Some notion of the magnitude of the shipping of the lakes may be obtained by comparing the tonnage of vessels passing through the St. Mary's Canal with that of vessels using the Suez Canal. During the 225 days that the St. Mary's Canal was open in 1891 8,888,759 tons of actual freight, valued at \$128,178,208, passed through, being, as compared with 1890, a decrease of 152,454 tons, but an increase of \$25,963, 259 in value. The total number of vessels was 10,191, of which 9,744 had an aggregate registered tonnage of 8,400,685 tons. The eastbound freight amounted to 5,696,681 tons, and the westbound to 2,919,068 tons. The actual freight tonnage passed through the Suez Canal in 1888 according to official returns was 6,640,834 tons; in 1889, 6,783, 187 tons; in 1890, 6,980,014 tons; and in 1891, 8,698,777 tons, so that the freight carried through the Sault St. Marie Canal during the season of navigation in 1891 exceeded in bulk that carried through the Suez Canal, which was open for the whole year.

A Toronto gentleman, who has exceptionally good means of knowing the crop yields in certain areas of the United States both from reports and personal visits, asserts that, from what he has learned and seen, the apple and potato crops over great parts of Michigan, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Iowa and Illinois are poor, and, in some districts, a practical failure. It means a shortage of the succulent tuber and the festive fruit to a serious extent. The United States, if thus forced to import for home use, not having enough for themselves, will certainly have to pay a good price, and also foot the duty. In which event the McKinley Act will be loaded up at the other end, and do deadly damage amongst the innocents who thought they were playing with the stock of the gun and not with the barrel end.

for eggs, against £2,200,000 in 1880 and Times, Aug. 27. £1,200,000 in 1870. Into this capacious maw Canada poured in 1889 821,930 dozens, in 1890 1,545,260 dozens, and in 1891 4,807,-860 dozens, the value being given in the British statistics for each year as respectively £29,862, £58,107 and £160,496. Our contemporary is perfectly correct when it says: "The Canadian producer may rest assured that he has struck the right market.

The Salisbury government took no aggressive steps in defence of Canada's sealers, but it pursued a policy sufficiently antagonistic to United States contentions to show that there was a line beyond which it would not be safe for our large but petty, alleged liberty-loving but tyrannical neighbors to It now remains to see what the Gladstone Ministry, with the Marquis of Ripon at the Colonial office, will do. " On Tuesday evening, August 30th, the captains and crews of five sealing schooners flying the British flag, and one American schooner, arrived at Victoria, B.C. Their vessels had been seized by the Russian man-of-war Zabraska, although they were seal fishing outside the three-mile limit, but the captain of the Zabraska claimed for Russia absolute sovereignty in the waters a thousand miles from her shores. Here is a splendid chance for the Grand Old Man to enter a friendly but effectual remonstrance against Russia's high-handed proceedings. Mr. Gladstone is understood to be a consistent and confirmed friend of the Muscovite. Beingso his remonstrance ought to have effect forthwith, but we very much fear, notwithstanding that the British Foreign Minister, Lord Rosebery, is said to approve the policy of his predecessor, Lord Salisbury, that nothing substantial will be done and that the five captains and five crews will have to grin and bear the outrage to which they have been subjected in the best possible

In the lull which has followed the excitement of the English elections and Minister- ies of those who may happen to live next Dr. McCartney, druggist, who reports large ial changes the talk about Mr. Gladstone's door to him. If bickerings and disputes, if sales of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with equivocal attitude respecting Egypt has jealousies and entanglements, if wrongs the most decided benefits to those using been renewed in London. A correspondent committed against the marital relation come them. takes the only sensible view of the matter. to his knowledge, he keeps his lips closed, and conscience clear. The remains ticed with interest the reports of the great of having any one except Lord Rosebery in silent because it is his duty as a good man benefit derived from the use of Dr. Williams' the Foreign Office, and is in harmony with and a citizen not to add to the sum of human | Pink Pills, and the case of Mrs. Chase goes his views respecting Egypt. Whatever unhappiness. He will not assist in setting to confirm the claim that they are a wondermay have been said when the Nile countries | husband and wife by the ears. He will not | ful discovery in the interests of humanity, were occupied at the time of Arabi's rebel- plant the seeds of distrust between parents restoring vitality to the broken down syslion, England is now there and will hardly and children. He will not breed dissension tem. Considering that Mrs. Chase had dare to withdraw her garrison. It is not between neighbors." for the interest of civilization that she should retire from Egypt. If it had not been her intention to keep the garrison there are those which should prevail in the offices | ulous virtue in the rea edy which has raispermanently and to promote the ends of of newspapers. It believes that there is ed her to her present condition of health, good government on the Nile, she ought plenty of news in the world which is of in- after she had spent hundreds of dollars in never to have landed a regiment at Ismailia, terest to the public, and which the public doctoring, and for other so called remedies, nor to have opened fire upon Alexandria.

Methodists have long been planning to start in Washington, will be a big affair. It many persons who would rather read of the builder and nerve restorer-curing such is intended to cost \$10,000,000, and the doings and the misdoings of their neighbors diseases as rheumatism, neuralgia, partial money which is to be given for its erection and endowment is to be begged all over the is really of importance. So there are in all nervous headache, nervous prostration and United States, if not all over creation. Mrs. Logan, who has undertaken to raise a million dollars for the endowment of the woman's department, recognizes to the full the national character of the undertaking, and is to follow the political organization in different parts of the country, at least in newpaper man to writ for his best read- troubles peculiar to the female sex, while in outline, in her method of collecting the ers. funds. It is a fortunate thing for the managers of this embryonic institution that they have enlisted Mrs. Logan's interest in their cause. She is a host in herself, and her enthusiasm will doubtless so quicken the interest of others that she will secure her object. Since the Methodists are next to the largest body of Christians in the United States in point of numbers, there is an immense constituency to beg from, and there are many wealthy Methodists who will be glad to connect their names with the endowment of an institution which shall give their religious body so far as a university at Washington can do it, a national character.

Unionists in England are giving prominence in their arguments to the figures Men still young have witnessed discoveries showing the total number of illiterate and inventions, which, while they have voters at the bye-elections held between fairly revolutionized the methods of human April 9, 1891, and June, 20,. 1892. In the life, are taken almost as a matter of course. counties of England and Wales on a total New and wonderful discoveries are made poll of 96,599 there were, 1561 "illiterates"; almost daily; we quickly adapt ourselves in the English and Welsh cities and bor- to the changed condition, and even wonder oughs on a tetal poll of 42,129, the number | that the inventive genious of man had not | a star. was 435; in Scotland's counties on a total long ago penetrated the scerets of nature, poll of 2,342, there were only 11 "illiter- almost daily being brought to our sid. ates," and in Scottish burghs on a total While in all directions great character have poll of 11,122 those unable to read plain been made, perhaps in none have the versal acceptance and approval of the pleasprint numbered as low as 53. The analysis strides been creater, than in the science of ant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs, as of these figures indicates that the propor- medicine. O'd methods have entirely dis. the most excellent laxative known, illustrate tion of illiterates in Scotland was only 47 appeared, the days of big, nauseons, doses, the value of the qualities on which its sucper cent.; in England and Walss 1.32 per cupping and bleeding, have passed away, cess is based and are abundantly gratifying ent., and in Ireland 9.29 per cent.

WILL NOT LEAVE LOUISIANA.

What President Conrad Has to Say About the Big Lottery.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 26-President Paul Conrad, of the Lovisiana Lottery Company, was interviewed to-day about the despatch regarding the company's attempt to purchase a location in the Sandwich Islands. He said: "It is a 'fake' sensation pure and simple, or a malicious concoction, designed, perhaps, to prejudice the company in the minds of the people of the United States by creating the impression that our business is to be removed from the legal restrictions and accountability it is now under by virtue of the laws of Louisiana. Were the Louisiana State Lottery Company to become a Hawaiian instead of a Louisiana concern, of course it would be practically an impossibility to enforce claims against it; whereas, being a daly chartered corporation of this State, it is amenable to the laws. Obligations can be enforced through the courts against it the same as against any lawful and responsible company.

"But what are the company's plans for the future? Might not their negotiations be

carried on without your knowledge?" "Scarcely, such vast sums as are talked of are not carried in one's vest pocket nor expended by one member of a concern without consulting his associates. The owners of the Louisiana Lottery are now scattered over the globe seeking peace or pleasure, according to their condition or taste. Mr. Morris, with friends, have been for weeks cruising about on his yacht, and I doubt if Williams' Pink Pills, hence when the cure any one has communicated with him on business of any description. Certainly he is not giving himself any concern about lottery business, and I repeat there is simply nothing in this alleged San Francisco story except idle gossip, so far as I know, and I happy after long years of suffering, before think I know all the facts. The Louisiana | she learned of the efficacy of Dr. Williams' Lottery Company will live out its allotted Pink Pills. Mrs. Chase herself admitted Hog's Casings. Full lines New Hams, Long time as fixed by its vested rights, say a the reporter, who found her a lady of superior Clear Bacon, Rolls, Cheese, Lard, etc. PARK. England's egg-bill, says the Empire, grows | couple of years longer, doing business here as yearly greater. Last year the people of the | it always has, and abiding by the popular United Kingdom paid outsiders £3,520,918 decision in the recent contest."-[New York

What to Publish.

opinion in Canada and the United States as | the ensuing ten years her life was one of | unless they are satisfactory. to what should be published as news. Many almost constant misery. In January, 1891,. newspapers abuse their freedom in this she grew worse and finally had to take to her particular, and give place in their columns | bed and was reduced by suffering to the point to matter that good taste, good manners, of death. All the time she was under the good morals and good sense would exclude. | treatment of leading doctors. After weary The excuse given by some editors is that months Mrs. Chase longed for some change the public want the news which is condem- and in October asked her doctor if he would nable and they must have it. It is, in the consent to her taking a trip to her mother's, first place, very questionable whether the | who lives near Port Hope. This was finally majority of newspaper readers like the agreed to and on Oct. 3 last she set out for articles, paragraphs and items which the that place. On the way, a lady, a stranger best class regard as objectionable. We to her, noticing her weak condition stronghave a very strong suspicion that, in Canada, ly urged her to use Dr. Williams' Pink at any rate, they do not. We see that the Pills, and again on her arrival at her destipaper which is bright and newsy, and yet nation her friends urged her to try this clean, is popular, while the paper that habit- wonderful remedy. On Oct. 10 she consentually goes beyond the verge of propriety ed to give the Pink Pills a trial, and soon is universally condemned. There are items found such beneficial effects that it needed which, though not exactly improper or no persuasion to continue the treatment. suggestive of impropriety, are, neverthe- In less than three months she was fully less, exceedingly objectionable. The subjects | restored, and on Jany. 15 returned to her of these items are of a private nature. home in Midland, where her friends were Their publication often gives pain to rejoiced and gr tified at the wonderful worthy people, and are really of no inter- change which Pink Pills had wrought in her recommend est to the general public. Even if the con- health and appearance. Mrs. Chase has duct chronicled and commented upon in such | since continued to enjoy good health and | items is reprehensible, nothing but a grati- says that she cannot too highly praise Dr. fication of a curiosity that cannot, by the Williams' Pink Pills, which have rescued utmost stretch of charity be characterized her from debility after many years of alas laudable, is effected by making it public. most hopelessness. Her husband also ex-

from reproducing some of them: duct itself towards its public as a gentleman | scribed it, "like receiving one from the carries himself towards his neighbor. A dead." He said that his wife's condition man of character governs himself according had been such that in going only a few yards to the precept of the Golden Rule. He does | she would be obliged to rest, or obtain help, not pry into the secrets of others. He does and before her restoration she had been unnot seek to know, nor care to know, what equal to the slightest exertion. goes to make up the happiness or the miser- While in Midland the writer called upon

would be benefited by hearing, without dis. of various kinds. In fact Dr. Williams

A MIDLAND MIRACLE.

Case of Mrs. F. A. Chase.

Sufferer for Over Ten Years -Treated by the Best Doctors to the Place, Only to Grow Worse-The Particulars of Her Recovery as Investigated by a Reporter of the "News-Letter." Orillia "News-Letter."

What wonderful progress the closing half of the nineteenth century has witnessed ! and diseases formerly held to be incurablef to the California Fig Syrup Company.

now speedily yield to the treatment of advanced medical science. For more than a year past there have appeared in the columns of the "News-Letter," from time to time, the particulars of cures that have been the wonder of all who were acquainted with the persons restored. Perhaps the case of Mr. John Marshall, of Hamilton, was more fully fastened in the public mind, for the reason that he had been paid a total disability claim of \$1,000, only after having been pronounced incurable by a score or more of men, who are leaders in | pure. the medical profession. As publisher of the "Canadian Workman" the writer has the Neatly describes the position of a hard or the Local Medical Examiner, the Grand and the Grand Lodge Officers, it will be where. seen that in none but a genuine case of disability could a claim be paid. That the claim was paid Mr. Marshall under this stringent scrutiny was unimpeachable evidence of his total disability; that he was afterwards made a well man was due entirely to a treatment of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills-probably the most remarkable medical discovery of the age. This case was but the first of a series of cures equally remarkable, due to the same grand agency each of which has been verified by the most trustworthy testimony. The "News-Letter" in common with many others, has taken a deep interest in noting the testimony given in behalf of Dr. of Mrs. F. A. Chase, was reported from Midland recently, we decided to interview the lady and verify the truth of the report; with this end in view, Midland was visited, and Mrs. Chase found looking well and intelligence, who, while not wishing for BLACKWELL & Co., LTD., Successors to JAS. notoriety, was willing to give her candid testimony in favor of Pink Pills, for the benefit of other afflicted persons. To the reporter Mrs. Chase said that up to her sixteenth year, she had been a healthy girl, but There is a good deal of difference of at that period sickness overtook her, and for A late number of Harper's Weekly contains presses his thankfulness and appreciaremarks on this subject which are so pertition of Pink Pills, and the unlimited nent and so judicious that we cannot refrain pleasure with which he received his Fine Guns, Rifles, Shooting Suits, wife on her return, looking so well and "A newspaper," it says, "should con- happy, which was as though he truly de-

suffered ten years, and last October was This excellent weekly holds that the rules looked upon as being at the point of death, which govern good conduct in an individual | there may be something of an almost mirac-The American University, which the figuring the columns of newspapers with Pink Pills are recognized as one of the gossip and scandal. There are, no doubt, greatest modern medicines -- a perfect blood than of what is going on in the world which | paralysis, locomotor ataxia, St. Vitus dance, most every company, some who prefer back- the tired feeling resulting therefrom, diseasbiting and scandal to intelligent and inno- es depending upon humors in the blood, cent conversation, but a man or woman of such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, the principle does not consider himself or herself after effects of lagrippe, etc. Pink Pills rebound in any way to pander to their vitiat- store pale and sallow complexions to the ed taste. In the same way it is best for a glow of health, and are a specific for all the the case of men they effect a radical cure in all cases avising from mental worry, over-

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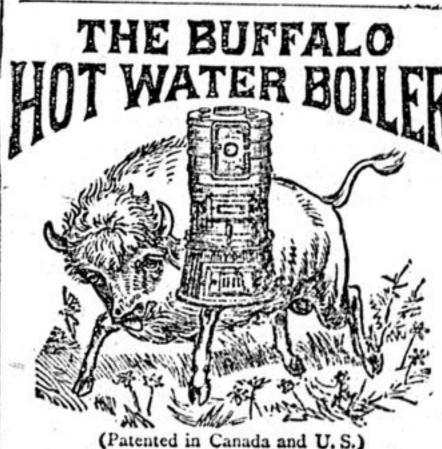
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