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MARKETING.

IT is almost a chestnut now to repeat as has been so often stated, that quality very largely dominates the market. Products of recognized quality invariably find a market, independent of abundance or shortage, and always insure the highest price the market can afford to pay.

There has not been in many years in this province a season in which quality has played so important a part as it will play this Fall. This is especially true of our potato crop, both in seed and table stock.

The Maritimes have for many years played an important part in the potato market. The general quality of potatoes from the three Maritime Provinces has usually been quoted as "Maritime" and in this Nova Scotia, being the largest, set the pace.

It is very generally admitted that there has been more rain than usual during the past summer, not only on this side of the Atlantic but in Europe and Asia.

planation. It is caused, he says, by an unusual quantity of volcanic dust which has found its way into the upper air. There the dust has condensed into rain drops, the water vapor which is always present in the air, rain drops cannot but fall to the earth.

The beauty of this theory is that it cannot be successfully contradicted. Everyone will admit that there has been more rain than usual.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Harvesting, potato digging, exhibitions and horse races! These are busy days!

The wild geese are now looking for the man with a gun and defying him. It is hard on the gun man.

A Western exchange remarks that the retreat of Napoleon's army from Moscow, usually referred to as the most pathetic procession in history, had nothing on the retreat of the Cabinet Ministers from North Huron after the recent election.

One of the glories of Autumn is its gorgeous sunsets, but it is not absolutely necessary to remain out too long after the colors have faded.

If the potato crop is small and of poor quality, says an exchange, with the price high, the abundant wheat crop gives promise of cheaper bread for some time to come.

The growing boldness of our young thieves is indicated by the exploits of several boys the other day when they walked into an orchard, drawing with them a little hand cart.

It looks like the workings of an in growing conscience to find The Patriot denounce as irresponsible beings those who act as if laws were made for others and not for themselves.

Clean off all dead vegetable stems and place them in the compost heap. Do not place cabbage, cauliflower or turnip tops in it but burn them as they may harbor insects.

Notes by the Way

MOST of the United Farmers of Ontario were formerly Liberals and the policy of the King Government has always been to win them back to the Liberal fold.

It also tends to break up the Farmer party in Ontario. It will be remembered that in the recent federal by-election in North Huron the United Farmers still had enough political cohesiveness to nominate a candidate of their own, but it now appears to have been an expiring effort.

The outlook in the motoring field is for higher engine power and capacity for greater speed. One concern in a flaming advertisement announces "a startling and revolutionary development, with tremendous power and speed."

The Jehu's of motor race who desire to drive furiously have multiplied exceedingly in our day and they must have cars to meet their wishes. It is the pleasant business of the manufacturers to supply them.

The Manchester Guardian, discussing air flights across the Atlantic and the losses of life that have occurred in connection therewith, points out how much more dangerous is a flight over the sea than over land, and also how vastly more difficult is the flight from east to west than in the opposite direction.

We are told officially that the Temperance Alliance has full confidence in the Saunders Government. This full confidence necessarily includes and implies the Alliance's support and approval of the Government's policy in raising the price of liquor for medical use, and by that increasing the "blood money" revenue which accrues to the provincial treasury.

Tidings from Russia and Japan point to new troubles in the North and Far East, but the news from the disarmament conference of the League of Nations at Geneva is more hopeful.

"Mercy to the motor killers is ruthlessness to the people," says The Mail and Empire, and goes on to ask "Must the highways run red with the blood of victims before the velvet glove is taken off the iron hand of the law and the punishment is made to fit the crime?"

If you have a wild corner plant dogtooth violet. The California varieties are the finest and perfectly hardy.



By James W. Barton, M.P.

ANOTHER USE FOR THE X RAY

One of the hard parts about taking the cure for tuberculosis is the many weary months of living by rule. Where there is any temperance the patient has to lie quietly in bed until it comes down.

There must be the same articles of diet, meat, milk, eggs, and vegetables, and so many hours of the outdoors every day.

He reports the results obtained in 353 patients. Of this number 29 per cent were light, or cases just at the beginning stages of tuberculosis.

Dr. Holton doesn't claim that these cures were entirely due to X ray treatments. All the other factors—food, rest, sunshine enter into it, but there is no question in his mind that the cures were hastened by these X ray treatments.

BLESS HIS NAME.—Enter into His gates with Thanksgiving, and thank Him, and bless His name. For the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting; and His truth endureth to all generations. Psalm 100:4,5.

PRAYER.—Lord, Thy goodness extendeth even to me and Thy name I bless daily.

THE LEAK.—It was raining quite hard, And the roof wasn't tight, But the leak it was caused By the wee raindrops' flight.

The first raindrop said "I am faster than you." The others said "Prove it." "With which they all flew.

Down through the air As fast as they could, "If we catch you we'll soak you," And he knew that they would.

They gained on him fast, And he stopped with a thump; On a hard shingle roof Got a terrible bump.

"They'll be here in a moment," He cried in dismay, "They'll be right upon me, I can't get away.

Then he saw a small hole, And through it he leapt, But the others had seen him, And after him slipped.

They fell into a garret, So dark and so small, So dark and so fearsome, So lonely and all.

They forgot they were chasing A wee raindrop elf, But felt really frightened Each one for himself.

So they wandered around 'Till one of them spied A place they could jump through, And he went first to guide.

Each one of them followed: They dropped to the floor In that nasty big puddle Across from the door.

Modern Etiquette. By ROBERTA LEE

Q. Is it considered improper to have married men as ushers at a wedding? A. It is customary to have unmarried men, but by no means obligatory.

That Body of Ours

FOR THE SCRAP BOOK

A SERIES OF LITERARY QUOTATIONS FOR BOOK LOVERS

Friday, Sept. 23rd.

SHADOW—A PARABLE

(Graven with a stylus of iron by the Greek Oinos, in the year of the Pestilence.)

Over some flasks of the red Chian wine, within the walls of a noble hall, in a dim city called Ptolemais, we sat, at night, a company of seven. An o to our chamber there was no entrance save by a lofty doorway of brass; and the door was fashioned by the artisan Corinthus, and being of rare workmanship, was fastened from within.

Upon the household furniture—upon the goblets from which we drank; and all things were depressed, and borne down thereby—all things save only the flames of the seven iron lamps which illumined our revel. Uprearing themselves in tall slender lines of light, they thus remained burning, all pallid and motionless; and in the mirror which their lustre formed upon the round table of ebony at which we sat, each of us there assembled beheld the pallor of his own countenance, and the unquiet gleam in the downcast eyes of his companions.

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED: Do not say "shall we go some place?" Say "some where." OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED: gorge. Pronounce gorj, g as in "go."

HOUSEHOLD SCRAP BOOK

By ROBERTA LEE

When Embroidering

An embroidery needle can be threaded easily by taking a short piece of sewing thread, putting the two ends together and pushing through the needle eye. Then put the yarn through the loop formed and pull it through the eye.

Whipping Cream

When cream is too thick, place the dish in another dish of cold water. When it is chilled, place in a dish of hot water and it will whip easily.

Care of Irons

The rust and roughness on irons can be removed by rubbing them on emery paper.

DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH

By W. L. Gordon

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as in "lord." OFTEN MISPELLED: quadrangle (two ns). SYNONYMS: little, small, minute, diminutive, microscopic, tiny, miniature. WORD STUDY: "Use a word me."

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