SIX MONTHS ADRIFT ON ICE FLOE CUT OFF BY MILES OF WATER

Storkersen, Second in Command of the Stefansson Expedition, Arrives at Edmonton-Proves Keenan Land to be a Myth -No Permanent Currents in Arctic Sea.

says:-Six months adrift on an ice Anderson, from whom they got supfloe in the Arctic Sea, cut off from all plies for the Winter of 1919. The trip civilization by miles of deep water- was absolutely the first of its kind. such was the experience of Stoker T. No other living man has ever deliber-Storkersen, who has arrived in this ately set himself adrift on an ice floe city from the great Northern wastes. for scientific purposes Taking every-Observations of great scientific value thing into consideration, the journey were made while the party was on the was most satisfactory. ice floe, but these will not be fully dis- In the first place it was found cussed until Storkersen meets his that there were no permanent curchief, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, in Banff rents in the sea. The ice floe drift-

moment, and Storkersen, being sec- alone.

on March 15 with 13 men, 80 dogs and floe turned completely around.

sible on an ice floe and drift during gulls and land birds abounded on i the currents, if any, in Bernert Sea, to be the chief food of the seals.

to take soundings and to disver any new land that might not live been much important information was

longitude 147 W., started again for 500 metres to 4,500 metres deep. the American Continent and arrived Mr. Storkersen strongly recomat Cape Halkett on Nov. 7. From Cape | mended the Government's plan of com-Halkett they proceeded to Boder Is- mercializing the musk ox.

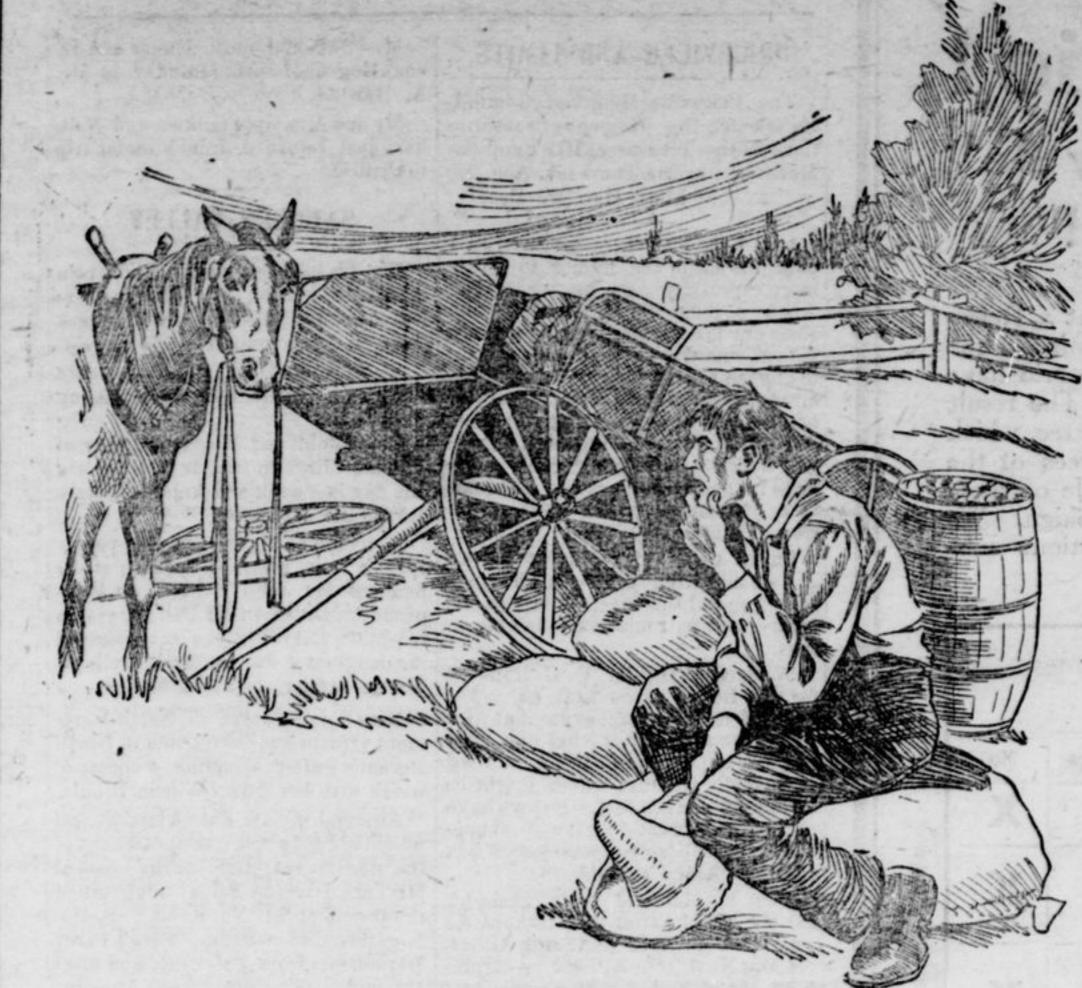
A despatch from Edmonton, Alta., | land, where they fell in with Captain

and prepares his full report. | ed with the wind and its course ap-Stefansson was taken ill at the last peared to be determined by that agent

and in command, was forced to take Owing to certain phenomena obcommand of the party and proceed served by Mr. Storkersen, he was inwithout the other explorer. | clined to think that there was land So, in the Spring of 1918, after all to the north of the point reached. preliminary arrangements had been The reason for this supposition was made, he set out from Boder Island the fact that in this six months the

The huge floe was seven miles in The object before the daring little length and at least fifteen miles in party was to stay for one year if pos- width. Seals, polar bears, ducks, this time. They wished to determine while shrimps and small fish appeared

gleaned. Keenan Land, which was Four months after the party went supposed to be discovered by Captain adrift on the floe, Storkersen was Keenan, was found to be non-existent. taken ill with asthma, brought on by At least, there was no land on latitude the extreme cold, and it was decided 74 and between longitude 140 W 52. to return to shore. The rest of the which was where Keenan placed his party then being at latitude 74, find. Instead of land was water from



BROKEN DOWN.

Catalog wagons may be all right to look at. But catalog repairs are a different thing. Particularly when you're in a hurry. It is then you learn the additional advantage in trading at home. Not only has the home town dealer the best goods that can be obtained, but he offers you HOME SERVICE as well. Your time is too valuable to risk one of these expensive break-downs. Buy your implements from your home dealer and take advantage of the HOME SERVICE he can offer you.

Seventy-Day Journey Through Majority Able to Begin Life on Canada Includes Many Towns.

The Canadian itinerary of his Royal A despatch from Ottawa says: - No. 3 CW, 911/2c; extra No. 1 feed, Highness the Prince of Wales, so far Three thousand seven hundred and 91%c; No. 1 feed, 90%c; No. 2 feed, as it can be definitely announced, is sixty-eight soldier grant entries have 88%c, in store at Fort William.

August 24; Ottawa, August 27; leave ment legislation of the Federal Gov. \$1.27, in store Fort William. capital September 1st; visit North | ernment. By Provinces: Bay, Cobalt and Timmins, returning | to North Bay, and thence to "Soo," Nipigon, where he will fish for trout.

Port Arthur and Fort William, 4. Three days' duck shooting. Qu'. Government loan. Appelle, Brandon, Portage la Prairle, Winnipeg, October 10; Fort William, HONOR ROLL OF October 11. Four days at Biscotasing moose hunting. Via Georgian Bay to Toronto and Hamilton, October 18; A despatch from Ottawa says:-Niagara Falls, October 20; Brant- Canada's war toll in men, according to ford, Guelph, Stratford, Woodstock, the official figures of the Militia De-Chatham, London, Windsor, Galt, partment, is 54,919 dead, 8,119 report- 35 to 40c; roosters, 25c; fowl, 30 to Kingston, and Brockville. reaching ed missing, 2,818 prisoners of war, 32c; ducklings, 25c; turkeys, 35 to Montreal October- 27. The total 149,709 wounded. length of his 70-day journey is over The details are as follows: Killed Live poultry-Spring chickens, 30 8,800 miles.

\$5,000,000 in Gold Ingots

Recovered From Wrecked Ship A despatch from Buncrana, Ireland,

says:-Gold ingots to the value of £1,000,000 sterling have been recovered by salvagers from the wreck of the 28, 1917, off Fasal Light.

were saved.

LIKE TO SEE YOU . 1

DON'T FEEL RIGHT!

TLEMENT INCREASE

Western Farms Without Aid of Govt. Loan.

Manitoba 858 Saskatchewan 1,124 Alberta 1,702 There has been a considerable in-

9; Saskatoon, September 11; Edmon- crease in the settlement on Dominion ping points, according to freights. ton, September 12; Calgary, Septem- lands by soldiers in the past four ber 13. Four days will be spent in months. In April there were 346 en. Spring, nominal Calgary and its vicinity, including a tries; in May, 463; in June, 813; visit to the celebrated horse ranch of and in July, 941. The Porcupine George Lane. Leaving Calgary on Forest Reserve was opened in July September 17, stops will be made at and about 150 soldiers have already Bank, Lake Louise and Field, in the settled there. At the instigation of ard, \$11, Toronto. Canadian Rockies, the programme at the Soldier Settlement Board, the Pro- Ontario flour-Government stand- Eggs, fresh, 62 to 64c; do, selected, zling the meaning dawned upon him. turning to Vancouver September 29, next season the area will be pretty motor to New Westminster through well filled up. A number of the 3,603 real freights, bags included, bran, per Southern British Columbia, Penticton returned soldiers who have taken sol- ton, \$42 to \$45; shorts, per ton, \$44 September 29, and steamer trip on diers' land entries also have received to \$50; good feed flour, per bag, \$3.25 Toronto, Aug. 19.—Choice heavy to you and speak face to face that our Okanagan Lake, Nelson October 1, financial assistance from the Govern- to \$3.35. through the Crow's Nest Pass. Mac. ment, but a great many were able to Hay-No. 1, per ton, \$22 to \$24; steers, \$13 to \$13.50; butchers' cattle, way home! lead October 2, Lethbridge, Medicine finance themselves and begin opera- mixed, per ton, \$10 to \$19, track, To- choice, \$12.75 to \$13.25; do, good, Hat. Moose Jaw, and Regina, October tions without-the assistance of the ronto.

CANADA'S HEROIC DEAD.

in action or died of wounds-officers, to 32c; roosters, 22c; fowl, 26 to 30c; 2,536; other ranks, 48,333; died-ducklings, 22c; turkeys, 30c. officers, 234; other ranks, 3,706; missing-officers, 352; other ranks, 7.767; prisoners of war-officers, 130; other ranks, 2,688; wounded-officers, 6,344; 30c; Stilton, 29 to 30c.

----H.R.H.the Prince of Wales has exformer White Star-Dominion Liner pressed the desire to meet some of Laurentic, which was sunk January the Canadian soldiers whose acquaint- Dressed poultry-Spring chickens, ance he made overseas during his stay 45c; roosters, 28 to 30c; fowl, 37 to The Laurentic, a vessel of 14,892 in Toronto, when he will open the 38c; turkeys, 40 to 45c; ducklings, ib. tons, which was acting as a British Canadian National Exhibition on 35 to 36c; squabs, doz., \$7; geese, 28 auxiliary cruiser, struck a mine off August 25th. He will review 15,000 to 30c the north coast of Ireland and later overseas troops on Wednesday, Augsank. Of a personal of 470 only 120 ust 27th, Veterans' Day at the Big fowl, 30 to 35c; ducks, 27 to 30c.

I HAVE A HURRY CALL

THE BABY WILL ENTER-

GO INTO THE HOUSE .

TAIN YOU BY UNTIL !

SOLDIER LAND SET- Markets of the World ported hand-picked, Burma, \$4; Limas, \$10 to \$10.75; do, med., \$10.25 to \$10.75; do, rough, \$8 to \$8.25; but-

Manitoba oats-No. 2 CW, 921/2c; been mande on lands in the Western | Manitoba barley-No. 3 CW, \$1.40;

American corn-No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, nominal

according to freights outsids. Ontario wheat-No. 1 Winter, British Columbia 84 | ear lot, nominal; No. 2, do, \$2.03 to \$2.08; No. 3, do, nominal, f.o.b. ship- 321/4 to 32%c; prints, 33 to 331/2c.

> Ontario wheat-No. 1, 2 and 3 ording to freights outside.

Field including a visit to the beautiful vincial Government is building roads ard, \$10.25 to \$10.50, in bags, Mont- 58 to 60c; do, No. I stock, 56c; do, No. Taking down his Bible he turned up Yoho Valley; Revelstoke, September into the reserve and constructing steel real, prompt shipment; do, \$10.25 to 2 stock, 43 to 45c. Potatoes, per bag, the Second Epistle of St. John and 20, and Vancouver, September 22, re. bridges, and prospects are that by \$10.50, in jute bags, Toronto, prompt car lots, \$2.25 to \$2.50. Dressed hogs, read the twelfth verse, which runs as in fact, promises to prove quite as The Marquis of Bute has restored

Millfeed-Car lots, delivered Mont- pails, 20 lbs. net, 36c.

track, Toronto. Country Produce-Wholesale. Butter-Dairy, tubs and rolls, 36 to

38c; prints, 38 to 40c; creamery, fresh made solids, 51 to 511/2c; prints, 511/2 Eggs-46 to 47c.

Dressed poultry-Spring chickens, 40c; squabs, doz., \$6.

Wholesalers are selling to the retail trade at the following prices: Cheese-New, large, 28 to 29c; twins, 281/2 to 291/2c; triplets, 29 to

Butter-Fresh dairy, choice, 46 to 48c; creamery, prints, 55 to 56c. Margarine-36 to 38c.

Eggs-No. 1's, 53 to 54c; selects, 57

Live poultry-Spring chickens, 35c;

NO BABIES FOR MINE

I'LL WAIT OUTSIDE C

FOR HIM!

BRINGING UP FATHER

I'LL GO IN -

HERE HE COMES - NOW OH! PARDON ME .

WHO ARE YOU?

Honey-Extracted clover, 5-lb. tins, chers' cows, choice, \$10 to \$10.75; do, 24 to 25c; 10-lb. tins, 231/2 to 24c; good, \$9.25 to \$9.75; do, med., \$8.50 60-lb. tins, 23 to 24c; buckwheat, 60-lb. to \$9; do, com., \$7 to \$8; stockers, tins, 18 to 19c. Comb, 16-oz., \$4.50 to \$8.75 to \$11.75; feeders, \$11.50 to \$12; BRITAIN WILL LAUNCH Toronto, Aug. 19.—Man. Wheat— \$5 doz.; 10-oz., \$3.50 to \$4 doz. No. 1 Northern, \$2.241/2; No. 2 North- Maple products-Syrup, per imper- milkers, good to choice, \$110 to \$140; ern, \$2.211/2; No. 3 Northern, \$2.171/2; ial gallon, \$2.45 to \$2.50; per 5 im- do, com. and med., \$65 to \$75: spring- A despatch from London says: - embankment and promenade.

> Provisions-Wholesale. Smoked meats-Hams, med., 47 to 48c; do, heavy, 40 to 42c; cooked, 63 to 65c; rolls, 35 to 36c; breakfast bacon, 49 to 55c; backs, plain, 50 to quotations.

Cured meats-Long clear bacon, 32 to 33c; clear bellies, 31 to 32c.

tubs, 37 1/2 to 38c; pails, 37 1/4 to 38 1/4 c; stock, \$12 to \$15 per cwt. \$5 to \$5.50. Calves, best milk-fed 31 1/2 to 32c; tubs, 32 to 32 1/2c; pails, Montreal Markets.

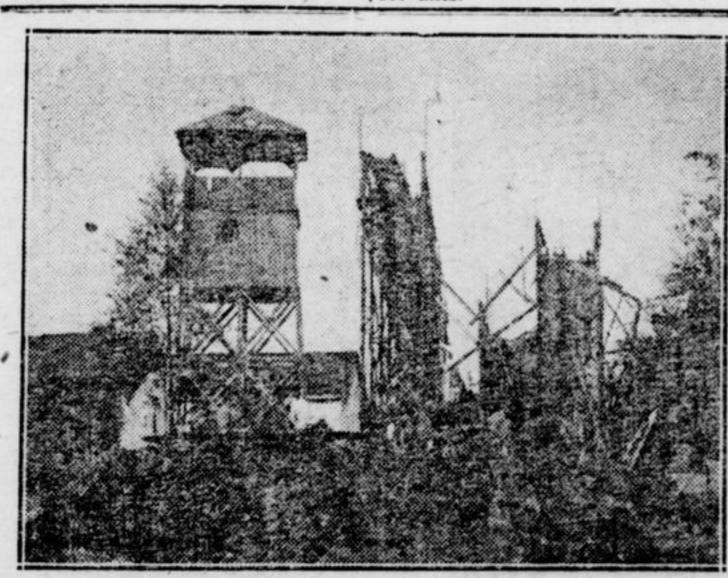
Barley-Malting, \$1.35 to \$1.39, ac- 1 feed, \$1.02. Flour, new standard grade, \$11 to \$11.10. Rolled oats, bag Shorts, \$44 Hay, No. 2, per ton, car Manitoba flour-Government stand- lots, \$28. Cheese, finest easterns, 25c. the receiver was baffled by the mys-Butter, choicest creamery, 54 to 541/2c, terious message, but after much puz-

Live Stock Markets.

steers, \$14 to \$14.75; good heavy joy may be full." His son was on his \$11.75 to \$12; do. med., \$11.25 to Straw—Car lots, per ton, \$10 to \$11, \$11.50; do, com., \$7 to \$8; bulls, choice, for ants.

The Cryptic Cable. For smartness the following will be

words, "Two John twelve." At first and under-water protection. write unto you, I would not write with and in naval circles the results of her of Mochrum, which was in ruins. paper and ink, but I trust to come un-



DEATH IN MIDST OF PLEASURE. A view of the ruins of the Mystic Rill and Scenic Railway at Do-Beans-Canadian, hand-picked, bus., minion Park, Montreal, destroyed by fire and in which at least seven \$5 to \$5.50; primes, \$4 to \$4.50; Im- lives were lost.

ALLIES SUNK 178 SUBMARINES

Germany Has Ceased to Exist as a Naval Power.

utter helplessness of Germany as a that borough. naval power is demonstrated by a The London County Council have vessels lost during the hostilities and of fifteen new schools. the Treaty of Versailles.

The resume shows a total loss of of Reading since 1904. 690 vessels, including 249 sub- The new headmistress of Gloucesmarines, the exact number sunk by ter Girls' High School is Miss F. Car-

combat, 34 were sunk to keep them field and Birmingham last month. from falling into the hands of the At the Marrylebone Borough Counrecords merely as lost. In addition, the top of the poll in each ward. more are to be delivered to the al- foster mother to a bunch of young lies under the peace terms.

teen small eruisers, forty-nine de- mouth. eight submarines. The records con- signation. cerning the latter show eighty-two Sir Thomas Middleton has been apthree in the Baltic Sea, sixteen in the signed. Mediterranean, and five in the Black George Parratt, a Horncastle far-

include twenty-one submarines -of suffocating. which ten were sunk in Mediterran- The death is announced at Ellowes six river gunboats and survey vessels. Wolverhampton. "Lost" craft include twenty-e-glit Sarah Hincks, aged 88, and one of two auxiliary vessels,

\$10.75; do, rough, \$8 to \$8.25; but- these vessels shows a total of 18,854 while on his way to the National

canners and cutters, \$4.75 to \$6.75;

No. 4 wheat, \$2.11, in store, Fort Wil- perial gallons, \$2.35 to \$2.40; sugar, ers, \$90 to \$150; light ewes, \$8 to \$10; Appointments are now being made to yearlings, \$10.50 to \$13; spring lambs, Great Britain's biggest warship. per cwt., \$17 to \$18.50; calves, good to choice, \$18 to \$22; x hogs, fed and watered, \$23.75; x do, weighed off cars, \$24; xdo, f.o.b., \$22.75. xPackers' nificent vessel is quite unique, representing as she does an absolute blend Arrive Quebec August 21; Toronto, Provinces under the Soldier Settle- No. 4 CW, \$1.35; rejected, \$1.27; feed, 51c; boneless, 56 to 58c; clear bellies, hogs, \$23 and \$24 per cwt, weighed and having all the gun power of the off cars. Choice steers, \$12 to \$13 former type combined with the treper cwt.; other grades, \$7.50. But- mendous speed of the latter. chers' cattle, best, \$8 to \$12; canners,

the largest warship in the world. Her | Church, Hawick. displacement is not less than 40,000 The Military Medal has been award very hard to beat. A well-known per- Elizabeth, and she is almost 900 feet hawhill, Lockerbie. Montreal, Aug. 19.—Oats, extra No. sonage in Devonshire had just received in length. In her hull have been empotamia which contained only three ences of Jutland in regard to armor J. Milligan, of Kirkgunzeon.

Her armament consists of eight 15- will be erected by the parishioners of inch guns-not 18-inch as some papers | Sanguhar as a war memorial. have erroneously stated-which she T R. Carlyle has presented two can bring into action at a speed of stained glass windows to Waterbeck about 38 miles an hour. The Hood, U. F. Church as a war memorial. trials are awaited with keen interest. The King presented the Military

AZTECS HAD MIRRORS.

British Museum Has An Obsidian Mirror Used by Ancient Mexicans.

mirrors played an important part in Board. much as it would be supposed.

Thus while Japan had in her inner | The death is announced at Benholm saw, and which were always to re. oldest public official in the burgh, the gods, the ancient Mexicans taught Kirkmaiden have placed an order with magic mirror in which he saw every. Peterhead red granite.

A real obsidian mirror with its ed to the King as the oldest soldier in strange textile string still attached is active service with the B.E.F. cans for various purposes and very in memory of five soldiers whose probably for srystal gazing. It is bodies were cast ashore near there. much the same as the other crystals used by so-called "wizards," so far as its shape is concerned. Even in recent years crystal gazing has been practiced, and it is said by those who have tried it that the mirror or crystal seems to disappear into a mist then-if ever-the visions appear.

I'M A FOOL AN' JUST

FOUND IT OUT:

Events In England

The Bolton Corporation has asked A despatch from Berlin says:-The Lloyd George to accept the freedom of

survey of the official records of the had plans prepared for the erection

under the terms of the armistice and The death is announced of W. S. Clutterbuck, who has been town clerk

the allies being placed at 178. less, of Wisbech High School Of the grand total of 215 lost in. King George paid a visit to Shef-

enemy, and 141 are shown on the cil elections, a woman was elected at 74 vessels were surrendered under On the farm of T. Drury, Munkeelthe terms of the armistice, and 108 ing. East Yorks, a cat is acting as

In detail the battle losses show A baby was drowned when it fell the destruction or capture of one off a chair into a bath containing two battleship, seven big cruisers, seven- inches of water at Treadegear, Mou-

stroyers, twenty-one large and forty- T. K. Bros, who has been registrar one small torpedo boats, one special of Southwark County Court for the vessel and one hundred and seventy- past sixty years, has tendered his re-

lost in the North Sea and the Atlantic, pointed a development commissioner seventy-two on the coast of Flanders, in the place of Prof. T. B. Wood, re-

mer, committed suicide by thrusting Vessels destroyed to avoid capture his head in eight inches of water and

ean ports, four on the coast of Fig. Hall, Sedgley, Staffs, of J. L. Gibbons ders, and seven in neutral ports, and formerly Unionist M.P. for South

mine-sweepers, nine auxiliary cruis- Florence Nightingale's nurses, was ers, one hundred trawlers and twenty- accidently killed at Islington by being knocked down by a dog. The loss of life in connection w (a Charles Arnold, a west end butcher,

Sporting Club, fell from a motor omnibus and was killed. The Chiswick District Council has WORLD'S LARGEST WARSHIP purchased two hundred acres of land from the Duke of Devonshire for au

Although official details are still Peter Scott, of Norwood, has prewithheld, she is known to be by far sented a pipe organ to St. George's

tons, 12,500 tons more than the Queen ed to Sergt. James Peterson, of Tan

a cable from his soldier son in Meso. bodied all the dearly bought experi- and bar have been conferred on Pie A public institute, to cost £4,500.

abattoir killed, \$33. Lard, pure, wood follows:-"Having many things to epoch making as the Dreadnought, and made habitable the ancient castle

Cross to Lieut. R. A. Fyllie, Royal Scots, Dumfries, at Buckingham Pal-The death is announced of David

Craighead, for many years clerk and Crystal gazing and the use of magic treasurer of the Galashiels School

religion and wizardry in the past, and John Gunn, a native of Berwick. though almost every nation had its and ot one time champion oarsman own method these did not vary as of the Tweed, died recently in South

temples mirrors which only the priest Bank, Dumfries, of F. O. Pringle, the flect the good and the beautiful for The War Memorial Committee of

that their God Texcatlipuco had a Glasgow firm for a monument of thing that happened each day in the Pte. Frank Edwards, Canadians, a native of Berwick, has been present-

in the British Museum now and was A memorial has been erected at St. used by the Aztecs and ancient Mexi- Cuthbert's Churchyard, Kirkcudbright

The Poet of All Time.

There was once a small but mighty nation, now numerous as the sands of the seashore, and no longer so interesting. To this nation was born a after it has been stared at in complete poet, and they made him the poet of silence for a great length of time, and all time. They took him and taught him all they knew-and they had great things to teach; and when, at their command, he made great dramas they stood at his elbow; and exrything they gave him he gave back to them tenfold. England was then Shakespeare's land. - John Butler

A Test of Endurance.

There was no doubt in the minds of the Hobart family that William Comer Hobart, aged thirteen, was a born orator. Uncle 'Liph Hobart voiced the general opinion when he said that he considered that William Comer was "equal to Dan'l Webster, allowin' for age." "I tell ye what 'tis," said Uncle

'Liph to the assembled family when the grammar-school exhibition was over, "a boy that can recite Thanatopsis from start to finish and only hold up twice, once in the beginning, to swallow, and once toward the end, to cough, has got real speaking talents."

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CANADIAN SCIENT

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Coal and oil have served rations, and have added a enjoyment, comfort, and civilization. In the near world will not be depend mine and the miner for in poses. Steam will be, in being, generated without a

The increasing cost and supplies of fuel directed a of manufacturers and s other sources of power, a ter J. Harvey, of the Roy Science, Toronto, who ha great deal of his time at to research work in con the application of light various mechanical uses, developed the Luxostat. The sun pours its rays

earth in a never ending of heat, light and growth to surface. This sun energ 5.000 horse-power for an More than 500,000 horse 100-acre farm. The Lux us to tap in on this end reserve and convert it in and motion for immediat Luxostat, Household Wa

destined to become a "Telephone," "Automol less," "Aeroplane," "Sul some others which in childhood days were un and which now are so ca intimate a part of our that life as we now live impossible without them The Luxostat is a s

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The commercialization tion means that unlimi be available for every cost of fuel is entirely Luxostat being almost a operation, the outlay for ly reduced, while the eq it is manufactured on should cost much less ary steam plant, devel horse-power.

These facts, which I fully demonstrated, sh Luxostat of vital inter every user of power, by of manufactured goods, all to the governments countries who are su from the high cost of post-war conditions. ------According to

The doctor consulted ter and looked startled riedly tested his patien "Good gracious, ma "What have you been temperature is up to d your pulse is terrific.

limiting yourself to i

told you?" The patient nodded "Yes, doctor, I have "During the last twe have eaten three app dozen match-stalks, a tons; but I find consid in chewing the coal."

Ostrich Fen Ostrich feathers an sorts of interesting ti It is quite taken for & trich should be a dres as much or more than and the French have clever in devising wa

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