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I have been a sufferer for the past 25 years with Constipation, Indigestion and Catarrh of the Stomach. I tried many remedies and many doctors but derived no benefit whatever.

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Credit Sale
of Farm Stock, Implements, Etc.
The undersigned has received instructions from Mrs. Thomas Aitkens, Lot 26, Con. 4, Holland, to sell by Public Auction on

Friday, January 5th
the following: General Purpose 3 yrs. old; Gelding, rising 4 yrs.; Jew Gold; Luck; General Purpose Filly, 2 yrs. old; 1 Horse, 3 yrs. old; 1 Pony, Mare, rising 4 yrs. old; Colt, rising 1 yr. old; Cow, 5 yrs. old; Heifer, 2 yrs. old; 2 Yearlings; 6 Store Pigs; 2 Broad Wings; Mussey; Harris Binder and Trucks; Massey Harris Corn Binder, new; Frost & Wood Mower; Horse Rake, 5 feet; Frost & Wood Plow; Set Disc Harrows; Set Iron Toth Harrows; Set Iron Harrows; Fanning Mill; Pig crate; Set Scales, 2000 pounds; Cream Separator; Set Heavy Harrow; Set Plow; Harness; Set Single harness; Cook; Stove; 4 Down chairs; Hay Rake; Wood Tack; Iron Pulper; Skidding Tongue; Sled; Kettle; Set Bobbin; Sewing Machine; Straw Cutter; Hand saw; 2 Cant; Hooks; 1 Stone; A quantity of lumber; Variety of Tools; Chains and other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock. TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 12 months' credit given on approved joint notes, or 6 per cent. per month in lieu of notes.

Mrs. Thos. Aitkens, Prop. W. McNeill, Auctioneer.

Both parties were released from the Kings' Bench of detention a few days ago. Saturday and is now seeing the sights of Toronto. A few years ago Bob filled the local papers with the spiciest kind of news and the reporters had a new sensation every week but the law intervened and Bob retired from public life for a couple of years. He is hale and hearty and as fit as a fiddle. —Orangeville Sun.

CATARRH STAMPED OUT! LOATNSOME DISEASE CURABLE. Chronic Cases Cannot Exist with Morrissy's No. 26 for Internal and External Use.

ROGERSVILLE, N. B., April 6, 1910.
A few words as to the merit of your Catarrh Cure. For the last 10 years I was troubled with Catarrh of the bladder and stomach, and during that time I was, however, determined to find a cure, and hearing of your No. 26 decided to give it a trial, and am glad to say it has cured me, and I highly recommend it to all Catarrh sufferers. A. C. Thibodeau.

The above prescription is not a "Cure" or so-called patent medicine. Dr. Morrissy prescribed it for 41 years, and it cured thousands after other doctors failed. Rec. Sec. for the combined treatment of your Catarrh, write to Morrissy's Medicine Co. Limited, Montreal.

SORROWS OF A CROWN

Tragedies in the Life of the Dowager Queen of Portugal

The late Queen Maria Pia, the Dowager Queen of Portugal and grandmother of King Manuel, was the third child and second daughter of Victor Emmanuel II., King of Sardinia, afterwards King of Italy. She spent her early girlhood under the tender care of her mother, Queen Adelaide of Sardinia, in Piedmont. One night in 1862, when she was only fifteen, she was taken to the opera, and there the Portuguese Minister marked her out as his sovereign's future bride. A few months later she was married to King Luis, a marriage of affection entirely.

After her son's accession the Queen-Dowager spent much time at her beautiful castle on the coast of Portugal. She was an excellent shot, and one of her favorite amusements was to shoot at glass bottles floating in the sea. Queen Maria Pia was a great lover of music and an artist of some ability, while she was famous for her exquisite taste in dress and her witty conversation.

The Queen was at the head of innumerable beneficent institutions, which she directed in person, attending to the minutest detail. This royal lady was for forty years known as the "Angel of Charity."

The first great tragedy of her life was the assassination of her brother, King Humbert of Italy, in July, 1900, by an Anarchist. Then on that fatal day in February, 1908, was committed the terrible crime which robbed her and Queen Amelia of King Carlos and the young Crown Prince Luis of all their power. Queen Maria Pia was awaiting their return to the palace, and her first intimation of the awful catastrophe was when, by a lamentable oversight, the bullet-riddled bodies of the King and Crown Prince were borne into her presence. When the Dowager Queen saw her son's body she threw herself upon it, kissing the face, hands and breast of the dead man, piteously imploring him to speak to her. Her consolation never returned from this shock, and it is stated that she was always haunted with the belief that the blood from her murdered son still stained her hands.

Although begged by those who loved her to leave the people who had seen those nearest and dearest to her slaughtered in the streets, she stayed on to help her youthful grandson Manuel in his onerous task. When the revolution broke out, and the House of Braganza was banished by the Portuguese people, Queen Maria Pia showed the spirit of her house, by slowly driving out of the palace gates. The very revolutionaries doffed their hats in silent salute to the proud queen.

After the revolution Queen Maria Pia accepted the hospitality of the Italian Court. In addition to a monthly allowance of \$2,225 made by the Portuguese Cortes, the Assembly, King Victor gave her \$50,000 a year.

SCOTSMEN IN CANADA

Least Likely to be Discouraged by Hardships in Canada

In an article discussing types of settlers in Canada, the Victoria Daily Colonist sums up its views of the "Scotsmen." Experience with settlers from Scotland in the eastern provinces shows that of all newcomers they are the least likely to become discouraged by hardships and disappointments. Instances could be cited where settlers from Scotland, who were by no means well placed in respect to locality in Canada, have persevered against very adverse conditions and achieved success. They do not readily give up, and they are not willing to sacrifice the result of their work, the latter quality leading them to stick out against conditions which would discourage people of almost every other nationality.

When the Irish can be induced to go upon the land they exhibit excellent qualities, but again speaking from experience in the past, they are some what inclined to drift to the cities and work for wages in preference to becoming farmers. There are many conspicuous exceptions, and it would not be fair to mention localities settled wholly by immigrants from Ireland, which are now very prosperous.

A resourceful Englishman makes an admirable settler, but for some reason or other there are not as many of this type as could be desired. The facts seem to show that almost any Scotsman can make a success of farming in this new country under pioneer conditions, that most Irishmen will do the same if the lure of the city does not draw them away, and that a certain type of Englishman will also do so. We are speaking now of the pioneers only, the men who go out into the wilds and make a farm out of the rough. When it comes to the purchase of improved farms, we do not know that there is any difference to be noted between the people of the three kingdoms.

WATER POWERS ACQUIRED
To be Used in Connection with Electrification of C. P. R.

In connection with the probable ultimate electrification of a portion of the line in the Rocky Mountains, the Canadian Pacific Railway acquired a water power on the Adams River, which flows out of Adams Lake, and reports have reported that it is capable of developing a hundred thousand horse-power at two different points between the lake and its confluence with the South Thompson. It is in a heavily timbered country where extensive lumbering operations are now being carried on.

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- Fur Lined and Fur Trimmed Coats
 - Fur Stoles and Mantles
 - Coat Sweaters, Underwear
 - Silk or Wool Knitted Scarfs, etc.

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Decalogue For Women. Good Manners to be Taught in Public School

Given out by Boston Pastor—Marriage for Revenue Only and a Wagging Tongue are Among Things Banned by Him.

Brookton, Mass., Dec. 15.—The Rev. Albert Marion Hyde, pastor of the Porter Congregational Church, has circulated among the women of his parish "ten commandments for civilization." These are the commandments:

"Thou shalt not marry for a bank account, or even to escape being an old maid. It is better to remain single all thy life than to enter into the matrimonial state for revenue only. After the marriage thou shalt not put on an old wrapper, and leave thy hair on the bureau and wear slippers run down at the heels.

"Thou shalt not be a slave of fashions, making thyself a spectacle for the bystanders on the streets, furnishing jokes for the funny papers, and causing thy husband, father and son to blush for thee. It is better to be out of fashion than to be out of sense.

"Thou shalt not be out of sorts when thy neighbor in a limousine smiles on thee in a trolley car. It is better to ride in a car than in an automobile with a mortgage on thy home. Some women who have ridden in cars have been happy wives.

"Thou shalt not break down the no license laws by serving liquors at parties, even if thou callest it punch and it gives thee entrance into the best set.

REMEMBER CHILDREN'S AGE. "Thou shalt not forget the age of thy children in the street car or in the steam car or the steamboat, or in any other public conveyance, or even to the school teacher and truant officer.

"Thou shalt not let loose on thy husband or thy son or thy daughter or thy father or thy mother on ironing day or wash day, or baking day, or even in housecleaning time. If thy tongue is hung in the middle and wags at both ends thy husband will remember it is his lodge night and have a great desire to help initiate some new member. Thy sons and daughters will linger long on street corners and thine advertisement for hired help will be in the papers all the time.

"Thou shalt not spell home any new way—not as o-l-u-b or m-a-t-i-n-e-e or m-o-v-i-n-g p-l-o-u-r-e-s or even o-h-n-r-o-c-h-s-o-c-i-a-l-s.

"Thou shalt not forget where thy Bible is and be unable to find it when the minister calls.

"Thou shalt not make thine attendance at worship a matter of thermometer and barometer. Fair weather Christians are poor mothers and poorer church members.

and how to make money from them. During this course Mr. Morley Pettit, Provincial Apiarist, will give a series of demonstration, and illustrated lectures covering all the main features of practical management in a way that will be helpful to experienced beekeepers and beginners as members of the teaching staff, and a few expert bee specialists will be brought in from outside to tell how they have made a success in their special lines, such as the breeding of queen bees, the production of beeswax, etc.

Special time will be devoted each day to the discussion of practical topics by members of the class, and one whole day will be set aside for a Conference on Poul Brood.

Remember the dates, Jan. 9-20, 1912. No fees, no examination, reduced rates on railways.

For programme and further information address G. C. Creelman, B.S.A., I.L.D., President, O. A. College, Guelph, Ont.

Markdale Public School

Report of November and December.

FORM IV.—
4th Class.—Total 640:
Muriel Green 502, Willie Ritchie 451, Lily Matson 424, Dick Lucas 412, Josephine McCarthy 402, Jean Irving 366, Doris McAuley 365, Ruby Roche 363, Ross MacInn 363, Russell McManitt 341 (565), Goldwin Henry 328, (580) Milton Chapman 313, Clarence Henry 295, Oscar Watton 213, Lloyd Purvis 95, (200).

3rd Class (sr). Total 600:
Grace Armstrong 489, Kathleen McKeenit 441, Bessie Wilson 423, Harold Chapman 415, Mildred Erskine 411, Geruldine Matson 361, Edna Gibson 350, Sadie

5th Class (sr). Total 800:
Janet Powell 729, Donald Loch 658, Lloyd Burnside 631, Henry 545, Milton Morwood 541, Charlie Smith 525, Robbie Pettit 505, Norma McCutcheon 491, Esther Kleiss 429, Pearl Stoddard 396, Harold Perkins 381, Willie McCaehnie 340, Harold and (sr.) Total 800.

6th Class (sr). Total 800:
Bertha Brown 727, Russell Per 686, John Maidment 605, Ward Rorke 602, Garfield Menden 574, Ursula Henry 554, Irving 548, Gordon Oliver Douglas Phelan 516, Elmer Sully 499, George Matthews Annie Irving 455, Norma Riley 353.

7th Class (sr). Total 800:
Margaret Armstrong 347, Gordon McCutcheon 340, Johna 282, Cora Coleman 249, Firth 232, Everett Madill Wesley Stoddard 196, Arthur Loch 172, Gerlie Hicks 76.

8th Class (sr). Total 800:
The John 514, Frank Ritchie Fred Stoddard 378, Lella 366, Gordon Thidaudeau Bone Kerton 215, Lavora 205, George John 350, John Neely 332, Caroline Armstrong 322, Kathleen Firth 317, Noble 315, Johnnie Testet Minnie McCutcheon 119.

9th Class (sr). Total 800:
Bertha McKennit 272, Gladys 244, Ladena Henry 214, Kelly 210, Jack Perkins Herbert Henry 175, Retta 174, Dell Brown 114, Milton 110, Lorré Perkins 116.

10th Class (sr). Total 800:
List five in order of merit.
Mary Waterson, Nellie Waterson, Kathleen, Irene Coleman, Helen Alton.

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Bee Short Course

A Bee Short Course will be held at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Jan. 9-20, 1912. This course is free to all who are interested in bees and every session from beginning to end will be full of information on the care of