

BRITISH JOURNALIST PRAISE  
THE I. C. R.

Editor of the Colonizer Writes of  
Splendid Train Service—Com-  
pares it favorably With That  
of Any Railway in Great  
Britain, America or  
Europe.

(Toronto Globe, Sept. 22.)

The editor of the Colonizer, an Eng-  
lish magazine devoted to colonization  
exploration, emigration and travel,  
was in Canada recently, and part of  
his journey was from St. John, N. B.  
to Halifax, and from thence by the  
Intercolonial Railway Maritime Ex-  
press to Quebec, where he connected  
with the homeward bound steamer.  
That the British journalist was most  
favorably impressed with the I. C. R.  
train service is shown by the follow-  
ing extract from a graphically-written  
article which appears in a recent  
number of the magazine:—

"We left St. John by the Intercol-  
onial Railway for a twelve hours ride  
to Halifax. This railway is owned  
by the people of Canada, and is called  
the People's Line—Canada's All  
rail route to the Sea. Excellent train  
services given.

"One of the features which we fully  
appreciated was the most excellent  
service on the dining cars. Each mea-  
costs 75 cents, and a splendid choice  
is given. On each occasion we en-  
joyed well cooked meals, served by  
courteous and obliging waiters, and  
were struck by the variety of the  
carte. After our experiences of the  
slipshod meals on other railways the  
change was delightful. In place of  
tasteless soup (a near cousin of dish  
water), indifferent slabs of meat, etc.  
we were served daintily, and our ap-  
petites correspondingly responded  
thereto. It is a matter of concern to  
all travellers on long journeys to re-  
ceive good meals. The average per-  
son much prefers to have small por-  
tions and enjoy a mixed menu, rather  
than the a la carte service which  
so many American railways now pro-  
vide. We have tried the dining cars  
where these latter meals are advertis-  
ed widely as 'famous,' and unhesi-  
tatingly affirm that the 75-cent meal  
on the Intercolonial cars proper ex-  
miles ahead in every way, and meet  
the public needs most neatly. We  
could write much on this topic, but  
have said enough in praise of the In-  
tercolonial, and hope the management  
of the line will persevere in giving  
the public that which our much-trav-  
elled experience, we believe to be  
equal, if not superior, to that on any  
railway it has been our experience to  
use, in either Great Britain, America  
or the European continent."

## WHY DO WOMEN WORRY?

## A Sign of Failing Health.

Worry is a disease—and it's more—  
it produces other diseases, because  
it breaks down the nerves and saps  
the vitality of the body.  
What a pity women don't realize  
that if they were well—if the blood  
was nutritious—if the nerves were  
strong—if all the organs were active  
—then the little things that irritate  
and prey on the mind wouldn't re-  
ceive a moment's thought.

The woman who worries has a poor  
appetite—she sleeps poorly. If it  
only lasted for a day or two it  
might be of small consequence—but  
she grows limp, miserable, unhappy  
—worse day by day.

She needs Ferrozone which cures  
worry by curing the conditions that  
render worry possible. For nervous,  
weak women, no tonic is so good;  
thousands it has cured just like Mrs.  
M. E. Etherington, of Troy, who  
writes: "I am quite willing to give  
a public testimonial for Ferrozone,  
believing it to be a tonic of superior  
excellence and one that will rapidly  
build up strength and supply new  
energy, to anyone not feeling well.  
Last spring I was in very poor con-  
dition of health. I was nervous, felt  
fired, and completely worn out. No  
doubt its quite a common complaint  
with ladies of my age, but I placed  
great reliance in Ferrozone, and took  
it for several weeks. It made me  
quite strong, and in fact I have been  
in better health ever since. I can  
heartily recommend Ferrozone."

Ferrozone cures by making good  
blood strong nerves and a healthy  
body.  
This is why it gives color, clear-  
ness to the skin, buoyancy to the  
step, brightness to the eyes—because  
with good digestion and activity of  
the body in all its parts there's  
health. Price 50c. per bottle at all  
dealers.

Farmer Honk—Hear ye are goin' to  
send your son to college, Eben?  
Farmer Bornickier—Don't see any  
reason why I shouldn't—he's too hang-  
lazy to work, has too much hair, and  
can yell so's you can hear him most  
a mile.

## IN FIVE MINUTES

There will be no Stomach Misery or  
Indigestion if You Take Diapepsin

When your stomach is weak or  
lacking in gastric juices, anything that  
you eat, no difference what it is, will  
sour on your stomach, raise the bile  
and acids to cover your food like oil  
on water, causing indigestion, Dys-  
pepsia, Stomach nervousness and  
Belching of sour poisons, which pro-  
duce foul odors, nasty taste, bilious  
headache, Heartburn, Intestinal grip-  
ing and make you an object of misery.  
This is stomach trouble which can  
not be overcome with ordinary diges-  
tive medicines. It is caused by fer-  
mentation of your food, which will be  
remedied at once by Page's Diapepsin,  
a preparation pleasant to take and as  
harmless as candy, though it will di-  
gest and prepare for assimilation into  
the blood all the food you eat.

Indigestion is a result, not a cause  
of your trouble. If the Stomach is  
sour and unhealthy, your food be-  
comes tainted, and that's what is  
causing the indigestion and gas on  
stomach and other miseries. Page's  
Diapepsin is an Antacid, most power-  
ful digestive and thorough regulator  
for weak stomachs. These Triangles  
will digest any kind of food you eat  
and will cleanse the stomach and in-  
testines in a natural way, which makes  
you feel fine five minutes afterwards.  
Any good Pharmacy here will sup-  
ply you with a case of Page's Diapep-  
sin for fifty cents. Just reading about  
this remarkable stomach preparation  
will not help. You should go now and  
get a case. Put your Stomach in full  
health and by tomorrow you will for-  
get the misery of Stomach trouble.  
Your case is no different from many  
others. It isn't Stomach Nerves or  
Catarrh of the Stomach, or Gastritis  
or Dyspepsia. It is Food rotting—  
Food Fermentation—that's all—and  
takes about five minutes to overcome.

## CARTWRIGHT IN FIGHTING LINE

Addressed Big Meeting With Mr.  
Chas. Murphy at Toronto and  
Enthusiastically Received.

TORONTO, Oct. 9.—The political  
campaign, rich through it has been in  
incident has presented nothing more  
dramatic or inspiring than the ap-  
pearance in the fighting line of that  
rand old man of the Liberal party,  
Sir Richard Cartwright. With the  
fluency and force of the master orator  
last night presented a view of the  
position to which Canada has been  
brought under the Liberal Govern-  
ment that completely answered the  
criticisms of the opponents and raised  
the audience to a greater sense  
that over of the debt which the Do-  
minion owes to Sir Wilfrid Laurier  
and his associates.  
It was true, he admitted, that Can-  
ada was suffering from the effects of  
a temporary check due to financial  
stringency and that caution and econ-  
omy would be necessary for a time,  
but thanks to a wise administration  
her resources had been developed with-  
in the past twelve years to such an ex-  
tent that he was confident the de-  
pression would pass away soon.  
Hon. George E. Foster's fondness  
for amateur gardening while in Ot-  
tawa was mentioned by Mr. Murphy.  
"and," he said, "the indications are  
that he will be allowed to continue  
his gardening here in Toronto after  
October 26."

## WHY COUGH SYRUPS FAIL.

They slip quickly over the sore ir-  
ritated membranes, drop into the  
stomach and do little else but harm  
digestion. It's different with Catarrh-  
hoxone—you inhale it. Every breath  
sends healing balsams to the inflamed  
tissues. Tightness, soreness and in-  
flammation are cured by healing pine  
essences. The cough goes away,  
throat is strengthened, huskiness is  
cured. Nothing so simple, so conven-  
ient, so certain to cure as Catarrh-  
hoxone. Try it. 25c and \$1.00 sizes.  
Sold everywhere.

## BABY ON COW-CATCHER.

Carried Some Distance, But Not  
Badly Hurt.

WEST TORONTO, Oct. 8.—(Speci-  
al)—While wheeling her eighteen  
months old baby in a carriage over  
the Weston road railway crossing this  
evening Mrs. J. Osborne, of Mc-  
Roberts avenue, in York township,  
was run down by Grand Trunk Rail-  
way train No. 9, which does not stop  
here. The woman was thrown vio-  
lently into the ditch, and the baby  
was carried along some distance on  
the car-catcher, but escaped serious  
injury.

Mrs. Osborne had her lower jaw  
broken, and received other painful in-  
juries. No serious results are antici-  
pated. A double track has recently  
been placed at this crossing, and it is  
thought Mrs. Osborne became confus-  
ed when the train approached.

## A PAINLESS CORN CURE.

Easily applied—costs but a quarter  
—that's Putnam's Corn Extractor,  
fifty years in use. Insist on "Put-  
nam's" only.

## TO PLEASE "MERE MAN."

What a Woman Must Do to Win His  
Admiration.

The woman that man admires must  
not be masculine and yet be brave and  
active, never moping and languid.  
She must be frolicsome, but never  
reckless. She must be saucy, but nev-  
er sarcastic.

She must be witty, but never rude.  
Above all, she must be strong, robust  
and healthy.

Always ready is she to do whatever  
man suggests and to go anywhere he  
fancies, not too ready, however, with  
her own suggestions and desires.

But—and here is the real man—she  
must have all these suggestions, abso-  
lutely without flaw, hidden away in  
the recesses of her mere feminine  
brain.

She must smuggle the ideas over into  
the man's mind in some telepathic way  
so cleverly that he will glory in being  
the first thinker.

Woman must wear the short skirt  
and shirt waist when occasion de-  
mands and have a disdain for frills  
and ruffles, but these same furbelows  
must be forthcoming at the evening  
function, else my lord is highly dis-  
pleased.

The damsel must flirt without seem-  
ing to do so and must hear a lot of  
pretty things which, if necessary, must  
be forgotten immediately. Yet may  
she look as if the speeches had sunk  
deep into her soul.

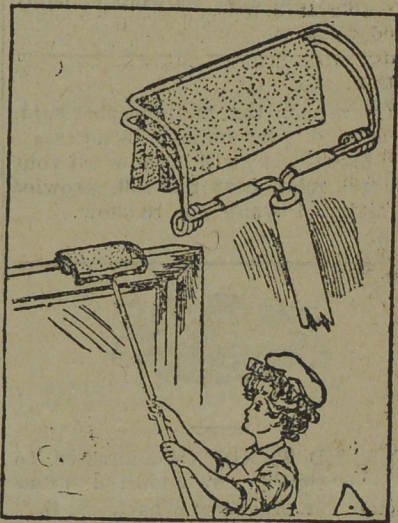
All these qualities and many more  
men admire in women. Very modest  
of them, to be sure, and perfectly ra-  
tional if they can in return offer a few  
of the perfections they exact.

Have they qualities, mental or phys-  
ical, to equal their demands?

## HANDY WALL CLEANER.

Cleanses the Tops of Window Casings.  
No Chair Needed.

A wall cleaner especially adapted for  
use in cleaning the tops of windows  
and door casings and places of a sim-  
ilar character which cannot be reached  
without considerable labor is shown  
here, recently patented by a Massachu-  
setts man. The device is formed of two  
sections of bent spring wire, which are  
attached to a suitable long handle. The



FOR CLEANING WINDOW TOPS.

piece of cleaning cloth is laid over the  
underside of wire, the upper por-  
tion holding it in place and preventing it  
from slipping. The peculiar form of  
the curves in the wire enables the op-  
erator to readily clean the tops of win-  
dow casings, door casings, pictures,  
moldings and the like without the ne-  
cessity of standing on a chair or step-  
ladder. The cleaning cloth can be  
forced to the rear of any elevated hori-  
zontal projection so that it can be thor-  
oughly cleaned.

## When the Almanac Originated.

The origin of the word "almanac" is  
derived from the Arabic words al and  
manah—to count—and thus aptly ap-  
plies to the measurement of time. Al-  
manacs in ancient days were employ-  
ed by the Alexandrian Greeks, but it is  
uncertain when they were actually in-  
troduced into Europe.

In 1150 A. D. Solomon Jarchus pub-  
lished an almanac, but the first print-  
ed one was brought out in Vienna in  
1457 by the great astronomer Purbach.  
The most celebrated almanac maker  
was the dabbler in magic, Nostradamus,  
and since his time almanacs with  
predictions have been in vogue, and  
their weather lore and pictorial prophe-  
cies have invariably appealed to a  
large number of people who are apt to  
put unswerving belief in the cryptic  
remarks of Zadkiel and Old Moore.

## Don't Talk It Over.

When we have a grievance it is so  
tempting to go and talk it over with  
friend or relation.

Tempting, yes; wise, no.  
For, as a rule, we are so keen in the  
fruition of the moment for sympathy  
that the temptation to "paint with a  
big brush" is almost irresistible.

And later—well, later probably we  
find that there were extenuating cir-  
cumstances. The culprit was not so  
black as we had fancied, and in our  
penitence we would give a great deal  
to be able to recall the unjust things  
that we said, for, rest assured, we will  
always be reminded of them by the  
person in whom we confided.

## Do You Know—

That robins and sparrows like eating  
almonds and dried currants?  
That almost all birds like biscuit  
broken up small?  
That marsh marigolds and water  
lilies last longer when cut and put in  
water than any other flowers?  
That salmon, pike and goldfish never  
sleep?

That there are more than 7,000,000  
leaves on a big oak tree?  
That when moor hens dive they swim  
with their wings, practically flying un-  
der water? Most birds that swim do  
so with their webbed feet.

## The Khedive As Poet.

It is not generally known that the  
Khedive of Egypt is a poet of no  
mean order—in Arabic, of course.  
Those who have read his verses speak  
of them with enthusiasm. Abbas  
Hilmi's poetry is melodious, lofty in  
theme, and full of allegory, as are  
most Arabian poems. In the course  
of a former visit to England the Khed-  
ive sent the late Queen Victoria a  
magnificent bouquet with one of his  
poems. Here is a rough paraphrase  
of one of the verses: "I sent you this  
bouquet as a testimony of the love of  
the Egyptian people. Each rose, each  
lily, each jasmine represents the heart  
of an Egyptian, and its perfume is the  
incense of a prayer which mounts to  
Heaven for thee, O powerful Queen, O  
flower of Queens." The Queen had the  
poem framed and hung in her boudoir.

## Fish Out of Water.

In Torres Straits there is a fish be-  
longing to the periphalms species  
which is equally lively in or out of  
water. This is the famous fish of the  
traveller's tale—the fish which  
climbs trees; only it is not a tree  
but a mangrove which he climbs, and  
literally for the life of him he dare  
not climb any higher than a spot  
which will leave his tail in the wa-  
ter, for in his tail he keeps a sort of  
supplementary breathing apparatus.  
Another of his peculiarities is an ad-  
justable eyepiece, which enables him  
to see when he climbs out to take  
an airing just as well as when he is  
in his proper element.

Cats and other beasts of prey re-  
fect fifty times as much light from  
their eyes as do human beings.

That the roots of many native  
plants, growing wild in our America  
forests, possess remarkable properties  
for the cure of human maladies is  
well proven. Even the untutored In-  
dian had learned the curative value of  
some of these and taught the early  
settlers their uses. The Indian never  
liked to work so he wanted his  
squaw to get well as soon as possible  
that she might do the work and let  
him hunt. Therefore, he dug "pa-  
poose root" for her, for that was  
their great remedy for female weak-  
ness. Dr. Pierce uses the same root—  
called Blue Cohosh—in his "Favorite  
Prescription" skillfully combined with  
other agents that make it more effec-  
tive than any other medicine in cur-  
ing all the various weakness and pain-  
ful derangements peculiar to women.

Many afflicted women have been sav-  
ed from the operating table and the  
surgeon's knife by the timely use of  
Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription.  
Tenderness over the lower region,  
with backache, spells of dizziness,  
faintness, bearing down pains or dis-  
tress should not go unheeded. A  
course of "Favorite Prescription" will  
give marvelous benefit in all  
such cases, and generally effect a per-  
manent cure if persisted in for a rea-  
sonable length of time.

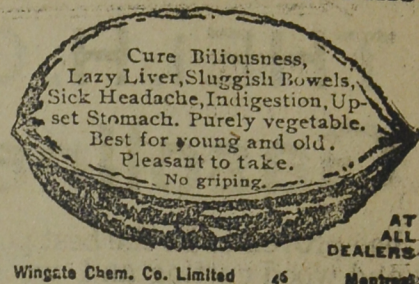
For constipation, the true, scientific  
cure is Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.  
Mild, harmless, yet sure.

## CHILTERN HUNDREDS.

Fictitious Stewardship Is Traditional  
Resort of Retiring Legislators.

This is a survival of the time when  
the people were very jealous of the  
crown and were constantly in fear  
that the throne would destroy the in-  
dependence of the Commons by cor-  
rupting members with offices, a use  
of patronage not entirely unknown in  
present-day America. To prevent  
that it was wisely required that a  
member must give his constituents  
an opportunity to approve or dis-  
approve of his course by expressing  
their confidence by a re-election to  
Parliament or showing their displeas-  
ure by defeating him. Of course now-  
adays a seat in the Cabinet is not at  
the disposal of the sovereign, but is  
solely the gift of the Prime Minister,  
the party chief, so that no question  
of bribery can enter into the accept-  
ance of a place under the Govern-  
ment; but the electorate still reserves  
to itself the right of approval, and  
the new Minister, after he has ac-  
cepted office, but before he can take  
his seat in the House of Commons as  
a minister of the crown, must have  
the assent of his constituents. Cur-  
iously enough—and this is interest-  
ing as showing how the English peo-  
ple cling to tradition—there is no pro-  
vision made for the resignation of a  
member of Parliament, and the only  
way in which he can resign is for  
him to accept an office of profit and  
trust under the Government and de-  
cline re-election. There is a nominal  
and fictitious post known as the  
stewardship of the Chiltern Hunder-  
eds, a district in Buckinghamshire,  
whose steward some centuries ago  
was charged with the duty of sup-  
pressing robbers, and who was of  
course compensated for his services.  
A member who desires to retire or to  
seek re-election because he has enter-  
ed the Government applies to the  
Prime Minister to be appointed stew-  
ard of the Chiltern Hundreds, which  
vacates his seat. The appointment is  
vulgarly published in the official gazette  
and the vacancy in the House of  
Commons is thus created. There is of  
course no limit to the number of per-  
sons who may be appointed stewards  
of the Chiltern Hundreds, although  
it is the unwritten law that the ap-  
pointment must not be conferred  
twice on the same day. If there were  
a dozen men who wanted to resign at  
the same time they would have to  
take their turn.

## McGale's Butternut Pills



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nervous system, makes new  
blood in old veins. Cures Nerve  
debility, Mental and Brain Worry,  
Dependence, Sexual Weakness, Emission, Sper-  
matorrhea, and Effects of Abuse or Excess.  
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will cure. Sold by all druggists or mailed in  
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