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Temperance.

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Jail Services for November.

Saturday Nov. 3, Rev. Mr. Burwash,
" " 10, " " Lee,
" " 17, " " Kines,
" " 24, " " Con.Sup.

Meetings of W. C T. U.

Monthly business meeting, Friday, Nov. 9th, at 3 o'clock p. m., in parlor of Methodist Church.

The Great Meetings in the Metropolitan Opera House.

EVANGELISTIC WORK IN MONTREAL.

At the monthly meeting of the Woman'sChristian Temperance Union, Montreal, on Monday 5th inst., Miss Barber explained the rules and methods of the "Woman's Exchange." She said that many had the idea that it was a source of revenue to the work, but this was not the case. It was intended to help those who often had no other means of making money for their own support; but the ten per cent charged on sales was only sufficient to pay some of the running expenses, many needy people had been relieved in this way, and it was suggested that ladies could help by purchasing articles for Christmas presents at the Exchange. Miss Barber then told of the work of the midnight mission recently begun, and of the need of workers, especially ladies; also of the rescue work at the Sheltering Home.

Miss Dougall endeavoured to give a faint impression of the recent great National W. C. T. U. Convention which she and Miss Lunn attended as delegates from the Provincial Union. The fraternal delegates were, as usual, treated with great courtesy, being invited to sit upon the platform, and thus having a very favorable opportunity to see and hear everything that went on. The great Metropolitan Opera House, New York, where the meetings were held, is said to be the largest auditorium in the world. Its five tiers of galleries were decorated with flags, and were generally crowded. Each day's service began with a prayer meeting of an hour, and prayer and hymn singing were characteristic of all the meetings. The favorite hymn was 'Guide Me, Oh Thou Great Jehovah,' and one felt it was a prayer, and that these earnest women did indeed desire to be held in the powerful hand of the Almighty. At noon every day all united in the noon-tide prayer of the temperance women which now circles the globe. The delegation represented over 250,000 women, and came from nearly all the states and territories, Alaska included.

Miss Willard gave her annual address. Among other things Miss Willard said "We are the only temperance society which has specially declared its loyalty to the Prohibition party, and we are to-day the strongest and most successful society in Christendom. Our National W. C. T. U., which during the first eight of its fourteen years duration averaged but a thousand dollars a year, received last year about $11,100, and has this year $21,081.' On Friday evening a welcome was given by Mayor Hewitt, by General Fisk, and by Mrs. Burt, the President of New York State Union, who had so skillfully made all arrangements for the Convention. The response was given by Mrs. Livermore, who traced the movement from the time when temperance work consisted largely of setting the drunkard upon his feet that he might earn some more money for the saloon-keeper, to the time when they began to look for permanent success to the law and its enforcement. "So it has come out at last, step by step, we learning by stumbling and making mistakes, that at last we are where we are, standing on the platform of complete prohibition, endeavoring to make the public sentiment as we go."

A banner was then presented, and brief addresses were given by ex-Gov. St. John and Mrs. Mary F. Lathrap.

Saturday evening was given to the Y. W. C. T. U.; and the platform was filled with young ladies, while Mrs. Barnes presided. A welcome was given by Arthur Dougall Cochrane, the leader of the Junior Prohibition Club movement in the name of the nine clubs of New York City, the thirty-one of the State, and the seventy-five of the nation, offering the Y's their political support in this warfare and asking the young ladies' moral support. Miss Ida Clothier, of Massachusetts, responded in her own bright way, and presented Mr. Cochrane, on behalf of the ladies, with a large boquet of white roses tied with white ribbon. Mr. Blaikie spoke on Athletics, telling the girls they should walk and skate "and then when you go to the Montreal Carnival just look at those Canadian lasses—they will show you how to skate; there are blooming cheeks and bright eyes and lithsome figures."

On Sunday Miss Greenwood, whose addresses are well remembered in Montreal, preached the Convention sermon. In the afternoon Miss Willard, Dr. Kate Bushnell, and Hope Ledyard, spoke on Social Purity and kindred topics, and in the evening Bishop Samuel Fallows, of the Reformed Episcopal Church of Chicago, preached a remarkable sermon on the need of the ecclesiastical emancipation of women, telling of the cry going up from heathen lands for a woman ministry and calling on all churches to admit women with their "gifts, graces and usefulness to the holy ministry of love and life." At the close of the sermon Miss Willard remarked, "We will have that sermon printed and scattered by thousands and tens of thousands all over the country."

W. C. T. U. Statistics.

The National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, which last week closed its annual meeting in this city, has in New York State alone more than twenty thousand members. The statistical standing of the order throughout this country for the past year was reported as follows: No. of Unions, 7,371; membership, 164,243; Young Woman's Unions, 985; members, 21,287; Loyal Temperance Legions, 3,427; members 163,743; coffee houses and friendly inns, 433; money raised by local unions, $227,948,07; received by States, $52,921,43; convention organizers, 758; county and district conventions held, 964 (The World's W. C. T. U. with headquarters at Berlin, of which organiza- Miss Frances E. Willard is also President, numbers beside these, a host of "white ribbon' women.) The treas. of the National organization, which has its headquarters and publishing house at Chicago, reported a balance on hand of $4,549,59. During the year there was contributed for the temple, $10,246.58; hospitals, $282.55; dues, $13,400.59; World's C. T. U., $534.87; and miscellaneous, $1,712 63. The new Temperance Hospital will be located in Chicago and will cost, with its site, about $25,000. Mr. James H. Kellogg, of Troy, N. Y., besides a recent generous contribution to the general work has completed his plans and placed them in the contractor's hands for the erection of a very beautiful building to serve as a permanent headquarters for the W. C. T. U. in one of the choicest locations at Chautauqua. The building is to be presented to the W. C. T. U. as a memorial of Mr. Kellogg's mother.—*Illustrated Christian Weekly.*

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Poetry.

Ballade of a Rejecter of MS.

[With apologies to the author of the "Ballade of Rejected MS," in THE CENTURY for March, and frank confessions of plagiarism in the matter of rhymes, etc., etc.]

We have read both your verse and your prose
(I am on of the "reading machines"),
We *must* read the productions of those
From whom we protect magazines,—
The "talented" maids in their teens,—
And we're shocked at your—let us say—"face!"
So we know what the editor means
By, "We're sorry we haven't the space."

Now, that madrigal written to Rose—
Its "feet" do not mate, and it leans;
And those "triolets, rondels, rondeaux"—
We've read D. bson! And as to "Fifines,"
Just suppose you read that to marines!
Our printer would flee from his case,
Which is one thing the editor means
By, "We're sorry we have n't the space."

Those tales, they *were* ghastly—but Poe's,
And legends!—our "limit which screens"
Will never their horror disclose!
Nor unclasp that portfolio's shagreens,
At least, until sense supervenes!
To say "It's not needed," with grace,
That is what the kind editor means
By, "We're sorry we haven't the space."

ENVOY.

Contributor!—back of the scenes
The thoroughbreds settle the pace!—
That is what the good editor means
By, "We're sorry we have n't the space."

Tutor Jenks, in THE MAY CENTURY.

Selections.

A Young Girl's Wooing

BY E. P. ROE.

CHAPTER XV.

PERPLEXED AND BEGUILED.

Madge had set her heart on one thing, had worked long and patiently for its attainment, had hoped and prayed for it, and within the last few hours was feeling the bitterness of defeat. The event she so dreaded seemed inevitable, even if it had not already occured. The expression on Graydon's face when she had first met him after hislong ramble with Miss Wildmere had been that of a tranquilly happy lover, whose heart was at rest in glad certainty.

Such thoughts had been in Madge's mind, and selfcontrol had been no easy matter.

The passing storm was nothing to her. A heavier storm was raging within her soul, nor had it ceased when the clouds without grew cloudless and serene. She at last felt that she must do something to maintain her disguise. Hearing little Jack crying and Mrs. Muir trying to hush him, she washed her eyes and went to the partially darkened room where the child was, and said, "Let me take him, Mary, and you go down and see Henry."

"It's awfully good of you, Madge. The children have been so frightened that I've been up here all the evening. You seem to have better luck in quieting Jack than any of us."

"He'll be good with me. Go down at once, and don't worry. You have hardly had a chance to see Henry."

"You will come down again after Jack goes to sleep?"

"Yes, if I feel like it."

Graydon soon discovered Mrs. Muir after she had joined her husband, and asked, "Where is Madge?"

"She has kindly taken the baby so that I can spend a little time with Henry. The children have been frightened, and Jack is very fretful. I'm tired out, and don't know what I should do if wasn't for Madge."

"Why can't the nurse take him?"

"He won't go to her in these bad moods. Madge can quiet him even better than I. What's the matter that you are so anxious to see Madge? You have seemed abundantly able to amuse yourself without her the last few days. Is Mr. Arnault in the way to-night?

"As if I cared a rap for him!" said Graydon, turning irritably away.

He did care however, and felt that Miss Wildmere was making too much use of the liberty she had provided for. The arrival of her father had turned the scale decidedly in favor of Mr. Arnault, for the latter, without revealing his transaction with Mr. Muir, had whispered to Mr. Wildmere his conviction that Henry Muir was borrowing at ruinous interest. This information accorded with the broker's previous knowledge, and he was eager that his daughter should decide for Arnault at once.

This, however, the wilful girl would not do. She enjoyed the present condition of affairs too well, and was not without hope, also, that her father was mistaken; for she felt sure, from Graydon's manner, that he was not aware of his brother's financial peril, and this fact inclined her to doubt its existence. Even if compelled by circumstances to accept Arnault, she proposed to herself the triumph of rejecting Graydon, and thought she could do this so skilfully as to give the idea that he had made a deep impression on her heart, and so eventually win him again as one of her devoted followers in the future.

Her fear of the latter proved his best ally. There was a resolution in his eye since his return this evening that even while it angered her somewhat, convinced her that he would not be trifled with. His suit was that of a man who had an advantage which she dared not ignore, and her father's manner increased this impression.

Before the first evening of his rival's advent had passed, Graydon felt that he must appear to the people in the house as supplanted, and his pride was beginning to be touched. Mrs. Muir's words had added to his irriation. The episode with Madge had left a decidedly unpleasant impression. He felt not only had he failed to understand her, but that he might be treating her with a neglect which she a right to resent. Graydon had permitted his brow to become clouded, and was so perturbed by the events of the evening that he had not disguised his vexation by gallantries to others. At last he detected smiles and whispered surmises on the part of some who had seen his devotion before the arrival of Mr. Arnault. This almost angered him, and he felt that Miss Wildmere had imposed a *role* that would be difficult to maintain.

He had lingered conspicuously near, intent on proving his loyalty, and had hoped every moment that his opportunity would come. He felt that she should at least divide her time evenly with him, and Mr. Arnault, but the evening was drawing to a close, and the latter had received the lion's share. After noting that others were observing his desolation, he went resolutely out on the piazza, with the intention of asking Miss Wildmere to give him the last waltz. Its wide space was deserted. He waited a few moments, thinking that the object of his thoughts would turn the corner in her promenade with his rival. Time passed, and she did not come. He looked through a parlor window, thinking that she might have entered by some other means of ingress; and while he was standing there steps slowly approached from a part of the piazza which was usually in utter darkness, and which was known as the "lovers' retreat." As the figures passed a lighted window he recognized them, and was also observed. He was too angry and jealous now to carry out his purpose, and returned to the general hallway.

Here he was joined a moment later by Miss Wildmere and Mr. Arnault, and the former began to chat with him in imperturbable ease, while the gentleman bowed and sought another partner for the waltz that was about to be danced. Graydon would not show his chagrin under the many eyes directid toward them, but she nevertheless saw his anger in the cold expression of his eyes, and realized her danger. She ignored everything with inimitable skill and sweetness, and there was nothing for him to do but take her out with the others. Indeed, it almost instantly became his policy to convince observers that their surmises were without foundation. He determined that the girl should show him all the favor his rival had enjoyed, or else—a sudden flash of his eyes indicated to his observant companion that all her skill would be required. She was graciousness itself, and when Arnault could not observe her, stole swiftly and almost pleading glances into her partner's eyes.

Another observed her, however. Madge did come down at last, for she had concluded that the memorable day should not close until she had one more glimpse of the problem which hadgrown so dark and hopeless. Graydon soon observed her standing in the doorway, but then she was talking and

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Sherbrooke, November 16th, 1888.

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Sherbrooke Examiner

FRIDAY, NOV. 16, 1888.

L'Electeur published a double number on Saturday last, embellished with portraits of Lieut.-Governor Angers, and Hon. Messrs. Laurier, Mercier, Shehyn, Turcotte, Duhamel and others It also reproduces the annexation manifesto of 1849 with the names of the signers.

The Dominion Government has, we think, done wisely in deciding to request the Government of Astralia and New Zealand to send delegates to Ottawa duly authorised to enter into negotiations for the establishment of closer trade relations between those colonies and the Dominion, as well as to consider the practicability of a joint effort to lay a telegraph cable between Vancouver and Australia.

THE TASTE FOR GOOD READING.

One of the objects of a public library like that which we have in Sherbrooke is to foster a taste for good books. How far the Sherbrooke library has succeeded in developing a taste for the higher classes of literature in our midst can only be discovered by an anaylsis showing what kinds of books are the most popular or the most in request by readers. It would be interesting to find out to what extent the demand for the new sensational novels preponderates over that for the masters of fiction; and also to what extent the demand for novels of any kind preponderates over the demands for all other kinds of books put together. We assume that this would be the order of the analysis as it has been the uniform experience in all the great public libraries of England and the United States where strict computations are annully made. We do not think that Sherbrooke would be found to be an exception to the general rule, but an analysis of the kind would have a great value. It would show whether the demand for the best books is increasing or decreasing. If the former should turn out to be the case the friends of the Association would be encouraged; and if the latter, they would be stirred up to adopt some means, by lectures or otherwise, to advance the principal object for which the library has its existence. If a public library should be anything it should be what Carlyle termed it, namely "a great free university." It should be an educating force in a community, awakening and sustaining intellectual and moral power and not merely affording entertainment for idle hours.

By what means, then, can a public library be made to fulfil its chief purpose? How will the taste for good reading be best developed? Unquestionably by proving that *all* historical works are not ponderous, that *all* books on science are not dry and that *every* work of scholarly enquiry is not necessarily too abstruse for the general reader. This can be accomplished—and chiefly with the aid of popular lectures—by creating an interest in those works which present a study or a science in the most attractive shape. There are hundreds who might be led to useful study by having their interest aroused in the proper way.

Le Progres de l'Est,

In an article of ours published two weeks ago the following remarks appeared:

"Again, addressing ourselves more directly to the *Progres de l'Est*, which has been so ready to attack our motives we would like to ask who sent the telegram to *l'Electeur* of Quebec misrepresenting Mr. Justice Brooks's remarks with reference to Donald Morrison? We have been told, on very good authority, who sent the telegram and have been unable to restrain our surprise that the *Progres de l'Est* should undertake to rebuke *l'Electeur* in that affair."

Upon this Mr. L. C. Belanger considers himself as having been referred to, and in the next issue of the *Progres* appears the following:

"Our confrere, the EXAMINER, asks *Le Progres de l'Est* who sent to *l'Electeur* of Quebec the telegram misrepresenting the remarks of Mr. Justice Brooks with reference to Donald Morrison. It adds, 'We have been told, on very good authority, who sent the telegram, and we have been unable to restrain our surprise that the *Progres de l'Est* should have undertaken to rebuke *l'Electeur* in that affair.'

"We deny to the EXAMINER the right of asking us who has sent that message, if such message has been sent at all, which fact we ignore. But in order to calm the 'surprise' of our suspicious confrere, we will tell him that the *Progres de l'Est* and all its staff, from the lowest to the highest, had nothing whatever to do with such message or communication to *l'Electeur* The insinuation of our confrere is absolutely unfounded and we summon him to retract or give proof. It would have been, however, so easy to secure information before giving publicity to this new calumny of the *reptiles*.

The *Progres de l'Est* was first to render justice to Mr. Justice Brooks and caused other journals who had attacked him to also render him justice. Mr. Justice Brooks knew all about the matter, and those who insinuated that the attack came from us are miserable calumniators."

From this it appears that it is denied that any person connected with the *Progres de l'Est* had anything to do with sending any such despatch to *l'Electeur*. It now seems that this denial is correct, and that no such despatch was sent to *l'Electeur*. In answer to our confrere's summons to retract we find ourselves under the necessity of doing so, which we do. No such telegram was sent to *l'Electeur* In addition to the summons of our confrere to retract we also had a visit from L. C. Belanger, Esq., at our office, who considers himself personally referred to in our first paragraph referring to *Le Progres de l'Est*... He assured us that he had nothing whatever to do with *Le Progres de l'Est*, and that the article which appeared in *l'Electeur* must have been caused by a misconstruction of a telegram sent by him to the Attorney-General, and which will be found below in the article quoted from the *l'Electeur*, we adding the name of the sender which *l'Electeur* did not append, Mr. Belanger himself giving us a copy.

"A WORD OF EXPLANATION WITH REGARD TO JUDGE BROOKS."

"On the first of Oct. the opening of the Criminal Court at Sherbrooke, the Hon. Arthur Turcotte, Attorney-General received the following telegram:

Sherbrooke, 1st Oct., 1888.

Hon. A. Turcotte, Quebec,

(Telegram). "In his charge to the "Grand Jury to-day Judge said that "the fact that Morrison and Lamon-"tagne are still at large is not credit-"able to Executive of the Province; "this matter should be taken up and "vigorous measures adopted."

(Signed) L. C. BELANGER.

This attack by a judge upon the government appeared to us so extraordinary, that we thought it our duty to censure it severely in our issue of the 3rd of Oct.

The *Progres de l'Est* tells us to-day that the expressions of the Judge were misunderstood that he spoke of the Executive as understood in legal circles, that is of the staff connected with the administration of justice and not the Executive of the Province.

Very true, but it will be admitted that the Judge's expressions lent themselves to an equivocal interpretation, and appeared to be in keeping with the daily attacks made by the tory press on the Government with regard to the Morrison matter.

We regret this misunderstanding all the more sincerely as it was not of our making."

It appears that it was this telegram to the Attorney-General which caused *l'Electeur's* article; and now there are just two points deserving of notice. First, the Att'y-Gen. must have communicated the contents of said telegram to *l'Electeur* not as a matter connected with departmental adm inistration but as a means of "adopting" the "vigorous measures" desired. Secondly, that in so doing the Attorney-General evidently understood the telegram was announcing an unwarrantable attack by Judge Brooks on the Executive of the Province. If an interpretation has been placed upon this telegram different from that which Mr. Belanger intended, it should be apparent to him that the responsibility for that misunderstanding rests either with those who received it or with the ambiguous character of the message itself. In justice, however, to Mr. Belanger, we may add that he (Mr. Belanger) assures us that he simply meant to request that vigorous measures be adopted to secure the arrest of Morrison and Lamontagne.

The Sherbrooke *Gazette* of last week, in a tearful and smiling article two columns long, expresses fears that the EXAMINER is about to take that place with reference to the Conservative party which the *Gazette* appears to have lost by its unreliability. The cause of the *Gazette's* fears is the fact that we had too much regard for the dignity of journalism to indulge in abuse of the Pope banquet. We said of it that while the political portions of the speeches were subject to great discount there could be no mistake but that, considered as a tribute of personal respect towards the Hon. Mr. Pope, the banquet was a success. The *Gazette*, however, omits to quote the first part of our sentence and finds in the last a proof that we have joined the "happy family of the Conservatives" in this district. Now we beg to assure the *Gazette* that it has no cause for alarm so far as we are concerned. Its own course has lost the confidence of the Conservative party, but we have no intention of stepping into its place. The EXAMINER proposes to continue its usual independent course without reference to the rewards or punishments of either party We will, as heretofore, advocate those opinions and principles which we consider best for the country at large. We will give praise where we think it is due; we will not withhold blame when it is merited. This course is difficult to be understood by some people, and judging by its article of last week we feel constrained to think that the idea of independent journalism has never come within the scope of the *Gazette's* thoughts.

Chat on Current Events.

The most remarkable novels published this year are "Robert Elsmere" and "John Ward, Preacher." They do not deal with the marvellous, however, like those of Ryder Haggard, nor in the routine like those of Robt. Louis Stevenson. They belong to the class known as philosophical novels and deal with the highest subjects which can be discussed by man. They are readable, however, not only for their intellectual wealth, but for the beautiful human? stories which run through each. They are both written by women. "Robert Elsmere" is by Mrs. Humphrey Ward, a niece of the late Matthew Arnold; and "John Ward, Preacher," by Margaret Deland, an American authoress. The former book was criticized by Mr. Gladsone in the *Nineteenth Century* in an article twenty two pages long; and the American book came in for commendations from Archdeacon Farrar. Both books deal with the deeper problems of christian religion but from different standpoints. Robert Elsmere represents a sceptical development; John Ward, the struggles of faith. Both are works of undoubted ability and are bound to effect to some extent the thought of the time one way or the other, but after all no matter how interesting it may be made by wealth of diction and imagery, the philosophical novel is untrue to art. A story should be a story, reflecting if you like the thought of the time, but it should not be the vehicle of a theological treatise.

I have my doubts as to whether the re-organization of the Whist Club in our village should be classed as a current event or not. However it is an event with us and I made no promises about the kinds of events I shall treat of in this space except that the trivial would be excluded. Now surely nobody at this time of day will consider the game of whist—the respectable game of whist ever surrounded with high-stepping associations—as a trivial subject. A science which has been made precise by a Hoyle, a Cavendish, a Captain Morgan, a Captain Crawley, and a Pole (who was an F. R. S, and a Mus. Doc. Oxon.) is not to be made light of by unthinking minds. It was this feeling which held our clubs together so firmly during last winter without the aid of formal by-laws. We felt that we did not meet at one another's houses every Wednesday night for mere amusement, but were part of a world-wide guild which has, silently and unobtrusively, done as much perhaps, to raise man intellectually, morally and socially as any other form of education. Hear what Pole saith with regard to its moral and social influences:

"Whist has been called, by those who do not understand it, an unsocial game; but nothing can be more untrue. It is a perfect microcosm—a complete minature society in itself.

Each player has one friend, to whom he is bound by the strongest ties of mutual interest and sympathy; but he has twice the number of enemies, against whose machinations he is obliged to keep perpetual guard. He must give strict adherence to the established laws and the conventional courtesies of his social circle; he is called on for candid and ingenious behaviour; he must exercise moderation in prosperity, patience in adversity, hope in doubtful fortune, humility when in error, forbearance to the faults of his friends, self-sacrifice for his allies, equanimity under the success of his adversaries, and general good temper throughout all his transactions,"

Pole was wise when he said *general* instead of *perfect* good temper. Mrs. Felix is possessed of one of the mildest and sweetest dispositions imaginable, but I have seen a strange light in her eyes when a green partner failed to return trumps and especially when it became plain later on that he could have done it quite easily. However, to return to our subject, we have re-organized the club for this winter by re-electing our President and our Secretary. We appoint the former simply to remind us "when in doubt" that we are a "head"; the latter (the Secretary, I mean) keeps the scores. At the end of the season each member gives the Secretary a coin of a fixed value and with the whole sum he purchases four presents; one for the lady with the highest score and a "booby" for the one with the lowest.

The other two prizes are similarly disposed of amongst the gentlemen. In these results, however, I take less interest than in studying the little peculiarities of my fellow-beings which come to the surface so simply and naturally when they are absorbed in the game of whist. FELIX.

THE LUMBER TRADE.

(From our Boston correspondent.)

The political campaign is over and people are settling down into ordinary business pursuits. There has not been time enough however for trade to develop itself, the election and other uncertainty attending it having thoroughly broken up the week. Taken as a whole there has not been much change in the lumber market. The demand has naturally been moderate. Prices are unchanged and there is an improving demand at the close of the week.

The demand for eastern and northern lumber during the week has been good and some good sales have been effected. The receipts have been rather light but there is sufficient stock for all purposes. Yard men will now begin to buy for stocking up purposes quite brisk unless signs fail.

There is a fairly good demand for spruce lumber during the week. Spruce boards have been in fair demand at steady prices. Clapboards have sold fairly. Laths are in good demand at fair prices. Hemlock boards are doing fairly well. Shingle hold firm in the market but prices rule in favor of the buyer this week.

Boston, Nov. 12, W. WESTBY. Box 1791.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[We do not hold ourselves responsible for the views of our correspondents.]

Lennoxville.

To the Editor of the EXAMINER.

SIR,—Knowing the great interest you take in the progress of this country and more especially of your immediate neighborhood, I have ventured again to address you. Since I last wrote you I notice that some little progress has been made towards improving our village. The council, I suppose, have been cleaning out the ditches, etc., but have not done anything towards improving the sidewalks. Why is it that they appear to be averse to any improvements?

I am told that the proprietor of the College house made a most spirited offer to provide lamps and oil for one year provided the council would put up the posts, etc., but his offer was rejected. It is about time that a change took place.

The village is now one of the most important stations on the C. P. R. between Megantic and Montreal and demands that such improvements must be made and not held up to ridicule by strangers and commercial men who visit the place.

We have got one little green spot fenced in, around the flag staff, which has been done through the energy of one gentleman; may it ever remain a green spot in his memory in spite of the grave remarks of those who are willing to have others do what they would like to do themselves. Go on, sir, and remember that from little acorns big oaks grow. This is only the beginning, and in time we hope to see the village lighted with electric light and a park, with rural walks extending out in all directions from the village, so that it will be possible to take an enjoyable walk without being covered with mud from head to foot. INDEX.

The Harmony Quartette of Sherbrooke at Quebec.

Our singers who went to Quebec last week had a very cordial reception. The following from the *Daily Chronicle* of that city speakes for itself:

"Those who failed to attend the concert given last night in the Hall of the Y.M. C.A. by the Harmony Quartette of Sherbrooke, missed indeed a very rare treat. Despite the inclemency of the weather the hall was well filled.

The members of the quartette were introduced to the audience by John C. Thomson, Esq., President of the Association, and the Bridal Chorus from Cowen's "Rose Maiden," was admirably rendered by Mrs. Geo. Armitage, soprano, Dora Daigneau, contralto, Mr. Geo. Armitage, tenor, and Mr. Jas. P. Keough, basso. The voices blended beautifully together, and the chorus was deservedly applauded. In Smart's duet "When the wind blows in from the sea," Mrs. Armitage and Mr. Keough were extremely successful, and in response to an enthusiastic demand for an encore, they gave "The Lesson," a pretty little selection, in naive and attractive manner, which quite brought down the house. Mr. Armitage sung White's "Marguerite," in pleasing style, and then came the quartette by Cowen, "The Bee and the Dove," the performers being the same as in the opening chorus. This part song was rendered without accompaniment, and in such excellent style that an encore was called for. "The Old Canoe," also sung without accompaniment, was given by the same performers, and was one of the gems of the evening.

Mrs. Armitage, who had already captivated the audience, was loudly applauded on coming forward to give "The Wreck of the Hesperus," her song being Blockley's setting of Longfellow's verses. The feeling which she threw into this attractive piece of work earned a loud demand for an encore, which caled forth "Rockaby Baby." The remaining items of the first part of the programme were "The Mariners," a trio by Randegger, given by Mrs. Armitage and Messrs. Armitage and Keough and "The Watcher," by Geibel, rendered with a good deal of feeling by Miss Hopkirk. In the second part, "A Spring Song," by Pinsuti, was given as a quartette, without accompaniment, by Mr. and Mrs. Armitage, Miss Daigneau and Mr. Keough. For an encore they gave "Far from the old Folks at Home," in which, as may well be imagined, their voices blended most harmoniously. The last item on the programme, "O Hush Thee My Babie," by Sullivan, was also given as a part song without accompaniment, and was one of the sweetest pieces of the evening. We must notice to the duet by Mr. and Mrs. Armitage, "The Fishermen," the fine tenor of Mr. Armitage appearing here to better advantage, perhaps, than in any other item of the programme. It was loudly encored, as also was Mr. Keough's bass song, "The Bugler," which followed, his deep resonant voice being very much admired.

The Quartette gave a sacred concert Saturday evening which was equally as highly appreciated, and the people promise them a hearty reception should they again visit Quebec.

In the October *Amercian Magazine* the series of illustrated articles on 'America's Crack Regimenta' was begun with a history of the famous Seventh of New York. In November, it is the turn of the Twenty-third of Brooklyn. This regiment is said to be the pet and pride of the City of Churches, and an account of the organization should make interesting reading. The regiment has a proud record, and the article naturally devotes much space to that period when it in no sense simply played at soldiering.

☞If it is a 5c. Cigar you are looking for, any one will tell you to smoke the popular "Dutch Mike," of course.

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Telephone Extension.

WORK OF THE BELL COMPANY DURING THE SEASON JUST CLOSED.

With the exception of a new line between Toronto, Hamilton and London, to be worked on a long-distance system, the Bell Telephone company has nearly completed an unusally heavy season's work in the way of extensions to the system, and the officers report having used this year, in the Ontario department alone, over 13,000 poles, and 1,500 miles of wire, most of which is copper. The principal new lines built were from Toronto to Artour via Orangeville; Orillia to Waubaushene, and Barrie to Midland and Penetanguishene; Owen Sound to Hanover; Wingham so Kincardine; Teeswater to London via Wingham, Clinton and Lucan, with branch to Parkhill: and in the province of Quebec, Montreal to three Rivers; Montreal to Dorval and Valois; Laprairie to St. Johns; Bedford to Cowansville and Knowlton. Additional wires have also been put up between Toronto and Oshawa, Berlin and Stratford, and Listowel and Harriston; and the following new exchanges and agences opened, viz:—In Ontario: Ailsa Crag, Bolton, Caledon, Chesley Coldwater, Elmvale, Elmwood, Exeter, Fesserton, Grand Valley, Lucan. Lucknow, Parkhill, Phelpstone, Tara, Teeswater, Tottenham and Woodbridge; and in Quebec; Bedford, Berthier, Charlemagne, Dorval, Joliette, Knowlton, L'Assomption, Louiseville, Stanbridge, East Stanhope, and Valois. Connecting offices have also been opened at Centreville, Croydon, Grafton, Kingston Mills and Roblin, in Ontario. In the Lower Provinces Lines are being constructed from St. John to Moncton via Rothesay; from Moncton to Dorchester, and work on line from Fredericton to St. John will be commenced at an early date.

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THE ENORMOUS FEES RECEIVED BY DR. MACKENZIE FROM GERMANY.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—When Dr. Mackenzie went to attend the Emperor Frederick, at Charlottenburg, he placed before the powers that managed the financial affairs of the Imperial household a schedule of his regular earnings in London. He stated that the fee from the Emperor ought at least to counterbalance the sum he was losing in London. The figures of Mackenzie's were subsequently endorsed, and he received an enormous salary, considerably over $1,000 a day at the start, and nearly $2,000 toward the end of the Emperor's illness. An income of $1,000 a day to a German physician is a dream beyond the wildest fancy of avarice, and when they saw that an Englishman was receiving more money than all the German doctors put together, the commercial spirit of the Kaiser's people was aroused in antagonism to the shrewd alien. A great deal of secrecy was always maintained about the remuneration of Sir Morrell Mackenzie, but the facts leaked out nevertheless. It may have been true that Mackenzie's services were worth in the neighbourhood of $1,500 a day, but the Germans did not think so. I have often been at Mackenzie's house, near Cavendish square, in London, and I do not hesitate to say that his income must be close to $100,000 a year from his practice in the British metropolis. The house is literally crowded with people from the moment his office hours begin until they close.

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Harper's Monthly Magazine.

The Frontispiece of *Harper's* for November is a sketch drawn by E. A. Abbey to accompany the Old Song' with which this number opens. It is called 'Why canst thou not as others do?' 'In Darkness,' another poem, by Florence Earle Coates, is found on later pages. 'The Lower St. Lawrence' is the title of the first article in the first winter number of *Harper's*. C. H. Farnham, the author, is thoroughly familiar with that region, and his descriptions and anecdotes, together with many excellent illustrations, will give the reader an adequate notion of this wild region of America. 'A Museum of the History of Paris' is an interesting description of the Hotel Carnavalet in the French capital.

'Elk-hunting in the Rocky Mountains' contains the views of G. O. Sheilds about this famous sport, together with accounts of several incidents of the chase after elk. The illustrations two full pages and several half pages. 'Boats on the Tagus,' describes the picturesque craft that dot the waters of this Portuguese river and harbor. The fiction in the Number comprises the closing chapter of 'In Far Lochaber' and 'Annie Kilburn' both of which end pleasantly. 'A Pink Villa' is illustrated story. 'The New Orleans Bench and Bar in 1823' is a sketch of the brilliant lawyers and jurists of Louisiana over sixty years ago. 'Invalidation as a Fine Art,' is a delightful sketch showing how sick people can succeed in making the best of it. Richard Wheatley's article on 'The New York Real Estate Exchange' is a careful, trustworthy, and valuable description of one of the great businesses in New York City. 'Our Journey to the Hebrides,' begun in September, is finished in this third paper. The Editorial Departments of *Harper's Magazine* for November contain much attractive matter, the *Easy Chair*, the *Study* and the *Drawer*, are all furnished with excellent and readable articles.

Wide-Awake.

There is some delightful literature about the Indians in the November *Wide-Awake*. The appeal to the children to build the dining-room of the Ramona Industrial School at Santa Fe is repeated, and a list of those who have contributed the last month is published. Then there is a most touching true story by Margaret Owen Foster, entitled "The Little Captive Chief." The incident happened in Oregon about thirty years ago. 'An Evening at Carlisle,' by Miss Sparhawk, a teacher in the Indian School, describes an entertainment given by the Indian girls. In the 'Children of the White House,' a fine chapter is given concerning 'The Household of John Quincy Adams.' The frontispiece is a bewitching full-length portrait of 'The Dorothy Q. of to-day,' a great-great-great-granddaughter of President John Adams. Another beautiful article is entitled 'Some Children of Modern painters,' and gives reproductions of many exquisite childhood pictures by half a dozen eminent English and French painters. 'The Wild Horseman, Count Chandor, is an account of the famous daring Hungarian Count, and his horses. A charming story called 'A New Birthday, and another 'Caught in a Snowstorm,' wil interest everybody—it is an exciting adventure of two children who went to see 'The Mikado.' The two serials, 'Plucky Smalls' and Double Roses,' are concluded, to make way for a new 'Peppers' serial and one of New England life. There are many other good things: which we have not space to enumerate.

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FRIDAY, NOV. 16, 1888.

CITY ITEMS.

The Protestant Schools were closed for Thanksgiving.

The Government Inspector of High School will visit Sherbrooke next Thursday.

☞Berlin Wool, Knitting Silks, Floss, etc., at Miss Morency's.

The *Pionnier* have issued an attractive advertising calendar which shows their fine building to advantage.

☞SPECIAL —A line of children's Knited Jackets in White and Colored now selling at S. Carsley's for 65c, worth $1.00.

☞Sealette, Beavers, Stockinette, Jersey Cloth, Napp Goods, Stripes and Plain, &c., in great variety, cheap, at Landsberg's.

Owing to the holiday yesterday several local items received are unavoidably crowded out of this issue.

Just turn to A. H. Foss' new advertisement on first column of third page and see what he has to offer.

Mr. Jas. R. Gibb of Montreal and Mr. Geo. Robertson formerly of the E. T. Bank, now of Colorado, are visiting friends in town this week.

The Boston Comedy Co. had a packed house last evening at the City Hall. To-night they play "Jessie Vear, or the Return of the Wanderers."

Merchants, manufacturers and all wanting a first-rate envelope neatly printed for $2.25 per thousand will leave their orders at this office.

Mr. H. A. Odell, auctioneer, sold the Edw. Duffey house on Wellington street Wednesday at auction to Mr. J. Walsh of the Q.C.R., for $1,705.

The Rev. Jas. Elliott, of Richmond, will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist Church here Sunday. Mr. Kines goes to Richmond to preach missionary sermons.

The Sherbrooke & Magog Turnpike Co. have given notice that so far as they are concerned the road is closed for traffic. Persons driving over it do so at their own risk.

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Mr. J. D. Blanchard, formerly of Sherbrooke, has opened a barber shop near Learned's hotel, Cookshire, where all in need of a tonsorial artist can be accommodated.

The Grand Trunk trains are up to time so well that any one knowing the Schedule hour they are to arrive could always set their watches with them. Their train service is very greatly improved the past year.

The pastor of the Methodist Church in this city, Rev. Jas. Kines, has received an invitation from the quarterly board of the Queen Street Church, Kingston, to become their pastor next year.

Mr. Cole of Birchton don't thrash by the bushel or by the minute but by the day. He lately thrashed 270 bushels of oats in six hours for A. H. Irwin, of Sand Hill. Can the bushel or minute man beat this?

☞When everybody cries "hard times," Landsberg's store is crowded from early morning until late evening serving customers. Many marvel why is this thusly? The reason is easily accounted for, as he carries the best assorted stock in Sherbrooke, and his prices are right considering the quality.

Mr. Wishart informs us that seventy-five lots have been selected in the plot laid out in East Sherbrooke, and that several others have intimated their desire to secure one or more. The Co. propose to begin the foundation for the factory in a few days.

The C. P. R. car exhibits of grain and root crops from Manitoba, the Territories and B. C. was at the Belvidere Street depot yesterday, and was visited by large numbers who were greatly pleased with the fine grains and other samples shown.

SOCIAL.—A very pleasant social was held at Mr. D. G. Loomis' house last evening which, considering the inclemency of the weather, was well attended. Games, entertainment and refreshments filled the time until about eleven o'clock, when the company separated.

HIGH WATER.—The water in the Saint Francis has been higher the past week than at any time since the spring floods, the flats being covered last Sunday owing to the continued heavy rains. The weather has been cooler since, a little snow falling Monday night. Wednesday was very pleasant.

Thanksgiving Day was only partially observed yesterday. There were services held at St. Peter's Church, Rev. Mr. Thornelee preaching an appropriate sermon, and a union service of the other protestant denominations in the Methodist Church which was well filled. Rev. Dr. Barnes preached an excellent discourse, the other pastors assisting in the service; the choir also rendered some fine music.

Ladies, Misses and Children.

Landsberg's Mantles, Dolmans and Jackets are going very fast. They are the most stylish goods ever shown in Sherbrooke and splendid value.

Don't Forget

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PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Postmaster Foss has gone on a trip out west and will be absent a couple of weeks.

M. B. Hallowell leaves Thursday next for Denver, Col. The Troubadour Band, of which he was a member, presented him with a beautiful ring in token of their esteem.

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Sermons to Young Men.

In response to the request of the Y.M.C.A., sermons to young men will be preached in the Congregational, Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist Churches on Sunday evening next at the close of the Week of Prayer observed by Y. M. C. Associations. The Rev. Jas. Elliott, of Richmond, will preach in the Methodist church and his subject in the evening will be "Immutable determination as a factor in the formation of Christian character and the promotion of human good."

Real Estate Transfer.

Mrs. L. E. Morris to Melvin Lord, part lot No. 2, Ascot, $125.

B. A. Land Co. to W. P. Richards, part lot 18, 5th range, Orford, $600.

D. W. Lovell to S. A. Hyatt, part lot No. 14, 8th range, Compton, $500.

N. A. Heath to Thos. Fardrew, part lot 23, 2nd range, Compton, $750

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Sir Don. A. Smith et al to Jos. H. Fortier, lot 952, North Ward, Sherbrooke, with residence, $8,000.

Juvenile Entertainment.

We ask attention to the public rehearsal on Thursday evening next of Miss Waterhouse's singing classes in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, beginning at a quarter to eight. Admission 25c. We were permitted to be present during a part of the practice a day or two since and we can assure our readers that all who attend will be delighted with the little tots who sing and act so well. There should be a much larger class as the training is excellent.

The DeBaun Case.

Judgement was rendered in this case by Judge Church in Montreal on Tuesday, Chief Justice Dorion concurring. DeBaun was taken to Montreal under a writ of *habeas corpus* issued by Judge Church after he had been committed by Mr. Rioux for extradition. His counsel held that the commitment was ultra vires of the power vested in Mr. Rioux. Judge Church in his judgment maintains the validity of Mr. Rioux's decision and his authority. He ordered his return to Sherbrooke jail to await the necessary process of law to effect his extradition to the United States, condemning him to pay all costs.

DeBaun was brought back to Sherbrooke Tuesday evening via C. P. R. and handed over to the authorities here and is now in jail.

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Owing to stock of Imported Goods being much larger than usual, and in order to reduce same, we will give a discount of 12½ per cent on all cash purchases of $10 and upwards, during the next TWO WEEKS only.

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Wedding Bells.

Last evening at St. George's Church, Lennoxville, the Rev. A. C. Scarth, united in marriage Mr. S. L. Clough the popular young merchant of that village to Miss Emma Farwell, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. Freeman Farwell of Compton. The marriage was a very quiet one owing to the recent sad affliction in Mr. Clough's family. The happy couple left by the evening train for a short trip to Boston and New York. We wish them every happiness.

Lecture by Dr. Antliff.

The Rev. J. C. Antliff, D.D., the gifted and popular pastor of Dominion Square Methodist Church, Montreal, gave a very interesting lecture last Friday evening in the Sabbath School hall of the Methodist Church in this city on "The Importance of Little Things." The lecture was brimful of good things as well as earnest practical hints which we regret was not heard by a larger number of young people. The lecture was the second of the course arranged for by the Young People's Society of the church. The next will be in Dec. by Rev. Mr. Pitcher.

District Magistrate's Court.

In the liquor cases, the hearing of which was adjourned to Saturday last, convictions were obtained against Ed. Griffith, Jno. F. Sinnott, C. Bradford Ed. Vasey, and a fine of $50 each imposed. With reference to the cases in which convictions were obtained last May, distress warrants have been issued against Griffith, Sinnott and Bradford. We understand that upon payment of $200 each and the costs of last conviction, the temperance party will suspend collection of the balance during good behavior.

In the case against Geo. Allen, arrested on a charge of the murder of Lily Powell, seven more witnesses were examined by the prosecution on Saturday, and no evidence implicating the prisoner in the remotest manner was adduced. At 6:30 p. m. the prosecuting attorney applied for a further remand for the adduction of more evidence, but the attorneys for the defence successfully resisted the application and the prisoner was discharged.

We understand that Geo. Allen and Algie Worthen have instructed Mr. Broderick to institute actions of damages for false imprisonment against the complainant, Nelson E. Woodard.

Attempted Suicide.

A blacksmith named Mat. Wilcocks, employed by Mr. Madigan, R.R. Contractor, while under the influence of liquor at Martin's hotel yesterday morning tried to kill himself with a small pocket knife inflicting some thirteen wounds in his breast from which blood flowed freely. Drs. Austin and A. N. Worthington dressed his wounds and he is in a fair way of recovery, the incisions not being very deep.

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HALL—In this city, on the 10th inst., the wife of C. G. Hall, of a daughter.

KNOWLES—At Gould, on the 9th inst., a son to Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Knowles.

MARRIAGES.

CLOUGH — FARWELL — At St. George's Church, Lennoxville, on the 15th instant, by the Rev. A. C. Scarth, Mr. S. L. Clough, merchant, to Miss Emma, daughter of Mr. Freedom Farwell, of Compton.

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DEATHS.

HERTMAN.—At Dudswell, Que., on Sunday morning Nov. 11th, at her sister's home, in her sleep, of heart disease, Juvenia Andrews, dearly loved wife of Patrick Hertman, aged 48 years.

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Compton.

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"Yes, sah."

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I believe dar' am mo' battles won by clean shirts dan frew generalship. A clean shirt commands publick respeck, eben if de wearer's boot heels am all run down. It's a sorter sign of de wearer's decency an' honesty. It won't pay yer way frew a tollgate, but it will make de toll man duck his head to you an remember dat you wasn't a loss."

"Purceed on your way quietly. Yer doan' own de State of Michigan, an' you don't kerry Detroit in your vest pocket. De man who enters a town wid two brass bands ahead of him an' a crowd of people behind him has got to be a good talker, a smooth liar an' a chap full o' promises or he will fall flat."

"Keep your money in de toe of your shoe in daytime, an' at night hide it in de straw bed. A man may be eber so good, an' great, an' wise, but if he becomes dead broke among strangers nine people out of ten will take him fur a sharper playin' his leetle game.

"One half de road belongs to you. De odder half am reserved by law fur de man gwine in de opposite drecshun.

"When you arrove at a fust class hotel to put up fur de night, doan' seek to create the ideah dat you got dar' by speshul train, an' dat fried oysters, banana fritters an' champagne make you tired. You whil simply be given de poorest room in de house an' charged de highest price when you settle up.

"Doan' start out wid a revolver in your pocket, an' as you work along frew Ohio an' Kentucky let politics alone, hev no disputes about religun an' concede de fackt dat de world wasn't created speshually fur your benefit. You may now take your seat, an' de hull lodge will jine wid me in wishin' yon a safe and pleasant journey."

Don't

let that cold of yours run on. You think it is a light thing. But it may run into catarrh. Or into pneumonia. Or consumption.

Catarrh is disgusting. Pneumonia is dangerous. Consumption is death itself.

The breathing apparatus must be kept healthy and clear of all obstructions and offensive matter. Otherwise there is trouble ahead.

All the diseases of these parts, head, nose, throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, can be delightfully and entirely cured by the use of Boschee's German Syrup. If you don't know this already, thousands and thousands of people can tell you. They have been cured by it, and "know how it is, themselves." Bottle only 75 cents. Ask any druggist. tf-6

One way to Use Old Corks.

An old bottle-cork may seem to most people to be an utterly useless article. But there are few things which the ingenuity of man can not turn to some good use. Sea-weed for many ages has been believed by all mankind to be quite worthless, as we may judge by the name itself; but modern chemistry has discovered that it is very valuable. While as to corks, it is true that negro minstrels, and I might add, many small boys, use them for blackening their faces. But there are many other ways of turning these articles to account, at slight expense.

A cork, if cut into a cube or small brick, bears a close resemblance in miniature to many kinds of stone. When a number of these are combined they look like old specked and indented masonry. They abound in brown, or brownish grey, spots and little cavities. Therefore, if you take a number of such cork-bricks, and construct from them a model of a small house with care, it will present a very pretty appearance. They are easily fastened together, by passing a wire or small rod through them, or gluing them together.

It often will be desirable to give the cork some other shape, or to round the corners. This can generally be effected with a sharp pen-knife and sand-paper; but artists who make elaborate imitations of buildings in cork, use a new, keen file.—*St. Nicholas for September.*

A Narrow Escape.

People who are exposed to the sudden changes of our northern climate have little chance of escaping colds, coughs, sore throat and lung troubles. The best safe-guard is to keep Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam at hand. It is a quick relief and reliable cure for such complaints. 1w14

A Long Term.

Irish guide to American tourist: "And there is no king nor quane nayther in America, they're tellin' me, sur?"

Indifferent Tourist: "No; we've a President there."

"And how long have you bin havin' a President, moight I ax, sur?"

I. T. "Oh, something over a hundred years!"

Irishman, stopping, paralyzed with astonishment: "Howly saints! And do they live that long beyant there?" EDITOR'S DRAWER, in *Harper's Magazine for November.*

A Reasonable Hope

Is one that is based on previous knowledge or experience, therefore those who use B.B.B. may reasonably hope for a cure because the previous experience of thousands who have used it, shows it so have succeeded even in the worst cases. 2w14

'What's the matter, Johnny,' asked one of the neigbors' boys as his companion came out of the alley gate. 'Ain't finish your dinner a'ready, have have ye?'

'Nop.'

'Didn't ye get any?'

'Yep; but I didn't stay to finish it.'

'What made ye leave so soon?'

'Well, I said something at the table and everybody but pa laughed.'

Reliable Remedy for Rheumatism.

Procure a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil from your medicine dealer, and use according to directions. It cured Ida Johnston, of Cornell, Ont. of that complaint, and she recommends it as a sure cure. For 25 years it has never failed to give satisfaction. 2w14

No Profit in Wintering Poor Animals.

Now is the time to get rid of the poorest animals. It will not pay to winter them, as better animals will give larger returns for shelter, care and feed. It is not economy to keep a poor animal through any season; but it is most extravagant to keep it through the winter. It is the height of folly in stock raising to sell the best and keep the worst. True, the best bring the largest prices; but it you sell the best and keep the worst, soon your best will be no better than your worst is now, and your worst will be such that the more you have the poorer you will be. You, by this plan, constantly make your animals poorer; and as the stock raiser makes his animals poorer he makes himself poorer. If he keeps up the process, bankruptcy is as sure as fate, The opposite policy is the winning policy. Sell the poorest and retain the best. And sell enough of the poorer animals that you may buy a few better than the best you now have. This is making your animals constantly better and yourself richer. Soon your worst will bring as much as your best now. If you have not pure-bred animals, sell enough scrubs or grades to buy an animal of each sex, pure bred. Hold fast to the full blooded produce and to the highest grades. Almost before you are aware of it you will have only pure-bred animals. If once we start with pure-bred animals, the increase of breeding makes us rich in flocks and herds of the best blood in what, when the goal is reached, seems a very short time.—*American Agriculturist for Oct.*

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa; regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. 1y27

Fashion Notes.

(From Gody's Lady's Book for Nov.)

A unique design in earings is a small coral wish bone with gold ends.

Ostrich bands lying flat outside of the brim are on hats for young girls.

Tailor jackets of barrel cloth with coachman's capes are made for young girls.

New plush clocks have a small receptacle on each side in which to place a small bric-a-brac ornament.

Oxidized silver match boxes are now made with numerous wings of polished silver stamped out in relief.

Green and silver grey are the colors most often seen in new garments, in cloaks, jackets, and costumes.

White beads with gold hearts are used for trimming evening cloaks, in conjunction with the wavy white llama or Thibet lambskin fringe.

Cashmere-colored beads are still popular, and some large jets are in effective trimmings; but many designers have abandoned beads altogether, and the cashmere coloring is introduced in silk cords.

Black furs will be much used for trimmings, especially Persian lamb and the rougher curled Astrakan. In light furs is *moufion*, the shaded grey soft fluffy fur introduced last winter.

Very handsome cloth costumes are made with a redingote of one color opening over a vest and draped front of cloth of another color, such as a mahogany redingote with grey cloth vest and skirt front.

Large buttons on black woolen gowns are of black fabric covering wooden moulds, on which a few irregular stitches are taken in silk the color of the trimming. Black crocheted silk buttons are also used with a touch of the color in centre.

Embroidered silk waistcoats are on very costly jackets made of Sicilienne; these are, however, too expensive to be generally popular. The embroidery is done in gay colored silks on light cloth. Some very new jackets have their fronts in long tabs, square or pointed, giving the effect of a mantle front.

Simple redingote for morning toilettes are made of light cloth, ornamented on the fronts with deep embroidery excuted with silk of the same color, and opening on a skirt of the same cloth, which is embroidered at the lower edge. The corsage is round, with embroidered revers rolling from a vest of plain cloth; large and handsome buttons ornament it. Buttons of all kinds are much used, large ones predominating.

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Provender (second)	1 40	@	1 50
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Peas ₱ bushel, good	85	@	1 00
Beans ₱ bushel	2 40	@	3 00
Buckwheat ₱ bushel	60	@	70
Wheat ₱ bushel	1 35	@	1 50
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Cheese, ₱ lb, dairy	13	@	15
Cheese, ₱ lb, factory	12	@	15
Maple Sugar	8	@	10
Bees Honey, ₱ lb, in boxes	18	@	20
Eggs, ₱ doz., fresh	20	@	25
Apples, ₱ bbl., green	3 00	@	3 50
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8:20 P. M. NIGHT EXPRESS, arriving St. Johnsbury 12.55 a. m., W. R. Junction 3.15 a. m., Concord, N. H., 5.50 a. m., Nashua 7.00 a. m., Boston 8.30 a. m., Worcester 9.13 a. m., Greenfield 6.03 a. m., Springfield 7.10 a. m., New York 11.45 a. m.

9:00 A. M. MIXED, connecting at Newport with Day Express, arriving in Boston at 3:45 p.m.

MONARCH SLEEPING CARS, from Quebec through to Springfield and Boston, on train leaving Sherbrooke 8:20 p. m.

FROM THE SOUTH. EXPRESS LEAVES Boston 9 a. m., Nashua 10.10 a. m., Concord 11.05 a. m., NEW YORK 10.30 p. m. Springfield 8.00 a. m., Greenfield 9 55 a. m., W. R. Junction, 1.55 p. m., arriving Sherbrooke 8.40 p. m.

NIGHT EXPRESS leaves Boston 7 p. m., Nashua 5.15 p. m., Concord 9.25 p. m., New York 4.30 p.m., Springfield 8.00 p.m., Greenfield 9.12 p. m., W. R. Junction 12.40 a. m., arriving Sherbrooke 7.45 a.m. Monarch Sleeping Cars leave Boston 7:00 p. m. and Springfield 8.00 p. m., for Sherbrooke and Quebec.

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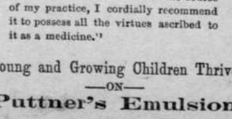

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Circassian,	18th "	19th "
Polynesian,	24th "	25th "
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