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More Care Needed.

The Co-operative Farmer and Dairyman says: "We are sorry to learn that considerable maritime cheese made early in June has been rejected by buyers and must be sold at a heavy loss to the patrons of the cheese factories. This should not be. In some cases it has been the fault of the cheese maker, in others the fault of the business managers of the factory and in every case it has also been the fault of the patrons."

Sour milk, tainted milk and partly churned milk are all unfit for cheese making, and no good cheesemaker will allow them into his factory. Unfortunately when milk comes to the factory well cooled down it is pretty hard to detect many of the taints, only upon heating do they become noticeable. To do really good detective work a quart sample of each patron's milk should be heated in a hot water bath every few days and the flavors carefully noted, all bad flavored milk should be rejected and the cheesemaker and the dairy superintendent of the district should make a careful examination of the premises from which this bad flavored milk came, with a view of having the trouble corrected."

Another Liberal Doubter.

Mr. George Bertram, Liberal, M. P., of Toronto, in an interview with a reporter of La Presse is reported as expressing the following opinion on the prohibition plebiscite:

"My opinion is that prohibition will be carried in Ontario by a very large majority but the great question is to know just what the rights of the provinces are. Supposing that Quebec alone amongst the provinces votes against prohibition, will it, or will it not, be obliged to bow to the will of the other provinces? That is the kernel of the whole question. The provinces have incontestable rights, and I do not see how the the majority of Provinces can impose their views of the minority."

Destructive Hail Storm.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 26.—A despatch from LaSalle, 15 miles south-west of the city, says that the worst hailstorm ever experienced in this district occurred this afternoon, destroying all the standing crops. The storm covered an area five miles wide. The stones were an inch in diameter, and fell thickly. Many windows were broken. After the storm the hail could be scooped up, as the ground was completely covered. The grain that was cut, about half the crop, was not injured. No hail is reported from any other district.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Received by express this morning a choice lot of Ontario fruit in greengages fancy plums, pears, tomatoes and blue grapes at Sanderson & Co's.

Do you want a new hat? If you do and you want the latest, we have them. New American hats and caps just opened.—Prowse Bros. 195, 3i.

Sliced corned beef for sale by the pound at Beer & Gott's. 199, 2i.

See the children's tams in our north window—25 cents.—Moore & McLeod.

FALSIFIED HER AGE

Even in Russia, it seems, despotism does not go the length of forcing a woman to tell her age or of punishing her for stating it inaccurately. A certain Princess Eugalytcheff was recently tried at Moscow and sentenced to life-long internment in the province of Olo-netz for embezzling 140,000 rubles. After the proceeding in court had come to an end and after the noble lady had retired to the country for her somewhat prolonged rest from urban gayeties and temptations a too careful official discovered that among the papers in the case was the princess' certificate of baptism, and that she had changed the date of it from 1847 to 1867. Instantly this grave crime was brought to the notice of the authorities, and the convicted embezzler was summoned to meet the charge of falsifying an official document. Then a curious fact was disclosed, and a surprising amount of light was thrown on Russian society.

The Prince Eugalytcheff, who was cited as a witness by the prosecutor, said that whether his bride was 20 years older or younger than her certified age was a matter of absolute indifference to him. All he could say was that he received the sum of 3,000 rubles for giving the lady his name, that immediately after the marriage ceremony he procured for her a separate passport, and that since then he has known nothing more of his wife or her private affairs. The jury gallantly declined to convict the accused princess on the "trivial charge about a woman's age," and she was sent back to her provincial exile.

Princesses evidently come cheap in Russia, and this is perhaps the most interesting bit of news in the whole story.—New York Times.

A Disastrous Ending.

Two Detroit merchants were sitting on adjacent stools and taking a 15 cent lunch, when one asked the other if he consulted his wife in his business affairs. "Can't do it," was the response. "I've tried it a dozen times a month for years, but it always winds up just about as it did yesterday. I asked her if she thought she could discuss a little matter of business calmly and dispassionately. She said she could, but had never known me to be able to do so. I complimented her sarcastically on her 'angelic' temper, and she at once accused me of being angry. I told her that I was regarded among men as having a very equable disposition and that my employees called me Old Suavity. She called attention to the fact that her pet dog, that weighs about a pound, was called Danger. Then I told her straight from the shoulder that I declined to be made angry by her taunts and odious comparisons, but served pointed notice that I was going to have the respect due the head of the house. She laughed cheerily and declared that I was entirely too touchy."

"But what about the business conference?"

"Oh, I slammed the door and left."—Detroit Free Press.

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STUMP PENCILS MASCOTS.

Members of Gotham's Stock Exchange Superstitious About Lead Sticks.

"Talking about hoodoos and mascots," said a member of the Stock Exchange, "the boys on the floor of the exchange are as superstitious as a lot of sailors. If you don't believe it, you look at the lead pencils they are using the next time you are in the building."

"You won't find a man using a long lead pencil. Why? Because a long pencil is a 'hoodoo' of the worst kind. They always cut a new pencil in half before they sharpen it. Some of these pencils acquire the reputation of being lucky."

"Less than a week ago I came down without my pencil, which, by the way, is a lucky one—every memorandum made with that pencil results in a profit for me—and I borrowed one from a friend on the floor. He handed me a stump about an inch long and said, 'You can use that; it's a lucky pencil.'"

"Sure enough, I made two deals in the morning, and each netted me a handsome profit."

"I was about to make a memorandum of some stock I had bought when my friend approached and said: 'Here, take this pencil and let me have mine again. I've lost on every deal since I loaned it to you.'"

"Sure enough, I lost on that deal, and the luck went back to the owner of the pencil."

"When you get hold of a lucky pencil, you want to hang on to it."

"Some of the boys have little lucky pencils not more than an inch long, and they guard them as they would their lives."

"If you, through carelessness or accident, cause them to break the lead point they lose whatever regard they have for you and forever afterward regard you as inimical. Some of them wouldn't take \$5 for a little piece of pencil worth considerably less than a cent."—New York Press.

Clearing This Month

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- " " \$ worth Mantle Cloth purchased here you save 50c
- " " \$ worth Flowers, Feathers, Ribbons and Laces you save 33 1/3
- " " \$ worth Dress Goods, you save from 33 to 50c
- " " \$ worth Linen Tabling and Napkins you save from 25 to 50c
- " " \$ worth Fancy Goods you save from 20 to 50c
- " " \$ worth Shirt waists you save from 40 to 50c
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- " " \$ worth White Wear you save from 25 to 50c
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