# SEEDING IN PROGRESS IN WEST. ERN CANADA.

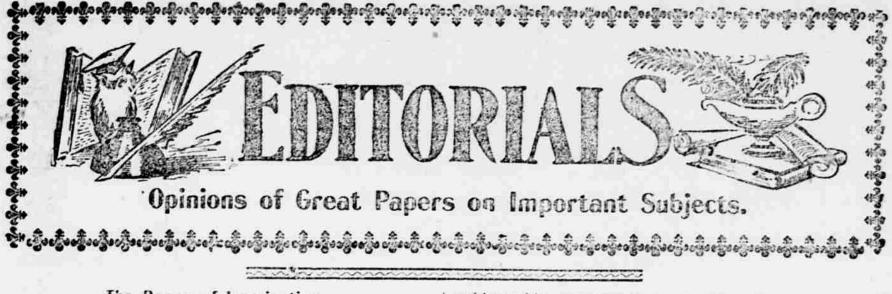
Mild Weather Is Bringing Thousands of Settlers.

The splendid yields of wheat, oats and barley produced by the farmers of Western Canada and the excellent prices received for the same, have been the means of giving an increased interest throughout the United States. As a result the inquiries made of the agents of the Canadian Government have nearly doubled over those of the same period last year. Railroad companies are putting on increased carrying capacity to meet the demand made upon them for carrying passengers and freight. Everything points to a most prosperous year. There is room for hundreds of thousands additional settlers, much new land having been opened up for settlement this year.

It is quite interesting to look through the letters received from the Americans who have settled in Western Canada during the past Yew years. and considering the large number, it is surprising how few there are who have not succeeded. An extract from a letter written by Mr. Geo. W. Grisof January, is as follows:

"I am located one and one-half miles from a beautiful lake ten miles long. where there is church, school, three stores, creamery and two postoffices. The fine stock, both cattle (cows and steers), horses, hogs and sheep are roll' ing fat, grazing in pastures to-day, alleged medicine. just a little snow, hardly enough for timothy hay for export to British Columbia. This is a mixed farming and dairy country. This is the right time to get a foothold in the Canadian West, as it was some years ago in the United States. We are free from wind gumbo and alkali here and have fine. clear, soft well and spring water a depth of from five to twenty-five feet, and lots of open overflowing springs."

Telegraphic advices from Medicine Hat say that seeding has commenced



The Power of Imagination.

PHYSICIAN who has been bitten by a dog which was declared to be rabid, but which was killed before the truth could be ascertained, has refused to undergo the Pasteur treatment. He believes hydrophobia to be a rare if not a purely imaginary malady, and as he has too

much strength of mind to be frightened into a nervous condition he confidently expects to suffer no ill consequences from the bite. If, however, hydrophobia shall develop he will retain his wits as long as possible and record his sensations for the benefit of science.

It is difficult to realize how great may be the control of the bodily organs by the mind. A New Orleans doctor wold, of Red Deer, Alta., formerly reports the results of an experiment to determine the of Greber, Mont., written on the 2d influence of the imagination on the stomach. To one hundred patients he gave a simple mixture of sugar and water, telling each to take the dose at once. Returning to the sick room in apparent haste and alarm he would ask if the medicine had been administered. Then he would display great agitation, saying he had given by mistake a powerful emetic. Eighty-five of the patients immediately suffered distinct emesis, as though they had, in fact, taken the

In several instances of death from alleged hydrophobia good sleighing, as we just had a chi- it has been clear that imagination had produced the nervous nook which has melted the roads and condition which resulted fatally, and while most physicians laid bare the fields and pasture. There admit that there is such a disease, the best informed doubt are fine wheat, oats, barley and flax whether it has been the cause of more than one in every raised here, also winter wheat and dozen "hydrophobia" deaths .-- Philadelphia Record.

Worry Wrecks.

worry themselves to death by allowing their minds to dwell on morbid subjects.

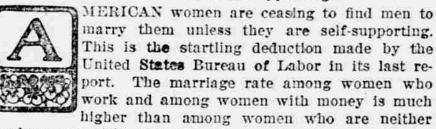
Many thousands more, while not actually ishing. \* \* \* worrying themselves into their graves, materially impair their health, moral, mental and physical, and weaken their power by the same baneful process.

The idea that one is unfortunately placed in life or in five has its children at work. More than 20 per cent of that one has some incipient disease, the thought of financial the earnings of the average American family comes from

making a hit are very remote. In the various engagements, torpedoes appeared to have been fired by the score without finding the mark (except in the night surprise of Feb. 8), a notable case being that of the battleship Czarevitch, which, after being terribly crippied by the concentrated fire of four Japanese battleships, and with her speed cut down to four knots an hour, was subjected to a night attack by the Japanese destroyers, and yet seems to have been able to beat them off and to make port the next morning without being once struck by a torpedo. By all the laws of torpedo-boat warfare, she should have been sent to the bottom in short order. On the other hand, the de-

stroyers have developed unexpected ability for doing duties which ware supposed to belong to the cruiser of 2,000 to 5,000 tons displacement. They have kept the sea, and have done splendid scouting work in all weathers .- Scientific American.

# Must Wives Be Self-Supporting?



workers nor rich, and the disproportion is annually increasing.

All rich women, according to the statisticians, have opportunities to marry, and generally speaking, all working women have equal opportunities, but the women who must depend on servants to do household work and on their HOUSANDS of people every year actually husbands to supply all the household income are being driven from the matrimonial field. Fewer than one-half of them marry now, and the percentage is steadily dimin-

Nine per cent of the married women of the United States work for wages apart from the performance of their household duties. Twenty-three per cent add to the household income by taking boarders. More than one family fore them, many turned away, faint and

# PERISH IN FIRE.

### Score of Persons Burned to Death I New York Tenement.

At least a score of persons were buraed to death, several were so badly hurt that they may die and forty others received slighter injaries in a fire that destroyed a five-story New York tenement house early Tuesday. The fire had gained great headway before it became known to most of the tenants and many of them were cut off before they could make an attempt to save themselves. Scores were carried from the blazing building. Firemen climbed the walls on their ladders, braved the flames and reached the imperiled tenants.

Crowded fire escapes in the rear of the tenement house were largely responsible for so many deaths and injuries among its population, which approached 200. The scenes about the building after the fire when the search for the dead was begun were heartrending. Nothing so pitiable had been seen in New York since the Slocum disaster.

The fire started in the basement, occupied by Isaac Davis, his wife and three children. Davis had been out Monday night and returned to his home early Tuesday morning, went into his store on the same floor just in time to see a kerosene lamp in the rear explode. He awoke his wife and both tried to put out the flaming lamp, but without success, and then gave all their attention to getting their children out of the building. A policeman who heard the ery of alarm rushed to the scene and every effort was made to rouse the sleeping persons in the house.

Meantime the flames had spread with startling rapidity, and when the persons who had been asleep on the upper floors awoke they found themselves confronted by a wall of flames on nearly every side. On some of the fire escapes the rubbish was packed so closely that it became impossible to pass certain points, and men, women and children stood literally, at a dose, three times a day. I was deroasting to death as the flames roared through windows around them. Many women flung their children into the arms of men standing on the sidewalk. . A frenzied crowd gathered in front of

the police station, weeping, wailing and lamenting for the dead. As rapidly as possible they were permitted to examine the bodies in the court yard, where their laments grew louder. Unable to recognize their missing relatives in the charred, almost formless bodies they saw besick at the awful sight.



For Six Months He Could Not Turn in Bed-He Tells of a Remedy Which Has Given Perfect Relief.

The case of Mr. Marston shows that sciatica can be cured, and no one afflicted by it should allow himself to be disheartened. He was first stricken about a year ago, and for six months he suffered pain which he thinks the most intense that any man could possibly stand.

Asked about the details of his remarkable recovery, Mr. Marston gave the following account: "I was attacked by a numbness or dull feeling just back of my right hip. I didn't know what the matter was, but thought it was simply a stiffness that would wear away in a short time. It didn't, however, and soon the pain became so very bad that every step was torture for me. When I finally succeeded in getting home, it was just as much as I could do to reach my room and get to bed.

"The doctor was sent for, and when he had examined me he said I had sciatica. He prescribed for me, and advised me not to try to leave my bed. The advice was unnecessary for I couldn't get out of bed if I wanted to. It was impossible for me to turn from one side to the other. The moment I attempted to move any part of my body, the pain became so excruciating that I would have to lie perfectly motionless.

"I suffered this torture for six months without getting any relief. Then I discharged the doctor, and on the advice of a friend I bought a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and began to take them, three termined to give them a thorough trial. "Two months after I began to use them I was able to leave my bed and walk about the house, and a month later I was entirely cured and able to go about my work as usual. I think Dr. Williams Pink Pills are the best medicine I ever used, and I heartily recommend them to anyone who suffers from sciatica."

Mr. Marston is a prosperous farmer. and may be reached by mail addressed to Charles P. Marston, Hampton P. G., New Hampshire. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured other painful nervous

disorders, such as neuralgia, partial par

alvsis and locomotor ataxia. They are

Too Much Imagination.

imagination, but he or she who allows

the imagination too great liberty be-

comes its subject rather than its mas-

ter. The man who wears a rubber on

the pedal attachment to his cork leg

because the cork foot aches without

the rubber is as unfortunate a victim

count of the heat in church the first

Sunday after stoves were set up, al-

though a fire had not been lighted in

Pise's Cure for Consumption always

gives immediate relief in all throat trou-

bles.-F. E. Bierman, Leipsic, Ohio, Aug.

A Confusing Advertisement.

Berlin a printed notice of a new hair

dye, described in English. "I de-

liver the hair dye from the fair to the

deepest dark," the Berlin man says.

Thea, with a burst of candor, for

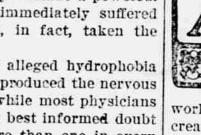
A London editor has received from

Pity the man or woman devoid of

sold by all druggists.

any of them.

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at Medicine Hat, Lethbridge, and other points. At the former place the temperature moderated gradually until on the 19th the maximum was 45 and the minimum 26. Thermometer readings since then have been as follows: 20th, 47 and 38; 21st, 54 and 34; 22d. 56 and 39; 23d, 48 and 40; 24th, 48 and 26.

During the last few days in Febtuary considerable ploughing was done cent arrival from Montana, ploughed and harrowed fifteen acres and E. Laliborty about the same amount. Rev. Coulter White has also been harrowing his farm. All report the ground frost free and in excellent condition. Bricklaying has also begun in town At Hartney, further east, on the 25th of February, the sun was warm and bright, wheeled carriages were in use and the plowed fields look as if the are ready for the press drills. There is every appearance that spring has arrived, but farmers do not wish to be deceived by appearances and consequently have not commenced to use their bluestone and seed wheat.

"You might put it under a duck."

#### SALT RHEUM ON HANDS.

Euffered Agony and Had to Wear Bandages All the Time-Another Cure by Cuticura.

Another cure by Cuticura is told of by Mrs. Caroline Cable, of Waupaca, Wis., in the following grateful letter: "My husband suffered agony with salt rheum on his hands, and I had to keep them bandaged all the time. We tried everything we could get, but nothing helped him until he used ticura. One set of Cuticura So. Ointment, and Pills cured him entirely. and his hands have been as smooth as possible ever since. I do hope this know what you believe, and what othsome other sufferer." 2000

When the electrification of the railways which run underground in London is completed the traveler will be able to traverse sixty miles underground by electric traction without running twice over the same piece of track.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pro-nounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, propogneed it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken in ternally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful

failure or of unsatisfactory progress-any of the thousand the labor of the wife and the children. and one worries that ought to act as a tonic and a spur to effort-are by thousands accepted as ground for souldeadening worry and discourageemnt.

The little magazine called Suggestion says that a melancholy thought which fixes itself upon one's mind needs as much doctoring as physical disease. It needs to be eradicated from the mind or it will have just the same result as a neglected disease would have. Every melancholy

thought and every morbid action and every nagging worry should be resisted to the utmost, and the patient should be near Lethbridge. P. A. Pulley, a re- protected by cheerful thoughts, of which there is a bountiful store in every one's possession. Bright companions are cheaper than drugs and plasters.

The morbid condition of mind produces a morbid condition of body, and if the disease does happen to be in the system it receives every encouragement to develop. We need more mental therapy .- Des Moines News.

# The Inefficiency of the Torpedo.

I the naval lessons of the war, surely the most valuable, and certainly the most surprising, is the comparative inefficiency of the torpedo boat. first attack at Port Arthur, although the Russian ships were at anchor and totally unpre-

pared, the two battleships and the cruiser that were squarely torpedoed remained afloat, and were able, next morning, In proceeding to explain the uses of to steam in and beach themselves for investigation and in incubator a London school teacher repair of the damage. The only possible exception was the organized, equipped and run according to modern ideas asked her class: "In what other way cruiser Boyarin, and in her case it is possible that it was could an egg be hatched than by putting a floating mine and not a torpedo from a destroyer that been respected and the rules of civilized war carefully lived much like the junta that encouraged and

get within range, either by day or by night, of a warship upon Port Arthur has there been any rumor that quarter that is on the alert; and when she does, the chances of was denied or refused .-- Kansas City Journal.

**&** PARTNERS INDEED. \*\*\*\* The harmony in which Mr. and Mrs. him a gentle shove. Jabez Green had lived for nearly forty years was slightly riffled when, at the

close of a lecture in the first course ever given in Wraynhan, Mr. Green stated that he should like to know more about Eastern religions. "Jabez," said his wife, firmly, "you bulge in your coat the first day 'twas

letter will be the means of helping or folks believe different needn't be anything to you, excepting as you're sorry for 'em, being blinded."

Mr. Green looked unconvinced, and a slight coolness arose, but in time it passed away. Mrs. Green redoubled her attentions in the way of griddle cakes and hot soapstones, and her hus band kept the wood box filled to the burg says: "The court of justice at brim. He had a reason for so doing, inasmuch as certain half-hours in the barn were passed in absorbed reading of an old brown-covered book which Jabez had bought second hand in Nashua, and of which he had never spoken.

"More I read, the more thankful I prison labor for his own profit, and he energy you've got into it-hous

The old type of American who supported by his own earnings his wife and his children, whose home was his own and who occupied an independent place in the community, is disappearing. Marriage is becoming more and more a commercial partnership where the man and the wife pool their earnings, or a fashionable festivity where the fortune of the wife added to the income of the husband maintains a social establishment until divorce doth them part .- New York World.

## Casualties in War.

N round figures the casualties on the Federal side during the whole four years of the rebellion amounted to 50,000 killed and 350,000 wounded. This was undoubtedly the bloodiest war of modern times, although, if credence could be given to the dubious reports emanat-

ing from Russian and Japanese sources, the war in the Orient, only one year old, would seem to equalit already in losses suffered and inflicted.

But it is highly probable that when the truth has been sifted out of the wild and extravagant estimates, the num-In not a single case has the torpedo boat been ber of dead and wounded in the Manchurian armies will able to send a war ship to the bottom. In the be materially reduced. A newspaper story is usually less conservative than a historic account. The war in the Orient has in fact been fought in a comparatively humane way. Except in rare instances, the greatest of care and consideration have been paid to captives and the wounded. The medical departments of both contending armies are as to such things. The Red Cross corps and hospitals have and powder. This committee is very sank her. It seems to be impossible for a torpedo boat to up to. Only on one or two occasions during the assaults

ANOTHER WAR IN THE SPRING.

Macedonia to Fight Turkey with Arms Paid for by Miss Stone's Ransom. Advices received in Washington make it certain that as soon as the snow melts in the Balkan mountains there is certain to be war and destruction. The restraining hand of Russia, which has prevented hostilities between Bulgaria and Turkey, is no longer forceful, and the attempts which have been made by the Austrian and Russian ambassadors at Constantinople to induce the Sultan to behave properly have accomplished nothing. The as the Scotchman who fainted on acrevolutionary element in Macedonia has obtained funds in some manner, and is said to be well supplied with arms and ammunition, while the Bulgarian government has been preparing for war all winter, and is likely to provoke an invasion by the Turks, which has been prevented by Russian influence for the past three years. Being no longer in a position to intervene with arms, Russia will not have so much influence.

To understand the situation it is necssary to go back three years to the time when Miss Stone, the American missionary, was a prisoner of the socalled bandits-really a band of conspirators representing the Macedonian committee, which exists for the purpose of emancipating Macedonia from Turkish rule, has its headquarters at Sophia, Bulgaria, and spent her ransom for guns directed the revolution in Cuba from 1896 to 1898. It collects funds, buys arms and ammunition, and equips insurrectionary parties which invade Macedonia to take revenge upon the Turkish officials for their cruelties to the people. The Bulgarian government sympathizes with the committee; almost every man, woman and child in the kingdom belongs

to it, and contributes money for revolutionary purposes as a sacred duty. Up to this time Turkey has not attacked Bulgaria because of fear of Russia, although the Sultan has had great provocation in the encouragement and assistance which the Bulgarians have given to the revolutionists across the border.

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The journeymen tailors have voted to

Of the 136,561 freight cars ordered for

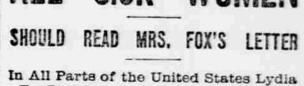
## How to Keep Young.

old, slight built, sensitive and nervous -and though she has seen more suffering than falls to the lot of most women she is still young. Her prescription for youthfulness is interesting and well worth trying. "How do I stand all this wear and tear? Economy. That's it, economy. I

save my strength. When I'm not working at the business which is my very life, I either rest or play. I don't putter. That's what ages women-puttering. When I see a teacher breaking A Reuter's dispatch from St. Peters- lown or a trained nurse giving up with nervous prostration, I wonder when have a regular convention date once in women will learn to stop puttering. four years. "It isn't work that wears out; it's American railroads last year 35,000 were iretting and puttering. The way to

of steel construction. keep young? Stop worrying and go to A machine is being perfected in a work. Throw yourself, heart and soul. and also with embezzling money in- brain and nerve, into some one thing; Birmingham shop that is to turn out from 90,000 to 100,000 finished wire nails trusted to his care. He exploited the make a fetish of it; throw every bit of an hour.

which he cannot be sufficiently commended, he adds: "It produces a natural color and is thoroughly injurious."

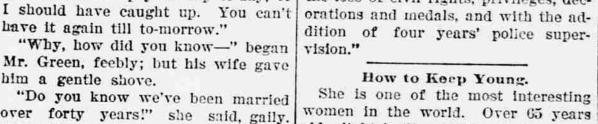


E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Effected Similar Cures.

Many wonderful cures of female ills are continually coming to light which have been brought about by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and



through the advice of Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., which is given to sick women absolutely free of charge.



You shortened up your nap to-day, or the loss of civil rights, privileges, dec-

have it again till to-morrow."

"You'd better button that collar up

close, for it's cold in the barn, even

when you aren't stopping to sit down

and read. I knocked against that great

there, as I went after some old tin

to stop a rat-hole. Now you go right

TRIAL OF FEROCIOUS WARDEN.

Man Named Foss Charged with Far-

barities While on Duty.

Ekaterinburg recently tried a man

named Foss, who was charged with

committing horrible barbarities while

employed as director of a house of de-

tention and correction of that town,

along."-Youth's Companion.

It acts directly on the blood and mucous sur-	feel I'm not one o' there had	had the prisoners heater	chergy you've got mito n-nousekeep.	The American investor	Mrs. Finkham has for many years
faces of the system. They offer one hundred	feel I'm not one o' those heathen	had the prisoners beaten with rods	ing, taking care of children, teaching,	The American inventor, apparently,	made a study of the ills of her sex;
dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,	long, Mr. Green muttered one day,	alphed in salt. He treated his subor-	writing, nursing-it doesn't make a bit	never takes a vacation. The government issued 597 patents one day last week, and	she has consulted with and advised
F. J. CHENEY & CO. Toledo O	as he hung up his old coat in the shed,	dinates with such severity that not	of difference what you do; it's the way	issued 597 patents one day last week, and there are plenty more applications pend-	thousands of suffering women, who
Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Fills are the best.					to-day owe not only their health but
	its deepest pocket. "When I get all	doctor and the chaplain were afraid	voung-looking man you see: do the way		even life to her helpful advice.
Outclassed.	through maybe I'll tell her how	to resist his orders. In the course of	he does; work when you are working	and manufacture of motor have and	Mrs. Fannie D. Fox, of 7 Chestnut
Nextdoor-I haven't heard your dog	strengthened I am in the faith-maybe	the evidence it appeared that Foss re-	but when you are not working culti-		Street, Bradford, Pa., writes:
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Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is adapted to both sexes and all ages. Cures Kidney and Liver complaint, and parifies the blood. \$1.00 all druggist.	Green, with decision. "I see by where	chense, and some of the prison em-	and the second sec	ominioned at the L'and the second	rinknam, at Lynn, Mass She aske
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