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HOW THE RUSSIANS DO IT.

Most of us think of Russia as a land of snow and ice, and are unaware of the fact that excellent crops are gathered there in the summer season.

In July last a field trial of Binders, Mowers and Reapers was held at Ischigri (Russia) the conduct of which was remarkable for its thorpughness. The details of the inspection and judging were so minute that we publish a few extracts from the official report for the benefit of our farming readers.

The firms invited to compete were Massey-Harris, Deering, Osborne, Plano, Adriance Platt. Walter A. Wood, McCormick, Milwaukee and Johnston.

Plano, Adriance Platt and McCormick did not answer the invitation the Milwaukee declined to take part because they deemed one month's notice insufficient; Walter A. Wood sent machines but did not partici-

The jury comprised the President of the Agricultural Society, who is also a member of the Provincial Council; a delegate from the Ministry of Agriculture, two members of the Provincial Council, three estate owners, seven district agricultural

Inspectors, and two agriculturists. (We refrain from giving the names because they are Russian and very

hard to spell). The ground was lumpy, and a hill side test was chosen. The crop was very long rye, heavily mixed with weeds and partly laid.

In the Binder trial the machines worked for about 41 hours. The working of each machine was watched by four judges. . .

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HOW CAUSTIC BURNS.

Take a piece of woollen cloth, or a piece of a blanket, and boil it thoroughly in a strong solution of caustic | way. soda, and you will find the wool will gradually be eaten away, leaving nothing but the si-eleton. Women do not realize how "soap substitutes," which are generally surcharged with soda, or how common alkaline soaps solutions, resulting in eczema, coarse skin, and brittle nails. The caustic soda may loosen the dirt, but it eats There is no economy in such work. difference between an alkali charged deep. soap and a neutral washing soap, that it is strange that there is room for any but a pure soap on the Canadian market. Sunlight Soap has been tested by chemists and analysts the world over, and its freedom from free alkali or caustic has been demonstrated by the highest medical authorities. Consequently the true saying, "Sunlight Soap reduces expenses."

PERSONAL POINTERS.

Interesting Notes About Some Leading People.

The Mikado of Japan has recently issued a decree allowing a Japanese woman to lead, if she chooses, a single life. Hitherto, if unmarried af-One is a little purse made of green ter a certain age, a husband was se-

The fame of a "musical prodigy" sometimes lasts through life. Signor which formerly belonged to Edwin when twelve was awarded a gold medal by the Pope for playing at the

> The house that is being built for Mr. Schwab, the president of the Steel Trust, on Riverside Drive, in New York, will be regal in its magnificence. The tapestrics for its interior decoration will alone cost \$50,000; the whole establishment costing something like \$5,000,000.

One of the members for Melbourne in the Victorian Parliament recently elected, Mr. J. A. Boyd, was a A.B. in the British navy. The nearest approach to a parallel in the English Parliament, perhaps, is Mr. Joyce, the member for Limerick, who at the time of his election was a working pilot on the Shannon.

King of Sweden and Norway is athlete of a very high order. No holiday has any charm for him unless he can indulge in plenty of hard exercise. He can walk twenty-five miles in six hours, without turning a hair. Possessed of great strength, His Majesty once stopped a pair of runaway horses on the Riviera and saved the lives of three persons.

Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian author, loves to keep his hair in disorder. This is said to be his one vanity. He always carries a little toilet case, containing a lookingand a comb, which are attached to the lining of his grey hat. He will often remove his hat to look into the mirror to see how his hair laces of the system. They offer one hun- is lying. If it is not rough enough to suit his fancy, he uses the comb to give it the requisite tangle.

King Edward enjoys a salary over \$5,000 a day, and this is by no means so large as many other rulers receive. He gives away a great deal more money privately than anyone imagines, and is often more than generous. He pays for all his boxes at the theatre, and for all his own telegrams, letters, and parcels. His military wardrobe is valued at \$75,000, and the saloon carriage in which he travels on the Continent cost him \$35,000. King Edward has given in public charities \$1,550,000. As Prince of Wales his telegrams and stamps cost him \$5,-000 a year.

Seventy years ago Lord Strathcona was an errand boy in a small village in Scotland. He possessed untiring energy, immense self-reliance, and stupendous powers of perseverance. In addition to these qualities he had a constitution like iron. At the age of sixteen he went to Canada, in the days when it took more than a month to cross the Atlantic, and entered the service of the Hudson Bay Company. Later on

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IMMENSE PEAT AREAS.

There is, according to a contemporary, a great future for peat as fuel. The most productive area for destroy their clothing; consequently it is the North of Germany and the they, week by week, subject costly adjoining parts of Denmark and Holfabric to such treatment. The hands land. In Friesland there are bogs also are immersed for hours in such 1,500 square miles in extent, and Germany has more fuel in peat than in coal. A square mile of bog 10 feet deep contains peat equal in heataway the fabric and ruins the hands. ing power to over 300,000 tons of coal. Ireland has a million acres of It is so easy for a woman to test the large bogs from 10 feet to 30 feet

> Lord Brassey has bidden farewell King Edward to public life at the comparatively early age of 66, but he has done an immense amount of public work in his time.

It is understood that it is in contemplation to start a memorial to 6,000 colonials who lost their lives in South Africa.

One hundred years ago there were five carriages to each 100 people in England; now there are 17.

PHYSICIAN AMAZED AT QUEBEC CASE.

This Hitherto Incurable Disease Has at Last Yielded to Medicine - The Statement of a Man Cured of a Very Bad Case Four Years Ago.

Quebec, Jan. 12.—(Special)—Physicians and others interested in medicine have been very much interested in a remarkable cure which has been made in this city. If the facts are as reported and the gentleman in question has signed a posiall particulars—this case will mark a new era in the treatment of at least one hitherto incurable disease.

Some few years ago, Mr. Sam Desrochers, of this city was almost dead with Diabetes. He had been ill for over five years and toward the Notwithstanding his years, the last the symptoms became so very marked as to leave no doubt in the minds of his physicians as to the nature of the ailment.

He had an unquenchable thirst, his feet were always cold ; he had some very acute pains around his kidneys. These and many other symptoms were all present and no one thought for a moment that he could ever recover.

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His astonishing recovery created quite a sensation at the time and many wondering inquiries were The street passenger traffic of Lonhe hadn't Diabetes then nobody ever persons. had it, and Diabetes was incurable ! -- Then how could he be cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills ? The cure was only temporary and it would return was what many said.

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WONDERFUL GROWTH.

The extraordinary resuscitating power of light received a very curious illustration a few days ago in the silver mines at Laurium. A mine had been abandoned more than 2,000 years, and the seeds of some poppies were found beneath the slag of a species which had disappeared for twenty centuries. The slag being removed, in a short time the entire space was covered with the most gorgeous show of poppies. After their twenty centuries' rest they had bloomed as vigorously as ever without air or a single drop of water.

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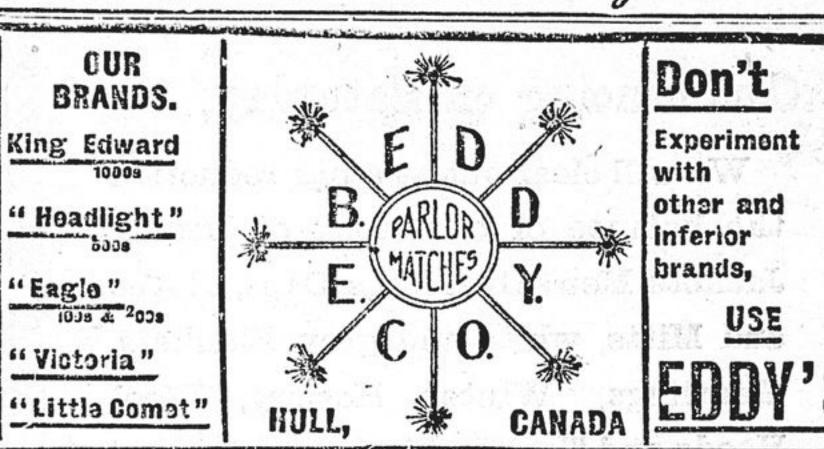
What error in arithmetic does geology teach? - That stones may be quarts (quartz).

AT THE TELEPHONE.

In Stockholm almost every householder is "on the telephone," and practically every kind of business is discussed by means of the instrument. This fact has been turned to account by the police authorities in a curious way. The creditors of a business man who had serious doubts of his integrity employed a detective to obtain information about him. The detective "tapped" the telephone wire from a house at which the suspect was staying, and overheard many private conversations. The action of the detective, however, has aroused considerable indignation among the community.

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