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people commit suicide deliberately and
intentionally.

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just as truly and as surely as if they jump-
ed into a river, blew their brains out or
hanged themselves, although they don't
realize that they are doing so. Everyone
who allows disease to eat his life away,
without doing all he can to cure it com-
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Fortunately Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets
are a positive cure for all these diseases.
They cure quickly. Their effect is im-
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is certain. Every dose of Dodd's Dys-
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It is easy to cure Dyspepsia, Indigestion
and other stomach troubles with Dodd's
Dyspepsia Tablets. Simply take one or
two of them after each meal. Eat heartily,
but not gluttonously. Then your
cure is going on every day.

He that sips of many arts drinks of
none.

A STRONG BACKING

Commissioner of Wickham, N. B.,
Civil Courts, Makes an Im-
portant Statement.

Wickham, Queen's Co., N. B., May
7.—Mr. G. L. Worden, commissioner of
the Civil Courts there, is emphatic in his
endorsement of the great medicine, Dodd's
Kidney Pills.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills," he says, "have
been a wonder and surprise to myself.
After over twenty years of suffering with
my back and kidneys I am well. Not the
least painful part of my trouble was the
pain, frequency and poor success in urinating.
After using Dodd's Kidney Pills I enjoy
the natural, comfortable feeling in the
particulars above referred to. I feel like
a young man, though seventy-six years of
age. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills
to sufferers, as they do as they are ad-
vised to do."

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

The question of life is not "How much
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Babies Have Croup.

No disease comes so suddenly and treacher-
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Syrup of Turpentine when the dear ones
awakes in the night coughing and struggling
for breath. This famous remedy is the stand-
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and certain cure for croup, bronchitis, coughs,
colds, asthma and throat irritation. 25 cents
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to your powers. Pray for powers equal to
your tasks.—Philip Brooks.

Babies Tortured.

By flaming, itching eczema, find comfort
and permanent cure in Dr. Chase's Ointment,
a preparation which has a record of cures un-
paralleled in the history of medicine. Eczema,
salt rheum, tetter, scald head, old people's
rash, and all itching skin diseases, are
absolutely cured by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

The new collars for ladies
are just in. Call and see them.
—Moore & McLeod.

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By every man and woman if they desire
to secure comfort in this world is a corn
sheller. Putnam's Corn Extractor shells
corns in two or three days and without
discomfort or pain. A hundred imitations
prove the merit of Putnam's Painless Corn
Extractor, which is always sure, safe, and
painless. See signature of Polon & Co.,
on each bottle. Sold by medicine dealers.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

The Poor Doukhobers!

(To Editor of the Montreal Witness.)

Sir.—In your issue of April 10 appears a
telegram announcing the departure of a
number of Doukhobors from Manitoba to
Southern California to work at fifty cents
a day. I would advise them to stay where
they are. My sixteen years' residence in
southern California enables me, I believe
to tender them good advice. The powers
that are working the scheme to get these
settlers away from Canada are the rail-
ways, employment agents and beet sugar
syndicates, who look only to their own in-
terests. The wages offered them is so ab-
surdly low that Chinamen, Mexicans and
children of poor white people reject it, and
if these poor Doukhobors are so foolish as
to leave Canada for these parts they will
be sorry for it, and wish they had never
left their northern homes. White labor-
ers, Chinamen, Mexicans, etc., who con-
stitute the labor sources of the huge beet
sugar factories here, set
from \$1.25 to \$2.50 a day so, you will
see the reason why the companies are
so anxious to import cheap labor into
these parts. The railways also have a
great interest in this movement. The
traffic is not the only thing. They have
lands they want to sell to the new com-
ers, lands that are without water and
do not pay working unless ir-
rigated. It is a well-known saying
here that land without irrigating
water is worthless. To get water to
irrigate requires great capital and or-
ganization, which these poor, ignorant
people are not able to furnish—this I
judge from their willingness to accept
fifty cents a day for their labor, which
will last only about half of the year
and include Sundays if they work on
beet sugar lands or in the factories.
Seven days a week at fifty cents a day
for six months a year! How can a man
with a family subsist on such a paltry
pittance? Work for laborers is hard to
find at any time, as the supply exceeds
the demand the year round. It may be
too cold during some part of the year in
Manitoba for these hardy people, but to
come to southern California or to any
other part of California, as the case may
be, is only getting out of the frying-pan
into the fire. They would find California
too dry, and in the summer too hot in
the interior. If they have health and
strength to work in Canada their friends
should do all they can to persuade them
to stay, for it is really to their interests
to do so, and cruelty to persuade them to
leave that country, which mostly re-
sembles the one they came from in
climate, agriculture, etc. The only
parties who will gain by this exodus of
Doukhobors are the railway companies,
beet sugar factories and employment
agents, who have the least pity for the
unfortunate.

Southern California is a paradise for
those who are in feeble health and have
the means to buy a home, but for the
poor laborer, depending on his work for
a living, it is not what interested parties
represent it to be. We have already more
laborers than can find work at living
wages.

Only a few weeks ago the papers of
Los Angeles announced the arrival here
of delegates from Manitoba of the Douk-
hobors seeking large tracts of land for
colonization. The railways showed them
every attention and carried them
about to see the lands the railways
had for sale. The delegates came
when we had our rains, and the
country was then lovely when its man-
tle of green and flowers in mid-winter.
The beet fields were just starting, and
some show of business was made in the
factories. The Doukhobors were cap-
tivated. They said they had at last found
their earthly paradise. They hastened

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back to Manitoba to proclaim the good
news. If they had come just now (April
16) they would hardly know the place. No
rain has fallen since they were here, and
all is parched and dried up—all the the
land that has not irrigation facilities. The
beets near the coast are doing fairly well
with the help of ocean fogs, but inland
the thing is different,—barly is only a
few inches high and quite dried up, and
used for pasture. To judge the land dur-
ing a brief wet winter is very deceptive.
They should see it in the summer, when
one can judge as to the moisture in the
soil that will sustain vegetation. I have
always advised friends to buy land that
has water to irrigate and not depend on
the rains for crops. This is the third year
of defective rain fall, and poor crops are
the result. All our fruit orchards
which produce enormous returns are
irrigated the year round at great ex-
pense. These lands are high in price
ranging from \$200 to \$1,000 an acre. No
doubt the poor Doukhobors were
shown railway lands at \$1.25 an acre,
and were astonished at the cheapness,
but such lands are dear at any price
unless used for mining or stock-raising,
that require much capital.

I am prompted to write thus in the
hope that it will save some poor people
from suffering and disappointment.
Let the truth be known. Southern
California, as well as Canada, will be
benefitted by only the truth being told
in such matters. The Witness may
have some readers among the Douk-
hobors, and I hope this letter may meet
their eye and help to enlighten them.

T. W.
Los Angeles, California, April 16, 1900.

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plexion of a healthy woman in which the
features do not play an important part.

The pale, sallow complexion and dull leaden
color of the skin, dark circles under the eyes,
headaches, pains in the back and sides, dull
eyes, weakness, nervousness, despondency and
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A. W. Chase's Nerve Food is a food for the
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