

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY. CANADIAN OPPORTUNITIES 100,000,000 Bushels. Grain Crop in Manitoba in 1902. Proportionate yield in Alberta, Assiniboia and Saskatchewan.

The Victoria Loan and Savings Co. Notice is hereby given that the seventh Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Company will be held at the office of the Company on LINDSAY on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd, 1903, at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Wetherup Sewing Machines. New Williams Standard-Grand Domestic Wheeler & Wilson. Tail Dealer in SEWING MACHINES.

and Exploration Co. PRODUCED over \$150,000 in one year: ca. loads running over \$20,000. Thousands of tons in low grade silver and gold from \$11 to \$45 per ton.

Inventory Sale. Shoes, Trunks and Valises, g. Jan. 24, and continuing as advertised. Bals, extension soles, Buff Bals, extension 25.97c. Dong Bals, extension low .97c. Butt Boots sizes 3 to 10. Lace Boots, ex. sole, .97c. Dong. foxed Bal and .97c. Alaskas, regular price. Sock Alaskas, regular Overshoes, regular

KHURSTI MAN. Near the Market, Lindsay.

AT PEACE WITH THE WORLD King Edward Brilliantly Opens British Parliament. His Majesty's Speech From the Throne—In the Commons Premier Balfour Informal the Liberal Leader That the Colonial Secretary Spoke by Authority in South Africa—The Lords Passes the Address in Reply to King's Speech.

London, Feb. 18.—King Edward, accompanied by Queen Alexandra, and surrounded by the court and all the officers of State, opened Parliament yesterday afternoon. The King's Speech. "My Lords and Gentlemen. My relations with all the foreign powers continue friendly."

17 PEOPLE DROWNED. Cyclone Struck the Steamer Olive and Sent Her to Bottom of Chowan River. Norfolk, Va., Feb. 18.—A cyclone struck the passenger steamer Olive, which plies between Franklin, Va., and Edenton, N.C., at 9.30 o'clock Monday night, and sent her to the bottom of the Chowan River, off Woodley's Pier, Mount Pleasant and Olive's Wharf.

SHOT BY HIS COMPANION. Was Told He Couldn't Shoot Straight, and He Tried. Cornwall, Feb. 18.—The ten-year-old son of Norton Yates, a cheese-maker, of Cornwall Centre, was seriously shot Monday by his companion, another youngster, named Runions.

MAN WHO PICKED WEEDS. How Prof. John Macoun Gathered Subjects for Investigation Throughout Western Ontario Last Year. Last summer a man with a knapsack on his back walked over a large part of Western Ontario, arousing a great deal of curiosity and inspiring some fear by his peculiar conduct.

IN THE COMMONS. Premier Balfour Informs House That Mr. Chamberlain Speaks by Authority. When the House of Commons assembled yesterday afternoon, Speaker Gully read the King's speech to a somewhat slim gathering. Mr. Gratton, Conservative, moved the address in reply to the speech.

Back Up Chamberlain. Premier Balfour, in reply, said Mr. Chamberlain had consulted his colleagues. He added: "We entirely endorse and make ourselves responsible for the general policy he has declared in South Africa."

there. An incorruptible government was needed to introduce the primary elements of order in Macedonia. In conclusion, he defended the action of the British Government towards Venezuela. Broadly speaking, he added, the negotiations were carried out with the greatest regard, not only for the feelings of the American people and Government, but for the feelings of Venezuela.

THE TARTAR CUE. Said to Be Worn Out of Gratitude to the Horse. Herbert Allen Giles in "China and the Chinese" says that there are strange misconceptions as to the meaning of the Chinese cue, which has really been worn by that nation for only about 250 years.

Coffee Chewing. "Coffee chewing," says a doctor, "is a habit easily contracted, for the taste of the crisp roasted berries is not unpleasant, and the exhilaration, the stimulus, that the berries give is quite marked as that which would be obtained from a glass or two of beer or from a drink of whisky."

When Ice Covered Europe. During the long tertiary epoch, when oppossums sported themselves on the site of Paris and mastodons tramped along the valley of the Thames, the earth was in the throes of mountain making. The Alps, the Himalayas, the Alleghenies, the Andes, attest the power of her activity in those days.

Not In His Sent. A certain congressman was very busy at his desk in the house one morning when a page announced, "A gentleman in the lobby to see you, sir."

Effect of Chloroform on Chinamen. It takes a very large dose of chloroform to anesthetize the Chinaman. He passes under its influence more slowly and rarely shows the excitement often characteristic of the initial stage of anesthesia.

Easy sympathetic. "This is a cold unfeeling world," he remarked bitterly. "Ha!" returned his companion. "You, too, have heard the ribald laugh when you slipped on a banana skin, have you?"

What Weeds Teach. The country bordering on Lake St. Clair, Lake Huron, and part of the Georgian Bay will, he thinks, play a large part in the production of apples for export. On this point he says: "The soil in most places is of the right kind, being largely mixed with lime, and the climate being cooler than that on Lake Erie, the fruit will be later in ripening, and hence will keep better."

Violates of the Ottawa. It was shown last fall that the country about Owen Sound and Meaford could produce a large apple crop, for when supplies failed elsewhere the orchards of that district came to the rescue. Persons severally practical in their work and sympathetic may smile to learn that Prof. Macoun's assistant "spent some time during May in a further study of the violets of the region about Ottawa, several new species being added to those already known."

Simple. Ethel—A sixteen page letter from George! Why, what on earth does he say? Mabel—He says he loves me.

Organ grinders in Vienna are not allowed to play in the morning or evening—only between midday and sunset.

THE N. HOCKIN SHOE STORE THE GREATEST SNAP OF THE SEASON. Our Mr. Hockin, during his peregrination—bargain hunting last week, picked up some of the biggest money savers in the shoe line ever offered the good people of Lindsay.

THE N. HOCKIN SHOE STORE SOLAR PHYSICS. R. A. Stupart, F.R.S.C., Observatory Chief, on Matters Meteorological and Astronomical—Trolley System Troubles.

Pedlar & Emmerson BLACKSMITHS and COLLICUTTERS. We beg to call the attention of the general public to our facilities for re-painting. Our Paint Shop is in charge of a First-Class Painter, and we use only the best stock.

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