

Commentary—1. Mordecai (vs. 10-14). Mordecai lears this decree and sent word to Esther for the preservation of the Jews.

It was a universal law, both the dignity and safety of the Golden scepter—Persian always represented as the tapering staff in the right hand of the king.

Esther, and she feared the influence with the means how could she hope to in the salvation of the Jews? She was surprised.

It would be a good idea for every town, village and hamlet along the line of any railroad to put up a sign or two.

It is a curious bit of reasoning on the part of a little girl in a North of England boarding school. The examiner wished to get the children to express moral reprobation of lazy people.

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The gold production of the world during 1904 is estimated at \$350,000,000.

Removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blemishes from horses, blood spavins, curbs, splints, ringbones, swellings, sprains, sore and swollen throats, coughs, etc.

Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum For Coughs and Colds.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS That precious remedy, is a positive cure for all female diseases.

USE E. B. EDDY'S TOILET PAPERS They are CLEAN, SOFT, TOUGH and SANITARY in every respect.

"Pure soap!" You've heard the words. In Sunlight Soap you have the fact.



SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE Where Freshness Counts. Among the manifold advantages of newspaper advertising over other forms there is one which the promoters of competing mediums of publicity can never hope to overcome.

Canadian Hair Restorer Will restore gray hair to its natural color. Stops falling hair, cures dandruff, itching and all scalp diseases.

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SHILOH 25c per bottle. All dealers guarantee it. Bishop Olmstead, of Colorado, was urging a rich man to contribute generously to the support of the church.

Walking a Lost Art. The elevator and the street car are doing damage to man's anatomy. Every elevator push the electric button till it rings like a general fire alarm.

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EXPANSION OF CONCRETE. British Engineer's Experiment With a Block of Cement.

The cement pavements in many of the residence sections of the city very clearly show the effects of expansion and contraction due to changes in temperature.

The amount of expansion of concrete has been very beautifully demonstrated in a practical way by an English engineer.

The Lazy Baby. Here is a curious bit of reasoning on the part of a little girl in a North of England boarding school.

Cash or Cure. If Shiloh's Consumption Cure fails to cure your Cough, you get back all you paid for it.

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Leather and suede trim many coats and tramping suits. Galon done in gold and reseda silk is a superb trimming.

Knockabout coats a l'Anglaise are made of the fine crests and handsome chevrons. Silk net, in a square mesh, forms the groundwork of many a distinguished trimming.

RESCUED FROM THE DEADLY CLUTCHES One More Cure of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Theodore Young of Smith's Falls was Beyond the Doctor's Aid—Now He's Well and Strong.

His Strong Inducement. "Speaking of that lawsuit of which you told us the other day, I have a story of that kind which will beat it."

Setting Sail. To-morrow I have wastes of sea to ride. Long waves, beneath the blue and boundless dome.

New York Statistics. We compile from a late bulletin of the Federal Census Bureau this table of statistics of the city of New York for the year 1903.

Fern Pot of Silver This 8-inch Fern Pot is a striking illustration of the unequalled values Diamond Hall can offer customers through having its own factories.

And Diamond Hall would return the money if by any chance you were not satisfied. RYRIE BROS. LIMITED 134-136 YONGE ST. TORONTO - ONT.

BAR-ROOMS IN BIG HOTELS. Are Being Driven From the Field by the Boudoir Buffet.

The magnificent hotel bar-rooms, which were a feature of Broadway a decade ago, are being driven from the field by the boudoir buffet.

ONE TABLET AFTER EATING and what a world of distress would be saved. Dr. Star's Pineapple Tablets cure sour stomachs, distress after eating, weight in the stomach, wind on the stomach, loss of appetite, dizziness, nausea, and a dozen other troubles traceable to bad digestion.

New English Railway Trains. The Great Western Railway in England has put a train called the "Cornishman Limited" on the run between London and Penzance.

GET INSTANT RELIEF FROM PILES—The most irritating disease relieved in ten minutes by using Dr. Agnew's Ointment, and a cure in from three to six nights.

An Object Lesson From England. An English advertising expert tells of a prominent manufacturer whose principal output was an article which sold for a shilling, and which, being extensively advertised, was also extensively imitated.

Leaver's Dry Soap (a powder) to wash woollens and flannels,—you'll like it.

Coyote Hunting. Poisoning with strychnine is a favorite means of killing coyotes in the southwest.

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CLEVER COLLIES. Their Knowledge is Shown in Many Ways.

Conductor Geraghty, meeting some Warwick friends on the train the other day, was led by them to a talk about the famous prize winning collie dogs.

Another dog is quartered at a house where the trainman serves a paper every day, and the dog meets the train and always carries the mail bag to the house.

Another peculiarity of these dogs is that they will not be boarded out at every place. They have likes and dislikes, and positively refuse to stay at some homes.

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