

REV. DR. LORIMER SPEAKS.

His Address at Opening of the Congress and Festival of the Co-operative Society of Great Britain Heartily Applauded.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—The annual congress and festival of the Co-operative Society of Great Britain opened at the Crystal Palace Monday. The principal feature was the delivery of the presidential address of Rev. Dr. George C. Lorimer of Boston, Mass., who has the honor of being the first American chosen president of the society. He succeeded Earl Grey. The address was heartily applauded. Dr. Lorimer and Mrs. Lorimer afterwards held a reception. The inaugural had for its subject, "The Emancipation of Industry," and dealt with the needs of this emancipation and the forces making to that end, incidentally forcibly alluding to the hindrances presented by trusts and combinations.

The congress has an exhibition of the products of a number of the co-operative societies throughout Great Britain. It will continue its sessions through the week. Saturday the prizes will be presented by Dr. Lorimer, this being the most interesting function. He will accompany the presentation with a short address.

ANOTHER DREADFUL EXPLOSION.

Seven Men Killed on a Mexican Railway—Three Injured.

CHICAGO, August 18.—A special to Record from Tampico, Mexico, says: By the explosion of the boiler of a locomotive on the Mexican Central Railway, seven men were killed and three others fatally injured. The locomotive was standing on the side track at Cardenas when the explosion occurred. It was of special pattern and of great size, being used to haul trains up the mountain. Among the killed are four American engineers, who were in the cab. Their names were Simon, Fitzgerald, Hussey and Gibson. Another American engineer, named Lockart, was standing near the engine when the explosion occurred. He was hurled a distance of one hundred feet and was fatally injured. The other men were three Mexican firemen and wood-passer.



The healthy man is pretty sure to be a favorite with the ladies. The sick man isn't. His complexion is sallow, his eyes are dull, his skin is blotched or pimply, his breath is unpleasant and he is mentally and physically sluggish. These conditions are due to disorders of the digestion or torpidity of the liver. These cause impurity of the blood, and cannot continually pump impure blood into every organ of the body without making those organs sick. Pump impure blood into the brain and there is soon a sick brain. It will show in headaches, dizziness, drowsiness, dull eyes, frightful dreams and loss of sleep. Pump bad blood into the lungs and the result is consumption, bronchitis, asthma, weak lungs, spitting of blood or throat or nasal troubles. Feed the nerves and brain cells upon the poisons of an impure blood and the consequence is nervous exhaustion and nervous prostration. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures these diseases and cures the conditions that cause them. It restores the appetite, makes digestion and assimilation perfect, the liver active, the blood pure and the nerves steady. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. It is the best remedy for blood and skin diseases. Druggists sell it.

Wm. Smothers, Esq., of Millston, Jackson Co., Wis., writes: "I wish to say that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best medicine for the Grip that I have ever tried. I was cured twice with it when I could not get any other relief. "A stitch in time saves nine." Doctor Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser tells the mother how to take one little home stitch that saves nine costly visits from the doctor. For a paper-covered copy send 31 one-cent stamps, to cover cost of customs and mailing only, to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. Cloth binding, 50 stamps.

Florida Hotel, Pownal, P. E. I.

This hotel has been remodeled, and now has large spacious rooms and an amusement hall, second to none on this island in which is a celestially Evans Piano. A competent Pianist and the latest music. Sports of all kinds and oysters, quahogs, clams, trout, mackerel, and fruits in their season, at the Florida Hotel. Horses, carriages, and boats free to guests. Each goes to Charlottetown regularly once a day and meets guests at any time at the Florida Hotel on two hours notice. Rates—\$1 per day \$5 to \$8 per week other special rates on application. WILLIAM BROWN, Proprietor

UNBIASSED OPINION

Max Nordau Points out Why The

ACQUITTAL OF DREYFUS

May Not be Secured After all—Convictions Overcome Facts.

RENNES, Aug. 19.—Max Nordau holds out little hope for the acquittal of Dreyfus. He says, "This is a war of savages and not an inquiry of cool research for the truth which is now going on in Rennes. I find that even American and English newspaper men delegated here to give accounts of its proceedings are gradually infected with the spirit of partizanship. Some of the correspondents I am allowed to read before it is sent. It does not give the real idea of the strength of the prosecution, because of the unconscious tendency of writers to belittle certain arguments or facts brought against Dreyfus."

I have been observing from the beginning the attitude of the judges and the public, and has also been gathering the opinions of the best qualified men of both countries.

Acquittal is far from being as certain as seems to be commonly thought in the United States. Judging from the tone of the editorials in the American newspaper we get here, everybody's mind in France is fully made up and opinion is hard set.

If Roget speaks whatever may be the strength of what he says, the Dreyfusards exclaim, "he lies, the scoundrel," while the anti-Dreyfusards see proof of the accused's guilt in every charge he makes, however, improbable it may be.

Likewise when Bertullus argues that Dreyfus cannot be guilty all of his wonderfully logical deduction is absolutely without effect as to changing one's conviction. One side cries "how admirable" the other "what rot, what deceit," and neither one side nor the other takes the pains to listen and think.

If the judges are of the same cast of mind as I have observed generally in the audience each has decided consciously or unconsciously, what his vote will be and the verdict is already settled. Now if we may infer anything from the spirit exhibited by the combative character of the questions asked the witnesses by the judges it is to be feared the result of the new trial will not be what is expected generally in foreign countries.

A REMARKABLE INVENTION

The Washington Incandescent Light Creating a Revolution in Illumination.

Three great necessities in modern life are food, clothing and light. The development of the science of illumination is one of the most interesting and instructive chapters of modern civilization. Step by step the world has progressed from the tallow candle to the oil lamp the gas jet, and the electric light. And now comes what seems to be the most remarkable and revolutionary invention of recent years, the Washington incandescent light. Those who have seen new illuminant are astounded at the character of its light, which is more like daylight than anything else. And when its practical demonstration is backed by reliable affidavits that its cost is a mere fraction of that of electric, arc and incandescent lighting, it would seem as if the dreams of Tesla and Edison were discounted.

It appears incredible that this light should be produced of ordinary kerosene forced by the pressure of a bicycle air pump through a hollow copper wire no larger than a darn needle. It is at the burner where the novelty of the invention is apparent. The long-standing scientific riddle of transforming ordinary kerosene into inflammable gas at the burner is here solved. The gas thus formed is burned in incandescence. This system of lighting has passed beyond the experimental period, having had over two years of service in the states. It is destined to eclipse all present systems, both in brilliancy of illumination at minimum cost, and is as easily adapted for lighting and heating houses as for large buildings, also for lighting streets.

ENGLISH MARKET

Butter and Cheese in London and Liverpool.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Canadian butter is in sympathy with other kinds and is very quiet, but firm in value.

Finest creameries are quoted at 140s to 108s: good to fine, 96s to 102s. Cheese is firm, but little doing. Finest new white and coloured are quoted at: 49s to 51s.

Liverpool, Aug. 19.—Canadian butter is firm, but not active. Finest creameries are quoted at 100s to 102s and 104s.

Cheese is in moderate demand, but the high prices asked check business. Finest new white and coloured, 48s to 50s.

OLD OLD STORY.

Mrs. Watson Started a Fire With Coal Oil

BERLIE, Ont., Aug. 19.—At Freeport, a village four miles south of here, last night, Mrs. Watson started a fire with coal oil, when the can exploded, setting her clothes in a blaze. She rushed out and rolled over in the grass in a vain attempt to smother the fire. The woman lingered in dreadful agony till this morning, when she died. She was forty years of age and leaves seven children, the youngest being a babe of two months.

If you are tired and dull can't get rest and have no appetite, take hood's Sarsaparilla, it enriches and vitalizes the blood.

INCONVENIENT

To Find Yourself Without it if You go on a Holiday to the Seaside.

Comfortable underwear the kind one likes between the seasons. Its getting cool these evenings. Medium weight.

Scotch Lamb's Wool Underwear.—Steamer Rugs, Clan Tartans, no better or finer comfortable warm rug made in Old Scotland. We have pretty colors warm and serviceable ones from \$3.00 to \$12.00. Shawl Capes just the thing for your good lady's shoulders. These coming cool evenings made from shawls all fancy Clan Tartans from \$6.00 to \$12.00. Outing shirts, slumber shirts, silk front shirts, flannel shirts, Oxford shirts.

Another stock of Bandana Scarfs opened. Remember our steam shawls, rugs.—Jas. Paton & Co.—tf.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

SHIRT WAISTS—half price—every waist in stock must go, so we've put a "hurry-up-price" on them. See ad for particulars.—Moore & McLeod. 11

COMPETITORS in the flower show will please hand in their exhibits before 12 o'clock today.—Hazard & Moore.

3,000 Bird's Quills for Paton & Co's Millinery Department from 5c each or 6 for 25c.

I have 3 Imperial wheels left, 1 Gents and 2 Ladies'. We'll sell below cost as I don't want to carry over until next season—These are genuine bargains. Call and see them—Fred Newson. 16 d 1w

New hats from the States.—These hats are mainly modeled after the popular "Golf Hat," and there is to be (and already is) a great demand for them. We are prepared to serve you acceptably both as to price and style. Our goods are nearly all trimmed in our own work-room, and hence do not have the cheap "shop look" that many do which are trimmed in factories. See our showing of ladies' trimmed hats.—Jas. Paton & Co. 16 tf

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MORE quills than we want; more quills than we ordered; more quills than the ladies will want at the prices quills are generally sold at in Charlottetown. Do you want one for your early Fall Hat? You will get one here cheap. Jas. Paton & Co. 17 tf.

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The Old Tea Store

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CANADA'S PITTSBURG

Will Spring up in Cape Breton in

NEXT FEW YEARS.

The Dominion Steel Works Covers About 400 Acres of Land.

MONTREAL Aug. 19.—Although the work will be carried on night and day without cessation, it will be 18 months before the extensive works of that mammoth organization—the Dominion Steel Company—are in full operation, and the manufacture of steel in Canada has become an accomplished fact. The contracts for the entire plant have been given out and the work on the three main branches of the enterprise, the coke ovens, the blasting furnaces and the steel works, are being pushed forward as rapidly as possible. The property of the Dominion Steel Company near Sydney, Nova Scotia covers about 400 acres of land, and the entire works will spread over a running mile or thereabouts. The ovens for the making of coke will number 400 or more, and the blasting furnaces will be on a similarly extensive scale. It is confidently predicted that in a few years will spring up one the largest industrial establishments on the American continent.

The new company will begin work with the manufacture of steel, by the open hearth process, but this will be followed by the manufacture of all kinds of bridge and other structural work. At the series of meetings which have just been held, details without number have been discussed, but the routine work, said Mr. Whitney yesterday, possesses little interest to the general public.

The directors have not yet arrived at a decision upon the very important question of the appointment of a superintendent or manager. That will be one of the most momentous questions with which the board will have to deal, for upon the gentleman selected for this office the future success of the works will in a large measure depend.

Sir William Van Horne is taking an especial interest in the Canadian Steel Company's affairs and has expressed a desire to inspect the spot where the Canadian Pittsburg of the future is situated.

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Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, for Cold in the Head, Catarrh, Drooping in the Throat, and Hay Fever. 25c. a box, blower free.



Dr. Chase's Ointment for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Piles and all itching skin diseases. 60 cents a box.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, for exhausted, worn-out nerves and thin, watery, diseased blood. 50c. a large box.

Dr. Chase's Liver Cure, for diseases of the Liver, Jaundice and Biliousness. 50c. a bottle.

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, a positive cure for Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis and all Coughs and Colds. 25c. a large bottle. At all dealers.

Advertisement for 'The Dora Corset'. Includes an illustration of a woman in a corset and text describing its benefits: 'Develops Perfect Form', 'The finest corset that experience can produce. It is beautifully constructed; flexible yet firm; without unpleasantly interfering it moulds the form to an elegant figure and gives lasting pleasure. Perfect fit. Absolute ease. ASK YOUR DEALER FOR IT.'

Be on Your Guard!

Advertisement for 'DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS'. Includes an illustration of the pill bottle and text: 'THE BEST is always imitated. Dodd's Kidney Pills sold only in boxes like this, are widely imitated, because they are the best kidney cure. Take none but DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. CURES FOR ALL KIDNEY AFFECTIONS. RHEUMATISM, BRONCHITIS, DIABETES.'

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