



**Local and Other Items.**

**NOT WHAT IT SEEMS.**—Things are not always what they seem. A Kansas paper says that the celebrated Montana silver statue of Ada Rehan, which was one of the features of the World's Fair is not silver at all, only lead with a silver skin. It was supposed to be worth \$30,000, but a Chicago firm which holds it for debt cannot find buyers at \$1,000.

**SCOTT ACT.**—Yesterday was Scott Act day at Souris. Six convictions were obtained before Stipendiary Magistrate Blanchard, a fine of \$50 and costs or two months' imprisonment being imposed in each case. The convicted persons were A. R. Macdonald, M. J. Foley, Ambrose Mynagh, Angus D. McDonald, Charles Anderson and John McMahon.

**CONCERNED ABOUT MISSIONS.**—According to a late despatch from Toronto the Presbyterian Foreign Mission officers are somewhat concerned over unexplained delay in receiving reports from Honan, China. The critical condition of affairs in the East increases the feeling. The officers say that official letters from Honan have been expected for some time. They hope that the overdue letters have merely miscarried, but the delay is something unusual.

**SHIPPED FROM SUMMERSIDE.**—The Farmer says: Besides the 400 lambs shipped on Saturday by S. H. Jones, Mr. David Keefe shipped 24 head of fat cattle at the same time, and Messrs. Stacey, of Bathurst, N. S., and James Tappin, of New Annan, five horses. On Monday morning Mr. S. H. Jones shipped over 200 lambs to Boston and on Tuesday morning, over 1300 live geese to the same market. At the same time Mr. W. B. Bowness shipped eight horses to Shediac.

**REFUSED TO MARRY THEM.**—St. James church, Tweed, Ont., was the scene of an unusual occurrence a few days ago, when the pastor, Rev. G. T. Lewis, refused to marry a couple who presented themselves. The would-be groom's name was Keller, and he was apparently seventeen or eighteen years of age. The lady in the case was Mrs. Bateman, of Madoc Township, who was plainly fifty years of age at least. The minister refused to marry them on the ground of inequality of age. A Madoc minister has since united the couple.

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This means a fight, an exciting episode if the teams number five or six dogs each. In an instant the wildest confusion takes place. Dogs, harness and each driver with a club in his hand form one grand jumble from which order can only be restored by some of the dogs being knocked senseless. The dogs are trained to "gee" and "haw," like an ox and stop at the word "whoa!" "Mush" is the word used generally by the whites to indicate go ahead, a perversion of the Indian word "husch." The dogs prefer their master, but if lent for use they work as faithfully as for their master.—San Francisco Chronicle.

**Damaging.**

A Chicago politician—a veteran in the ranks—was recently accused by a former henchman of having offered him a bribe of \$500 to do a job for him. The wily "second fiddle" kept the \$500 and afterward brought it in evidence against his former chief. While the scandal was being blown about town an acquaintance of the accused met him one day and slapping him good naturedly on the back said chaffingly:

"Well, John, so you were going to drop \$500 in Bill's way, were you?"

The politician colored, or, to speak accurately, his already florid complexion took on a purple tinge, as he said by way of explaining his agitation (his original language is revised):

"Now, I don't give a hang for the talk about bribing him. That ain't nothing. But it hurts my reputation to have my friends think I was such a clam as to give that heeler \$500 when I could have bought him with a ham!" —New York Commercial Advertiser.

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**FAMOUS NEW BOOKS**

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London, Oct. 19.—Mr. John Morley has decided that he must regretfully decline the suggestion that he should write the life of Mr. Gladstone. He says that it would mean at least three years of constant application merely to sort and arrange the material.

The English and American rights to the autobiography of Bismarck have been sold for \$60,000; \$30,000 from the English and \$30,000 from the American purchasers, the former, Smith and Elder, and the latter Harper and Bros.

Kipling's new book, "The Day's Work," has reached its twenty-fourth thousand, and is probably his greatest success.

**FORGOT SOMETHING**

Helen and her father and mother were dining in a hotel, and Helen, who was 6 years old, had never before dined in a public place.

The waiter was so attentive and courteous that Helen's mother said that he must be tipped at the end of the meal. The word tipped was one Helen had never heard used except in connection with a dump cart on her father's premises. When they got up to leave the dining room, she said:

"Oh, papa, papa! You forgot to dump the waiter!"—Youth's Companion.

**Both Satisfied.**

Hicks—Wheeler and Brassey met for the first time yesterday, and they got on together famously. They kept up their talk until late in the evening.

Wicks—What were they talking about?

Hicks—Bicycles and golf.

Wicks—But Wheeler doesn't know the first thing about golf.

Hicks—Neither does Brassey know anything about bicycling. But that makes no difference. Each kept it up on his favorite topic without listening to the other.—Boston Transcript.

**His Umbrella.**

The other evening a man was rushing through the streets of London hurrying to an appointment when a swell passed in front of him who held his umbrella at a dangerous angle. The hasty pedestrian pulled the umbrella away from the swell, and then, stepping around to him, said in suave tone: "Oh, by the way, here's your umbrella. I found it in my eye."—Pick Me Up.

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