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#### THE HERALD.

month or so, will be as a thing of the past. We have had pienics under every style and name this summer. During the past week, a political gathering, otherwise called a picnic, was held at St. Catherines, under the auspices of the Liberal Conservatives of Lincoln, at which, it is supposed, six or seven thouwhich, it is supposed, six or seven thouand love her with all your heart. And sand people must have attended. Speeches were made by the leaders of the party opposed to the present socalled reform government, and everything went off in a most enthusiastic manner. went off in a most enthusiastic manner.

We believe that much good will arise from these gatherings of the people, as more faithful found and all these and my bird is from these gatherings of the people, as it has given those who have been malify you will never meet anywhere. You the jelly lit may take a long time to igned through the columns of the gov- | will not deserve her, we know, but she ernment press an opportunity of placing before the people an explanation of their conduct whilst in office, as also to show a p the short-comings of the professionista of purity and morality in their true color's. But it will not do to stop half ways. The men who believe the present govern, ment to be unfit to rule the destinies of this fair Dominion must push on and a "big push" it must be. What

ing that may now exist. A "big push" and grand rally and let each person come down handsomely, and the thing can be done, even if it takes twelve months to accomplish the object in

and go a great way to allay any illafeel-

If the state of trade is bad in the United States it is equally as bad in free trade England. In South Wales, Scotland and the North of England, the depression is terribly severe. Work is not only scanty, but unremunerative, and failures on a large scale are on the increase. In Staffordshire and the midland districts generally the iron works are scarcely half employed. The large cutlery houses keep their hand together by finding them partial employment. The railway branches are quiet in spite of the lowness of prices, the English companies ordering sparingly and the foreign customers refusing to buy. The shopkeepers and small traders generally are therefore suffering severely from the difficulty of collecting accounts as well as from the smallness of business.

Mr. J. C. Brydges, Superintendent of the Inter-colonial Railway, has forwarded us an offer of a complimentary pass over that line. If the Grand Trunk Railway would-also do so we might make a "big push" to accept the offer to see our friends down by the sea. We tender our thanks for the offer made us.

-There is no time spent so stupidly as that which inconsiderate people pass in the morning between sleeping and waking. He who is up may be at work or amusing himself; he who is asleep is receiving the refreshments necessary to fit him for action; but the out either pleasure or profit. The earlier by as its protector, and in order to be and more regularly you leave your bed the less often you will be confined to it.

his wonderful skill in smashing hearts, is being mentally measured and intellectually turned inside out by the smiling girls whom he thinks he is captivating. Many a veteran beau, who pulls on his gloves to depart, feeling proudly conscious of having made a profound impression on the susceptible soul of the belle, who has endured him for an evening, would be wonderfully enlightened, if not of the door announced his departure.

traint a good wife would be upon folly ; harm. then go and propose to the most sensible girl you know. If she says yes, tell her how much your income is, from what source derived, and tell her you then keep your promise. My word for it, she will live within your income, and milk and bread crumbs, throwing the to your last hour you will regret that you didn't marry sooner. Gentlemen you didn't marry sooner. Gentlemen, cayenne pepper, varied occasionally by don't worry about feminine extravagance some finely-mingled clove of garlic; diswill never know it. Now, throw aside

wiser, and a little more in love with her health. Paste must be fresh daily. than she with him. A woman should always be a little younger, and a little on and a "big push" it must be. What we propore is that a meeting or convention be held in some central spot of the whole Dominion, and that representative men be elected from every riding and electoral division to a ttend this meeting so that some united action may become to of not only Outrarie but also of the Neither must be isalous, or give the to of not only On tario but also of the other provinces. If the Dominion is to prosper as a whole, sectionalism must be in the other cause for jealousy — neither must encourage sentimental friendships with the opposite sex. Perfect confidence in wiped out and different parts of the Dominion must give and take, so that some means may be arrived at by which a policy that will be for the benefit of the water Darwinian and he incorrected the other, and retiscence concerning their mutual affairs, even to members of their mutual affairs, even to members of their own families, is a first necessity. A wife should dress herself becomingly whenever she expects to meet her husband's eyes. The man should not grow the water Darwinian are he incorrected. The man should not grow the water Darwinian are he incorrected. the w.hole Dominion can be inaugurated slovenly, even at home. Fault-finding, in nature has a homily, for us, the long arguments or scolding, ends the eager hunters after fictious enjoyment. How calm do they stand in their leveling men from different. the means of getting men from different parts better acquainted with each other, and go a great way to allay any illefeel. occur, and married people who are not lovers are bound by red-hot chains. If a man admires his wife best in striped honey and perfume in return! calico, she is silly not to wear it.

# A Chinese Market.

As I believe in the old theory which the food he consumes, I rapaired to the market place. For fully half a mile the of food. Fish, pork, fowls, ducks, vegetables of many kinds, and the fruit of the season lined its sides. Mushrooms were abundant and excellent, as I afterwards proved by having some cooked. Frogs seemed much in demand. They are brought to market in tubs and baskets, and the vendor employs himself in skinning them as he sits making sales. He is extremely expert at this particular branch of bis business. He takes up the frog in his left hand, and with a knife which he holds in his right, chops off the fore part of its head. The skin is then drawn back over the body and down to the feet, which are chopped off and thrown away. The poor frog, still alive but headless, skinless, and without feet, is then thrown into another tub, and the operation is repeated on the rest in the operation is repeated on the rest in the same way. Every now and then the artist lays down his knife and takes up his scales to weigh these animals for his customers and make his sales. Everything in this civilized country, whether it be gold or silver, geese or frogs, is sold by weight. Tea leaves, just as they come from the bushes, are sold in the markets, and those who have no tea farms of their own can buy the raw material and prepare it to suit themmaterial and prepare it to suit them-

# How to Study to Advantage.

study can do so infinitely better by himself, with the help of books, than tender our thanks for the offer made us.

The Aurora Banner has a dish of Sir

John matter for its readers in its last issue. The stuff must be getting unfit to swallow as it had been re-hashed up. to swallow as it had been re-hashed up in every conceivable shape for the past a very large number at once, and of different capacities, he most address ery wheel revolving rapidly on a flexible himself in such a manner as to be underrod, so that it can be readify turned in

# Agricultural.

#### Our Allies Against Insects,

THE TOAD .- I had a plant dreadfully infested with wood lice, almost destroyed hours spent in dozing are wasted, with- by them, and a toad located itself close ready in an emergency, he made in the mold a hole all but deep enough to hide himself in, but not deep enough to pre--Many a man lives with a woman half a lifetime without ever suspecting the plant: and when a wood-louse, beetle that the wife of his bosom has really forgotter more than he ever knew. Many carpet knight who plumes himself on was wholly his work. I only watched him sometimes, greatly pleased at his success. Another time, as I was one day walking along a path in the garden, I saw a toad approaching; the pace was quick for a toad, but I soon saw what he was after. Just on before him was a beetle which I expected to see caught, but ere there was apparently time for them to meet, the beetle had disappear-ed, so quickly that my eye was not quick enough to see it taken, but no doubt it was in the toad's mouth, for I heard a click which told a tale of capture. edified, could he hear the sigh of relief Two other toads seem to have concerted which escaped her lips when the clang between them how to act one evening so as to take a border regularly, and in order to do their work well it appeared RICHMOND HILL, SEPT. 1, 1876.

MAKE A "BIG PUSH."

The season for pienics, in another month or so, will be as a thing of the past. We have had pienics under every

of the door announced his departure.

—Young men you are wasting your time in dissipation and folly, you who side, having the box edging between them; and so did their work of clearing, keeping just opposite the one to the other, though they could not see each other, and I was watching from the window above. I wish we could all act with good feeling toward such useful creatures. They do much good and no harm.

Sick Canaries. The following treatment has completethe jelly. It may take a long time to cure the bird, and if the trouble arises from the hardness of the tongue it must selfishness and see what will become of it and you.

A Happy Couple.

A man should always be a little older, braver, and a little stronger, and a little braver, and a little more in layer with her leading to the strong the strong that the strong the strong that the strong that the self-warm room, for a bird in delicate health. Paste must be fresh daily.

#### Flowers are Pleasant.

Amongst all the pleasant things of life and the all-bountiful hand of Providence has scattered the path of our days with innumerable pleasant things, if man would but enjoy them—amongst all the pleasant things of life, there are few more pleasant than a walk in the flowergarden before breakfast on a sunshiny morning. To see those mute and still, though not motionless, creatures - we mean the blossoms, opcome their paint bosoms to the benificent rays which give them their color, and their leveliness, not kle in the sun, how do they drink up the cup of dew, and gratefully give back

# , First Floor Bedrooms.

If we had a house with a bedroom on the first floor, we would at once abolish teaches us to judge man's civilization by that room as a sleeping appartment, because we are satisfied that it is a wrong custom, it being much healthier to sleep street was literally crowded with articles upstairs. Many a family of which the members were suffering and weak in general, have been restored to a vigorous and healthy condition by following our advice, which was to remove their bedrooms upstairs; to have their beds, summer and winter, exposed the whole day to fresh air from open windows (excep tof course, when there is rain or mist), also to have during the night one window partially open, even in winter, so as always to inhale the fresh, cool air from the outside, but using at the same time the precaution to have sufficient bed covering to secure warmth.

You can close cracks in a cast iron stove by using wood ashes sifted through a fine sieve, to which is to be added the same quantity of clay finely pulverized, together with a little salt. The mixture is to be moistened with water enough make a paste, and the cracks of the stove filled with it. The cement does not peel off or break away, and assumes an extreme degree of hardness after being heated. The stove must be cool when the application is made. The same substance may be used in setting the plates of a stove, or in fitting stovepipes, serving to render all the joints perfectly tight.

A gentleman in Burlington, Vt., of an Any man who is really anxious to quiring turn of mind, determined to try

Mr. Alex Fraser, a clerk in the Globe office has been appointed Assistant Receiver General.

himself in such a manner as to be understood by all. But a man who studies any direction and brought to bear on any side of the foot, and any desired place on the shoe, by which the calks can be repeatedly sharpened until entirement of the shoe.

# How to make Hose Water-tight.

A method has been brought forward in Bavaria for rendering the hose of fire THE engines completely water-tight, so as to enable them to withstand the greatest pressure to which they may be subjected, and greatly increase their fitness for wear and service. In this case the hose are, after having been cleaned and dried, im atter having been cleaned and dried, impregnated with a mixture of 100 parts of glycerine, of 24 degrees R., and three parts of carbolic acid, which may be done either by drawing the hose through the solution, or, which is still more effective, by brushing it well in. Thus treated the hose are found to preserve a certain amount of dampness, without, however, being in the least degree liable to rotting, and so suffer deterioration ble to rotting, and so suffer deterioration in quality and durability, as is known to be the case when some other substances are applied to leather. The brass fittings of the hose are attacked only imperceptibly by the acid contained in the composition; but even this may be easily prevented by giving them before impregnation a coat of weak shellac varnish, or by greasing them with tallow. The hose must be cleaned every time they have been used, dried, and impreg-nated anew with the liquid. As frost does not effect the mixture, hose thus prepared do not freeze easily at low tem-

#### How to Break off Bad Habits.

Understand the reason, and all the reasons, why the habit is injurious. Go and study the subject until there is no lingering doubt in your mind. Avoid the places, the persons and the thoughts that lead to the temptation. Keep busy—idleness is the strength of bad habits. Do not give up the struggle when you have broken your resolution once, twice—a thousand times. That only shows how much need there is for you to strive. When you have broken your resolution, just think the matter over and endeavor to understand why it is you failed, so to understand why it is you tailed, so that you may be on your guard against a recurrence of the same circumstances. Do not think it an easy thing that you have undertaken. It is folly to expect to break off a habit in a day that may have been gathering for long years.

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