

The Alleged Census Circulars.

The Conservative press persist in asserting that the so-called census circulars were issued to the census enumerators, when all the evidence points to the contrary. When the charge was first made in the House that the census enumerators in Ontario were using a bogus schedule in order to make a political census, the Minister of Agriculture, who then heard of the matter for the first time promised to make an immediate enquiry, and if he found the allegations true, have the schedules destroyed. Once he, accordingly, sent out to the 114 census commissioners in the Province of Ontario the following telegram: "The statement is made here that a schedule entitled 'male residents, sixteen years of age and over,' has been placed in the hands of the enumerators. If such a schedule has been employed it is fraudulent, and you are required forthwith to instruct all enumerators in your census district to discontinue under pain of dismissal from office and prosecution and punishment under the Census Act any such schedule in the possession of the enumerators, whether filled or not, must be destroyed, and the delivery of them to any person or persons or the detention of them by enumerators, will be visited with the full penalty of the law. See section 11 and 13 to 19, inclusive, of the Census Act. Wire me to-morrow any information you may have regarding this matter of the use of the reported schedule in your census district."

Telegrams were received from every of the commissioners. Out of 114 in the Province 102 stated that they had never seen nor heard of the schedule, and it was not in the hands of the enumerators in their districts. Nine of them reported that they had seen a document of this nature, but that it was not being used by the enumerators. Three reported that a few of the enumerators in their districts had it in their possession, and, in accordance with the instructions received, had taken immediate steps to have them destroyed. Not one of the replies indicated that the schedule was being made use of by the enumerators.

As a matter of fact no bogus census schedule was ever issued at all. The circulars which have been the cause of all this bluster were issued by the Liberal organization for the purpose of obtaining information for use in the revision of the voters' lists. They were not sent to census commissioners or enumerators at all, but to the candidates and officers of riding associations. The fact that they were not mailed until a week after the enumerators had commenced work shows conclusively that there was no intention of making use of the enumerators for party advantage. No information was asked for which could not be given by any party worker familiar with his polling sub-division. The circulars speak for themselves, and the instructions endorsed thereon are that two copies are to be prepared by the gentleman so chosen for each sub-division and sent to the Liberal candidate."

It is only natural to suppose that the gentlemen chosen by the riding officers for this work would in some instances also be census enumerators. The action of the Liberal organization

Gymnastics

Will do much to develop a muscular body, but the strength of the body is not to be measured by its muscle, but by its blood. If the blood is impure, the body, in spite of its bulk and brawn, falls an easy prey to disease.

There is no medicine equal to Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the purifying of the blood. It carries off the poisons which contaminate the life fluid. It increases the activity of the blood-making glands, and gives the body an increased supply of pure, body-building blood. It builds up the body with sound, healthy flesh instead of fatty fat, promotes the appetite, feeds the nerves, and so gives to weak, languid people vitality and good health.

There is no alcohol contained in "Golden Medical Discovery," and it is absolutely free from opium, cocaine and all other narcotics.

"I feel it my duty to write to you of the wonderful curative powers of your Golden Medical Discovery," writes George S. Henderson of DeLand, Lee Co., Florida. "I had a bad bruise on my leg, and I tried local doctors, but with no good results. Finally I wrote you the Golden Medical Discovery, and when I began to take it from the first bottle I began to feel better, and when I had taken eight bottles the sore was healed up. I wish you success."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing only.

Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

In sending out these circulars, we are told, was only following out what has been done by both political parties for

grubbers from here to Patagonia. The wealth that is coined into the currency of smiles here is laid up as a treasure in heaven. It is the only treasure that can be left behind to add to the sum of human happiness, and carried forward to swell the joys of the world to come.—Merchants Rec.

A LITTLE WHILE.

so natural that we fall asleep like tired children when the day is done.

I would question why the living weep when Death has kissed the laughing lips of one, so not sigh when golden skies have donned

purple shadows and the gray of night,

as we know the morning lies beyond,

we must wait a little while for light.

when grown weary with care and strife,

loved ones find in sleep the peace they crave, should not weep, but learn to count this life, prelude to the one beyond the grave.

thus be happy for them, notwithstanding,

lift our hearts to God, and smile.

we anon, like tired ones will rest, we will hope and wait—little while

**PROGRESS.**

Some time ago there was a notable automobile procession in the city of Buffalo, N. Y. It was notable for its size, and also for the fact that it was entirely composed of automobile wagons (like in the cut above), built to distribute the advertising literature of the World's Dispensary Medical Association, proprietors and manufacturers of Dr. Pierce's medicines. In many a town and village Dr. Pierce's automobile has been the pioneer horseless vehicle. These wagons, sent to every important section of the country, are doing more than merely advertise Dr. Pierce's Remedies—they are pioneers of progress, heralds of the automobile age.

This is in keeping with the record made by Dr. Pierce and his famous preparations, which have always kept in the front of their merits. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is still the leading medicine for disorders and diseases of the stomach and digestive and nutritive systems, for the purifying of the blood and healing of weak lungs.

Women place Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in the front of all put-up medicines specially designed for women's use. The wide benefits this medicine has brought to women have been well summed up in the words "It makes weak women strong and sick women well."

The reputation of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets as a safe and effective laxative for family use is international.

It may be asserted without fear of contradiction that no other firm or company engaged in the vending of put-up medicines can rank with the World's Dispensary Medical Association, either in the opinion of the medical profession or of the intelligent public. The Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, which is connected with the "World's Dispensary," is alone sufficient to prove this supremacy. Here is a great modern hospital, always filled with patients, where every day successful operations are performed on men and women whose diseases demand the aid of surgery. No hospital in Buffalo is better equipped, with respect to its modern appliances, or the surgical ability of its staff. Dr. R. V. Pierce, the chief consulting physician of

the hospital, is a man of great experience and knowledge.

INSTITUTION FOR DEAF AND DUMB, BELLEVILLE, ONT.

Hard coal—775 tons large egg size 100 tons small egg size, 12 tons stove size, 14 tons No. 4 size; soft coal for grates, 4 tons.

INSTITUTION FOR BLIND, BRANTFORD.

Hard coal—100 tons large egg size, 150 tons stove size, 15 tons chestnut size.

REFORMATORY FOR BOYS, PENSKEWAN.

Eighty tons egg size, 57 tons stove size, 10 tons nut size, 800 tons soft coal screenings or run of mine lump.

Delivered at institution dock.

MENOR REHABILITATION, TORONTO.

Soft coal screenings or run of mine lump, 550 tons; stove coal, 110 tons.

Tenders are to specify the mine or mines from which the coal will be supplied, and the quality of same, and also furnish satisfactory evidence that the coal delivered is true to sample, fresh mined, and in every respect equal in quality to the standard size of coal known to the trade.

Delivery is to be effected in a manner satisfactory to the Inspectors of

Sons and Public Charters, and the said inspectors may require additional amounts, not exceeding one per cent, of the quantities heretofore specified, for the above mentioned institutions to be delivered at the contract price at any time up to the 15th day of July, 1902.

Tenders will be received for the quantity above specified, for the quantities required in each re-

stitution. An accepted check for \$500 payable to the order of the Honorable Provincial Secretary, must be furnished by each tenderor as a guarantee of bona fide, and two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfillment of each contract. Specifications and forms and conditions of tenders may be obtained from the Inspectors of Institutions and Public Charters, Parliament buildings, Toronto, or from the Bursars of the respective institutions. The lowest, or any tender not necessarily accepted, newspaper inserting this advertisement without authority from the department will not be paid for it.

J. R. STRATTON, Provincial Secretary.

Parliament buildings, Toronto, May 6th, 1901.

KENNEDY & KERGAN, Cor. Michigan Ave. and Shelby St., Detroit, Mich.

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Perhaps few people fully realize the amount of murder that goes on in the United States, and the comparative immunity enjoyed by the murderers. The total number of American officers and soldiers killed in the Philippines during two years and a half is but little over 3,000. More than five times this number of murders have occurred in the United States during the same period. More men are killed in the country every six months than have been killed on the American side during the Philippine war. In no other country in the civilized world is the crime of murder so common.

Under the Nervo Lash.—The torture and torment of the victim of nervous prostration and nervous debility no one can rightly estimate who has not been under the ruthless lash of these relentless human foes. M. Williams, of Fowthorpe, Ont., was for four years a nervous wreck. Six bottles of South American Nervine worked a miracle, and his doctor confirmed it.—*23*

Old Reliable Drug Store, Stouffville.

£1. Gold... \$2.88
Best Gold Fill 1.50
5 yrs Gold Fill 1.00
We guarantee perfect satisfaction.
GLOBE OPTICAL CO.
92 Yonge Street, Toronto.

For Sale.

A thoroughbred registered Durham Bull, 2 years old, also a quantity of good clean Wild Goose Wheat for seed, at lot 8, concession 8, Whitelock.

FOR SERVICE.—A thoroughbred registered Durham Bull at lot 8, concession 8, Whitelock, (Baker Hill), Terminus St. A. E. GILLMORE.

A yearling thoroughbred Durham Bull also a thoroughbred Durham Bull calf, at lot 14, concession 9, Whitelock.

NOTICE.

LICENSED AUCTIONEER for the County of York and Ontario. All sales of Farm Stock, etc., attended to on the shortest notice and reasonable rates. Mortgage and bailiffs attended to. Residence, Stouffville, Ont.

The **Noxon Implement Co.** Has implements and repair shop in Stouffville and has appointed

W. A. MCLEAN As their AGENT, also agent for the **National Fence Co.**, Merrickville

FAIRVIEW AND OKANAGAN, BIG 14, MINING AND MILLING

Co., of B. C., Limited.

Capitalization \$1,500,000 shares. Par. value \$100 each. Fully paid and non-assessable. Holding immense properties in one of the richest mining districts of B. C. Good facilities for shipping ore, assay's already taken, giving \$16 to the ton, in copper, beside values in silver and gold. Stock at present only 8c per sh. but will be advanced to 10c per sh. on the 1st of June. This is one of the best our-gains on the mining market as this stock will likely be \$1 per sh. when mines are properly developed. Address all orders to

A. S. BALL, Secretary, Woodstock, Ont. or to W. MALLORY, B. A., Stouffville, Ont.

A Boon To Farmers

Henry Miles Burkitt, Deceased

Take Notice that after the expiration of 20 days from the first publication of this notice an application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of York to appoint The National Trust Company, Limited, as guardians of the estate of C. Alonso Burkitt, Jennie Burkitt and Altam Burkitt, children of Henry Miles Burkitt, deceased, who died on or about the 13th day of June 1900, all being infants under the age of twenty-one years. Dated at Stouffville this 23rd day of April 1901.

James McCullough, Solicitor herein for The National Trust Company, Limited, and for Sarah M. Burkitt the mother of the above named infants.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, TORONTO.

Hard coal—1,200 tons large egg size, 150 tons stove size, 150 tons soft size. Soft coal—150 tons lump, 150 tons soft screenings.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, LONDON.

Hard coal—2,250 tons large egg size, 250 tons stove size, 60 tons chestnut size. Soft coal—40 tons for grates, of 2,250 tons, \$50 may not be required till Jan. 1902.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, KINGSTON.

Hard coal—1,350 tons large egg size, 250 tons small egg size, 25 tons chestnut size, 50 tons hard screenings, 500 tons soft screenings, 15 tons stove size (hard).

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, HAMILTON.

Hard coal—3,760 tons small egg size, 200 tons stove size, 100 tons chestnut size, 200 tons for grates, 75 tons for piano house, 200 tons imported sheet, 120 tons imported screenings. Of the above quantity, 2,058 tons may not be required until January and February, 1902.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, MIMICO.

Hard coal—1,550 tons large egg size, 110 tons stove size, 10 tons coal for grates, 100 tons soft screenings, 50 cords green hardwood.

ASYLUM FOR IDIOTS, ORILLIA.

Soft coal screenings or run of mine lump, 1,700 tons; 75 tons hard coal, stove size; 150 tons hard coal, grate size; 150 tons hard coal, soft lump, 10 tons.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, BROCKVILLE.

Hard coal—1,750 tons large egg size, 200 tons stove size, 50 tons small egg size. Of the above quantity, 1,050 tons may not be required until January and March 1902.

ASYLUM FOR FEMALE PATIENTS, COBOURG.

Hard coal—300 tons, large egg size, CENTRAL PRISON, TORONTO.

Hard coal—10 tons nut size, 100 tons small egg size, 120 tons soft coal for grates, 10 tons.

INSTITUTION FOR DEAF AND DUMB, BELLEVILLE, ONT.

Hard coal—10 tons nut size, 100 tons soft coal screenings or run of mine lump. The soft coal to be delivered monthly, as required.

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