low a Flock of Monkeys Were Cured of

In "A Sportswoman in India" Miss Savory writes entertainingly of the monkeys in the foot-hills of the Himalayas. For cool impudence and audacity, she says, these hill-monkeys stand unrivaled; they slip into the bungalows at Dalhousie, and carry off anything from the breakfast or tea-table, if the room is empty. They spring from tree to tree, from house to house-a mother, it may be, with two young ones clinging to her a loaf of bread in one hand and bunch of bananas in her mouth, which she had just "sneaked"- from a dining-room.

Of course mankeys are very troublesome in plantations. Few men can shoot a monkey; they are too humanlike and pathetic when wounded. We met an Englishman who was trying to protect his sugar-cane patch with great trench and a palisade covered with nails. All to no purpose.

He walked down to it one morning, and found a row of monkeys seated on the palisade. The moment he came within reach they threw his own sugar-cane into his face, after which they got down and strolled away, leisurely munching.

Such things were not to be borne. Our friend chased a flock into a tree, felled the tree, and caught four or five - young monkeys. The parents waited near, in great consternation, anxiously watching while their infants also who desire to obtain cows com the fond and welcoming arms, and were instantly carried up into the woods, and there assiduously licked clean from top to toe by their affectionate parents.

The natural effects followed, and the pitiable condition of the old monkeys can scarcely be imagined. That patch of sugar-cane was never rifled

KING EDWARD'S AGE.

Some European Sovereigns Unch Younger Than He, Others Older.

Edward VII. succeeds to the throne of Great Britain and Ireland in his sixtieth year, being 42 years older than Queen Victoria on her accession in 1837. In the matter of age the new Mr. William Gray, of Newmarket, Tells monarch represents the average of European monarchs.

A number of the noted sovereigns are much younger than King Edward. The Emperor of Germany was born in 1859 and is, therefore, 42. The Czar of Russia was born in 1868 and is, accordingly, 33, and Queen Wilhelmina of Holland was born in 1880 and is 21.

The new King of Italy Victor Emmanuel III., was born in 1869, and 32. King Charles of Portugal was born in 1863 and is 38. Alexander, King of Servia, was born in 1876, and is 25, and Alfonso XIII., of Spain was born in 1886 and is 15. the government of Spain being intrusted during his minority to his mother, the queen re-

On the other hand the European sovereigns who are advanced in years are for the most part old men. Thus the present King of Denmark, Christian IX., is 83. He was born the year before Queen Victoria. King Oscar of Sweden was born in 1829 and is 72. The King of Saxony is 73. King Leopold of Belgium, is 66, and Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria is 71.

About the only European sovereign who is of middle age is King George Greece, who was born in 1845. He s 56 and was for many years one of the youngest monarchs of Europe, having been chosen King of Greece

in his 18th year.

CURE FOR CHILBLAINS.

hould be taken as soon as any signs they cannot fail being as beneficial to opear. Calcium sulphide is prescrib others similarly afflicted. egainst their return the calcium sul- Other medicines act only on

ME UP.

WHY GUERNSEYS ARE NOT POPU-LAI.

In comparison with their rivals, the Jerseys, it is somewhat remarkable that Guernseys have not become more popular both for profit and for fancy, especially as their claims in these respects are so well founded. Being generally of a rich orange color, with white markings, having a yellow skin and gentle expression, their general appearance is at once very striking and attractive. As utility cattle their claims are undoubted, the cows yielding agenerous amount of very rich milk, from which butter of the very best color and quality is obtained. This excellence is much in their favor and is very often taken advantage of by those who keep cows of other breeds for the production of milk and butter and find it necessary and beneficial to have a cow or two in the herd in order to add to the richness of the milk, and the quality and appearance of the butter. For such persons as keep, or intend to keep, a cow or two the Guernsey is eminently suitable, being not only a good producer but

a most economical feeder. Crossed with the Shorthorn many splendid animals have been bred, whose performances in public milk and butter tests have amply demonstrated the wisdom of such breeding. To those were painted from head to foot with bining size with the production of mill treacle and tartar emetic. On being of the highest quality, and object to allowed to go, they rushed off into the Jersey on this account, the Guernsey should be the first recommendation and choice. But, notwithstanding all these advantages, which would seem sufficient to insure a great measure of popularity, the fact remains that the breed does not extend its influence to the satisfaction of its advocates and admirers. The reasons for this are evident and worthy of consid-

OBTAINED THROUGH THE USE OF DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

the Advanced Age of Saventy, After Quality, too, while not wholly incom-Having Suffered Great Torture from patible with size, is generally found Sciatica and Rheumatism.

From the Express, Newmarket, Ont Mr. William Gray, who is well and favorably known in the town of New- sey breeders and judges would greatmarket and vicinity, is rejoicing over his release from the pains of sciatica, and rheumatism through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. A reporter of the Express called upon him for the purpose of obtaining particulars of the Shareholders of this company of the cure when Mr. Gray gave the was held, at its offices, Toronto, on "About two and a half years ago I cupied the chair, and Mr. P. H. Sims, who was appointed to act as Secretary, read the annual report, of which of rheumatism, The pain was simply the following is a summary:—

The President, Hon. Geo. A. Cox, ocused by mothers for their children teething. It soothes the child. softens the gums, allays pain, cures wind colices and is the best remedy for diarrhoea, 25c a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup." following story for publication:torturing. At times the trouble was seated in my knees, then in my hips. present the annual report and finan-For nearly a year I suffered along, working as best I could, in the hope of being able to overcome the disease. During the day the pain was a considerable increase in the premium less severe, but at night it was just as bad as ever. To increase my tor- new fields in which the company has Gentlemen,-In January last Franture I caught a cold which resulted established business connections, and his Leclaire, one of the men employed have been built in Kansas within the in an attack of sciatica in my right also to the improved conditions that by me working in the lumber woods, leg. If I walked a short distance I have prevailed in the marine business. had a tree fall on him crushing him would be seized by sharp pains in the hip and in time I became a used up annum, amounting to \$60,323.56, and grave fears were entertained for his man; my appetite failed me, and could not rest at night on account of the pain. I tried one medicine after another without avail. I also consulted doctors with no better result. I was beginning to think that I was The present Sultan of Turkey some- doomed to suffer the rest of my life times included among the sovereigns when one day a friend strongly adof Europe, and sometimes considered vised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink of Roumania is 62 and the minor here- Pills. I took his advice and procured ditary German princes vary in age a supply of the pills and began takfrom 17, the youngest, to 84, the old- ing them according to directions. est. The present King of Bavaria is Before the third box was finished I noted a change for the better, so continued the use of the pills till I having been all taken up. had taken ten or twelve boxes when Chilblains are a regular affiliation of my trouble had entirely disappeared. many people during cold weather. To-day I am free from pain and feel When once the feet or hands have been that life is worth living, even at the frosted, they sutter more readily a ripe old age of seventy. I can now second time, so that the habit of chil- do a day's work with many men who blains is easily established. With care are twenty years younger than I. I they can be so far cured as to give thank God for my restoration to Total assets. 1.776,606.45 little trouble. Chilblains are a blood health through the agency of Dr. Cash capital. . . : 1,000,000.00 lisease. The cold acts as a blood poi- Williams' Pink Pills, and I trust on upon some persons, and chilblains other similar sufferers will give them Security to policyholders \$1,581,457.22 ment, it is now announced that re the result. To cure them, reme- a trial, for knowing what these pills The President, who moved the adop- there will still be time for those who

can be bought at a drug store in tab. disease cannot exist. The reason Dr. lots of one-sixth of a grain. The dose Williams' Pink Pills cure so many de one tablet after each meal, and the forms of disease is that they act dirremedy ahould be continued until the ectly upon the blood and nerves, thus shide abould be resorted to promptly symptoms of the trouble, and that is ad taken for three or four days when- the reason; the trouble always re-

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and withers, badly set tails, and a Jersey. Another great weakness is the imperfection of the udder, which good length and fuliness behind, set is all too rare. The fact that the ingenerally have not been sufficiently derwriting transactions - that is, This is what he says: well defined. The concentration of ignoring the income derived from inblood of the best animals, by which duced, has not been adopted and fol- elected to serve as directors during lowed as extensively as results of a the ensuing year;every reason to expect most gratify- A. Myers and E. W. Cox.

ing results. The size which many animals at- Kenny Vice-President. tain is strongly dwelt on by Guernsey breeders as being a great advantage There is a lack of compactness and in respect of the value of the carcass have been assayed at Seattle from the for the butcher, but there are excellent reasons for regarding this breeding for size to be a step in the wrong direction. The Guernsey is essentially a dairy breed and should be specially bred for dairy purposes, and the production of beef left to those breeds which furnish meat far more economically and of vastly superior quality. to suffer by increasing the size of animals, and by attaching more importance to quality and less to bulk, Guernly advance the interests of the breed.

> AMERICA ASSURANCE COMPANY.

The Sixty-seventh Annual Meeting the Galveston sufferers. Thursday, 28th February, 1901.

The President, Hon. Geo. A. Cox, oc- MRS WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been

Your directors have the honor to cial statement of the company's sixty- given to that city a tract of land seventh year, duly vouched for by its valued at \$200,000, to be used as a

It will be noted that there has been income for the year, this being mainly due to the business derived from the

I the reserve fund has been increased to recovery, his hips being badly bruised on this continent during the year 1900, including the disastrous conflagra-

tion in April Jast in the cities of Hull and Ottawa, which involved a loss of property to the value of about ten million dollars, your directors feel that the statements herewith submitted must be regarded as satisfactory by the shareholders. The capital stock of the company

has been increased to one million dollars, in accordance with the by-law passed at the last annual meeting, the \$250,000,00 new stock authorized to be issued at a premium of 15 per cent. CANADIAN WOMEN'S LOYAL AD-Summary or Financial Statement.

Total cash income. . \$1,951,233.34 Total expenditure, including appropriation for los-

ses under adjustment. . 1,890,347.57 60.885.77

Reserve fund. 581,457.22 ies for this condition of the blood have done for me I am sure that tion of the report, which was seconded by the Vice-President, referred to by physicians for this purpose. It If the blood is pure and wholesome under review, and said that, although the report just read did not present so favorable a showing, as far as the chilblains are improved. To guard reaching the root of the trouble. which he had had the honor during gratulation in the figures embraced er any indications of them are felt. turns when you cease these medicines. in the accounts for the year 1900 as in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make perwhich have shown a more favorable manent cures in kidney troubles, balance sheet. It was gratifying to being artistically and beautifully illu
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**32 in two hours. Monroe Mfg. Co., X400 LaCrosse, Wis. Mrs Hardhead-I can always tell rhoumatism, erysipelas, anaemia and observe the continued increase in the what kind of a wife a man has by his kindred diseases, But be sure you volume of business transacted. While minated will be bound in a large vol-

symmetry, a heaviness and coarseness be able to say, that, from the agenof bone, especially about the shoulders cies recently established beyond the limits of this continent, very encouraging returns have been regeneral absence of that smoothness, ceived. The predictions that the dineatness and sweetness of expression rectors ventured to make a year ago so conspicuous in the best type of as to a probable improvement in conditions of marine business had, he was pleased to say, been realized, and, as a result of the better rates which, is in need of considerable improve- speaking generally, had prevailed ment. A large, full bag, level at the both upon inland lake and ocean risks Proprietor of the Dake House, St. Thomas, bottom, running well forward and of there had been a fair margin of profit branch during the year. But what firmly and closely to the body, with in his estimation was more a matter even teats widely and squarely placed, of congratulation than any of the figures to whichl he had referred was the fact that at the close of a year stances of different animals of simi- in which the fire losses in Canada and lar breeding distinguishing themselves the United States have been very cates that sufficient care and judg- years they were able to present a bal- or six years. That foe was Kidney ment have not been exercised in selection one per cent. upon the premium ney Pills drove it out, never to re-

The report was, on motion, adopted,

Hon. Geo. A. Cox, J. J. Kenny, Hon. pear not only to justify, but afford K.C., LL.D., H. M. Pellatt, R. Jaffray, me, and I decided to try. They resequently, the Hon. Geo. A. Cox was re-elected President and Mr. J. J. tually cured me completely. They are

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Erastus A. Barnard, of Chicago, has

Messrs C. C. RICHARDS & Co., Two half-yearly dividends have been fearfully. He was, when found, placdeclared at the rate of 7 per cent, per ed on a sled and taken home, where AVENUE HOUSE MONTHEAL and his body turned black from his In view of the abnormal fire losses ribs to his feet. We used MINARD'S LINIMENT on him freely to deaden the pain, and with the use of three bottles he was completely cured and

able to return to his work. SAUVER DUVAL Elgin Road, L'Islet Co., Que. May 26th, 1893.

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DRESS TO QUEEN ALEXANDRA. The opportunities given for signing the address to Her Majesty expressing the legalty and appreciation of the women of Canada, have been largely taken advantage of in num-Dividend declared. . . . 60.393.26 erous places throughout the Domin----- ion. As there must, however, be women here and there who have not yet learnt that they are all askhave not had a chance of signing the the exceptionally heavy losses by signature sheets to send in an applifire on this continent during the year cation to have their names added to the roll. The usual signature, without prefix or address, sent in an enbalance between income and expendi- velope with an authorisation to have ture for the year was concerned, as it copied in fac-simile, and enclosing It Will Pay You the preceding annual statements not less than a two cent stamp to covthe past eight years of submitting to er expenses, will be in time if receivthe shareholders, he felt that there ed by the Secretary, at the Central was perhaps as much matter for con- Office of the National Council of Women of Canada, 71 Brunswick Ave., those of some preceding statements | Toronto, up to the 21st of March. Af-Hardhead—Then you are a Chi- People on the wrapper around every company had for years past been carrying on operations, he was glad to the themselves into this scheme.

A PRACTICAL LITTLE WIFE. Neighbor-You've got a lovely bed-

room now with this new carpet, Just put it down, didn't you! Hostess-Yes; just through.

Neighbor-I thought so, from the tacks scattered around the floor. You ought to pick them up before night, or your husband will be stepping on

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Dec. 31, 1900. To Cash for Premiums \$822,929 00 To Cash Income on Investments, etc.. 183,041 55

ASSETS.

\$4,342,680 76

DISBURSEMENTS. By Payment for Death Claims, Profits, etc \$304,679 00 By all other Payments..... 264,493 35

\$3,773,508 08 By Mortgages, etc\$1,282,389 92 " Debentures (market value \$739,199 47) 729,813 10

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Interest and rents due and accrued 40,684 59 \$3,977,263 83 LIABILITIES.

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