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Mr. and Mrs. Wardell spent Sat-

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rday at Chatham.
Mrs. J. McBride, of Chatham, was
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trip t
Mr. the guest of her mother last week.

The Misses Stevens, of Kansas, spent a few days at Mr. and Mrs. Schindler's last week.

Apple packers are in the vicinity this week.

Edna MacPherson was a Chat-Tham visitor on Saturday.

Mr. Wilbert Wiley is recovering nicely from his accident.

Mrs. Mary Mallory had the misfortune to hurt her ankle again one day last people.

day last week.
Frank Cumming is suffering from

an attack of pleurisy.

Mr. John Arnoldf has gone on a trip to Rainy River District.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Ridgetown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.

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Home.

were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guilds on Sunday.
G. W. Mallory has returned home, after spending a few days in Detroit on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allison, of the Fourth Line, were the guests of Mr. Thomas Jenner on Sunday.



HER FIRST PHOTOGRAPH.

Miss Marie Corelli, the Novelist, Ex-

plains Her Views and How It

All Came About.

Marie Corelli has been making to protect he personal modesty and at the same time not interfere with the publicity of her fiction has taken a new turn with the publication of her latest book, "The Treasures of Heaven," which has just been given to the booksellers

sellers.
At last she has condescended, at the special request of the publishers at allow a real photograph of herself to go before the public. It appears as the

go before the public. It appears as the frontispiece of the new book, which is her sixteenth.

Even more surprising, as a bit of vanity, is the "author's note" which goes with the frontispiece in the English edition of "The Treasures of Heaven." She declares that a portrait of herself was taken in the spring of this year, and she explains her feelings about it.

"I am somewhat reluctant," she writes, "to see it so placed, because it

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has nothing whatever to do with the story, which is told in the following pages, beyond being a faithful likeness

The long drawn out fight which Miss

MARIE CORELLI'S FIRST PHOTOGRAPH. of the author who is responsible for this and many other previous books which have had the good fortune to meet with a friendly reception from the reading public. Moreover, I am not quite able to convince myself that my quite able to convince myseir that my pictured personality can have any in-terest for my readers, as it has al-ways seemed to me that an author's real being is more disclosed in his or her work than in any portrayed pre-

sentment of mere physiognomy.

"But, owing to the fact that various gross, and I think I may say libelous, fictitious misrepresentations of me have been freely and unwarrantedly circulated throughout Great Britain, the colonies and America by certain 'lower' sections of the pictorial press, which, with a zeal worthy of a better and kinder cause, have striven by this means to allenate my readers from me, it appears to my publishers advisable that an authentic likeness of myself, as I truly an to-day, should now be issued, in order to prevent any further misleading of the publid by fraudulent inventions."

Then Miss Corelli tells how she concealed her identity from the London sentment of mere physiognomy.

cealed her identity from the London photographers for whom she posed, by using the name of a "lady friend," and having the various proofs sent to

her address.

"That I thus elected to be photographed as an unknown rather than a known person," Miss Coreili explains further, "was in order that no extra pains should be taken in my behalf, but that I should be treated just ea an ordinary stranger would

just as an ordinary stranger would be treated, with no less, but at the same time certainly no more care. "For the benefit of those who may feel any further curiosity on the sub-ject." Miss Corelli writes that no portraits in any way resembling her have been published anywhere, with the exception of a picture taken in her own house by an amateur photo-

This remarkable "note" ends thus: "My objection to this sort of 'plo-ture popularity' has already been publicly stated, and I here repeat and emphasize it. And I venture to ask my readers who have so generously encouraged me by their warm and constant appreciation of my literary constant appreciation of my measing efforts to try and understand the spirit in which the objection is made. It is simply that to myself the personal Self of me is nothing, and should be, rightly speaking, nothing to any one outside the circle of my home and my intimate friends; while my work and the keen desire to im-prove in that work, so that by my work alone I may become united in sympathy and love to my readers, whoever and whatever they may be constitutes for me the Everything of

Is the earth made up of three con-centric spheres? A physicist says that such is the case. The solid nucleus he supposes to be between 3,000 and 7,000 miles in diameter and this is surroundmiles in diameter and this is surrounded by a liquid substratum, outside of which is the crust, variously estimated at seventy to 200 miles in thickness. More than two centuries ago a similar theory, including the slow rotation of the inner solid sphere on a different axis from that of the entire globe, was held by Dr. Edmund Halley to account for the changes in the earth's magnetism. The axis of the nucleus was thought to have been originally that of the entire globe and to the change of its course was attributed the deluge. The earth's internal heat, it is deluge. The earth's internal heat, it is now pointed out, may be accounted for by the friction of the differently rotating bodies.

Peculiar Austrian Law.

A few days ago the murderer of an Englishman who was killed in Austria in July of last year was tried, convicted and sentenced to twenty years imprisonment. He owes his life to a peculiarity of the Austrian law. Premeditated murder is commonly a capital crime there, but when the murderer has between the commission of his crime there, but when the middeler has between the commission of his crime and his trial been punished for some other misdeed the death sentence cannot be passed upon him. In this case the murderer had served a week's sentence for some petty offence after the killing, but before his arrest for it.

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He Was Drugged.

An ambulance surgeon had a curious experience the other night. He was summoned to a police station to examine an unconscious prisoner. The prisoner, very muddy and disheveled, lay on the floor of the cell rooms. The physician bent over and examined him and then, rising, said in a loud stern

"This man's condition is not due to drink. He has been drugged." A policeman turned pale and said in timid, hesitating voice: "I'm afraid yer right, sir. I drugged

him all the way from Carney's saloon, a matter of a hundred yards or more.' -Argonaut.

When one by accident swallows an object not intended for eating it is a wise precaution to send after it a quantity of absorbent cotton which has been picked into fine threads and mixed in bread and milk. The button, safety pin or whatever it may be gathers the cotton about it, thus covering up any rough edge or sharp point and allowing it to pass through the stomach and intestines without causing injury.

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#### DRESS HINTS.

The rule for frilling is one and a quarter the length of the edge to be trimmed.

Gathers should always be set on the right side, but never with a needle; use a large pin.

If the material just under the neck-

band at the back has become worn insert a tiny yoke or chemisette made of all over lace. In sewing a seam put the stitche

closely together, but lightly, into the cloth, being careful not to pull the thread tight, as this causes the seam to When cutting out sleeves to avoid the

disaster of cutting both for the same arm fold the material either face to face or back to back. Place the pattern on it and cut both together.

To put on the tape that holds the blouse in position around the waist sew up the shoulder and underarm seams, slip it on and tie the tape around the waist, pinning it at the right place in the center of the back.

Do your saving at the beginning of the week, you who live upon allowances or what is the same, so far as this counts, upon a salary. The extra expenses which often come upon you unexpectedly in the latter part of the week may be easily met if you've been husbanding your resources a lit-tle, instead of spending up to the last cent. A good plan is to allow your-self so much for little expenses for a within daily bounds, saving even a bit from that, if possible. Then, if it is not called upon by some little emergency, either put it away or use it toward some definite purpose, such as subscribing to a good magazine, getting a good book or seeing a good play, all of which should be considered as mental investments.

Regular Eating.

Many a housekeeper does not eat at noon unless she has company. Too much cannot be said in favor of regular hours for meals. A luncheon serv ed for only one or two should be just as dainty as the most formal dinner A napkin or doily spread on the bare table is sufficient if one is in a hurry. If left overs are to be the lunch they should be served in an appetizing and savory manner. A glass of milk and a piece of cake, taken standing in the kitchen, is a foolish luncheon. When one has eaten a hearty breakfast a light luncheon is all that is necessary, but if a very little breakfast has been partaken of a good, substantial meal at oon should be eaten.

Greasy Kitchen Floors.

Grease stains on a kitchen floor are difficult to remove by ordinary means, but they will generally come out with a hot solution of potash. If one application is not enough, use a second or even a third. Sometimes the solution, if the wood is very white, will leave a yellowish stain. To avoid this, mix some lime with the solution, until a Minard-s Liniment Cures Garget in thick paste is formed. Let the paste remains on the floor at least twelve

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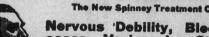
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on account of the continued dry weather.

Joseph Savage raised a new barn last Thursday. Wm. Best is the framer.

Mrs. H. Best returned home Sunday from a week's visit at Huffman's Corners.

Mrs. I. Tompkins, of Huffman's Corners, spent last Sanday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Osterhout.

Miss Maggie Brown spent the week end at Sombra.

We were sorry to flear that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Strain was badly burned on Saturday her clothes having caught fire.

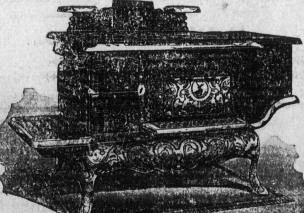
A number of the young men from Wallaceburg.

A large number were out at church Sunday evening.

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