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Lord Rosebery on Books to Read and Buy. The Earl of Rosebery, in opening the new Carnegie free library at West Calder, Midlothian, the other day, discoursed on books worth reading, and complained that many of he best of them had fallen into neglect.

That knowledge is power, said Lord Rose bery, is a great truth, but it is not the whole

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In literature we need one who will act the part of the muezzin on the tower of the mosque, summoning faithfully Mahometans to prayer-one who will raise his voice and recall the names of good books and good authors which stand in danger of being for gotten, such as Sydney Smith.

The Irish Potato Crop.

A London salesman, writing to The Pall Mall on the subject of potatoes in Ireland

WOODSTOCK, N. B., DEC. 21, 1904.

inst. you speak of a potato famine in Ireland, especially on the west coast. It seems to me that your correspondent is not very well versed in matters appertaining to the potato crops. This season in County Down there is a huge crop and up to date potatoes, which are large croppers can be bought tor 43s a ton in bags on board steamer, and no doubt for a big offer considerably less would be taken. The freight from this district to the west coast can only be a few shillings per ton, and say these potatoes work out 53, a ton de livered on the west coast they come out at the rate of over 31bs per penny. Lancashira potatoes are even cheaper and in Scotland, where there is also a gigantic crop, they are equally cheap, with a low sea freight and yet one is told there is a potato famine.

The Heathen Chinee.

Former Senator "Billy" Mason of Illinois tells of an amusing incident at the St. Louis Fair. A young woman from California, in company with some Chicago friends, was entering one of the pavillions, when she suddenly exclaimed: - "Why, if there isn't a real Chinee!" And she directed her companions' attention to an Oriental lady in native dress sitting quietly by herself.

"Well, girls," continued the dashing Californian, "I'll bet anything the poor thing is frightened to death here all alone. I'll go over and speak a bit of pidgin English to her."

And the girl from the slope walked over to

the small, dainty figure in the old dress and seated herself beside her. She smiled and nodded. The Chinese lady smiled and nodded, too. Then the Californian remarked:-"You comes allee way flom China? How

you likee Melican klountly?" The bright eyes of the Oriental twinkled. "Oh," replied she, with the purest of English accent, "I like it very well, indeed. You see, I was graduated in medicine in America some years ago."

Then the little lady, with a polite bow, rose to meet her friends whom she had been

The Californian subsequently learned that she had been speaking her pidgin English to the distinguisl ed Dr. Yamet Kin.

The Prisoner's Advantage.

The man up for larceny had admitted his guilt when apprehended, but at the trial, the Green Bag says, his youthful counsel defended him with great obstinacy and unneccessary brilliancy.

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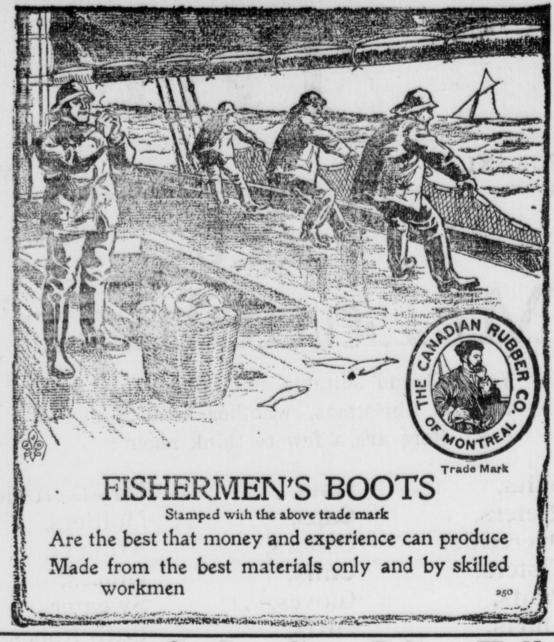
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