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Jesus at the Pool of Bethesda-John 5; 1-15. Read John 5: 1-47, 1/10) time. When the Passover drew near, ing cured.

Jesus, in common with many Jews, went 7. No man—He was friendless as well from Galilee to Jerusalem to attend it. as sick, is troubled—This spring, prob-Heretofore there has been but little evi- ably the fountain of the Virgin, is inquently seen. Truth and love provoke five inches to a foot in five minutes .-

John is telling some event which follows termittent disturbance of the water is immediately after the last narrative, he not to be understood as a regular ocuses the expression "after this thing." currence, but as something sudden and A feast-There has been much difference quickly passing away. Hnece the man's of opinion as to what feast this was, waiting and complaint. but it is the opinion now of the best Hebrew tongue-Hebrew here means Ar- | ence. "As in the case of the paralytic, amaie, the language spoken at the time. Christ makes no enquiry as to the man's not the old Hebrew of the Scriptures .- | faith. Christ knew that he had faith Ibid. Bethesda-This name does not oc- and the man's attempting to rise and cur elsewhere. It means "house of mercy." The site is not identified with gregated here in great numbers. Waiting, etc.—The last part of verse 3 and all 13). 10. Not lawful—Jeremiah had coming, etc.-The last part of verse 3 and all 13). 10, Not lawful-Jeremiah had comof A should be omitted from the text, as | manded, "Take heed to yourselves, and conot a part of the Bible. Whether bear no burden on the Sabbath day'

the truths taught in this lesson. 5-9). 5. An infirmity-The original sheaves, and lading asses," etc. "To forimplies rather a loss of power than a bid this man from carrying his bed was positive disease; probably it was nervous disease of paralytic type.-Abbott. Thirty and eight years-The duration of the illness is mentioned, either



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to show how inveterate and difficult it was to heal, or explain the deep compas sion with which Jesus was affected on beholding the unhappy man.-Godet. 6. Knew-The word "knew" ir the or iginal indicates one of those instantan-eous perceptions by which the truth be-came known to sesus acoming as the task of the moment demanded. Verse 14 will show that the whole life of the sufferer is present to the eye of Jeans, as that of the Samaritan woman was.

Introduction-It has been about three | Wilt thou-Why does he ask a gues pernaum was healed by Jesus at Casa, Probably in order to arouse the sick It is supposed that this interval was man out of his lethargy and despond with labors in Galilee of which ency. It was the first sten towards the no record is left. Andrews thinks the man's having sufficient faith; he must disciples went to their homes during this be inspired with some expectation of be-

dence of hostility to Christ, but from termittent to this day, and various tranow an opposition to him will be tre- velers have seen it suddenly rise from Peloupet. Whedon thinks that the mov Commentary .- 1. Jesus at the feast, ing of the waters arose from an under-(vs 1-4), 1. After this—"After these ground connection of the pool with the things." R. V. Some think that when city waterworks. "The occasional and in-

> 8. Rise, etc.-Commands like these would test the man's faith and obedi-

ere was in reality any healing power (xvi. 21), and the Jews interpreted this in the waters we are not told, but the as forbidding the carrying of the lightest omission of verse 4 in no way weakens | weight. But Jeremiah's meaning is made clear by Neh. xiii. 15: Treading wine II. Jesus heals an impotent man (vs. presses on the Sabbath, and bringing in like forbidding a modern man to move camp-stool or a chair."

11. He ... said-"Unquestionably the words seem to say that one who could do such a wonder as healing me, mus certainly have the right to tell me what to do. He had been authorized by one endorsed as sent from God. And this was indeed the very ground which Christ Himself took." 12. Who is the man (R. V.)-They ignore the miracle, and attack the command. Knew not (R. V.)-Jesus had been in Jerusalem but little, and the man who was healed had prob ably never seen Him. Conveyed himself away-Better, withdrew.

vard: in a day or so. Findeth him-Jesus had His eye on the Dan; work with him was not yet, finis V. The n bears testime. 15. Told the inquiry they

APPLICATION Faith is to way of man's appro-

the divine. Unbelief shut man out draft presented for payment. God hour any rictory for the troops under his comors the faith of every man. "According | mand. to your faith" is a true, unfailing maxima "Wilt thou be made whole?" (v. 6 This question is put to a poor paralytic waiting by the troubled waters at the pool of Bethesda. It was the time of the feast of Purim, a feast celebrated by works of beneficence and gracious gifts. Christ entered into the spirit of the

"I have no man when the water is troubled to put me in the poel" (v. 7). It will pay you to own a Chatham | All earthly hope was gone. Only the divine Son of man could help this hopeless cripple. Such cries come to some lives. Such a crisis came to the railroad evangelist, Jennie Smith. She had been helpless cripple for sixteen years, much of the time suffering intense agony. One limb, subject to awful spasms, was confined in a strong box, often held by heavy weights. One day, after unusual suffering, a few friends gathered about her as she lay in her extension chair,! She says: "The evening was devoted to a prayer, led by Pastor Everett. After the first hour some were obliged to leave. One brother, whom I had not met before, on leaving, said: "My sister, you are asking too much; you are too auxious. The Lord can make better use of you on your cot than on your feet.' 1 was thankful for the brother's words. I looked searchingly into my heart. 1 honestly answered, "No, I am not anxious to get well. If the heat of the furnace was increased a thousand-fold, I could say, Thy will be done, and pain would be sweet if fully shown to me that it is the Father's will that I should suffer. And I believe the time has come for me to know that will.' Up to this point there was not that oneness of. mind that I felt there must be. I said to those who remained, 'Can you tarry with me until the morning, if need be? by waiting, our Father will give us the blessing. Are we of one accord?' My physician, Dr. Morgan, was the first to say, 'I will stay, and I fully agree with you.' They gathered about my chair. Never can that little group forget that season. It was after 9 o'clock. We continued waiting before the Lord. Occasionally one would quote, without comment, an appropriate text of scripture, or engage in a brief prayer. I lay in quiet expectancy, still suffering, but with a remarkable sense of the divine presence, much of the time almost oblivious to my surroundings, so engaged in communion with my heavenly Father. About 11 o'clock I vocally offered myself to God in fresh consecration, saying: 'I give this body anew-these eyes to see, these lips to talk, these ears to hear, and, if it be Thy will, these feet to walk-for Jesus. All there is of me -all, all that is thine. Only let Thy precious will be done. After a brief silence there flashed upon me a vivid

view of the healing of the withered arm.

I seemed to see it thrust out whole. The

intagonistic to packet tea is so solely because in makes less profit than an com

Sold only in sealed lead packets. By all grocers Received the highest award and G old Medal at St. Louis, 1904.

# TEN WOMEN WERE KILLED.

# They Begged in Vain for the Driver Not to Cross the Tracks.

terrible accident to the sleighing party ment, in which she blames the driver for of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Uni- the disaster. She said: "The ladies beg- Butter, dairy .. .... Pittsburg, Shawmut. & Northern Rail-way, in which ten ladies were killed and ception of Mrs. S. R. Rowley, who is were shouting to him not to cross." suffering from two fractures of the legs,

one a compound fracture, and internal injuries, will recover. The bodies of the | Two mothers and two daughters were victims are being removed to their late among those killed. Mrs. Coates was the Lamb, per cwt. .... homes as fast as they are viewed by the mother of Mrs. Shaw. Mrs. Patchen was coroner, who has arranged to begin an the mother of Mrs. Hallett. investigation at once. No definite ar- The party was given in honor of the rangements have as yet been made for birthday of Mrs. Graves, who was 75 the funerals of the victims, but there is | years of age. She was mother-in-law of | Detroit .... talk of a general funeral, during which the liveryman who furnished the team | Toledo .. the business houses of the city will be | and sleighs. She was killed, being one of | Minneapolis .. .. ....

orward and let down the footboard, and rose and stood on my feet. Sister Fanands, exclaiming, "Oh, Jennie!" words can express my feelings. My being yet thrills with praise as I think

ir; we cannot."—Abbie C. During the year Char

anese are not the finest soldiers in the world

versal Church at a grade crossing of the ged Quick not to drivee on the tracks, Do., creamery .... Ten Women Killed.

those who rode in the last sleigh.

### FEWER LEPERS.

# so Reports.

"Jesus findeth him in the temple" (v. Tracadie, N. B., presented his annual re-

Ottawa, Feb. 6.-Dr. Smith, medical goods are commencing to come forward superintendent of the Leper Hospital at | in fair volume, but it is not likely there

14). This man was found in the temple port. The register of the institution month. Retail merchants in the counpraising God for his wonderful deliver- shows the names of fifteen inmates, ten try have been carrying light stocks, and IV. Jesus gives advice and warning (v. ance. To praise is the natural instinct males and five females. Classifying the as the movement for seasonable goods is of a redeemed soul. A Hindoo mission- lepers in the lazaretto the number in more active there is some increase in 14. Afterward-Probably soon after ary was once remonstrating with a na- | the first stage is six; in the second, sev- | the volume of sorting orders. bristian who was singing at the en; and in the third, one. The youngest | Toronto reports to Bradstreet's say: voice. "Sing softly, brother," patient is 10 and the oldest 62 years of softly," was the answer; age. There were four deaths during the vincial elections has in a considerable father, who tells me to past twelve months, and three new cases | manner interfered with wholesale trade ! you ever hear us sing were admitted, one from without the during the past week. But, notwithur Hindoo gods? how we Province. Of those on the register nine standing this, there has been some in heads and shouted. And ere of French, three of Icelandic, and crease in activity in nearly all lines. In

hes been freely used by the inmates and | Values of farm products are maintainwith very beneficial effects. During a ing their position. Wheat and hogs have existence whose sol- recent tour of investigation through ad- appreciated very considerably, and oats joining parishes the doctor found one are here bringing as high as 40 cents a undoubted case of leprosy. This person bushel. The farmers are making heavy has not yet been admitted. He also deliveries and the prospects for all lines to in the siege, like the storm of Nanshan or found three persons showing suspicious of trade are bright. Leathers and sugars premonitory symptoms. Notwithstanding show another advance during the past this, he has again to report that leprosy week. Collections are generally fair to Eden. Faith brings man back to union and whether Kouropatkin is not right in dewith God. A solvent bank honors every the first, indeed the essential, condition for and more convinced of the condition for bility of leprosy through contagion.

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It quickly removes that Bearing-down Feeling, extreme lassitude, "don't care" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousto claim a similar blessing. I felt definitely the strength come into my back and into my helpless limbs. Laying my hand on the chair arms I raised myself to a sitting posture. The Carrigue brothers sprang forward to assist me. This was not necessary. Dr. Morgan stepped

Hornellsville, N. Y., Feb. 6.-This city Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 2.-A special to is in the deepest gloom owing to the Rowley has made an ante-mortem state-

Leading Wheat Markets.

### Bradstreet's on Trade. Bradstreet's advices from Montreal

say: There are signs of improvement in the volume of wnolesale trade here, nie was so startled she threw up both Superintendent of Hospital at Tracadie although business in most lines has still a quiet tone as is usual at this time of the year. Orders for delivery of spring will be a general movement in this regard until towards the end of next

> dry goods the volume or trade is steadily During the year Chaulmangro oil, in growing, and a good business is being combination, introduced two years ago, done on account of the spring trade.

At Quebec, trade conditions are normal. Some wholesalers report receiving fair orders from their travellers. Some storekeepers are curtailing their orders. Remittances show no improvement. Outside of a few, manufacturers are not busy. In some lines city trade is fairly

Winnipeg reports to Bradstreet's say: There is every evidence that the spring trade here will open out with unusual activity. Trade in most lines has been a muse quiet during the past week or air. The wholesale houses here are taking active measures to keep as much of the trade of the West, as is possible away from Eastern houses and with the advantages of position on their side it is not surprising if the volume of trade done by Eastern wholesalers here should decline. Collections are slow, all departments of trade complaining on this

Victoria and Vancouver reports say Trade at the coast here is fairly active and the wholesalers are doing a moderately good trade. Some lines of industry still suffer from depression and there is little hope of improvement until the opening of spring. Values of commodities are steady to firm and collections, while a little slow in some lines, are generally fair.

Hamilton advices to Bradstreet's say: There is a somewhat better tone to wholesale trade here. The election campaign, however, has interfered with trade in some measure. Sorting orders are more frequent. The manufacturers continue busy and the outlook for spring trade is good. Collections are fair to

LIKE A JUNK SHOP.

Tooth Erushes and Bootjack Found In side of Alligator. Cincinnati, O., Feb. 6.-Ajax, the eighteen foot alligator, and largest specimen ever seen in this part of the coun

try, died at the zoo yesterday after an liness extending over the winter. Ar autopsy revealed the fact that during the time when the animal sowed his wild oats he had subjected his gastrie organs to many extremes, as the follow-

One meteor, weighing two and one-half

Three teeth of an iron garden rake, neld together by the original back brace

Seventeen Tooth brushes, presumed to have been dropped accidentally into hi Fla., and at the zoo.

Three pairs of spectacles, without Three dollars and eighteen cents in silver and pennies.

One door knob. One pair of scissors Ajax had formerly been the property of an alligator dealer, a woman at Or-lando, Fla., from whom he was pur-

chased two years ago. He was su

posed to be 200 years old.

Chamberlain Points Out Its Advantages. Tops well a London, Feb. 6,-Hon. Joseph Cham-

ed upon his audience the desirability of thinking imperially, without reference to antiquated conditions of better than we both treat the foreigner." 0 00 Referring to the growth of foreign proceeded: "I want to bring you all 52 | the trade the colonies can give. I want 0 00 to bring about closer intercourse between the colonies and ourselvs in maintained. What do the colonies ask from you in return for this? They ask that certain advantage should be given to them on some of their principal products. They don't ask it on 2 50 all, but they do ask that that advantage should be given them on corn, meat, dairy products and fruit. In order to give it to them we should 0 14 have but a small tax on these articles. 0 50 They don't want a big tax. All they 1 00 ask is for a turn of the scale in trade As no one knows better than the great 0 40 industrial and manufacturing concerns. 8 50 | the majority of which are entirely in favor of this policy, the turn of the

## PRINCESS VICTORIA

PASSES A RESTLESS NIGHT, BUT OTHERWISE FAIRLY WELL.

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A London cable: The bulletin issued his morning by the physicians attached to the Princess Victoria who was operated on for appendicitis at Buckingham 'alace yesterday says she passed a restess night, but otherwise is as well as an be expected.

PRIEST SEEKS DAMAGES.

### Alleges a Separate School Commissioner Slandered Him.

Ottawa, Feb. 6 .- The case of Rev. Father Croteau, of Buckingham, gainst, C. W. Pearson, a Separate chool Commissioner of the town, for 55,000 for public insult and slander, was heard to-day in the Hull Superior Court. The action had its origin in the trouble some time ago over the employment of the Christian Brothers. There had been a meeting in connection with ne matter after mass, at which Fathr Croteau gave an address.

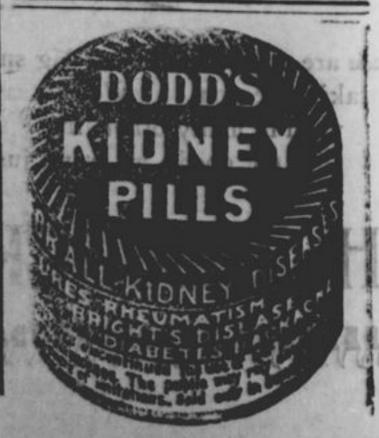
The following Friday at a meeting of he Separate School Commissioners. hairman Lahaie invited the reverend gentleman to speak, but defendant obected, saying that the priest "had lied nd made a fool of himself," on a form-

This statement of the school commisoner the reverend gentleman claims have done him injury, and hence the

DETROIT RIVER TUNNEL

The Vanderbilt Interests Will Undertake Its Construction.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 6.-It is stated upon eliable information that as a result of the inification of the New York Central, Lake hore, Michigan Central, and Big Four systructed under the Detroit River to facilitate he transportation of cars and avoid the deays that are caused by the ice every winter. The tunnel will be built by the Vanderbill All necessary data has been gathered for the construction of the tunnel, the equip-ment of which is to be the finest that engineering skill can devise. The Michigan Cen-tral right-of-ways on both sides of the river ing list of articles was found within will be used for the tunnel, and there will be One fish hook three and one-half mile of single track left between Detroit and Chicago on the Michigan Central will be double-tracked, and a block system estab-



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