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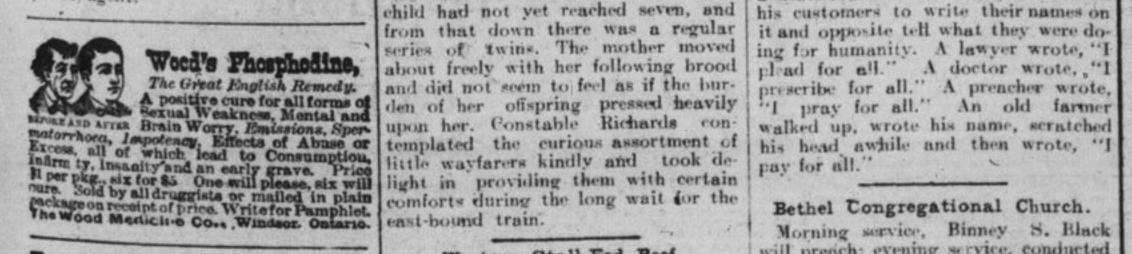
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A POSSIBILITY.

That Became a Fact and Pleases Many People.

A. R. Lewis, M.D., in a lengthy artitle in the columns of the American Journal of Health, says concerning hair: "It's deterioration is a constant source of worriment to humanity, consequently bald people are readily deceived by 'fake' hair restoratives. The wish that a hair preparation will "fill the bill" is father to the dandruff, falling bair and baldness." special agent.



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QUEEN'S SPEEDILY OUTRIV-ALLED 'VARSITY.

Game Ended 12 to 4 in Favor . of the Calvinists For Queen's Had a

disinfects the mouth and throat from with unpronounceable names. The ice was apparently too fast for 'Varsity, the players being so accustomed to form or another, but probably the the mucky, soft article that the sheet ready for them last night was a little too good for them. The players who shone against McGill, notably Clarke and Toms, were mere spectators for a harmless antiseptics in tablet form or greater part, and did little to help rather in the form of large, pleasant along the cause. Martin also was tasting lozenges, the charcoal being not very useful. Young Davidson was the only forward who really made The daily use of these lozenges will showing. He outplayed Dobson, his soon tell in a much improved condi- check, at all stages, and carned the tion of the general health. better com- greatest commendation from the galolexion, sweeter breath and purer lery. 'Varsity's defence did very well. blood, and the beauty of it is, that Broadfoot and Hanley both putting no possible harm can result from their up a star article of the game. Keith, in goal, was somewhat inconsistent, making some good stops, and losing a few casy ones. He is a few points the benefits of charcoal says: "I ad shy of being a real good tender of the nets. 'Varsity left the key of their combination somewhere in their dressing-room. It was only seldom that they got together at all, and then the rushes were of the two-men variety. The team as a whole checked poorly,

long ones from Broadfoot beat him in

feree Roy Thomas, kept the players as the farmer's friend. well in check, although evidently puzzled at times over the eastern offside rule. There, was a fair attendance. The

Varsity-Goal, Keith; point, Hanley cover, Broadfoot; rover, Martin; centre Clarke; right, Toms, left, Dobson, Queen's-Goal, Mills; point, Macdonnell; cover, Sutherland; rover, Walsh; centre, Crawford; right, Dobson; left Richardson. Referec-Roy Thomas, Goal umpires _J. Broadfoot, and George Mackie. Timers-J. Sifton, M. B. Baker and T.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters on Their Rounds. Try Chown's cough drops, 5c. box.

Peace reigned supreme at the police court, to-day The Monday Reading Club will meet at Miss Macaulay's next week. Buy Blaud's Iron Pills at Gibson's Red Cross drug store, Fresh there. the police station. About noon quite a snow flurry set

in, with the prospects of working up quite a storm before night. Credit sale of farm stock at the residence of John McKegney, Barriefield, Friday, February 9th, 12 o'clock noon. Rehearsals are in steady progress for the production of "Colleen Bawn" on the night of Monday, March 19th, at

the opera house. T. J. Lockhart, real estate agent, sold, on Friday, Louis La Fonteese's farm of 130 acres at Westbrook, to. George Gibson, Cataraqui. secause a rooster has a comb,

But hasn't anv hair. Passion Play, views of Holy Land and sacred songs illustrated, Opera House, Sunday evening. Silver collection. Conti, high class castile soap. Only at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. This afternoon, the thermometer had risen to twenty degrees above zero, a rise of thirty degrees since morning. Another cold spell is ex-

UNDER RAILWAY AGE. Mother and Nine Children Pay a

Fare and a Half. Montreal, Feb. 3.-What must be very near the cheapest travelling on fancy that it is likely to do so. A record in Canada, except by walking. rare case in point is that of Newbro's was accomplished vesterday, to the Belleville, has returned home after Herpicide, which actually does fill the credit of the C. P. R., by a little spending a few days at H. Rankin's bill. It destroys the parasite that French-Canadian woman who passed attacks the hair root, and prevents through here from a place called Paul Smith, in the Adirondacks, to Kansas City Journal. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. Mechanic Falls, Me. The woman was in stamps for sample to the Herpicide accompanied by nine children, all so only one fare and a half. The eldest series of twins. The mother moved Wood's Phosphodine, about freely with her following brood plead for all." A doctor wrote, and did not seem to feel as if the bur-

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THE FARMER'S FRIEND.

Outlook For Sheep Husbandry By H. S. Arkell, B.S.A. The rise and fall of prices, the

cognized fact of commercial life. With a finger on the pulse of the market. the apility to relate one's business to the demands of the present and the courage of patience and resourcefulness to prepare for the demands of the future is a talent that should assure The Richardson-Walsh combination, farmer, tradesman, or manufacturer. and incidentally five other members A stockman who takes advantage of a of the Queen's University team, did dull year to strengthen or improve all kinds of unkind things to the his breeding flock and refuses to 'Varsity aggregation last night at breathe' the atmosphere of discouragethe Mutual street rink. The score ment and impatience under which his was 4 to 2 at half-time, and 12 to 4 neighbors are going down to failure, at the end in favor of Queen's. It is wise in his way and generation. The was a little "easy money" for the sheep owner and breeder who, not desfoves the complexity as a natural Kingston chaps, who went through pairing of the revival of the sheep inthe Queen's Parkers in the same style dustry, has during the past few years, It absorbs the injurious gases which that the Japs did the Russians at by judicious selection and breeding, ollect in the stomach and bowels; it Kwang Chi and a few other places maintained or increased the quality of his stock, is now reaping the reward of his hopefulness, and is in a posithe brisk demand and high prices of Record marketings at record pricis the reporter's summary of the

situation at the Union Stock Yards, Chicago, for 1905. In all during the year, 4,738,748 sheep were marketed which, in a grand total is 234,000 more than in 1904. The top price for wethers was \$6.25 per cwt. The de mand for breeding ewes throughout the states has, during the past year, fully doubled and there were by no means enough feeder sheep to supply the demand in the corn-belt and onthe range. One feature of the Chicago market was the presence of Canadian ambs, one lot selling in November last for \$7.25 per cwt. The past year has also been a profitable one for the wool grower, present prices being abnormally high. With the impetus given to the sheep industry by the active demand for wool and mutton, and be cause of the general prosperity of the country, the opinion prevails among Mills, for Queen's had a picnic. Two high authorities that the breeding and feeding of sheep will be a profitable charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Bozeng- the first half, and as many more elud- business for the next two years a es than in any of the ordinary char- ed his vigilance in the second. Rich- least. For breeding purposes, sheep ardson and Walsh were the fastest men | selected from Canadian flocks are par on the ice, and of the two the honors | ticularly popular in the United States were with the former. He was light- and Canadian farmers ought, to be in ning fast, and Toms never had a look- a position to reap a rich harvest in with him. Both men checked back through trade with their cousins across fast, shot well and passed with great the line. The presence of sheep on the accuracy. They are certainly good en- farm moreover assists the farmer won ough to make anybody's team. Craw. derfully in keeping his farm free from ford and Dobson gave them able as- weeds, and in maintaining the fertility sistance. The defence did all they were of the land. Finally, the prospect profit in the sheep trade is better now Varsity roughed it a little in the than it has been for years, and the last half, Walsh having his nose flat- outlook is promising to those who tened, but he stayed in the game. Re- have retained their faith in the shee

> INCIDENTS MISREPRESENTED. Light on the Statement of War Ministes.

Tokio, Feb. 3.-The news agency de spatch which made M. Oishi ask Minister of War Terauchi, in the diet whether Japan intended to urge Great Britain to reform her army organization, and made Gen. Terauchi reply that it would do so at some future date, misrepresented the incident. To opposition's interpellation as to th necessity of suggesting to Great Britain the strengthening of her Indian army, Terauchi replied, diplomatically, that such a necessity might arise

SUBMIT, SAYS THE POPE. Advises Catholics Not to Oppose

Inventories. Rome, Feb. . 3.-The pope has tele graphed to the French episcopate, advising Catholics to submit to the taking of inventories of church pro Two good windows are to be seen at perty by the government, deploring Best's, one for men and one for women. the scenes of violence that have oc An old citizen sought protection from curred and exhorting trust in God. It he stinging cold blasts last night in is rumored that this action is due to a hint on the part of the government

Event At Collins Bay. Collins Bay, Feb. 3.-An evening of much enfoyment was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Clarke, Friday evening, when over sixty in vited guests gathered to do them honor, at being the twentieth anniversary of their marriage. Mr. Clarke's large and beautiful home is well adapted for such a gathering, and everyone was made by their host and hostess,

to enjoy themselves. At eleven o'clock tea was served at small tables, Many t seems to me Dame Nature's strange beautiful presents were received, testifying to the esteem in which Mr and Mrs. Clarke are held. Guests were Moving pictures of the Sublime present from Belleville, Gananoque Kingston, Odessa, and Bath, Games and music were indulged in through out the evening till the hour for d parture came, when all wished Mr. an Mrs. Clarke, many more years happiness and prosperity. Mr. Mrs. G. Saundercook, entertained their many friends on Thursday evening Mr. Smellie, of British Columbia spent Sunday here with his old friend J. J. Lossee, W. Cousins, of Dorland, is spending a few days here renewing old acquaintances. Dorland Clement and daughter, Bertha,, and Mis Laura Gilbert, of Hawley, were guests at A. Clement's a few days this week R. J. McDonald made a trip to Glenvale on Friday. Miss Demill.

The Part He Took. Governor Hoch tells a story that ways strikes the right spot with the Co., Detroit, Mich. G. W. Mahood, young that the company collected farmers. One time a merchant put up a blackboard in his store, and asked child had not yet reached seven, and his customers to write their names on from that down there was a regular | it and opposite tell what they were de ing for humanity. A lawyer wrote,

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MINISTERS CARRY OUT OLD TIME CEREMONY.

Great Seal As a Frying Pan Was Once Lost-A Prime Minister Has No Seal-He Kisses Sovereign's Hand.

Everyone has heard of the "Seals of office," those symbols of power which departing Ministers surrender; and how they are surrendered and their precise value in the State economy is often a mystery even to politicians of high rank, says The London Express. Until all the seals-have been given to the King the holders are still technically in office.

A Prime Minister has no seals. He signifies his acceptance of office by kissing the Sovereign's hand. But in the Cabinet are some most important personages who possess seals, and the Privy Council has to be summoned that they may be endowed tion to take the largest advantage of from his Majesty's hand with their insignia. On this solemn occasion the Privy Council meets twice upon the same day. At the first meeting the members of Cabinet surrender into the King's hand the trust they have received, and at the second the trust is taken over by the members of the

new Cabinet. During this interval the seals lie peacefully upon the table, under the King's hand, and the business of the

State should be at a standstill. The resignation of the seals is, indeed, a most solemn ceremony. From the Home Office, the War Office, the India Office, wherever there is a Secretary of State to have seals, his charge has been disinterred from the safe where it has lain since the last occasion, Perhaps an Under-Secretary has furtively polished them, for though each secretary possesses three,

only the smallest is ever used. The Great Seal, is of course, largest and most important, being the only one that is still to any extent used. Lord Chancellor and Lord Keep er of the Seal, will receive it from the Messenger of the Seal, whose duty i is always to wait upon it, and will re sign it to King Edward. The Privy Seal, of which the chief function is to seal every document before the Great Seal is also given up. Then the dispossessed Cabinet retires.

Important State documents that deal with the making of treaties, or the institution of Royal Commissions, are sealed with the Great Seal. Indeed, the Great Seal is still a power in the land, though it does not still exercise a rivalry with the Sovereign, as it did in the days when the Lord Chancellor ran away to Charles I. with the Great Seal. It is reported that the Parliamentarians were quite nonplussed until it occurred to them to make a duplicate, when they dispensed with the King al-

The Great Seal, it is well known, must never leave the Lord Chancellor's possession, nor must it be taken from the country. Mr. Michael MacDonagh, in his classic book on Parliament, relates how Brougham took it with him to Scotland, and excited the great dignation of his royal master. He had arrived at Rothlemarchus, and as a great privilege disclosed his treasure to the ladies of the party gathered there by the Duchess of These playful people hid it in a teachest, and Lord Brougham was really thrown into considerable distress searching for it. At last he found it, and to celebrate its recovery he allowed them to make pancakes in it. Not satisfied with his first experiment, he subsequently repeated it at Taymouth, and for the second time in its existence the Great Seal of England was

used as a frying-pan. Once, indeed, the Great Seal has been stolen. In 1784 it vanished from the house of Lord Chancellor. Thurlow in Great Ormond street. Pitt, who had just been appointed Prime Minister, vowed that the Whigs had stolen it to avert a general election, as Parliament could not be dissolved without it.

The difficulty, however, was overcome by the production of a new one in the record time of thirty-six hours. Such care is taken of the Great Seal that, although the "Pursebearer" always accompanies the Lord Chancellor into the House of Lords, the Great Seal is not in the satchel. It is left in its morocco-covered box in a strong safe at the residence of the Lord Chan-

Wasted Rebuke. Mr. Gosset, the popular sergeant of the House of Commons, was a genial friend of many in the press gallery, says the writer of some "Parliamentary Reminiscences," and the following story illustrates his anxiety to please: One day a lobby journalist had been very rudely treated by one of the attendants at the door of the House. "I have no time to attend to you," he had been told. "You're only a reporter," The journalist happened to be a man

of spirit. So he went and complained to Mr. Gosset. The old serggant flew into a great rage. "Come along with me," he said, and, rushing down to the lobby with the journalist, he went up to the first attendant he saw and opened fire. When

Sergeant Gosset opened fire nothing withstood it. The attendant cowered before a long string of forceful invective. At last the old sergeant paused and turned to the journalist, "Will that do, Mr. -- ? I think I

have done my best for you." "Yes, Mr. Gosset. Thank you very much. But-but-that was the wrong man!"-London Tit-Bits.

At An Execution Sir Wemyss Reid wrote as follows of one of his early experiences as a reporter: "On the first occasion of wit nessing an execution, as I stood trembling at the foot of the scaffold on which the victim was about to appear I noticed an old reporter for whom entertained a great personal respect pacing up and down beside me reading.

"In the passion of horror and pity that filled my young heart I concluded that my friend was seeking spiritual we were about to take part as spectators and recorders. I said something were shortly to witness, "He looked up with a placid smile

very sad, very sad; but let us be thankful it isn't raining.' And then he calmly returned to his daily reading of the at Wade's Drug Store.

"Add ye year to year."-Isalah xxix., I So goes the old year forth, as goes A king with no attending train, As goes a monarch old, who knows. His further effort is in vain:

The courtier months and now, alone The old year proudly falters on. The new year comes to claim the

But we that stand as subjects stand Within the temple of the years While faints the narrow thread of sant That in the timeglass now appears-Should we look out adown the way Whereon our eager feet would fare Or should we gaze at yesterday And see what is recorded there?

Aye, backward then a moment's space-Look backward at the dimming hill Ere yet old Time with gentle grace Count now the heights which held th.

Which had been ours to win and keep Feared that the climb was high and

Now the horizon whence we wend Seems but a path all smooth and fair Where frowning hill and valley blend And any load were light to bear. Could we go back! Ah, might we go Once more upon the dwindling way The trials should not fret us so-

So, in the temple of the years We gaze back at the fading view-The composite of laughs and tears-Then turn to face the roadway nev The new year comes, as comes a king Appareled in rich stuffs, and gold-Grant that unto it we may bring

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WALK WITH THE BOYS.

Dr. Osler's Advice to Veterans Who Want to Keep Up.

of an institution, be dissolved from the hive to give more laborers room. would urge the clinical physician as h travels farther from the east to lool well to his companions to see that the are not of his own age and generation He must walk with the 'boys,' else he is irrevocably lost. I would not have him a basil plant to feed on the brain of the bright young men who follow the great wheel up hill, but to keep hi mind receptive, plastic and impression able he must travel with the men whe are doing the work of the world; the men between the ages of twenty-five Here is some of his advice to str

"Throw away, in the first place, at ambition beyond that of doing the day's work well. As to the method or work. I have a single bit of advice neither in the past nor the future, bu let each day's work absorb your entire

larly with reference to the modes of Ninety suffered bodily pain and disshowed mental apprehension, two positive terror, one expressed spiritual exgreat majority gave no sign one way or the other. Like their birth, their death was a sleep and a forgetting beast As one dieth, so dieth the

"Piles," itching, bleeding or prohe was essentially a gentleman, 'Yes, truding, are cured by Dr. Cripps' pile ointment. 25c. Mahood's Drug Stors Chicago Record-Herald. Sixteen kinds of cough drops at | "That must have been nice," re-Chown's drug store.

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