E MAKES SEVERAL CHANGES

chitect Grant Will Add Beauty to Design of Post-office Improvements

stmaster Farrer has received no ce from Washington in regard to postoffice ground improvement Architect Grant of the govern- service was here to go over the and specifications prepared nally, and it is quite probable he will not receive instructions vite bids for the work, as Mr. t suggested some important ges which will have to be sub- for the approval of the treas- department before final action is in the matter.

ncipal among the changes which Grant proposes for the improve- of the grounds is the doing with the circular drieway in of the building on the Church side and instead he will pro- for filling in with soil from the nt cement sidewalk to the ch street gutter and the laying cement walk from the front of uilding to the street. He also oses to tear out the straight way from Cottage street to the of the building and put in a ar driveway, which will add cially to convenience for car- and expressmen and, instead of gravel as at present, the drive be constructed of macadam, as- um or bitulithic pavement.

ide from this, Postmaster Far- ill try to arrange for the erec- of suitable sheds for the shelter e rural delivery carriers' horses protection against the cold and of the mornings while the ani- mals are tied in waiting for the car- riers to make up their daily mail. Mr. Farrar says it is nothing short of cruelty to have the horses stand out in the cold, especially upon frosty and rainy mornings, after being tak- en out of the warm barn and with- out sufficient exercise to keep them comfortable, and he thinks shelter should have been provided for them in the first place.

Another very important and highly laudable change which Mr. Grant will suggest in the original plans is a provision for more light about the building at night. Mr. Grant's idea which is regarded as a most excellent one, is to place a high-voltage incan- descent electric light at each corner of the block, and two lights, one on each side, at the outer end of the walks leading up to the building from State and Church streets. The globes and posts of these lights will be of modern ornamental design and the lights will not only serve to dis- pel the gloom which surrounds the building but will also add to the beauty of the grounds materially. Mr. Grant will also provide in the specifications for a generous supply of ornamental shrubbery with which to decorate the surroundings of the building and set it off to the very best advantage.

JERRY FROM KERRY.

What the Papers Say About It.

Rossland Star, Rossland, B. C.: A First Class Show.—Jerry from Kerry company was greeted with a large audience last evening that were more than pleased, and it was remarked by several that they never laughed so much before in their lives. Taken altogether, the performance was one of the best ever presented here, and it is safe to say that if they ever re- turn they will be greeted with a packed house.

Nelson Daily News, Nelson, B. C.: Clever and Clean.—Jerry from Kerry company closed a three nights' en- gagement at the Nelson opera house last evening. The entire company has made a most favorable impression in the city by the cleverness and clean- ness of their performances.

Halifax Herald, Halifax, N. S., July 11: Jerry from Kerry at the Academy of Music Last Night—The show consists of good comedy, music and several novelties which mingle pleasantly. They are here for three nights, and judging from the way the large audience received them they should continue to pack the house. Their band and orchestra is the best any show company ever brought to this city.

Daily Telegraph, Quebec City, P. Q.: At the Auditorium.—With such a bill as presented by Jerry from Kerry the Auditorium should be packed the remainder of the engage- ment. John Patten as Jerry is alone worth the price of admission. Each and every member is competent. The program is long and full of fun.

Cows in England.

London, Dec. 13.—The quarterly statistical report issued today shows that the United Kingdom is now milking the largest number of cows in its history, yet the imports of butter and cheese show no decline in quantity. The reason assigned for this is that British farmers find more profit in selling milk than the mak- ing of butter and cheese of it. The production of milk, however, is not keeping pace with the demand.

A Western Wonder.

There's a Hill at Bowie, Tex., that's twice as big as last year. This wonder is W. L. Hill, who from a weight of 90 pounds has grown to over 180. He says: "I have suf- fered with a terrible cough, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discov- ery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Now, after taking 12 bottles, I have more than doubled in weight and am completely cured." Only sure Cough and Cold cure. Guaran- teed by J. C. Perry, druggist; 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Survivors of Custer's Command.

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 13.—At a public meeting here tonight it was decided to hold a big celebration so as to unite the members of the old Third cavalry division, otherwise known as Gen. George A. Custer's command. The initiator of the movement is Chief of Police Henry C. Belman of Canandaigua, who was a member of Custer's command in the Civil war. The command origi- nally consisted of 12,000 men, but death has reduced the ranks to 400 Mrs. Custer, widow of the famous general who was massacred on the Little Bib Horn at the historic battle with Indians, lives in Canandaigua and has received every encourage- ment from all sides. It is proposed to have a big parade and speeches from many of the most noted men in the country, including President Roosevelt, Governor Hughes, Gen. Wesley Merrit, who was General Sheridan's chief of cavalry; Gen. John H. Coppinger, who was colonel of the Fifteenth New York cavalry; Col. Michael Sheridan and others.

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"Meat, Milk and Money."

(Seattle Times.)

The corn belt farmer likes to sell his corn "on the hoof" and the dairy farmer says that hay is most profit- able when sold as milk. The bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor has estimated the totals of meat and dairy exporta- tions for the year ending with this month.

This estimate is something won- derful, even for this prosperity fam- iliar in the United States. More than $250,000,000 worth of meat and milk products will have passed out of the United States by December 31, of which $200,000,000 will be meat, $35,000,000 cattle, and $15,000,000 milk products. The bulletin of the bureau continues:

"No feature of the export trade in agricultural products has shown a more steady and rapid growth than that of meat and dairy products. The total value of meat and dairy pro- ducts exported in the fiscal year 1896 was $132,000,000, and in the fiscal year 1906 was $211,000,000, an in- crease of about 60 per cent during the decade.

"This increase of 60 per cent in the exportation of meat and dairy products during the decade is the more interesting and remarkable in view of the fact that the exportation of other forms of food has shown but little increase during that period. The principal forms of foodstuffs ex- ported from the United States are breadstuffs and meats.

"The reduction in the exports of corn since 1897 seems to be due to a disposition on the part of the pro- ducers to turn this large and valuable crop into meats before exporting. The corn crop of 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904 and 1905 averaged larger than that of the years 1897 to 1901, when the exports were larger than those of more recent years. The prices at which it might be exported have been much higher in recent years than formerly.

"The falling off in exports of corn cannot, therefore, be looked upon as a reduction in foreign demand, since the increased price which foreign buyers are now willing to pay indi- cates that the popularity of American corn in foreign markets has not abated.

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