

Track=Laying Crews Want More Wages.

Fredericton, July 8-Upwards of one hundred men, mostly foreigners, employed on track laying crews by Messrs. James H. Corbett & Sons Company, Inc. on the S. John Valley railway east of this city, went on strike this morning for higher wages They have him unconscious whi'e addressbeen receiving \$1.80 per day and it is said they asked for \$2.00, Fletcher's Fie'd, on Monday which was refused, after which night, John H. Roberts, Secrethey struck. The whole crew of tary of the Dominion Alliance, men besieged the contractors' offices all morning endeavoring to get paid off, but were told they vince, asking that the present would have to wait for the regular pay day. Inquiries at the contractors' offices at noon brought backed up by a reso'ution passforth the reply that the men had ed by the Provincial Executive had some trouble with an employment agency and that was the Good Temp'ers, which declares cause for their quitting work.

UNION THEOLOGICAL

COLLEGE IN MONTREAD

MONTRAL, July 4-While expressing hearty sympathy with the movement for a union theological college in Montreal, McGill University has declined to officially recognize the institution, has declined to have the theological college become part of the university, and will not confer its degrees up on the ministerial graduates.

PRICKLY HEAT.

Prick'y heat is an acute in flammation of the skin caused directly by excessive beat, and by the resulting disturbance of the function of perspiration. The skin is red, and dotted over with scarlet pimples and with little blisters the size of a pinhead, and it itches, and prickles distressingly. The eruption usually appears in very hot and especially in humid weather; and violent exercise, the eating of highly seasoned sod, or the taking of hot soup or tea may bring it on. Irritation of the skin by the underclothing, especially if it be of wool, may also precipitate an attack.

If the eruption is properly treated, it usually disappears in a few days, but it is likely to recur whenever the weather becomes "muggy". The sufferer from prickly heat should wear light underclothing, preferably of linen, silk or cotton, and change it frequently; his bed- mer' sportsman's reading.;

clething should be light; he should eat sparingly, and avoid food or drink that is highly spiced or hot; it is well to take moderate exercise early in the morning or in the evening, and to drink plenty of cold water, which may be mixed with lemon juice or some other acid, but not with alcohol in any form. A small daily dose of salts taken ir the morning is useful. Two to four tablespeonfuls of berax and baking-soda added to the bata helps to prevent the cruption, or to relieve it when it is present. The itching is lessened by profusely dusting the skin with powders of zinc oxid and chalk, or by bathing it with extract of witch-hazel, or with a wash that contains wine oxid and calamin suspended in glycerine and rose-water.

GRIST AND SAW MILL EURNED AT RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, N. B., July 8 .---The grist mill and saw mill belonging to Mr. Joseph Warren, South Branch, Kent Co., were totally destroyed by fire to-day. The fire is still raging and other buildings are in danger. The grist mill is a new roller mill put in a few years ago.

To Safeguard The Rights Of Free Spaech.

Montreal, July 9.—Because some of the members of the Montreal po ice force did not arrest the hoodlums that knocked ing a temperance meeting on to-day entered an appeal to the Attorney-General of the Pro-Montreal poice administration be abo'ished. His demand is of the International Order of that the present chief of police shou'd be replaced by an official who will safeguard the rights of free speech.

In tearing d.wn a house on Jacobstrasse, Berlin, some laborours found a decoration of the covete 1 Order of the Red Eagle, advertised the fact in the newspapers and King Charles of Roumania claimed it. When he was a student in Berlin, fifty years ago the order was awarded to him by King William of Prussia but he mislaid it that very evening. All these years it lay wedged between the wall and the bath. King Charles says he will wear the decoration op his visit to Berlin in September to attend the marriage of his niece, Princess Augustine Victoria of Hoherzollern, to ex-King Manuel.

July issue of ROD AND GUN IN CANADA published by W. J. Taylor Limited, Woodstock, Ont, is out with an interesting and appropriate list of contents. The illustrations in this issue areparticularly clear and well placed | Messina, accompanied by a heavy fall from the cover cut, which depicts a typical old fly fiisherman, on throughout the issue which reproduces outdoor ed life in the various Canadian provinces. By Canoe and Portage in the Northern Wilderness, The Call of the strenuous Life, Fishing in the Kootenays, Fishing off the Coast of Newfoundland, are some of the leading articles while thoughtful sportsmen will be interested in reading E. R. LaFleeche's arraignment of the Ontario and Quebec Interprovincial Fish and Game Laws. The regular departments are well maintained and the issue a good one for the sum-

WIRELESS STATION AT NEWCASTLE, N. B.

NEWCASTLE, N. B. July 10-The final arrangements have been made for the location of the wireless station here. Options on the properties of James Falconer, Edward Hickey, Ed ward Wentworth and A. J. Morrison have been closed and deeds transferred. The Universal Radio Syndicate, Ltd., head offices, London, Eng., is the concern undertaking the work. They have purchased patents and control Pavisen wireless telegraph system; conducted along similar lines as the Marconi Company: yet it is impossible for the Marconi instrument to pick up their messages and vica versa. This will be the company's main station on the Atlantic.

The property selected here will contain a square block of fifty-four acres intact, and there are no obstructions the tween here and the ocean to retard the sending and receiving of messages. From here messages will be forwarded to their destination by the Great North Western Telegraph Co. The wireless company at present has a wire from Montreal to Wancouver.

The contract for the concrete foundetion, which will extend over several acres, will probably be awarded next week. There will be one large steel tower, five hundred feet high, which is being built in England, and will be forwarded here and put up in sections. There will also be several wooden towers, about one hundred feet high, which will be constructed on the property in close proximity to the main tower.

This station will be capable to transmitting about eighty words a minute and will give employment to forty-five or fifty hands. It is expected to have the towers completed this fall.

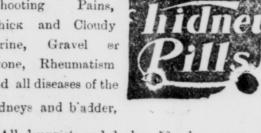
engaged by this company some four by less costly paper. This announceor five months ago with a view to locate | ment was made Wednesday by the their station at some point between joint committee on printing, which dis-Moncton and Campbellton, and, after going over the several locations which looked favorable, with the company's chief engineer, Sir. Dr. Erskine Marray it was seen that Newcastle had all the necessary requirements.

Suffer Women More than Men

Women a ave more than their share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity. They must "keep up," in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, etc. Mas. Edward Calwood of 123 S. Harold Street Fort William, Ont , says:

"I suffered with dull miserable pains, soreness across my back and in my sides for months. They would catch me so badly at times that I could scarcely move around. would have dizzy spells and altogether, felt generally run down. After using a number of remedies without finding reliet, I learned of Booth's Kidney Pills and found them an excellent remedy. They not only relieved, me of the miserable pains and screness in my ack but cured n.e of my kiduey trouble.'

Booth's Kidney Pills eure Backache, Dull Shooting Pains, Thick and Cloudy Urine, Gravel or Stone, Rheumatism and all diseases of the kidneys and b'adder,



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Terrific Storm Throughout Italy

ROME, July 11.-A terrific storm is aging throughout Italy and in many places the country has been devastated and the crops destroyed, It is accom panied by remarkably cold weather for ployed in rock drill work, and about Rome at noon to day falling below 60 degrees Fahrenheit. Such weather in in Italy since the year 1313, when su perstitious people attributed to the re petition of the number 13.

MESSINA, July 11-A violent tem pest in the vicinity of the Straits of of rain, has caused enormous damage in this region. Crops have been destroy and fiood's have compelled population to leave the huts in which they have been living since the great earthquake a few years

NAPLES. Italy July 11-Extraordin ary falls of rain and hail have flooded the country for the past two days. Tor rents of water mixed with mud and singlehanded, holding Greece in check, ashes from Vesuvius have inundated the while hurling the main strength of the villages along the Gulf of Turin. Ow ing to a strong cold wind from the north accompanied by hurricanes, the temper both sides, but is extremely difficult

point. Snow is reported to have fallen in the Alps.

COSENFCA, Italy, July 11. - Hurricanes, accompanied by slight shocks of earthquake and underground rumblings, have terrorized the persants in this region for the past two days. This is more especially the case in the isolated villages where the people are still suffering from the fright caused by earthquake which occurred at the

LAWISH IN WEALTH DISPLAY.

St. Pettersburg, July 9- Society has been surprised here by a remarkab movelty in invitations issued here f the golden wedding celebration of M. Spiridinofi, a very wealthy man of Mos cow. All of the hundred invitations are on cards of pure gold, each weigh ing three quarters of an ounce, and the words are wrought in enamel.

Strawberries Preserved in Cranberryjuice.

A writer in the Designer says, if strawberries are canned or preserved m a sirup made with cranberry-juice instead of water, they retain much of their natural flavor, and the product has the color of fresh strawberries.

TO ECONIMIZE ON LETTER

PAPER FOR CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, July 9-Jeffersonism simplicity is to be introduced into Congress at the coming session and the embossed letter paper and envelooes of the members are to be taken away. Hereafter the aesthetic stationary that has contained the letters and Mr. W. E, Figh, civil engineer, was notes of the members is to be replaced covered that more than 11,000,000 embossed letter heads and envelopes have been u ed by members each year. Under the reform it is estimated a saving of \$30,000 a year will be made.

> When that cow is comfortable and contented, she responds with a flow of milk far in excess of that which she gives when she had been uncomfortable and irritated.

> The effectiveness of the dust bath too highly estimated. If some good so much the better.

If we had to drink from a pond or a mud hole our health would suffer. it's the same with the hogs. They like cool, fresh drinking water these warm days as well as we do.

keep your wife in perpetual worry with flies because "you can't" afford screen doors, though you can afford to put red paint on the stock waggon.

It takes from fifteen to twenty ears of corn to plant an acre. If one ear fails to grow, about 6 per cent of the stand is lost. About fifteen minutes of time is required to test enough corn by the ear method to plant an acre.

If there are any old apple trees on your farm that seem next to worthless think seriously before cutting them down. If necessary, get the opinion of an expert orchardist. Under proper treatment they may be made quite valuable, if taken in time.

The Cost Of Producing Gold.

A fearful toll of life is being exacted for the production of gold in the Rand. During six months no less that 2,413 claims were presented by operatives for compensation for loss due to con sumption. During January there were no less than eleven of these applicants per day. Three thousand men are em this time of year, the temperature in half of these are knocked out every year. Since the Boer War no less than 100,000 human beings have lost their the middle of July has not been recorded lives or their health as a result of their work in the Rand mines.

Americans as Coffee Drinkers.

Americans are said to drink as much coffee as all the rest of the world. Most of the coffee used in the United States is imported from Brazil, that country supplying five times as much of the article as is brought from all other countries combined.

THE BALKAN LEAGUE IS AT AN END, and war is now raging be tween the allied forces which combined to drive the Turk out of Europe. Bul garia is fighting Servia and Greece Bulgarian victorious army at the Ser vians. Heavy losses are reported on ature fell to day almost to freezing to obtain reliable information as to the pedition.



progress of the war. The refusal of Bulgaria to revise her treaty with Ser via add to accede to the demands of her allies regarding the partition of the spoils of war following peace with Turkey is the cause of the rupture. A serious feature of the situation is the determination of Roumania to mobil ize her tooops. What part Roumania intends to play is not yet apparent. Austria is seriously concerned over this incident, but it is the general belief that Roumania will play a waiting game.

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MONEY IN ONIONS.

Where one is near the market, there is good money in onions if they are for ridding poultry of lice cannot be handled right. If goodsized specimens are desired for fall or winter use, thin insect powder is mixed with the dust, them out now as you want them for the table until they are from four to six inches apart. Deep hoeing, so bene ficial to most vegetable crops, is not so to onions, as the object with these is to keep the ground firm so that the bulbs may be more enlarged on its sur face than they would be likely to be Put screen doors on your house, Don't come if surrounded with loose soil. Hand weeding is the best in the lines. In very dry seasons, watering is some times adviseable, but it should never be practised when the plants show signs of forming thick necks instead of the proper bulbs.

Over 1,000 persons joined in prayers for the suppression of caterpillers at St. Hilaire, Quebec, a few days ago. The farmers, their wives and children formed a great procession, stopping for prayers at the different stations on the road to Campbell Mountain.

NEW ZEALAND.

A large quantity of dynamite with a burning fuse attached was discovered on Tuesday under Christchurch barracks, Wellington, just in time to prevent the destruction of the building. The attempt is ascribed to some of the fanatics connected with the anti-militarist faction. All boys between 14 and 21 are required to attend periodical drills at the barracks, and fear is entertained that another attempt to destroy the building may be made.

A Keen Contest. - At a football match played between Ireland and Scotland one of the home supporters kept shouting out in great excitement, "Sit on em, Ireland!" An old Scotsman in the crowd was at length driven to make a retort. "You might be able to sit on the shamrock, mon, an' mebbe on the rose, but I tell ye ye canna sit on the thustle!"

Precooled berries are now being shipped from California to Eastern cities, a large new cooling plant having just been constructed in one city of the Golden State under the supervision of a Government expert. Formerly Denver was the most distant point to which California berries could be shipped.

Fault finding gives friendship many a

Vlhjalmar Stefanssen's polar exploring vessels will sail for the Arctic in about one week, from Nome, Alaska. Dogs are being purchased for the ex-