### What is Scrofula

It is that impurity in the blood, which, accumulating in the glands of the neck, produces unsightly impa or swellings; which causes painful running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which developes ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or many othermanifestations usually ascribed to "humors." It is a more formidable enemy than consumption or cancer alone, for scrotula combinate the worst possible features of both. Being the most ancient, it is the most general of all diseases or affections, for very few persons are entirely free from it. How can it be cured? By taking flood's Sarsaparilla, which, by the cures it has accomplished, often when other medicines have falled, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. For all affections of the blood Hood's Sarsaparilla is unequalled, and some of the

Hood's Sarsaparilla is unequalled, and some of the blood entres it has effected are really wonderful. If you suffer from scrofula in any of its various forms, be sure to give Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial.

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PENSIVE PELICANS. Collapse of the Noted Club-Sporting

These are sad days for the Pellean Club, the well known association of sporting men, whose rooms have been the scene of so many puglilistic contests. It is or was a proprietary club, having been founded by E. Weils. Mr. Wells has been in financial difficulties for some time past and on Nov. 7 an order was issued by the Bankruptcy Court placing his affairs in the hands of a receiver. It was stated at that time that the club house and its belongings were mortgaged four times over, and that Mr. Wells was carrying on the business of the club on behalf of the third mortgagee. Owing to Mr. Wells' bankruptcy and the consequent financial complications, the Pelican Club House is closed and there is consequently deep mourning among the members and frequenters of that resort. The club house and other property belonging to Mr. Wells will be sold by order of the persons holding the mortgages upon it. These are sad days for the Pelican Club, the well known association of sporting men

Dr. Ernst, the new professor in the Harvard Medical School, was the man who once demonstrated to some skeptical professors the fact that a curved ball could be pitched by repeatedly curving the ball between two posts set up in a line.

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There is no truth in the rumor that the Association is to be revived. According to the Philadelphia Inquirer, New York, Pittsburg, Boston, Columbus, Brooklyn, Milwaukee, Cincinnati and Philadelphia were the cities interested. Responsible men, in seven of the eight cities named, samp the story as a silly fake.

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FOOTBALL.

The record of the Canadian-American football team abroad shows; Matches played, 56; won, 13; lost, 30; drawn, 13.

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The Canadian-American football players vill close their tour to-day (Monday). On Saturday they were defeated by Newton Heath, by 5 goals to 1.

THE TRIGGER.

E. D. Fulford, of Harrisburg, Pa., the champion trap shooter, met Capt. Jack Brewer, the late champion, for the fifth ime Friday, and again defeated him, xilling 96 birds to Brewer's 94, winning \$500.

### VICTIMS OF GRIP.

The Disease on the Decline in New York, but Raging in Many Other Sections.

New York, Jan. 4.—There were six deaths reported from grip or its complications at New York yesterday. The total number of deaths for the week was 969—80 in excess of the number for the preceding week. During the week 86 persons died of grip.

Berlin, Jan. 4.—Influenza is universal in Zierenberg, Hesse. The doctors report that not a single house is without a patient and in many dwellings there are several sufferers.

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London, Jan. 4.—Influenza in virulent form it raging in Somersetshire and Dorsetshire. In those counties labor on the farm has practically been stonged, and the cattle are left unattended owing to the laborers and farmers being down with the epidemic. Influenza is raging all over Belgium. Meny cases of the disease, isoluding a number of fatal ones, have occurred among the members of the model colony for funatics at Cheel. All schools at Malines have been closed on account of the influenza epidemic. Louis Victor de Lavelaye, the noted Bolgian writer on political conomy, has died at Liege.

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Governor Boles, of lows, is very ill with la grippe at Des-Moines,
Goneral Montgomery C. Meigs, of the United States Engineer corps (retired), died at Washington on Saturday of la grippe, He was quarter-master general of the Union army during the rebellion.

formers of Peel have unanimously nominated Mr. Joseph Featherstone as the candidate for the Commons.





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### SICK AND STARVING.

Terrible Distress in Famine-Stricken Russia.

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The Suffering People Have Neither Fuel not Food-Burning Their Doors and Wisdow-Frames-Disease Induced by the Vile Compounds which They

ST. Petersburg, Jan. 4.—In an interview the proprietor of a small estate in the famine-stricken Province of Koursk, who is now visiting this city, tells of the misery that he witnessed about his home. He famine-stricken Province of Koursk, who is now visiting this city, tells of the misery that he witnessed about his home. He expresses surprise at the gayety and luxury to be seen here as being in such violent contrast with the suffering in his own district. He says the people there are reduced to the necessity of burning their doors and window-frames for fuel, and of pulling the thatch from the roofs of cottages to feed the few cattle still unkilled. He continues thus: "The horrible compounds eaten in order to stave off the pangs of hunger induce disease, the progress of which is most rapid among the inmates of the overcrowded houses, where whole families are huddled together for shelter. After denuding their own honses many of the suffering peasants band together and politely, but firmly compelmore fortunate neighbors to divide their resources with them.

"Government relief is wrongly allotted. It always comes too late. Local officials dearing to hide the true state of affairs, organize banquets and gambling parties for the entertainment of Government commissioners sent to the district. Any attempt to send appeals directly to the Czar is inipped in the bud by the officials with threats of expulsion if such an attempt is repeated."

It is reported that the flour recently bought by the municipal authorities, which was found to be adulterated and totally unfit for use, was originally intended for export, and if it had not been for the decree prohibiting the exportation of flour, the fraud might never have been discovered. A thousand wagon-loads of corn, which was sold by a large exporting firm to the town of Samara, has been found to be a similarly adulteration. The practice of adulterating food supplies is becoming universal, and Gen. Gresser. chief of the St. Petersburg police, is taking the matter in hand.

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partial failure of the crops. This expression
of opinion is general in official circles.

### CARZA'S INSURRECTION

Making a Good Deal of Trouble for Two Governments.

Skirmishing Going on Between U. S. Troops and the Mexican Rebels-An Interview with the Leader.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 4.—Skirmishing of an indecisive character continues between United States troops and Garza's revolutionists in Star and Duval counties. Gen. Stanley feels confident of either suppressing or driving Garza from American soil with the forces now in the field.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Gen. Schofield has received information of the surprise by United States troops of one of Garza's camps of revolutionists, near Las Cuevates and Ringgoid, and of the capture of one of the rebel officers with the horses and equipments of nine revolutionists, two guns, ammunition, badges and many important papers. The News of the Day, Culled

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New York, Jan. 4.—A dispatch from Laredo, Texas, says an interview was obtained yesterday with Garza, the revolutionist, who said: "There has been a growing discontent at the misrule of Mexico. President Diaz is Mexico; he is the Government, sole and entire. A Minister who opposes him in the least is instantly dismissed and diagraced. During the time he has occupied the chair of President he has grown immensely wealthy. He owns thousands of acres of land and has millions of dollars laid by not only in Mexico but in the vaults of European institutious, and there is hardly a big corporation or monopoly in Mexico that he does not own stock in. In fact, the price of a monopoly in Mexico is a Mexico that he does not own stock in. In fact, the price of a monopoly in Mexico is a block of stock in the enterprise made out in either Diaz's name or that of his lieutenant. He has gained the batred of every good churchman and pricat. The revolution which is now in progress is of greater moment than it is given credit for. We are strong in following and in money, and we will accomplish our ends. When the crisis comes, as it will before long, Diaz will find his forces short by a few companies, while we in turn will be richer by as many men."

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### A WATERY CRAVE.

The Body of George O. Challoner Found in the River

Case of Suicide-An Inquest

At Ferguson's undertaking establishment this morning a coroner's jury was em-paneled to investigate the peculiarly sad circumstances connected with the death of

circumstances connected with the death a an old and respected resident.

Since Friday diligent search has bee made for traces of Mr. George O. Challonet who so mysteriously left his home corner Elmwood avenue and Wortley roa at an early hour in the morning. Saturda afternoon a searching party county. who so mysteriously left his home, corner Elmwood avenue and Wortley road at an early hour in the morning. Saturday afternoon a searching party procured row boats and dragged the river from the north branch to the Cove, as it was thought that if he committed suicide the water would be the most likely place—but without avail. Yesterday the work was continued, and despite the snowstorm and the cold, the searchers bravely kept at it. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Richard Ivey, one of the party, felt something at the end of his drag, and upon bringing it to the surface it proved to be the corpse of the missing man. The body was fully dressed, with the exception that the hat and one overshoe were missing. It was taken to the undertaker's, where, lass night, Dr. Waugh examined it and found no marks of violence, death having resulted without doubt from drowning. The spot were the remains were found was a deep hole at the forks of the river west of Milne's hoathouse. The body was well preserved and looked very natural. Detective Allen, Richard Ivey, George T. Trebitcock, W. Brazier, W. A. Westland, Charles Andrus and others were the searchers and performed their duties with great perseverance in the most distressing weather.

Mr. Challoner was a retired English genbleman, and drew an ample income from investments in the old country. He was a man well liked by a large circle of friends and acquaintances for his amiability of character and his good breeding. His residence in London dates back over 25 years; previous to that time he lived in Komoka, coming originally from England. Two daughters survive him—Miss Agnes Challoner, with whom he lived, and Mrs. W. D. Beuson, of Dufferin avenue. He has also a sister in England and near relatives in Strathroy. His connections attribute his action to a temporary derangement of mind, in all probability consequent upon an illness, which had caused him much suffering of late. Friends who had met and conversed with him the day before, say he was perfectly rational at the time.

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The coroner's jury this morning was as follows: James Johnson (foreman), George Heard, Alf. Croden, C. Curtis, Joseph Raycraft, Wm. McPherson, C. Norris, Henry Headford, Henry Griffith, James O'Byrne, Austen Addison, Henry Brinsmead, Henry Graham and Methiaz Cannom. An adjournment was made until Wednesday evening, when an inquest will be held at the police station before Coroner Smith.

### INCIDENTS OF INTEREST

and Condensed. At Denver on Saturday Dr. Thatcher Graves was found guilty of murder in the

first degree. There are no criminal cases for trial at the Wentworth Assizes, which open on Wednesday in Hamilton.

The Brooks Bank Note Company, with factory in Boston, is financially embarrassed. Liabilities about \$47,000.

Dr. J. B. Mills, an old and respected resident of Springfield, Ont., died on Sun-lay from rheumatism of the heart.

The aggregate debt of the United States on Jan. 1, was \$1,553,125,209 61. Cash balance in the treasury, \$134,574,128 30.

A report comes from Philadelphia that the leading lithograph firms of the United States have combined with a capital of \$12,000,000.

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There was a bad wreck Saturday evening on the Pennsylvania Railway at the Murray atreet crossing in Elizabeth, N. J. The road was blocked and a large number of passengers got off the trains that were stailed along the track and started to walk to Elizabeth on the track. Fred Whitehead and John Dillou, both of Elizabeth, did not notice the approach of an express from the west and both men were run over and killed.

Men are like little boys; they all like to have a great big rag tied around a little

sore.

The friend who becomes a lover continue still to be a friend; but the lover who be comes a friend cesses forever to be a lover

## To-Night's Election Returns.

The municipal election returns will be exhibited by illuminated bulletins from the ADVERTISER office windows to-night as soon as they come in.

### LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

John Tidy, a shoemaker, who was recently sent to the hospital by Dr. James Smith for treatment for congestion of the lungs, died yesterday. His complaint was superinduced by the grip. Deceased formerly worked for Mr. Ross, South London.

Anniversary in Lobo.

The First Esplist Sunday school anniversary in Lobo was a great success, the church being filled at the Sunday services and anniversary teameeting. Rev. Mr. Kennedy, Mohaster Hall, preached, and a good programme was provided at the teameeting, Rev. Messrs. Jones, Kennedy and Speller delivering addresses, Misses Cannom, Irvine and McArthur gave recitations, the Keyes' band rendered music, Messrs, Paul and Grey sang duets, Misses Lena Tuckey and Laura Parsons and Mrs. G. Edwards sang solos, and the children, under Miss Josio Irvine, sang many excellent selections.

Killed On the Roadway.

Walter Walters, a farmer, residing on the second concession of Westminster, near

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Walter Walters, a farmer, residing on the second concession of Westminster, near Byron, drove into the city Saturday to attend market. His horse returned home without a driver in the evening, and members of his anxious family started back over the road to ascertain the reason. At the crossing of the second concession and the Wharnelife, read they found Walters' dead body lying in the ditch. It is supposed the buggy had upset and decessed had received injurids as a result of being thrown, out that caused his death. He was well known in the neighborheod.

Legal Docisions.

Masuret vs. London Free Press Company — Shepley, Q.C., for the plaintiff, moved for an order pestiponing the trial of this action and of phree; ethers of a similar nature till the Spring Assizes at London. The actions are for damages for libel in respect of statements made in connection with a pending election petition; and the reason alleged for postpening the trial is that public feeling is running so high in the locality that a fair trial is impossible while the election petition is pending. D. Armour, for the defendants, contra. Order made. Costs in the cause.

East Middlenex Election Case.

A special to the Adventiser this (Monday) afternoon says: Justices Rose and

East Middlesex Election Case.

A special to the Advertiser this (Monday) afternoon says: Justices Rose and MacMahon delivered judgment this morning upon the charges in the East Middlesex election protest against Joseph H. Marshall, upon which decision had been reserved. They prefaced their finding by a statement that the respondent Marshall had been unseated on previously proven charges and that decision upon the additional counts in the protest would be unnecessary were it not solicited by counsel. Then briefly outlining the details of the allegation that R. H. Jones, an agent for the respondent, Marshall, hired from Liveryman Lindsay four rigs, for which he promised to pay by an order, the judges found that as the orders had been destroyed the promise to pay rested upon a question of veracity between Jones and Lindsay. After considering the testimony the judges concluded that the charges should be dismissed.

How to Treat Oil Fires.

How to Treat Oil Fires,

It is needful to know how oil fires should be treated. To throw water on them only increases the combustion, for water sprinkled on flame causes steam; this steam combines with and takes up other gases, its own volume lifting them easily, thus becoming a carrier of the combustible flame and raising it so that it may apread to any other combustibles.

The impulse to throw water on a mass of burning rags or waste soaked with oil is a natural one to those who have not studied the subject, but it is the worst thing that could be done in most cases. Something to deaden the mass and smother it should always be used, and therefore sand is recommended, because it is easily kept about and because it can generally be obtained readily.

Mr. Edward Atkinson, of the Boston Manufacturers' Insurance Company, treats the subject of oil fires in the Engineering Magazine. He describes an oil fire which caused heavy loss to the factory mutuals of Massachusetts thus: "In the early evening

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Patel Fires.

CHIGAGO, Jan. 4.—At 2 c'clock this morning fire broke out in the All-Night morning fire broke out in the All-Night cocupants rushed into the hallways and attempted to reach the lower floor. As a result of the fire two persons were killed, one was fatally hurt and four others were severally injured. The killed are; John Mersedith, 65 years old; Paul Wood, 17 years old, son of Samuel. F. Wood, 200; suffocated.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 4.—Fire at Saybrook, twenty miles east of here, yesterday practically destroyed the town. Loss, \$100, 000; insurance light.

Steamship Arrival.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—At 2 c'clock this treaties. Messengers who have arrived at Green. Messenge

meant."
He learned just what has been stated above, that the application of water increases the flame, which needs to quenchit, a woolen rug, or sand or earth. These emphasize the value of a chemical engine to combat certain kinds of combustion which water would only accelerate.

The face of the earth has ever been marked with tear stains.

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ing her eyes on the ground. Love is the axle grease that makes the wheels go 'round,

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