OZED YEAR.



HUMANE SOCIETY WORK.

oned once by a little girl to her Canadians, me where the father, in a fit of oger, had taken her kitten and alled its front paws to the kitchen oor. Another case of cruelty ocrred near Kingston two years ago, hen the owner of a cow, that had en struck by a train, allowed the or animal to lie in the ditch in ony, suffering from a broken hip. e feared he would not receive comspector saw it. The Humane Sosty learned of the case and had the ow put out of its misery. Reports ave come to humane society officals of horses being cruelly treated a highway construction work and hey will prosecute those responble. Another case heard of in the ast week was that of a farmer down ast knocking down a horse with a ence rail and another who is allegd to have poked out the eyes of a able. lorse because it did not do his bid-

These cases are cited to let the ablic know the great need of husane societies, which should have be support of all those who do not want to see dumb animals horribly reated. Kingston has one of the nost energetic humane societies in Canada. Its officers and officials tre ever on the alert and each month a statement is published of the cases "A VAGABOND SONG," BY BLISS attended to.

WHEN MICHIGAN WAS IN CAN-

A variation of the old principle o taxation without representation, prears in a document recently unearthed by Got. Fraser, archivist of Intario, While the American coloiles, perhaps, thought more of avoidog taxation than of obtaining repreentation, a statement of the priniple but with the opposite intention to avoid taxation-was made in Detroit nearly twenty years after the into his poetry. Hear him:

he Toronto Mall and Empire. The Quebec Act of 1774 brought And my heart is like a rhyme. ato the Province of Quebec the vast With the yellow and the purple and expanse of British territory as far outh as the Ohio River and as far west as the Mississippi; including the The scarlet of the maples can shake present State of Michigan. By the Of bugies going by. Preaty of Paris, 1783, what had been |And my lonely spirit thrills British territory in North America To see the frosty asters like a smoke was divided, but Great Britain renined possession of what is now the There is something in October sets State of Michigan (and other territory) giving as the reason that the We must rise and follow her: United States had not implemented When from every hill of flame. the agreement of Article IV. of that freaty "that creditors on either side shall meet with no lawful impediment to recovery ... of all bonaide debts. . . "In 1791 the enorons Province of Quebec was divided into two provinces and Upper Canada took in Michigan as well as part of

have epoken of behold, the Lord be door, you had to sell better goods. learns to catch its own food. passing the time until the sun of between me and these forever.—I Secondly, that if you wanted to sell. It is now August. The flowers spring has once more bared his an-

and Essex, were north of Lake Erie, here he slapped his thigh and but did not go beyond the line of the chuckled to himself. I got hold of hospitals, of which 108 public, 57

expenses of building a courthouse that?" and goal:" Those buildings for the western district of Upper Canada were to be near the present town of Sandwich and the property owners west of Detroit and St. Clair Rivers were not exempt from taxes. At a 243 Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the western district, 2614 held in Detroit in April, 1795, the grand jury, four of whom bore French names, made a presentment with which, writes the Hon. Mr. Justice Riddell in the Canadian His- than an Ontario landscape. torical Review, little' fault can be "The inhabitants of the it says, "are actually or should be ing built with houses attached. assessed or taxed as others of His Majesty's liege subjects within the rovince" of Upper Canada. They legislature. What about it Mr. Ferover the actual name of the should also be equally entitled to guson? Are you good and ready free representation which they have vet? The circulation of The British Whin heretofore not been considered as en-

which they hold their lands." Though the grand jurors may not ripe stock. ad that there is much need of their Mr. Justice Riddell, representation The lowest priced book in the \$5 in the monthly rental. A comtive services on behalf of the dumb had already been provided for the world is the Bible. It can be bought mendable landlord indeed. catures, particularly the horse. Casatisfied Michigan taxpayers. from a penny up. It is also one of ney admit that there is not so much Jay's Treaty was concluded in No- the best books to read. welty to animals as there was two vember, 1794, although not ratified seades ago, but the chief reason for until October, 1795. The United now that ill-treatment of horses. Great Britain to surrender the ter- ore. People go away for a holiday attle, dogs and cats will bring them ritory. By August, 1796, the trans- and then return home for a rest. the law courts and perhaps land fer of possession was complete; those. People generally have no idea of gan and becoming American citizens cise the Face," has caused the Border of Commons. There are perhaps me of the cruelties practised upon could vote as such, while those who Cities Star to realize at last why we umb animals. A humane society desired to live under the Old Flag fficial tells of having been sum- could pass over the river and vote as

CUT OFF THE TAXES.

The St. Thomas Times-Journal is convinced that the municipal income against the Chicago water theft. In these men, the Winnipeg Tribune retax is one thing that is doomed, even this case Lake Erie is a factor unit- marks that the Icelanders "are keen if Hon. Mr. Ferguson does not at ing Ontario and Ohio, not dividing students, and sweep the boards at present see his way clear to abolish them. it. Ratepayers cannot see why they should be required to pay a civic inloved the animal before a railway come tax in addition to a Federal in- agership. The controllers favor, it. many respects, especially the part ed. The city is big enough for more ing their mark, and in many cases that fixes the exemption for children. progressive municipal methods. the civic tax was heavier than the Federal tax; now that the Federal rate of exemption has been increas- sons were killed on the streets of ed, it will hit a great many house- New York City between Jan, 1st and holders who will not be affected by Sept. 1st. The good old pastime of the Federal tax. The civic tax is go- walking is now full of dangers. ing to be much more unpopular than it has been, and that was consider-

The paper also urges Mr. Fergu- of her famous father's habits. She grandparents came. son to get rid of the civic income was recently defeated in the election tax and the "nuisance" taxes, and of a representative to Congress in give the municipalities a share of Florida district. the gasoline tax, and he won't have to worry so much about a new liquor policy. We won't charge you any- back in Ontario if the women of thing for this bit of advice, but if the Province would exercise their you turn it down, we offer it to the vote in sufficient numbers against it, Liberals at the same price.

CARMAN.

Mr. Carman, now in California, is a Canadian, long resident of the United States. He is one of the greatest of nature's poets, and when, some twenty or more years ago, his in collaboration with the late pelled to pay duty on the cigarettes created a literary stir. He has re- Customs probe seems to be bearing mained, true to his highest ideals, and has never written one careless | ronto Globe. line, expresses the Watertown. to obtain representation and not N.Y., Standard. The roving spirit is strong in him, and gets magically

Declaration of Independence, says There is something in the autumn that is native to my blood-Touch of manner, hint or mood;

LIPTON'S ADVERTISING.

Nicholas, remarks the Edmonton the territory east of the Niagara London, Eng., claims to be the "first proclamation of the English tradesman who really under- the mother bird begins to set when and there are enough for all. Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Can- stood advertising." He told the she lays the first egg, and the young So our arctic owl picks out som story with a beautiful Scotch burr; are hatched at intervals. Arctic thinly-wooded section, close to some AND AS TOUCHING the things: first, that if you wanted to owls, and in due time, if all goes thus reminding him of his beloved well, they are able to fly and each arctic waste, and here he is happy. a great many more goods, you had have some to seed and already many cestral nesting ground.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

shorten the car, is shortening the work week to five days.

When the sun shines "earth hath not anything to show more fair"

his is that those who would be cruel States agreed to pay the debts and Canada for a rest but did not get

have so many handsome politicians.

Will Rogers admits that his talk during a visit to the White House put President Coolidge to sleep. It

Toronto is canvassing a city mancome tax and a property tax. In The problem is to be further exploit- universities of Canada they are mak-Five hundred and fifty-five per-

> The daughter of William Jennings | making good in the new country to Bryan appears to have inherited one which they or their parents or their

That the bar need never come

Stewart Lyon of Toronto. Arvida, Que., the new aluminum city, is looming up. The great plant is at work and expects to produce

last three months three hundred houses have been erected. "Songs from Vagabondia," written Detroit and Windsor are being com-Richard Hovey, appeared, they they bring across the river. The unexpected fruit, remarks the To-

Ottawa shows that we have 383 pubchewan third, and British Columbia

Fire losses continue to increase each year, states a report of the Canadian and American fire apparatus manufacturers who were in ses sion in Montreal, and therefore renewed efforts are to be made to teach the public the value of and need for fire protection.

The Stratford Beacon-Herald says that "every government, provincial, federal and municipal, should bear in mind that the extent to which people are taxed in this country has become a burden and also that there is nothing that will put more the easing of this burden." Sound philosophy.

the honor of opening an apartment house where the initial condition of Canada has three million less eggs lease will be that the prospective line of limitation and the tenor on in storage than were available one tenant shall be the parent of at year ago. This means a lessening of least three children. Moreover. every subsequent addition to the family will result in a reduction of

Immigrants Who Make Good!

Mike Luchovich of Vegreville, Al-

South Centre Winnipeg, is of Icelandic extraction. So was Lieut.-Col. H. M. Hannesson Conservative seems to be a new cure for insomnia. House. So also was Hon. Tom Johnson, attorney-general of Manitoba. Ohio is making a bouny fight Commenting upon Manitoba University." Thorson is a Rhodes scholar.

News and Views.

Make a Choice. Brandon Sun: Old ideas that work is the expressed opinion of Mr. T. are sometimes better than new ones that have no wear and tear.

But We Must Have It. Kitchener Record: Money is a ally after we pay the rent, buy the 50,000,000 pounds this year. In the coal, and pay our taxes.

The Country's Need. Ottawa Journal: "Babies," writes Smokers on the ferries between a French statesman, "are the chief, need of the nation." He might have said almost a crying need.

Missing Girls. London Sunday Express: Statistics prepared by the authorities show that about 2,000 girls are reported to the police as "missing" every year A list of hospitals in Canada is- | -in London alone. Most of them.

No bird has better right to bu snowy owl. His range is circumpolar and in summer includes only those lands north of the limit of

their long journey to their winter the youngest Canadian cabinet since too well his home and stays as long eighteen members average less than as he can. Snow storms come, small those of any other. The average is ones at first just whitening the bar- | 52 years, the age of the premier, Mr.

soon to be clothed with bright-huer The lemmings are under the snow flowers, he and his mate make their and the great white hares are home on some hillock raised from scarce. So southward the owls go. the damp ground. In a mound com- too, into the great stretches of posed of grass and weed stems the spruce and poplar woods. Here is a ix or eight round white eggs are smaller hare, white like the other.

"When I got my first little these are the food of the young now alike covered with snow, and

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The Ready Weapon. Ottawa Journal: To every million were last year 120 homicides; in England 5, and in Germany 3. The ready weapon explains the disparity

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