An egg train of twelve refrigator BOAST OF A LANDED GENTRY. 1 cars left Newton, Kan., the other day for California.

After eighteen years Senator Cockhim in Philadelphia.

\$7,500,000 invested in such a way that lustry, uside from that of the farmer, It brings in interest and reduces taxa- tre in the hands of foreigners. The

infallible medicine for coughs and co are the country's grocers, the Gercolds.-N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, mans do the bardware business, the N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

purse, handkerchief, card, vinargrette | and England, and a large percentage of and often a tiny powder puff and mir- the industrial concerns of the country ror, are seen in the delicate suede or

At the back of the skirts thin maas ten sometimes, which are far removed from grace.

King Edward Loves His Farm.

Among the innumerable interests that attach the royal family to Sandringham and have induced the king to decide that it shall continue to be his country home are the attractions of the beautiful home farm which has been created and developed by his majesty. The farm is only of 700 acres, and is worked by the king in his own name. The farm carts all bore the lawful inscription, "H. R. H., the Prince of Wales, Sandringham, Norfolk," which has, we suppose been altered by now, to "H. M., the King." It is mainly a stock farm, and under normal conditions maintains two or three hundred horses, 150 pedigree Shorthorns and 300 Southdown sheep. The dairy stock are Jerseys and Kerrys, and for years the pride of the establishment has been an indomitable little black Kerry bull, who usually made his appearance before company towed by five men attached by ropes to various parts of his body. "Moonlighter," as he was called, was bought by the king at the royal show in Newcastle years ago.

Kilts in the British Army. There are ten battalions in the British army that wear the old Scotch kilts.

Western Canada's December Weather Equal to that of May in Minnesota.

To the Editor-Thomas Regan and C. Collins, of Eden Valley, Minn., went out to Western Canada last December as delegates, to look over the grazing and grain lands that are being offered at such low prices and reasonable terms. This is what they say:

"We arrived in Calgary about the 20th December, and although we had left winter in Minnesota and Manitoba, we were surprised to find beautiful warm weather at this point, quite equal what we have in May in Minnesota. There was no snow nor trace of winter to be seen, and the climate was really spiended, it is a cattle and sheep were cumming one, in prime condition, with plenty of feed on the prairie, and really better than that of ours stabled in the South. We are impressed with this country as one of the finest mixed farming countries we have ever seen. The immense tracts of ferttle lands well sheltered and abundantly watered leave nothing to be desired.

Leaving Alberta, we returned east and visited the Yorkton district in Assinibola. We drove out about ten miles at this point, and were highly pleased with the splendid samples of grain we were able to see, wheat yielding twenty-five bushels, oats sixty bushels. Roots were also good specimens. From what we have seen, we have decided to throw in our lot with the Yorktoners-satisfied that this part of the country will furnish good opportunities for any one anxious to make the best of a really good country. Any agent of the Canadian government, whose advertisement appears elsewhere in the columns of your paper, will give you full particulars of the new districts being opened out this year in Assinibola and Saskatchewan. OLD READER. Yours truly.

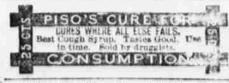


EXCURSION RATES to Western Canada and particulars as to how to secure 160 acres of the best Wheat 200 acres of the secure of the s

Write to F. Pediey, Supt. Immigration, Ottawa, Qanada, or the undersigned, who will mail you atlases, pamphlets, etc., free of cost: W. V. Ben-pett, 801 New York Life Building, Omaha, Ne-brasks, Agent for the Government of Canada.







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Mexicans Cling with Wonderful Te-

nacity to Their Broad Acres. The tenacity with which the great rell has recovered a wallet, stolen from states of Mexico are maintained intact by the families of this country appears ill the more remarkable when it is con-Kansrs has a state school fund of udered how generally all lines of in-

lry-goods trade of Mexico is controlled Piso's Cure for Consumption is an by the French, the Spaniards of Mextailroads are controlled by Americans ind English, the bank stock of Mexico Walst bags large enough to hold is largely owned in France, Germany belong to foreigners. Not so, however, the agricultural resources of Mexico. During recent years a great deal of

American capital has entered the reterials are sometimes gathered in at public for investment in tropical planthe waist, but not often; flatness is intions, particularly in southern Mexproduced by stitched plaits, as many |co, but the great bulk of Mexico's tural land is held in the form of extensive haclendas or ranches, often hunfreds of thousands of acres in extent. Some of these estates have been handed down in the same families for near y 400 years, not a few titles tracing their origin back to the first grants from the King of Spain after the con quest. The aristocracy of Mexico is counted among these landed proprieters, many of whom enjoy princely incomes from their plantations, which often produce a great variety of prodacts and embrace several manufacturing plants.

> It is largely due to the fact that the tax upon land of this character is comparatively very light that these estates have so long remained undivided, as, in most instances, only a small per cent of their area is under cultivation. As in many states the levy is practically only a tax upon products, the unused acres are no great bruden. There are, naturally, those who desire to see these tracts taxed so that the owners will be forced to sell at least portions of them and the land of the country divided among a large number of small proprietors. Such a measure would be vigorously opposed by the wealthy landed proprietors, and such is the number and importance of this class that no active measure of this kind has ever been promulgated. The ancient estates of Mexico are so large that few individuals can purchase them entire, and the owners can rarely be prevailed upon to divide their holdings in any manner. Occasionally now one of them is bought by a syndicate or company for development or for subdivision and sale. In this way smaller holdings are becoming more common than formerly, though the old order of things is not likely to be greatly altered in Mexico for many years to come.-Modern Mex-

Heavy Rainfalls.

Exceptionally heavy rainfalls often occur, sometimes with disastrous effects. For periods of five minutes rainfalls have occurred at Bismarck, N. D., at the rate of nine inches per hour, at Jacksonville, Fla., at the rate of seven inches, and at Galveston, Texas, at the rate of six and a baif inches. In periods of sixty minutes rain has fallen at these three stations at the rate of over two inches per hour. at Galveston at the rate of two and one-half inches. One inch of rainfall is equivalent to 27,154 gallons, or 226,-000 pounds on each and every acre of wetted area. Rainfall at the rate of nine inches per hour represents a fall of 33,900 pounds, or 4,973 gallons per ity on his features. "What I can't see minute per acre. In five minutes, such a rainfall would cover each area of four a directorship at the meeting the other square miles with 51,000,000 gailons-a day, quantity much in excess of the daily consumption of the city of Washington,

Languages Spoken by Army Officers that 304 commissioned officers of the regular army speak Spanish fluently, and that most of these are serving in the Philippines and the West Index. About as many more officers possess a limited knowledge of Spanish. French is spoken by 224 officers. German 136, the language of the American Indians by 13, Italian by 3, Swedish and Norwegian by 4, and Tagalog by 5. Chinese, Japanese, Eskimo, Dutch, Humgatian, Portuguese, and Polish are also spokes by some of our army officers.

Gigantic Lunar Mountains. .

The edge of the moon is so broken by fight 'em again.' " peaks, ridges and valleys that the length of totality during a solar eclipse. is affected by them.

Tulip Festival.

ple, and there is a tulip featival there second/hand shop, but sometimes you once a year in spring. Every paince, will and yourself in staken, which room, gallery and garden is decorated would have been the case had you been with tulipe of every kind. At alght at a perent second-hand carpet sais if they are all lighted by colored lumps. Lishque. I we carpets sold there were and Bengal fires, and the Sultan sits in four and a half centuries old, and yet their midst, while women sing around, they were not begin for rags. They him and his odalisques dance before were carpets presented by the Infanta

Neighborty.

Husband-Isn't it about time Mrs. Borrore was returning our call? Wife-Yes, but if she does return it it will be more than she does with the

won't is obstinacy.

Free Press.

TRICKS OUR WATCHES PLAY.

Very Small Causes May Result in Inconvenience to the Owner.

Watches often suffer from changes of temperature. After a watch has been worn next to a warm body all day it should not be left over night on cold marble or near an open window. The cold is likely to contract the metal piv ots, and, however slightly, tighten up the works. The next morning, for no apparent reason, one's watch will be found to be losing time.

It frequently happens that watches are slightly magnetized by static electricity given on by the human body. It has been found that dark people are more likely to exert this influence over their watches. This influence is, be sides, more common among womer than with men. Persons of this sort can never hope to earry the correct time unless they carry their watches in rub ber or steel cases.

Never lay your watch down for the night in a horizontal position. It should always be bung vertically, as it is carried during the day. If the pivot of the balance wheel be in the least worn this change of position tends to loosen the "cap Jewel."

Everyone has had a watch suddenly stop for no apparent reason and go on again when slightly shaken. Tols may not happen once a year, but all watche are liable to such an accident. This is due usually to the catching of the delicate hair spring. It is caused by some sudden movement such as jumping or or off a car. The jolt must come at the exact fraction of a second when the spring is in position to catch, so that the chances of such an accident are rare. A watch should be olled every eighteen months. The oll dries up it this time as a rule and if the mechan-Jam be run with the oil dry it quickly wears out.

In examining a watch all jewelers follow the same plan. They first look to see if the hands are caught. If the fault lies deeper they next take out the balance wheel and examine the pin and pivots. Next they let down the mair spring and examine the wheels. It some times happens that a jeweler will no find the cause of the trouble for days The most difficult disorder to locate ! a slight burr on one of the wheels.

Many jewelers have collected fees for repairing watches when the watcher refuse to go merely because they have run down. Women are said to be the best customers of the watch doctor since they seldom wind their watches death.' regularly. A watch should be wound early in the day, and not, as is the com | ch?" mon practice, at bedtime. The reason for this is that the spring is then tight | see, I yelled to the girl to get out as | heaven at least wants to go to waterest during the day while the watch is being carried and is less sensitive.

Had an Excellent Reason.

It was only a week after the annua meeting of the corporation had been held that Mr. Brown, one of the heavy stockholders, accompanied by his worthy spouse, went over to the Smith one evening to while away the time with a bit of whist and later perhaps a rarebit with trimmings. Smith alse owned considerable stock in the same enterprise as his guest and while the women were off together discussing some matters of great feminine im portance which completely engrossed their attention. It was perfectly nat ural that the male portion of the as sembly should adjourn to the dining room for a whiff of ulcotine.

"What I can't see," said Mr. Brown with much astenishment and perplex is why under the canopy you declined

"That's an easy one," remarked Smith. "You see-er-the fact of the matter is. I looked the thing all over and then concluded that I would rather The Army and Navy Journal states be one of the many fault finders that one of those with whom the faults are found."-Bangor Commercial.

Roosevelt Never Dodged Trouble.

"When Theodore Roosevelt was a lit tle boy be and a playmate used to wall together to a private school," says the Ladies' Home Journal. "Their way took them past a public school. One day young Teddy appeared in a new sailor suit. This was too much for the public school boys. To them the suit was the distinguishing mark of a 'dude.' The sneering crowd planted itself across the sidewalk. Toddy and his chum, seeing trouble ahead, came During the eclipse of the sun in May, on with fists elenched, and the battle 1900, a British observer, Mr. Evershed, began. A few minutes later the 'dude as reported at a recent meeting of the and his arranton went on their way Royal Astronomical Society, noticed a somewhat loss that than when they point on the edge of the moon where started, but leaving be 1 althema tamed the sun was shining through a very and have bunch of surprised boys. For a deep valley, and where the lunar moun week there were daily nights with the tains seemed to be about 25,000 feet a same results. One marning after at altitude. This exceeds by 6,000 feet especially bards battle, young these the estimated height of Mount Everest, velt said to ass friend, thet's go the loftiest mountain on the earth, around the block and some back to Big Price for Old Carpets.

When a curpor gets to be half a cen-

tury or more and you usually expect to he able to pack it up for a song-per Tulips are cultivated in Constantino haps a tong of a few sixpon es-in some Dorina Sancha to the Royal Convent of St. Antonio in 1500, and were put up a anotion to raise money with which to repair the convent French and Ger man bidders were the most auxious and the carpets were started at \$4,400 A Frenchman finally got them for \$8, other things she gets from us.-Detroit 500, and was congratulated on his bar gain.

A strong will is armness; a strong! Politeness is a coin that passes cur rent in every land.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL

Thanks Peruna for His Rapid Recovery From Catarrh.



EX-UNITED STATES MARSHAL MATTHEWS, OF MISSISSIPPI,

Hon. S. S. Matthews, ex-United States Marchal of Mississippi, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Company of Columbus, Ohio, written from Hazelhurst, Miss., says:

"I am happy to say that I am cured of catarrh and need no tory results from the use of Peruna, write more attention from you. It is a great satisfaction that I am ment of your case and be win be pleased to able to write you that Peruna has in my case done all that you give you his valuable advice gratis. claim, and that I will need no more medicine."

Stood on Her Bights.

"We had a fire at our house, and the servant girl was nearly burned to "Lighting the fire with kerosene,

"No; it was a defective flue. You soon as we discovered the fire, but she ing places."-Philadelphia Times. weeks' notice."-Philadelphia Record. | houses at Danville, Va.

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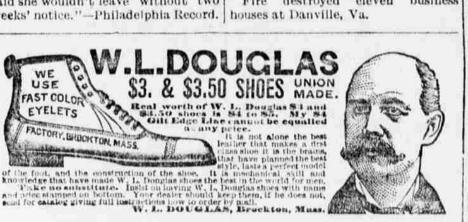
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Maintains His Consistency. "You told me you would make married life heaven for me, and now you

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said she wouldn't leave without two Fire destroyed eleven business



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The great multitude take this remedy

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during their sickness. To all such he will

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Hon. J. F. Crool et. of Buffalo, N. Y.,

"I have been a sufferer from

any one suffering with catarrh,

Hon. R. R. Doviner, Congressman from

West Virginia, in a letter from Washing-

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the following of their eatarch remedy, Pe-

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excellent remedy. Persons, as a good tonic

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cured me of chronic catarrh. I have had no

mins In my head since I have taken Peruna.

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chronic, and I am very thankful for Dr.

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the inflamed mucous membrane, thus remov-

Catarrh is catarrh wherever located. Catarrh is essentially the same everywhere.

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as my cure is complete."

who was for years Superintendent of Schools

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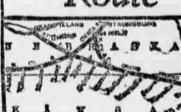
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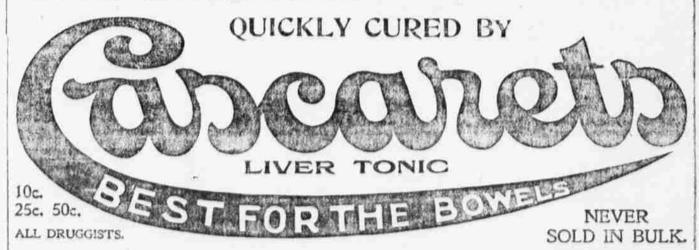
Small boys, and many times large ones, and occasionally girls, too, big and little, suffer terribly from convulsive pains or "cramps" in the bowels and stomachpain so violent that it "doubles up" the ones attacked, and makes it impossible for them to stand up.

Some people call it colic, but most honest, plain-spoken people call it "belly-ache" and very properly, for the seat of the trouble is in the bowels, and caused by the violent efforts of the bowels to rid themselves of something which doesn't belong there. The small boy usually gets it from over-eating or from eating forbidden

fruit, and suffers mostly in the summer time.

It's spring now, and "in times of peace, prepare for war." Let the boys and girls and the big folks, too, for that matter, clean out the clogged channels filled with winter bile and putrid undigested food, strengthen the 30-feet of bowel canal, liven up the liver, and "summer bellyaches" will have no terrors, because they won't

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