A KIRKFIELD TRACEDY

In highest spring, when colours' glowed, And brown squarels scuided 'long each Classing their tails o'er bourge'ning Ontario's sky soft-blue again ;

When passy-willows charmed and soothed With warm caross of fur, soft, deep; When drauness floil before the green, We saw what made us stop and weep.

In a Canadian Maple-wood, Where sap was running sweet and clear With shining, long tin pulls agloam Calnat rough, brown tron-trunks for

Each pail full filled with liquid white, All waiting to be litted down, And in old caldrons from black He boiled into a syrup brown.

In midst of this rare costasy, Within a pail filled with such cheer, A squirrel drowned - his paws upstrotches Ills fur still cloub, his oyos still clear ! -From The Canadian Magazine for May.

PRAVER.

Communication with his Makor by prayer is the most extited function in which man can be engaged because it exercises the bighost functions of the soul with the intellect and the world. It is the channel of heaven's choicest blessings. It excludes no one. It embraces all in the circle of its benediction. It gives us access to our Henvenly Father at all times. In all places and under all circumstances. In a word, prayer renders us co-operators with our Creator in the moral government of the world. -Cardinal Gibbons

A MODERN PRODUCT OF A MODERN MACHINE

"Those poor bits of ray-paper wit black ink on them : from the Daily News paper to the sacred Hebrew Book, what have they not done, what are they doluge Whatever be the outward form of the thing, is it not verily, at bottom, the bighest set of man's faculty that produces a Book? It is the Thought of man, the true thaumaturgic virtue, by which man works all things whatsoever. The thing we called 'bits of paper with traces black ink' is the purest embodiment Thought of man can have. No wonder is, in always, the activest and noblest."-Thomas Carlyla.

NOT YHE BAME

It was an "open" day in the Sunday sobool, and on such occasions a stranger gave on address. The speaker was a cot too mill-worker. "I am reminded, child ren," said he, "of the career of a boy who was no bigger than tome of the little boys I we before me. He played truant when Had Dyspeps a be was sent to school, went fishing every Banday, ran away from home when he was sleves years old, learned to drink, smoke a pipe, and play cards. He west into bed company, frequented music halls and low concert-rooms, finally became a pickpocket, then a forger, and one day, in a drunken fit, be committed a murder. "Children," be continued, impressively, "where do you think that boy is now?" "He stands before us!" cried the children as with one voice, to the atter discomfiture of the lec-

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

A LEGAL WIND

There was recently brought before police magistrate in the Houth an old darkey who had fallen foul of a bulldog while in the set of entering the her house

of the dog's owner. "Didn't I give you ton days last month for this same offence !" asked the magistrate. "It was the same hon house you were trying to get into. What have you

to say for yoursalf ?" The darkey seemed perplaced. gang fo' tryin' to ateal some chickens, did-

"Yes; that was the charge." "An' don't do law say yo' can't charged twice with de same offence " "That no man shall be twice placed in jeoperly for the Montical act, yes." "Den, yo' honah, youse gotta let me salt. I was after de same chickens, sul."

KNEW BETTER THAN THAT

A man from the hankwoods of the West visited New York for the first time one Christman, and went into a restaurant to have ble Christman dinner.

All went well until the walter brought him a napkin. The eyes of the backwoodsmen flawed, and pulling out a six-shooter from his kip pooket, he told that walter ble mind.

"You take that blamod thing away at once," he said, evenly. "I reckon I know when to use a handkerchief without havlag them darsed bints thrown out !"

CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years My the of Cart Hilstotics

No matter how deep rooted the corn warb may be, it thust yield to Holloway's

Health is the gift, contentations the rich ex. - Dhammanahu.

Cora Care if used as directed.

The man who cannot go to church wi out sleeping has a remarkable power keeping his eyes open at a political most

Affectation is the wisdom of foots folly for many a comparitively wise man

"THEY BAY"

There are two little words simple enough in themselves, that introduce unto trouble in the world and responsible for more govelp, scandal and harm than any two words in the English language These two words are synthing more than "They say." They have done more to rain the reputations than all other things. If you never quote what "they say" you The genuine is manufactured by The



ONE DAY OF PROHIBITION

To the Editor

Chicago has had a trial of probibition of the liquor traffic every Hunday beginning October the toth and the result arreported would entisfy my one but a drunkard or an idlot that the sooner the whole world green dry the better for everybody. When the saldons were open there was an average of three murders every Sunday, and a large number of accidents on Monday. Bince the saloons are closed on Hunday their has not been a murder on that day and Monday accidents have been greatly reduced.

The Editor of the Templar has been in Chicago investigating and has given some nteresting facts bouring on Hunday closng. Ten thousand her tenders will now have a day of rest and it has been estimated that the citizens of Chicago will have al-mit twenty-eight million dollars a year by Bunday closing.

A chorus of approval comes from the heads of the big manufacturing and mercantile industries. The reports show that there are fewer Monday accidents, merchants report selling more goods on Mon day, efficiency has greatly increased in the factories.

The foreman at Swift & Ca. Packing Plant, Morrio Codalty and H. S. Plant all agree with the foreman at Armoure, who said, "Our workmen come to the plant Mondays with clear heads and rested bolica. It was the complaint of all packors' before the saloune were closed that many mon either did not show up or were ry little use on Manday. Next Monde all the men were promptly on hand with steady muscles, rested bodies and mind tit for their tasks."

The Manager of the Illinois Steel Pla as a blat toward making this and other usued a statement to this start. cities cleaner and healthier, if seeded, we workmen were all on hand last Mozday for reproduce the following Ten Commandthe first time in years." When we sake them what caused the change they said they had nothing to do Bunday but rest for

Harshall Field & Co. and other bly Blate Street Department stores report the bi rest Monday sales in years.

That the temperance forces should w ach a victory in a city that has long been known as the heart of the liquor interests indeed good news. The American people are doing a lot of thinking these

There is a great awakening. What was winked at in the past will not be tolerated much longer. The only way to mend the saloon is to end it. They have been called draukard factories, but are they not mu der factories as well ?

H. Arnott, M.B., M.C.P.B. velusa.

EAST HE NEARLY THREETS

UP HIS YOUR

Burdock Blood Bitters CURED HIML

Mr. H. N. Manderson, Stattler, Alta. writes: "About twenty-five years are, in the Province of Quebec, I came pretty near turning up my toes with dyspensis. mine persuaded me to try Burdock Blood Bitters. In about two weeks I could eat anything from raw fat pork to unleavened bread. Three bottles did the job, and I have never been troubled with my stemach since. You would say that this is wonderful if you could say that this is wonderful if you could only see what we sometimes have to live on in this country; bannock, half

cooked beans, etc. Burdock Blood Bitters has been on the market for the past forty years, and cannot be excelled as a medicine for all diseases or disorders of the stomach. B.B.B. is manufactured only by The . Milbane Co., Limited, Toronto, Out.

Pain Floor Refore it .- There is more vis tue in a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric O as a subduer of pain than in gallons of bonah," be said, "'yo' sent me to the chain- other medicine. The public knows this and there are fow households throughout the country where it cannot be found Thirty years of use has familiarized the people with it, and made it a household medicine throughout the western world.

> Being respectable is a business with some nersons and a side issue with others Flattery is acceptable as long as it mas quenules as an unprejudiced candid opin

Learning to be discreet in what gets t into a lot of trouble. It is easy spaugh to talk provided yo

lon's feel that a listoner in an absolute Envy is a confession of inner destitu

Was All Choked Up Could Hardly Breathe.

BRONCHITIS

Was The Cause: The Cure Was DR. WOOD'S Norway Pine Syrup.

Mrs. Garnet Burns, North Augusta, Ont., writes: "I caught a dreadful cold, going to town, and about a week after I became all choked up, and could hardly breathe, and could scarcely sleep at night for coughing. I went to the floctor, and he told me that I was retting bronchitis. My husband went to the druggists, and usked them if they had a cough medicine of any kind that they could recommend. The druggist brought out a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrap. I started using it, and it completely cured me of my cold. I cannot tell you how thankful I was to get rid of that awful masty cold. I shall always been a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrap on hand, and I shall only be too glad to recommend it to all others."

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3. Thou shalt remember that fil

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the business section after half past

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rubbish to any back yard, vacant lot or

6. Thou shalt gather and burn all sort

7. Thou shalt provide a covered tecep-

8. Thou shalt not haul rubblah in lasky

O. Thou shalt make continual warfare

10. Thou shall whitewash or paint the

buildings, and shall keep thy premises

Children Cry

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Experienced Traveler (at railway restaur-

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Walter-"Bout ten minutes ago, sir."

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table give his order "

"A dima, air."

'Yes, air."

"What did be order?"

"Besisteak and potatoes, sir."

"How much did he tip you?"

other steak and bring me big."

"Well, here's a quarter. Cook him

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system, and prevent as well as cure all complaints using from a liver which has

Mrs. Yohn V. Tanton, Birnam. Ont., writes: "I take great pleasure in writing you concerning the great value I have received by using your Milburn's Lambiver Pilis for a sluggish liver. When my liver got bad, I would have severe head-aches, but after using a couple of visis, I am not bothered with them any more." Milburn's Lava-Liver Pilis are 25c a vial, 8 vials for \$1.00, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Y. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

PAT'S INVESTMENT

come from a disordered liver.

so weeds and untrimmed trees.

SE WORTH OF ANY

WHEELBARROW FOLKS

There are a good many people who go ike a wheelbarrow-that is, they go just us far as you push them, and when you stop they stop. You tell them to do a thing and they do it, and that is all they will do. If you want a thing done of ain you must tell them to do it again. If you want it done forty times, you must tell them forty times to do it.

set themgoing, can keep on themselves. They have some "go" in them. If you tell them to-day that you want a thing done, to-morrow you will find the same thing done without talling. If you complain face. that a thing has been neglected this week, next week they will see that it is not may

There is a great deal of difference in the value of these two kinds of people, because the wheelterrow kind of folks need somebody to run them, just as much as a nuch

They go only while you watch them and push them; so if you have one such person at work you must employ another one te watch blm and keep him going ; but if you have one of the other kind at work he will watch bloods, do ble work, and make you

It is very important for young people to licide which class they will belong towhither they will be wheellerrow felks. You have never been still for a single that go as far as they are pushed and then dop, or whather they can be depended upon to keep in motion after they are once started. Hoye or girle who must be told what to do and watched while they do It are not worthy of their salt ; but if a person can dow thing with coce talling, and continue doing it without further care, such a person la worth more than gold.

Some Have to Keep on Until They Almost Drop. How Mrs. Conley Got Help.

Here les letter from a woman who had to work, but was too weak and suffered too much to continue. How she regulated health:-



with female weakness that I could not do my own work, had to hire it done. ham's Vogetable Compound that I triedit. I took three claim. Now I feel as well as ever I did and

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Was he a slacker ?

who did it got some fresh light on his duty n regard to the war :- He did not look beyoud military age. "Now, toys," he said,

worms cause, use Miller's Worm Powders. the medicine per excellence for children ation of the digostive processes. As a verm-

An Irishman named M'Phee lived in shanty that atood in a field near a main

highway in a western oity. The foundat loss of the shanty were lower than the road through which ran a big water main. As A CLEAR ROAD the living floor of the place was raised on posts to make it level with the highway' left a large cellar undernath, where M'l'hee riving that afternoon.

kept a dozen hene. One day the water main burst, flooder the cellerand drowned the bank. Thereupon M'Phos entered a claim for damages against the city. After much delay, in fluential friends succeeded in notting \$25 in settlement of his claim.

"I've got me inoney! shouted the old man to his next-door neighbor. "Clad to hour that," was the reply ; "and how much was it M'I has ?"

"And phwat are you maing to do with "I'm goin' to invest it in ducks," said

Ass vermickle there is no preparation that equals Mother Grave's Worm Exterminator. It has saved the lives of pount-

There are other people who, when you

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HELP FOR

Frankfort, Ky .- "I suffered so much



into confusion. There would be no

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native roots and herbs, has for forty claims I have satisfied over and over years proved to be a most valuable tonic I again, and yet he parsists in dunning

It is not often that a school inspector aland allowed the poet a pension on the ows a class to put questions to him. One spot. don't be shy | It's your turn now. Ask me any question you like on any subject you like, and if I can I'll answer it." After healtating, a small but courageous hoy hold up his hand and blurted out, "Why are screw eyes at top and bottom of winyou are not in khaki ?"

To safeguard the child from damage that These Powders will clear the system entire. ly of worms, will regulate and atimulate will there be any risk of damage to the the organs injuriously affected by the unruly shade." worms, and will encourage healthful operifuge it cannot be surpassed in effective-

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In a certain village there was a physician soted for his rackless motor driving. Our day when he answered the telephone a weman's voice asked him if he were golugou

"No, I hardly think I will have his afternoon," replied the doctor. "Il why do you ask?" "Well," replied the anonymous question

er, "I want to soul my little daughter down town for somethread, if you are not."

The man who knows flow to treat ! wife finds it is up to him to keep busy far as his knowledge extends. After all, when a man gets a hard lo olroumstantial evidence Lenerally points the direction of merited treatment,

When engeriago is a falluro somotimo mony is more extisfactory. Bome persons look very foolish and I it go at that, while others simply are fool-

Tennyson's Birds. Of all the posts Tonnyson was the most exact in his rondering of the sound or calls of birds. A young lady

was present when he was reading "Mand." When he came to the pasingo which mays, "Birds in the high ball gardon cry, 'Mand, Mand, Mand!'" to auddonly coased rending and auked her abruptly what the birds were. She blushed and heeltsted and then

"Nightingales, I suppose." The post turned away with the one word "Itookut"

He slways made the sound right What could be better than "the moun of doves" and "'Whit, whit, whith chirruped the nightingale?" Then, linnets, robins and thrushes pipe" in his pages, the woodpecker "laughs" and "mocks," the lark and the plover "whistle," the jay "scritchea," the parrot "screams," the peacock "squalls." the blackbird "warbles." the ocean fowl "shrick," and the eagle "yolpa." He may well ask in one of the daintiest of his luliables, "What does little birdie say?" He knows, and he lots his readers know too .- London

Answers.

The Missing Chapter. The new pastor of a certain country parish is likely to lose the confidence of his flock unless he changes his ways. During his sermon one Sunday morning not long back he stopped abruptly und asked: "Ifow many of those here are dill-

gent students of their Bible?" Vifty hands went un. "Good!" said the pastor. "Now, how many of you have read the second chapter of Judo?" Twenty-five bands went up.

A wan smile overspread the divine's "That's also good, but when you go home read that chapter again, and you will doubtless learn something to your tutarest."

Reader, the point of this story list in the fact that the book of Jude consists of one chapter only.

Nasher to Park Are you richer today than you were restardar? No? Then you are a little morer. Are you better today than you were yesterday? No? Then you are a little worse. Are you nearer to your port today than you were sestening! Yee; you must be a little marer to some port or other, for since your ship was first launched upon the sea of life moment. The sea is too deep; you could not find anchorage if you would. There can be no pause until you come into port.-Henry van Dyka

A LONG Bleep. A Bwedish girl bolds the record for long eleoping. Hhe come home from her work soon after her fourteenth birthday, complaining of toothache, and went to bed. Hoon afterward she fell salsep and slept without waking from 1975 to 1007. a parled of thirty-two

Her only nourishment during this paried was two cupfuls of milk a day. She fully awoke at the age of forty-six and immediately asked for her mother. who was dead. She did not recognize her brothers, whom she had known as little boys. She remembered nothing during her trance. Yet her recovery was absolute. She became well and bearty to every way.

Historio Knowledge. Imagine the civilized world waking up tomorrow morning with every trace of historic knowledge and all memory of what has occurred in the past wiped completely out of mind and placed beyoud recovery. The world would fall

guidance for statesmen or for scientists. Every new problem would have to be solved by the long and painful method of trial and error. There tion and confidence springing from the recollection of man's past achievements. A nation without history would be like a man without memory.

A Troublesome Greditor. The post Clement Marot, being in very strattened circumstances, Went to the king and said. "I have come to lay before your majesty a complaint and harassing me every day."

"Who is the scoundrol?" the king in-"My stomach, sire. Though I have satisticd its wants time without number, it never coases to torment and I am uttorly incapable of meeting its demanda." The king was pleased with the joke

"When a shade is drawn in front of an open window," says the Woman's Home Companion, "It will often blow far into the room and be no protection whatever. This device is hardly visible and solves the problem perfectly: Put dow such and through the sist on each side of the shade. Fasten cord in top screw eye, run through the eye attached to slat and the securely in lower screw eye. The curtain may then be raised and lowered with perfect case, and there will be no flapping. Neither

He is no who man that will craft a certainty for an uncertainty. Espenal

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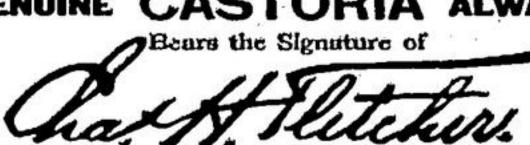
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