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AN INDIANA MAN COMPARES WESTERN CANADA WITH THE UNITED STATES.

What Mr. Frank Fisher, a Prominent Dunkard, Has to Say After a Trip Through Canada.

Ottawa has just received from Mr. E. and sixty acres. T. Holmes, the agent of the governcomment. It is only necessary to state that Mr. F. Fisher, the writer of the letter is one of the most prominent of the Dunkards and a man upon whose word the utmost reliance can be placed. His home is at Mexico, Ind., and he will be pleased to substantiate verbally or in any other way all that he says in his letter.

Anyone desiring information apply to nearest Canadian agent, whose addresses are here given:

Detroit, Michigan.

James Grieve, Sault Ste. Marie, Michi-J. B. Crawford, 214 W. Ninth street, Kansas City, Mo.

Benjamin Davies, 164% East Third street, St. Paul, Minn. T. O. Currie, Room 12 B, Callahan's block, 203 Grand avenue, Milwaukee, Wis.

ing, Chicago, Iii. W. V. Bennett, 801 New York Life building, Omaha, Neb.

C. J. Broughton, 827 Monadnock build-

W. H. Rogers, Watertown, South Da-Moines, Iowa.

J. H. M. Parker, 530 Chamber of Commerce, Duluth, Minn. E. T. Holmes, Room 6, Big Four building, Indianapolis, Ind.

bus, Ohio. To My Many Friends-I am pleased to make a report to you of the pleasant visit my wife and I had in Western Canada.

Joseph Young, 511/2 State street, Colum-

We visited the territorties of Alberta, Assiniboia, and Saskatchewan, and found them far surpassing our imagination, but little did I expect to find such rich, loamy soil, so much of it, and so uniform in its level prairie lay. I do think the soil of Canada as a rule equals if not excels the finest prairie farm lands of Indiana. These lands are immense in their richness, and when once the sod is rotted and pulverized, it is as pliable and as easily cuitivated as Indiana sandy soll.

Western Canada, from my point of view, offers as fine opportunities for mixed farming as any place in my knowledge. The long, sunshiny days, together with the rich soil, produce very fine wheat, oats, barley, flax and other cereal products. There is scarcely any attempt to raise corn, except early varieties for table use. The season is too short to depend upon maturing field corn. From the standpoint of getting this land ready for of the farmer. the plow, I must say that I never saw Canadian land, however; some of it | 110 bushels to the acre in 1899. has quite a bit of timber, much of it may be called brush land, and some of it has lovely forest groves, dotted here

The Department of the Interior at | and there, thereby covering a hundred

I have no doubt but that this counment stationed at indianapolis, Ind., try excels as a grazing or ranching the following letter, which requires no country, because they have such rich grass, having an abundance of rain to keep it fresh. They also have plenty of water streams, and as a rule water may be reached at a depth of from 20 to 40 feet. From this you can see there can be plenty of hay mown for winter feeding, and I have had reliable farmers to tell me that their stock will feed on hay alone, and be ready for market in the spring. Upon inquiring about the expense of raising a steer, a farmer replied that he did M. V. McInnes, 2 Avenue Theater block, not consider it would cost any more

> old steer. I truly think Canada offers a fine opening for a young man or a man who is renting land in Indiana. One hundred and sixty acres of good black land will cost you only \$10 at the time you enter it, and by plowing and cultivating five acres each year for three years, gives you one hundred and sixty acres of good land for \$10. This land can be bought from the railroad companies, private corporations or the government for \$3 to \$4 per acre.

than \$4 or \$6 to develop a three-year-

From a financial standpoint, I believe that for a series of years (five) a young man can make \$10 in Canada, whereas he would only make \$1 here, and I feel sure that I spent more money to get my eighty acre farm in White county, Indiana, cultivated than it would cost me to cultivate eight hundred acres in Canada. This may seem a strong view to take of the matter, but when you take into consideration the clearing, ditching, fencing and the expensive breaking in of the stumps, and then compare the expense to that of land needing only the breaking, you will conclude that it is not such a wild or exaggerated statement as you might at first think.

I enjoyed the balmy, breezy atmosphere, which was bracing and refreshing, and the cool nights which made it so pleasant for sleep.

On making inquiries regarding the winters in this country, I learned that the people never suffer from the cold, as the weather is dry and invigorating, and in a great many places farmers and berders allow their stock to run outside the year round.

One great advantage to the settlers in Western Canada is the free creameries established by the government and run exclusively in the interest

I visited Thomas Daley, a farmer such a vast extent, practically all near Edmonton, Alberta, who showed ready so all that one has to do is to I e oats he had raised, some of which hitch up the plow and go to work. took the first prize at the Paris Ex-This is not the case with all the position last year. The same yielded

Yours truly,

FRANK FISHER. Mexico, Ind.

WISCONSIN FARM LANDS.

The best of farm lands can be obtained now in Marinette County, Wisconsin, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & lands in Cuba. This is nearly one-half St. Paul Railway at a low price and on very favorable terms. Wisconsin is noted for its fine crops, excellent markets and healthful climate. Why rent a farm when you can buy one much cheaper than you can rent and | cedar, walnut, lignum-vitae, oak and in a few years it will be your own property. For particulars address F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, Chicago.

Rockefeller Pitches Quoits. John D. Rockefeller's favorite pastime outside of business hours is pitching quoits, at which he is said to be very clever. He was speaking of this game when some one asked him if he ever played golf. "Golf," was Mr. Rockefeller's reply. "I don't know anything about golf. I wouldn't even know how to hold my caddle."

The Right Sort of Dictionary. Our dictionary makers appear to docate the plurals of many words, which shows indecision or ignorance. The firm that publishes a work giving all approved plurals and the correct style of spelling them will meet a want that has long been pressing. Most of our dictionaries are slack wads.-New York Press.

A Wholesale Fruit Order.

The Hood River Fruit Growers' union in Oregon recently received an order from a Chicago 2rm for 50,000 or 100,000 bushels of apples in bulk lots. The demand was too big for the supply, which this year will be about 90,-000 boxes.

123 PAINT

When you paint you want it, 1 to last; 2 look well; 3 protect your house. Some paint does 1, not 2 or 3; 3; lead and oil does 2 well, 3 fairly, 1 badly.

Better have it all; 1 2 3 paint: Devoe ready paint; the best isn't too good.

Get Devoe of your dealer; take nothing less. Pamphlet on painting sent free if you mention this paper.

Rich Timber Land in Cuba.

It is officially estimated that there are 13,000,000 acres of virginal forest of the total area. The improvement of transportation facilities will bring some of this to market. It will include mahogany, ebony, grandilla, majagua, pine. There are more than thirty species of palm, some of which have special uses. But timber cutting and sawing are for the specialist who "knows a tree" and has had experience in "making sawdust." It is an unsafe industry for the uninitiated.

"OH, MAMA, Something is Biting Me."

It is not itching piles that aim you or your child. It is the pin or seat worm that causes you or your child to have rectal trouble. Soon after retiring for the night the worm appears. It bites and stings and causes scratching and aching. Mothers know what it means when the child eries out: "Ma, Ma, something is biting me." And sure enough, upon examining her child, she finds the naughty, white, sharp pointed at both ends, the troublesome pin worm imbedded in the child's rectum. This worm causes more nervousness to young or old persons than any other disease. And the itching is not piles but pin worm. The only sure and harmless remedy is STEKETEE'S PIN WORM DESTROYER. Ask your druggist for Steketee's Pin Worm Destroyer. In order that you get the right medicine, send me 26c postage. Will send by return mail. Address GEO. G. STERETEE. Grand Rapids, Mich. Please mention this paper.

High Rate of Speed.

"They were talking about an elevated road in New York City with a speed of 200 miles per hour."

"It seems to me that there would be one serious objection to such a high rate of speed." "What is it?"

"Well, suppose you wanted to get off at Forty-second street. You'd have to speak to the conductor about it the day before."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Model Illinois City.

Hoopeston, Ill., demands respectful attention. Its mayor serves for 50 cents a year and its councilmen for half as much. There has never been a saloon in the place, though it has now some does 2 awhile, not 1 or a population of 4,000, and its pavements, school superintendent, addressing the fire department, water supply and public works generally are all right,

> She-"Don't you find journalism rather thankless work?" He-"Oh, no. Almost everything I write is returned with thanks,"

For something good, try Mrs. Austin's Famous Pan Cake Flour, ready in a jiffy. Your grocer has it on hand.

Some so-called singers should be ar-GOOD PAINT DEVOE, CHICAGO, rested for uttering bad notes.

Text of Address on Day Before Shooting.

COMPLIMENTS EXPOSITIONS.

Says They Are the Timekeepers of Progress--Modern Inventions, Have Brought Into Close Relation Widely Separated Peoples-Wonders of the Telegraph.

The following is the text of President McKinley's address at the Pan-American Exposition on the day before he was shot: Expositions are the timekeepers of progress. They record the world's advancement. They stimulate the energy, enterprise and intellect of the people and quicken human genius. They go into the home. They broaden and brighten the daily life of the people. They open mighty storehouses of information to the student. Every exposition, great or small, has helped to some onward step. Comparison of ideas is always educational; and as such instructs the brain and hand of man. Friendly rivalry follows, which is the spur to industrial improvement, the inspiration to useful invention and to high endeavor in all departments of human activity. It exacts a study of the wants, comforts and even the whims of the people, and recognizes the efficacy of high quality and new prices to win their favor. The quest for trade is an incentive to men of business to invent, improve and economize in the cost of production. Business life, whether among ourselves or with other people, is ever a sharp struggle for success. It will be none the less so in the future. Without competition we would be clinging to the clumsy and antiquated processes of farming and manufacture and the methods of business of long ago, and the Twentieth would be no further advanced than the Eighteenth century. But, though commercial competitors we are, mmercial enemies we must not be. The Pan-American exposition has done its work thoroughly, presenting in its exhibits evidences of the highest skill and illustrating the progress of the human family in the Western hemisphere. This portion of the earth has no cause for humiliation for the part it has performed in the march of civilization. It has not accomplished everything; far from it. It has simply done its best and without vanity or boastfulness, and recognizing the manifold achievements of others, it invites the friendly rivatry of all the powers in the peaceful pursuits of trade and commerce, and will co operate with all in advancing the highest and best interests of humanity.

Nearness of World's Countries. After all, how near one to the other is every part of the world! Modern inventions have brought into close relation widely-separated peoples and made them better acquainted. Geographic and polit. ical divisions will continue to exist, but distances have been effaced. Swift ships and fust trains are becoming cosmopolitan. They invade nelds which a few years ago were inpenetrable. The world's products are exchanged as never before, and with increasing transportation facilities come increasing knowledge and trade. Prices are fixed with mathematical precision by supply and demand. The world's selling prices are regulated by market and crop reports. We travel greater distances in a shorter space of time and with more case than was ever dreamed of by the fathers. Isolation in no longer possible or desirable.

Wonders of the Telegraph.

We reached Gen Miles in Porto Rico by cable, and he was able through the military telegraph to stop his army on the firing line with the message that the United States and Spain had signed a protocol suspending hostilities. We knew almost instantly of the first shots fired at Santiago; and the subsequent surrender of the Spanish forces was known at Washington within less than an hour of its consummation. The first ship of Cer. vera's fleet had hardly omerged from that historic harbor when the fact was flashed to our capital and the swift destruction that followed was announced immediately through the wonderful medium of telegraphy.

World's Steam Railroads.

At the beginning of the Nineteenth century there was not a mile of steam railroad on the globe. Now there are enough miles to make its circuit many times Then there was not a line of electric telegraph; now we have a vast mileage traversing all lands and all seas. God and man have linked the nations together. No nation can longer be indifferent to any other And as we are brought more and more in touch with each other the less occasion is there for misunderstandings and the stronger the disposition, when we have differences, to adjust them in the court of arbitration. which is the noplest forum for the settlement of international disputes.

Unexampled Prosperity.

My fellow citizens, trade statistics indi rate that this country is in a state of un exampled prosperity. The figures are almost appalling. They show that we are utilizing our fields and forests and mines. and that we are furnishing profitable employment to the millions of workingmen throughout the United States, bringing comfort and happiness to their homes and making it possible to lay by savings for old age and disability. That all the people are participating in this great prosperity is seen in every American community and shown by the enormous and unprecedented deposits in our savings banks. Our duty is the care and security of these deposits and their safe invest ment demands the highest integrity and the best business capacity of those in charge of these depositories of the people's earnings.

Outlets for Surplus.

By sensible trade arrangements which not interrupt our home production we shall extend the outlets for our increasing surplus. A system which provides a mutual exchange of commodities is manifestly essential to the continual healthful growth of our export trade. We must not repose in fancied security that we can forever sell everything and buy Hitle or nothing. If such a thing were possible. It would not be best for us or for those with whom we deal. We should take from our customers such of their products as we can use without harm to our industries and labor. Reciprocity is the natural growth of our wonderful industrial dvelopment under the domestic policy now firmly established. What we produce beyond our domestic consumption must have a vent abroad. The excess must be relieved through a foreign out let and we should sell everywhere we can and buy wherever the buying will enlarge our sales and productions, and thereby make a greater demand for home labor. The period of exclusiveness is past. The expansion of our trade and commerce is and friendly trade relations will prevent reprisals. Reciprocity treatles are in

the pressing problem. Commercial wars are unprofitable. A policy of good will harmony with the spirit of the times measures of retaliation are not. Our earnest prayer is that God will gra ciously vouchsafe prosperity, happiness and peace to all our neighbors and like blessings to all the peoples and powers

"Now, children," said the Sunday juvenile class, "I want you to be perfeetly still-so still that you can hear a pin drop!" For a moment silence reigned supreme, then a small urchin exclaimed, "Let 'er drop, mister."

of the earth.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins. "I wish you would save up your money and buy a yacht." "What for?" "We need so many things for the table. And winning races seems such a cheap way to get stiverware."

JOURNAL OF THE YEAR 2000. Correspondence Columns Not to He Filled

By Bore Writers. My own culture and turn of mind.

which is probably akin to that of a respectable mechanic of the year 2000, inclines me toward a daily paper that will have, in addition to its concentrated and absolutely trustworthy daily news, full and luminous accounts of new inventions, new theories and new departures of all sorts (usually illustrated), witty and penetrating comments upon public affairs, criticisms of all sorts of things, reproductions of newly produced pictures and works of art, and an ample amount of ably written controversy upon everything under the sun. The correspondence columns, instead of being an exercising place for bores and conspicuous people who are not mercenary, would be the most ample, the most carefully collected, and the most highly paid for of all in the paper I should prefer, and which my kindred mechanic will. This paper will have, of course, many pages of advertisements, and these will usually be well worth looking through, for the more intelligent editors of the days to come will, of course, edit this department just like any other, and classify their advertisements in a descending scale of freshness and interest that will also be an ascending scale of price.-H. G. Wells, in North American Review.

A NARROW ESCAPE. Bath, N. Y., Sept. 16th.—There is now at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home here an old sordie who has been nearer death than anyone who has lived to

tell the story. 1118 name is A. E. Ayers. For many years he lived in Minneapolis, Minn

where he is well known. Four physicians of that city once told Mr. Ayers that he could not live four days. He had Brights' disease.

As a last resort by tried Dodd's Kid ney Pills. He is strong and well today. He says: "I was in the very presence of death, but Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me. They are the greatest medicine in the world"

Mowing Machine is a Snake Killer. It is a curious fact that there are certain kinds of noises which attract snakes. The whirr of the mowing machine is one, and in six months as many as 120 cobras alone have been killed on a grass farm in India by getting in front of the advancing machine.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The Garfield Tea Co., manufacturers of Garfield Tea. Garfield Headache Powders, Garfield-Tea Syrup, Garfield Relief Plasters, Garfield Digestive Tablets and Garfield Lotion, are now occupying the large and elegant office building and laboratory recently erected by them. For many years the Garfield Remedies have been growing in popularity and their success is well deserved.

Pilgrims do not kiss the Pope's foot but the cross worked on the slipper that he wears.—Philadelphia Times.

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The oyster supply for the coming season is to be large, it is said.

I do not believe Piso s Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds. -Jons F BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

Teacher-What is the meaning of the word "excavate?" Small Pupil-It means to hollow out. Teacher-Correct. Now form a sentence in which the word is properly used Small Pupil—Stick a pin in a boy and he will excavate.

During the summer thrushes get up before 3 o'clock in the morning and don't go to bed until after 9 o'clock at page night, so they work nearly nineteen hours. Blackbirds are not nearly so industrious. They only work seventeen hours.

Kind Lady-Here's a quarter, poor man-what made your health give way so you had to beg? Tramp-Madam, I used ter be an ice man, an I got dyspepsy from samplin' left-over water melons in th' ice chists.



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John Herziger, son of Alderman Her ziger, of Neenah, Wis., and Vice Presi dent of the Neenah Young Men's Club, writes in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, the following:

"After suffering for two years with kidney trouble I received relief and a cure from using your wonderful medicine, Peruna.

"For months I was unable to work on account of a severe pain in my back, and when I was able to do anything was in pain and distressed most of the

"Hearing so much of the good resuits people had obtained through the use of Peruna I determined to give it a trial and it was a lucky day for mo when I did so. I am well now and it only took a few bottles of Peruna."-John Herziger, 307 Commercial street,

Two years suffering with catarrh of the kidneys, unable to work on account of the severe pain; could find no relief from medicine; gave Peruna a trial and was promptly cured-such was the experience of John Herziger of Wisconsin.

This experience has been repeated many times. Not only in Wisconsin but in every state in the Union. It was indeed a lucky day for this young man when his attention was called to Peruna. What would have been the result

ing away precious time with other remedies, no man can tell. But it is almost certain that it would have end in incurable Bright's disease of the kidneys, which sooner or later would

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Congressman Bankhead's Statement. Congressman J. H. Bankhead of Alabama, one of the most influential members of the House of Representatives. in a letter written from Washington, D. C., gives his indorsement to the great catarrh remedy, Peruna, in the

following words: "Your Peruna is one of the best medicines I ever tried, and no famili should be without your remarkable I know of nothing better."- J. H. Bankhead.

Samuel R. Sprecher, Junior Beadle Court Angelina No. 3422, I. O. O. F. 205 High St., Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "I came here a few years ago suffering with catarrh of the kidneys, in search of health. I thought that the climate would cure me but found that I was mistaken, but what the climate Seven weeks' trial convinced me that I had the right medicine and I was then a well man. I know of at least twenty friends and members of the lodge to which I belong who have been cured of catarrh, bladder and kidney trouble through the use of Peruna and it has a host of friends in this city."-Bamuel

R. Sprecher. If you do not derive prompt and sale isfactory results from the use of Poruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of had he continued suffering on and fool- The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Q.

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write now.

"Well," said the man who counts every penny, "there's one comfort about the hot weather we have been getting/" "You find comfort in it?" "Yes. The thermometer was bought the other day has been kept busy. It's a satisfaction to find that we didn't pay out our money for something that didn't work after we got it."

Willie-Oh, maw! I have sich pain in my stommick. Fond Mother-Wille, have you been eating something? Willie-No, maw, i didn't eat

a thing but eight green apples.

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