; 1 Scuffler, 1 two horse Corn Cultivator; 1 Mower; 1 Rake; 1 Hay Tedder and Hay Rack; 1 Binder; 10 inch Grain Grinder; set 1000 lbs. Scales; Ensilage Cutter, belt 50, 3 knives and 46 ft. Car.; 2 Peerless Incubators, 220 egg cap. each; set of team harness, set of single harness, 1 DeLaval cream separator;
1 Hay Car; 1 Gravel Box and Bottom and other articles. 1 Smoothing Harrow.
100 bus. Mixed Grain; 250 bus. of Barley; 25 tons of Clover and Timothy Hay.

Terms:—All sums of $10 and under cash, over that amount 7 months credit by furnishing approved joint notes, or 4 per cent off for cash.

S. F. BOLTON, Prop.
ROSS MORROW, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale!

Owing to ill health, the undersigned will sell by Public Auction on lot 7, con. 7, tp. of Winchester, 1 mile East of Winchester Village, on

Thurs., Mar. 1st

Commencing at 1 o'clock, p. m.

13 grade Holstein Milch Cows, 4 Fresh Milkers, 2 Grade Holstein Heifers 10 mos. old, 1 registered Holstein Bull, 2 years old
1 good Holstein Bull, 10 months old
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1 Brood Sow due to farrow March 26th

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C. M. CARKNER, Prop.
THOS. IRVING, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale!

LIVE STOCK & HAY

I am giving up a rented farm and will offer for sale on Lot 20, Con. 6, Township of Mountain, 2½ miles west of Winchester Village, on

Wed., Feb. 28th

Commencing at 1 o'clock, the following;

22 head Cattle, 20 Milch Cows, ranging in age from 3 to 7 years, 2 already freshened; 1 Holstein Bull, 2 years old, Reg. Holstein Bull, 2 years old, with papers;
1 Black Gelding, 12 years old; 1 Bay Gelding 7 years; 1 Brown Mare 12 years; Gray Colt 2 years old; 1 Black Mare in foal, 12 years; 9 Shoats, weighs about 120 lbs. each; 5 Brood Sows, 1 with 6 pigs 2½ weeks old, 7 Sheep. About 12 tons Timothy Hay.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash, over that amount 7 months credit by furnishing approved joint notes or 3 per cent. off for cash.

Aaron Campbell, Prop.
THOS. IRVING, Auctioneer.

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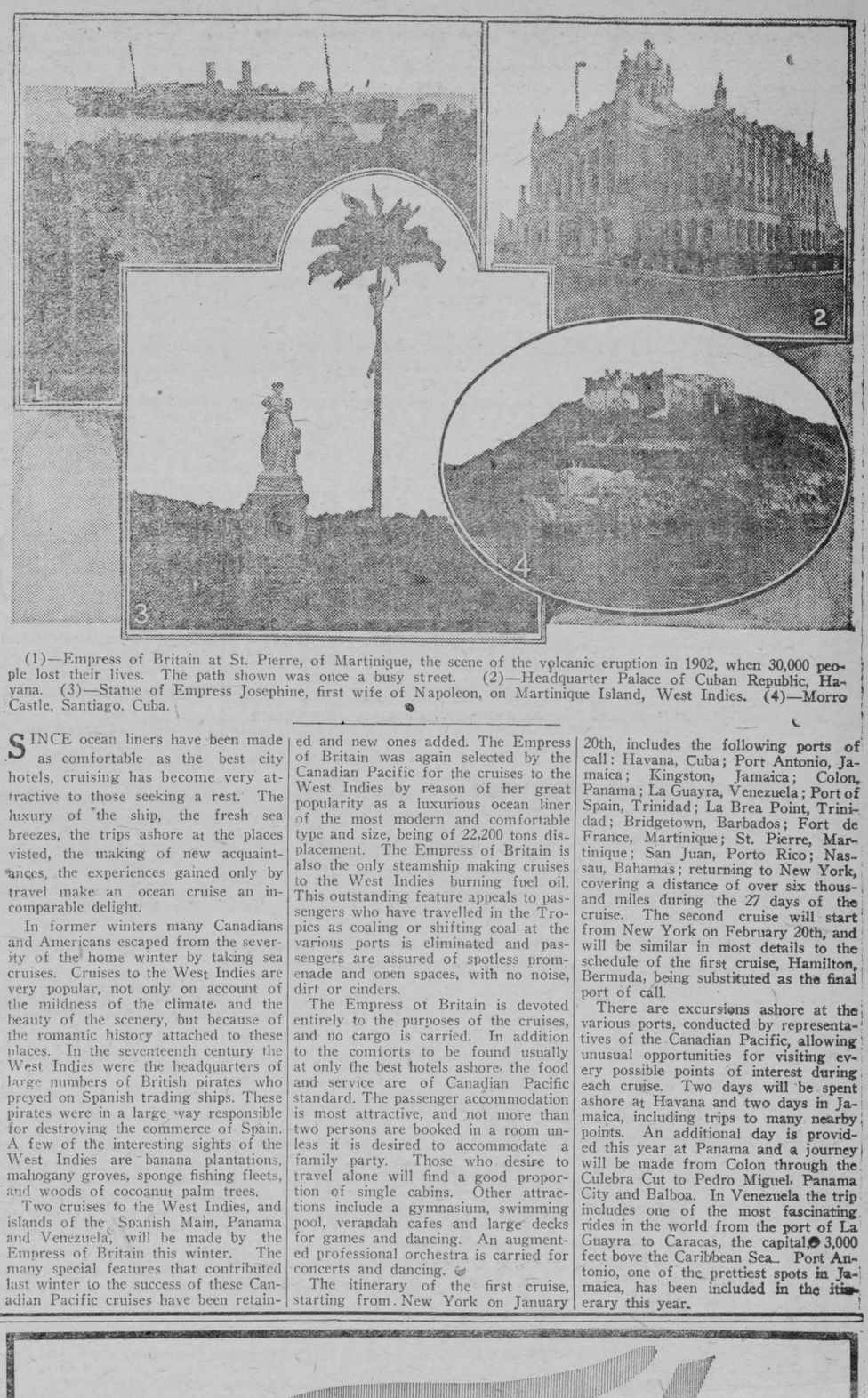
CRUISING IN THE WEST INDIES.



(1)—Empress of Britain at St. Pierre, of Martinique, the scene of the volcanic eruption in 1902, when 30,000 people lost their lives. The path shown was once a busy street. (2)—Headquarter Palace of Cuban Republic, Havana. (3)—Statue of Empress Josephine, first wife of Napoleon, on Martinique Island, West Indies. (4)—Morro Castle, Santiago, Cuba.

SINCE ocean liners have been made as comfortable as the best city hotels, cruising has become very attractive to those seeking a rest. The luxury of the ship, the fresh sea breezes, the trips ashore at the places visted, the making of new acquaintances, the experiences gained only by travel make an ocean cruise an incomparable delight.

In former winters many Canadians and Americans escaped from the severity of the home winter by taking sea cruises. Cruises to the West Indies are very popular, not only on account of the mildness of the climate and the beauty of the scenery, but because of the romantic history attached to these places. In the seventeenth century the West Indies were the headquarters of large numbers of British pirates who preyed on Spanish trading ships. These pirates were in a large way responsible for destroying the commerce of Spain. A few of the interesting sights of the West Indies are banana plantations, mahogany groves, sponge fishing fleets, and woods of cocoanut palm trees.

Two cruises to the West Indies, and islands of the Spanish Main, Panama and Venezuela, will be made by the Empress of Britain this winter. The many special features that contributed last winter to the success of these Canadian Pacific cruises have been retained and new ones added. The Empress of Britain was again selected by the Canadian Pacific for the cruises to the West Indies by reason of her great popularity as a luxurious ocean liner of the most modern and comfortable type and size, being of 22,200 tons displacement. The Empress of Britain is also the only steamship making cruises to the West Indies burning fuel oil. This outstanding feature appeals to passengers who have travelled in the Tropics as coaling or shifting coal at the various ports is eliminated and passengers are assured of spotless promenade and open spaces, with no noise, dirt or cinders.

The Empress of Britain is devoted entirely to the purposes of the cruises, and no cargo is carried. In addition to the comforts to be found usually at only the best hotels ashore the food and service are of Canadian Pacific standard. The passenger accommodation is most attractive, and not more than two persons are booked in a room unless it is desired to accommodate a family party. Those who desire to travel alone will find a good proportion of single cabins. Other attractions include a gymnasium, swimming pool, verandah cafes and large decks for games and dancing. An augmented professional orchestra is carried for concerts and dancing.

The itinerary of the first cruise, starting from New York on January 20th, includes the following ports of call: Havana, Cuba; Port Antonio, Jamaica; Kingston, Jamaica; Colon, Panama; La Guayra, Venezuela; Port of Spain, Trinidad; La Brea Point, Trinidad; Bridgetown, Barbados; Fort de France, Martinique; St. Pierre, Martinique; San Juan, Porto Rico; Nassau, Bahamas; returning to New York, covering a distance of over six thousand miles during the 27 days of the cruise. The second cruise will start from New York on February 20th, and will be similar in most details to the schedule of the first cruise, Hamilton, Bermuda, being substituted as the final port of call.

There are excursions ashore at the various ports, conducted by representatives of the Canadian Pacific, allowing unusual opportunities for visiting every possible points of interest during each cruise. Two days will be spent ashore at Havana and two days in Jamaica, including trips to many nearby points. An additional day is provided this year at Panama and a journey will be made from Colon through the Culebra Cut to Pedro Miguel, Panama City and Balboa. In Venezuela the trip includes one of the most fascinating rides in the world from the port of La Guayra to Caracas, the capital, 3,000 feet bove the Caribbean Sea. Port Antonio, one of the prettiest spots in Jamaica, has been included in the itinerary this year.



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