# INTOLERABLE ITCHING.

\$50,000 FOR FUR OUTFIT.

Fearful Eczema All Over Baby's Face - Professional Treatment Failed-Perfect Cure by Cuticura.

old I noticed small red spots on her right cheek. They grew so large that helping the eruption, his ointment furrier: ceemed to make it worse. Then I went to a second doctor who said it was eczema. He also gave me an ointment which did not help either. The disease spread all over the face and the eyes began to swell. The itching grew out they were unable to cure the baby. f paid out from \$20 to \$30 without redief. One evening I began to use the Cuticura Remedies. The next morning the baby's face was all white instead of red. I continued until the eczema entirely disappeared. Mrs. P. E. Gumbin, Sheldon, Ia., July 13, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. of Cuticura Remedies, Boston.

His Whole Duty.

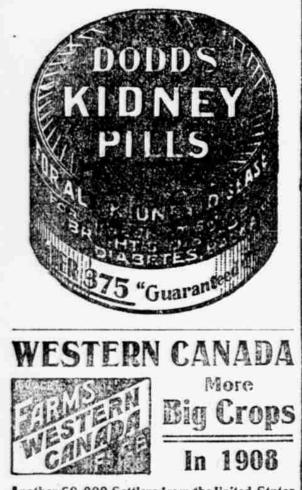
It is not often that one man is called upon to assume the duties of an army. is cited in Benjamin Willey's "History of the White Mountains." At the first legal meeting of the citizens of the lit tle town of Albany, New Hampshire, every soldier in the place was sum- includes the cost of making." moned to assemble.

The efficers were duly chosen, but it turned out that there was only one private. Looking wistfully at his superiors standing in array before him, the plied rather matter-of-fact. solitary representative of the ranks said:

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"Gentlemen, I have only one request to make; that is, as I am the only soldier. I hope you will not be too severe In drilling me, but spare me a little, as I may be needed another time."

He also remarked that he could form a solid column, but that "it racked him shockingly to deploy."



What Is Frequently Paid for a Cost, Boa and Muff.

I find that six thousand dollars for a "When my little girl was six months schle coat is only a fair price; in fact it is a very low price for a coat of fine sable. As witness this talk that I had I sent for the doctor, but instead of the other day with New York's leading

> "Can you show me a good sable coat?" I inquired.

"Russian sable?" he asked. "Yes," said I, "something especially fine-say about six thousand dollars."

He smiled. "We haven't anything intolerable and it was a terrible sight | made up that I would call especially to see. I consulted doctors for months. | fine. We have a rather short coat of rather light skins, moderate quality, that will cost ten thousand dollars." "Ten thousand dollars !" I exclaimed. "Then what would a good coat cost?" He continued to smile and produced a number of fine skins-the real Inperial sable, very dark with silver lights playing through the soft fur. And he showed me the price marks, five hundred and fifty dollars a skin, about ten dollars a square inch.

"This is the best Siberian sable," he went on. "A coat of moderate length, Such a case is on record, however, and say thirty inches, requires sixty skins and----'

"Sixty times five hundred and fifty," I murmured.

"Thirty-three thousand dollars, which

"And a longer coat?" I gasped. "One reaching to a lady's ankles would require, say eighty skins, that is forty-four thousand dollars," he re-

"And you sell coats at such prices?" I continued in amazement.

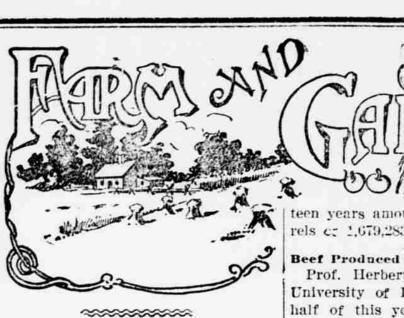
"We sell this kind of sable as fast as we can get it. The best skins are very scarce."

"And a muff?" I asked, meekly, "just a muff?"

"Five skins," said he, "twenty-seven bundred and fifty dollars. - There's chein the show case."

"And a boa? A little boa?" "Four skins at least, that is twentytwo hundred dollars."

Here then evidently I erred not on the side of exaggeration but of understatement; I put down thirty thousand follars as the maximum yearly sum that a few New York women spend on



The United States, it is estimated has 201,794,624 apple trees and 17,-716,184 pear trees.

It is not always the man who gets into the field first in the morning wiro raises the best crops.

The man who refuses to mix with his neighbor and flocks all by himself has mighty poor company.

Being a good neighbor means a great deal more than merely keeping our share of the line fence.

A steady pull of ten hours counts more than a spurt before breakfast and an afternoon's rest at the old fishin' hole.

You might about as well throw your hen manure into the creek as to mix It with ashes or lime. Peet or muck is the best to use as an absorbent.

Lambs make greater gains in feeding than old sheep. Good secondgrowth clover is a great feed for the lambs. The heaviest fleeces are generally found on medium-sized sheep.

For a number of years following the introduction of the culture of sugar beets in this country in 1887 the industry was at a standstill. By 1893 the production of beet sugar had reached 22,344 short tons. In 1901 it was 184,606, while last year the total output was 500,000 short tons. The increase noted is due chiefly to the extending of the culture of the sugar beets in the irrigation sections of the West rather than to its adoption in sections where there is sufficient rain-

The Chamber of Commerce, the busi-

ness men of Springfield, the exhibitors,

the newspapers and the people who

have patronized the exposition, have

all been sowing corn show seed. They

have visited the Illinois Corn Exposi-

tion which closed last night, seen the

glorious exhibits, realized the value of

the show as an entertainer and edu-

cator, and are sowing the seed of in-

dorsement right and left. Now let's

see that the fields are well cultivated,

enterprise properly nurtured and a

magnificent crop reaped in the form of

still better and greater corn show in

1909 than the brilliant show of the

cess of which were sufficient to war-

rant making the Illinois Corn Show a

Fife Wheat.

and romance. Take Fife wheats,

which were the foundation of many

varieties in spring wheats up to the

introduction of Durum wheat. Years

ago, nearly a century ago, David Fife,

Each wheat has its own life history

permanent institution in Springfield.-

Springfield Register.

corners? teen years amounts to 559,761,000 barrels ct 1,679,283,000 bushels. Beef Produced on Grass and Alfalfa. Prof. Herbert W. Mumford of the University of Illinois, who has spent half of this year investigating cattle conditions in Argentina, South America, recently showed to a farmer and student audience at the College of Agriculture a very interesting series of photographs which he took in that country, and gave the following, among 25c a bottle. other items, showing conditions in strong contrast to our own and throw-

ing clear light on the character of Argentina competition: The past three years Argentina has been exporting considerably more beef

to Great Britain than have the United States, and the Argentina beef can be delivered in London as cheaply as that from Chicago.

The best sires have been secured without regard to price, \$10,000 and \$15,000 being paid many times, and one aniznal was found which had cost \$21,cco. But the best bull seen on this trip was bred in Argentina. The shorthorns are the most numerous. The catthe country is close to the great river system which furnishes much of the

transportation, and lies principally immediately west of Buenos Ayres. As fine herds of cattle as you ever saw are produced in Argentina without a mouthful of grain, simply on grass and alfalfa, and these cattle were never in a stable. Breeding cattle in extra

fine flesh were seen on alfalfa pasture -one cow in particular showed actual rolls of fat on her rump, and yet she had never tasted anything else than alfalfa from her birth. Grass-fed mutton has gone to London market too fat to sell. One ranch or estancia visited contained 100,000 acres and had on it 18,500 cattle, 10,000 sb op and 2,000 horses. Most of the cuttle country is flat and level.

## Syntem.

Mrs. Homer-Isn't it terrible to have to cross the street at one of the busy

Headache,

Backache,

Sideache,

A Worn-out

Feeling.

These are especially women's afilic-

They are caused by irregular work-

It is of the utmost importance to

every woman to know that there is

no medicine so valuable for her, so

Lane's Family

Medicine

(called also Lanc's Tea)

medicine and is the favorite regulat-

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25c. packages.

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This tonic-lazative is a great blood

All druggists sell it in 50c. and

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Mrs. Storer-Yes, indeed You neve know when one of those big policemen i going to grab you by the arm and scars, you half to death .-- Chicago Tribune.

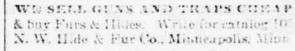
Only One "BROMO QUININE" That is LANATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day, 25c

#### Just a Dilivitte Upinion. "We are so fond of worry," says a Billville philosopher, "that if we ever reach paradise we'll worey about having

to fly too high and slag too often. We once knew a man who spent his lifetime trying to find out what he had to worry about."-Atlanta Constitution.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces in flammation, ailage pain, cures wind colle.

Glass brushes are used by artists who decorate clina. They are made of glass libers as this as span silk.



filterary Note.

Goodman Courons--You're goin' to write a hoof? Sufferin' Mosos! You? Saymold Stores-Yep. Some day I'm roin' to write the Ortobiography of a Tinyalla"



Another 60,000 Settlers from the United States

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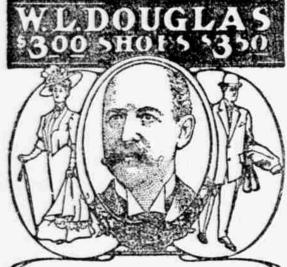
320 Acres of Land to EACH SETTLER-160 Free Bomestcad and 160 at \$3.00 Per Acre.

"A vast, rich country and a contented, prosperous people." Extract from correspond-ence of a National Editor, whose visit to Western Canada in August, 1908, was an inspiration, Many have paid the entire cost of their farms

and had a balance of from \$10.00 to \$20.00 per acre as a result of one crop. Spring Wheat, Winter Wheat, Oats, Barley

Flax and Peas are the principal crops, while the wild grasses bring to perfect in the best Cattle that have ever been sold on the Chicago market Splendid Climate, Schools and Churches in all localities, railways touch most of the settled districts, and prices for produce are always good. Lands, may also be purchased from Railway and Land Companies. For pamphlets, maps and in formation regarding low railroad rates apply to W. D. Scott, Superintendent of Immigration Ottawa, Canada, or E. T. Holmes, 315 Jackson St., St. Paul, Minn, and J. M. MacLachlan, Box 116 Watertown, So. Dakota Authorized Goverament Agents.

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fall to produce the ordinary tilled farm including everything, whereas ress. crops. nearly fifty thousand dollars may be spent simply for a fur coat with boa Success of the Corn Show.

and muff !- Success Magazine.

He Coulda't Tell a Lie. "Well, good-by, dear !" said Mr. Trueboy to his beloved spouse. "I must go and dictate those letters-twenty-six of them-so you musta't expect me home

very early." "All right!" was the response. "But I wish you wouldn't work so hard." Half an hour later, Mr. Trueboy enered his club and sat down, with three others, at a card table.

"Just a moment, you fellows, before the growing plant of future corn show the first hand is dealt. I've got to keep my word with my wife. One of you just take down what I dictate: 'A b c defghijklmnopqrstuvw x y z.' There! Those letters are off present year, the magnitude and sucmy mind."

# **Catarrin Cannot Be Cured**

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remdies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken interally, and acts directly on the blood and nucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for cears and is a regular prescription. mposed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly n the mucous surfaces. The perfect com ination of the two ingredients is what pro- a Scotchman of Otonabee, Ont., sent uces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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Improvident Citizen-Would you like subscribe a dollar or two to help out poor old washerwoman in bed with heumatism and the house full of hun-

ry children? Provident Citizen-Sorry, old man, out I can't afford it. Will you come along with me to some lively show at the theater where we can forget these sordid miseries, and a nice little supper after ?- New York Press.

If You Are a Trifle Sensitive bout the size of your shoes, it's a satisfacion to know you can wear smaller shoes by prinkling Allen's Foot-Ease into them. When rubbers or overshoes become necessary and your shoes pinch, Allen's, Foot-Ease gives instant relief. Sold Everywhere, 25c. Sample FREE. Address Allen S. Olm-sted, Le Roy, N. Y. dccept no substitute.

#### An Advantage.

"But your country is so lacking in places of historic interest," said the European.

"That's one of it's great advantages," answered Mr. Cumrox. "In this country a man can travel for hours without being obliged to listen to a lecture."-Washington Star.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

No Mud for Hogs. There are some farmers who are im-

pressed with the belief that hogs do not require mud wallows in summer and then there are others who declare that a hog that does not have access to a mud hole cannot thrive. There is no doubt that a hog is a "hog" in his habits largely because he does not have a chance to be decent.

He needs a great deal of water in hot weather, and if he cannot get it he will take mud as the next best thing. A hog rushes to a mud hole to cool off. He comes out and the mud dries on his skin. The next mud bath he takes adds another layer to that already dried on and in a short time the pores of his skin are completely clogged up with mud. Now, a hog cannot thrive with his pores all closed any better than a man. A dirty man is never a perfectly healthy man nor a dirty hog a perfectly healthy animal.

If a hog has access to a deep pool of water, as he should in hot weather, he will keep clean and thrive much more than if he lies around in a mud hole made filthy by long continued use. Most farmers who supply a bathing place for their hogs make them so shallow that they are soon converted into

mud holes. On our home farm we usually kept to a friend in Glasgow for a small from thirty to fifty pigs and they had bag of seed wheat to try in a cleared a pool of water fed by a stream, and it patch of the backwoods. The friend was deep enough for them to swim in. obtained some seed from a vessel just The sides were dug down sharply and were laid with cobblestones for a distance of four or five feet from the water's edge. The pool was always reasonably clean; we never had trouble with mange or lice, and when on two woods farmer watched for the growth occasions cholera swept through the country our hogs were not affected. The hogs never used the pool unless the weather was extremely hot. We do not believe in the mud idea for hogs or filth of any kind for other animals .-- J. B. Miller.

### Made Clever Girl Blush.

One of the cleverest girls in New York society blushes every time she hears the name of Octave Mirbeau, the Paris playwright, for it reminds her of an occasion on which she betrayed ignorance of one of the simplest of agricultural products. She went with her chaperon and several friends to the author's Cormeilles

house to see the gardens, of which he is prouder than of his playwriting ability. One of the first things that caught her eye was a bed of green plants tipped with red. The contrast appealed to her aeschetic sense, and she gushed a little, just the least bit

# Start the New Year Right!

TART the new year with a clean mind and a clean body! Most people are very neat

and clean in their outward appearance, but how about the inside? Are you clean inside?

And if not, how can you face the New Year with clean thoughts, clear intelligence, a fair. just, and bright mind, and your full share of capacity for work and enjoyment.

The holidays are over and everybody's had a good time-perhaps a little too much of a good time. Over-eating and overdrinking have been the rule ever since Thanksgiving Day.

Many people get little exercise in winter and breathe much stuffy, over-heated inside air.

At the same time they eat too much rich and indigestible food, while fresh fruit and fresh vegetables are scarce in the market. So stomach and b wels are liable to be over-taxed.

Clog up, stretch and paralyze the large intestine by over-stuffing it with undigested food, so it can not carry off the useless refuse, and it "backs up" the sewage, and compels the small intestine to absorb the poison of decaying matter, instead of wholesome nourishment.

The standard state of the state

pleasant company to themselves and others.

But, you say-"I'll take a course of Spring medicine to clean+me out next April.'

Not considering your duty to yourself and family, isn't it certain that to leave the body full of poison all winter, and then suddenly attempt to force out all impurities by one violent attack is dangerous, absurd and unreasonable?

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Keep clean inside all the time. That's the simple solution.

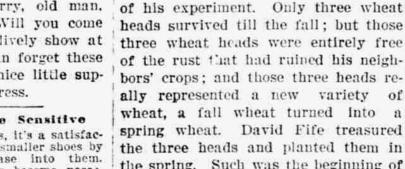
If you can not diet, or keep your mechanism going by proper exercise, the selfevident alternative is to take Cascarets. the sweet, fragrant, harmless little vegotable tablets, that "act like exercise" on your bowels, and gently but powerfully clean out and disinfect the whole digestive canal.

A Cascaret every night before going to bed will "work while you sleep" and make you "feel fine in the morning."

If you have been neglecting yourself for some time, take a Cascaret night and morning and break up the "constipated habit" without acquiring a "cathartic habit."

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Cascarets are sold by all druggists, 10c.



the three heads and planted them in the spring. Such was the beginning of Fife wheat in America. It is thought it must have come originally from Russia: for, crossed with Russian Lagoda by Dr. Saunders, of Ottawa, it has produced a wheat splendidly adapted for the cold climate and long summer sun-

light of the northwest.

Decrease in Apple Production. To show the decreases in the production of apples in the Union in the last twelve years, these statistics, compiled by the Federal Department of Agriculture, are quoted :

Growers produced 60.540,000 harrels

in from Dantzic. Unfortunately, it was a fall wheat and reached David Fife in the spring. Nevertheless, David Fife sowed it in the spring. One can guess how feverishly the back-

FURS WANTED We will net you 22 to 26 cents straight through for your Muskrats according to No. of kits. \$1.00 each for prime Skunk, broad stripes included. All kinds of Furs booming. Write for price int. PEMBER'S HIDE & FUR HOUSE, Drawer 26, Onawa, lowa. HELP INSIST ON HAVING T. Martel'S Preparation WOMEN The Standard Remachy. At Dragsist Send for book "Hellef for Women." TRENCH DEUG CO., 30 W. 324 St., N.Y. City UNUSUAL BIG BARGAIN For only ten cents		the entire crop of 1897, when the yield amounted to 41,536,000. Another de- crease followed in 1898, the yield being placed at 28,570,000 barrels, but in 1899 and 1900 there were substantial in- creases, placed at 37,560,000 and 47,- 960,000 barrels, respectively. There was a drop of 20,890,000 barrels in 1901 mbile in 1902 there was an in	what lovely things they are. Tou must send me some of the flowers when they bloom, dear M. Mirbeau." To which, with a laugh, the builder of comedies returned, "You may have to wait for some time, for they are cabbages—the kind one eats in your beautiful America with corned beef, you know." The Real Thing. Mrs. Bluehose—Who is your favorite	Inat's what must happen. Isn't it plain as day? What's the result? Nearly everybody "gains in flesh" in the winter time, but it's pussy fat—not healthy flesh and muscle. The liver gets inactive: the bile doesn't "work off"; the eyes get yellow: the skin gets dead like putty and pale like dough, with boils, pimples, blackheads, liver-spots to break the monotony. Dizziness, headaches, blurred vision, foul breath, sleeplessness and a temper like a wild cat make such persons very	<ul> <li>25c and 50c. The 10c size trial box is a neat fit for the vest pocket or lady's purse. Be sure to get the genuine, with the "long-tailed C" on the box and the letters "CCC" on each tablet. They are never sold in bulk.</li> <li><b>* * *</b></li> <li><b>* FREE TO OUR FRIENDS!</b> We want to send to onr friends a beautiful French-designed GOLD-PLATED BONBON BOX hard-enameled in colors. It is a beauty for the dressing table. Ten cents in stamps is asked as a measure of good faith and to cover cost of Cascarett with which this dainty trinket is loaded. 711 Send to-day, mentioning this paper. Address Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago or New York.</li> </ul>
by mail prepaid. No risk as can return. is used in every family; sel 8 quick at sight; worth 50 cents. Agents, male and female, can make 55 to \$20 a week. L. C. Dean, So, Omaha, Neor. CURES WHILE ALL, LISE FAILS Eest Cough Symp. Tastes Good, Use in time. Sold by druggists.	met you when you spoke at Amster- dam, N. Y." "Ah," mused Mr. Depew. "Amster- dam-m-m. Let me see, now. That was 46 years ago. Impossible; you were not born then." And with a courtly bow Chauncey disappeared behind one of his broad smiles.	Forty-five million barrels of fruit pro- duced in 1903, and in 1994 the yield was 300,000 barrels greater. Then, in 1905, it dropped to 23,500,000 barrels, and in 1906 it increased to 36,130,000 barrels. The crop of 1907 fell off to 25,000,000 barrels, which is the estimated yield for 1908. The total yield for the thir-	Mrs. Bluehose—Why. I wasn't aware that he was of a literary turn. Mrs. Shopleigh—Oh, yes; he writes checks. Milk that is delivered to the homes of New York City each morning comes	for spot cash. 10 to 50% more more sell at home. Write for Price List, HUNTERS'& 7 450 pages, leather bound, Best thing about Trappers' Secret, Decays, Tra	SAHADDES wy for you to ship Raw Furs and Hides to us than to market Report, Shipping Tags, and about our RAPPERS' GUIDE 24 F. Hoa, on the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so that a subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all Fur Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject ever written. Hustienting all for Animals. All so the subject eve