

NEWS AND NOTES.

The civil servant under the Crown longest in harness in England is Earl Granville. He has held office even longer than Mr. Gladstone, his present chief, whose record is so long and varied.

Life is full of disappointments. We recently offered to cure a bad case of Rheumatism for a year's subscription in advance, but just as we were on the point of lifting the skeletons, a sympathizing friend suggested Johnson's Anodyne Liniment, and the money and the patient vanished instanter.

The Mexican Minister for Foreign affairs, Ignacio Mariscal, has been appointed as special Envoy to bring about the renewal of diplomatic relations between his Government and that of England.

**"Golden Medical Discovery"** has been used with signal success in consumption of the lungs, consumptive night-sweats, spitting of blood, shortness of breath, weak lungs, coughs, bronchitis, and kindred affections of throat and chest. Sold by druggists.

The court of appeal in Brussels has decided that pickles, artificially coloured green by the contact of the vinegar with copper utensils, are not injurious to health, on the authority of M. Dumoulin, Professor of Chemistry in the University of Ghent, who declared with confidence that such salts are "incapable of doing any harm."

"Men must work and women weep, So runs the world away!"

But they need not weep so much if they use Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription," which cures all the painful maladies peculiar to women. Sold by druggists.

A direct train from Paris to Constantinople, to perform the distance in eighty hours, started from the former city at 7.30 p. m. yesterday. The custom-house examination was to take place during the journey.

The soothing and restorative effects of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral are realized at once in all cases of colds, coughs, throat or lung troubles, while its far-reaching and powerful healing qualities are always demonstrated in the most serious pulmonary disorders.

**A Crowning Mercy to the Corned.** Unequaled by any remedy in the world—Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor, the new remedy for corns. Never fails to cure; never produces pain; never makes deep cavities in the flesh. A sure, prompt and painless remedy for corns. Sold by druggists everywhere. Don't fail to try it. N. C. POLSON & Co., Kingston, Proprietors.

A new geological survey of Belgium is now in progress, including an examination of underlying strata by means of borings in various districts. The expense is officially estimated at 88,000l., and the map is to be completed within sixteen years. It will be engraved on copper at Leipzig.

**PHYSICIAN'S STATEMENT RESPECTING PUTTNER'S SYRUP.** Made by W. B. SLAYTER, M. D., J. R. C. P. Eng., &c., Consulting Surgeon, P. & C. Hospital, and Prof. Obstetric and Diseases of Women, Halifax Medical College. HALIFAX, March 1883.

I have used C. E. Puttner's Syrup of Hypophosphites and find it well made and very palatable and admirably adapted to do good in cases in which the Hypophosphites are called for, &c. W. B. SLAYTER, M.D.L.R.C.P. Eng. &c.

Dr. C. Rigby, Surgeon Halifax Dispensary says:—"I have been employing your SYRUP PUTTNER'S in my practice ever since you first introduced it to the profession and have never found reason to be dissatisfied with the results obtained.

Yours, &c,  
C. D. RIGBY, M. D.  
To C. E. Puttner, Ph. M.

After the lapse of more than a hundred years, service was resumed in the picturesque little church of St. Catherine's Temple, near Bodmin. The church was built by the Knight's Templars, and was mentioned in a valuation by Pope Nicolas (A. D. 1288-92.)

\*Write to Mrs. E. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for names of ladies cured of female weakness by taking her Vegetable Compound.

Cholera is raging in Egypt.

"Sick Headache for 40 years, Dr. Benson's Celery Pills cured me." Lucy A. Warren, Deerfield, N. Y.

The Daily News says that the negotiations for a new Treaty of Commerce with Italy have reached a satisfactory conclusion, and that England will be placed in the position of the most favoured nation.

The concentrated power and curative virtues of Ayer's Sarsaparilla render it the most reliable and economical medicine that can be used. It contains no dangerous or harmful ingredients, and may be safely administered to patients of all ages. When you are sick, the best medicine that can be obtained is none too good, and is the cheapest, whatever its cost.

Parsons' Purgative Pills make new rich blood, and will completely change the blood in the entire system in three months. Any person who will take one pill a night from one to twelve weeks may be restored to sound health, if such a thing is possible.

"Recent excavations at Mainz, on the bank of the Rhine, have occasioned the discovery of a large number of Roman remains. Two of the latest 'finds' are a bronze statuette of Mercury, and a dagger-sabbard, iron inlaid with silver.

The huge, drastic, griping, sickening pills are fast being superseded by Dr. Pierce's "Purgative Pellets." Sold by druggists.

A wonderful cave has been discovered in Badger canyon, near Bozeman, Montana, containing a chamber about twenty feet square, the walls and ceiling ornamented with hieroglyphics. A number of chairs of rude workmanship and rough tables crumbling to decay were in the room.

**What it did for an Old Lady.** COSHOCTON STATION, N. Y., Dec., 28, 1878.

GENTS—A number of people had been using your Bitters here, and with marked effect. In one case, a lady of over seventy years, had been sick for years, and for the past ten years has not been able to be around half the time. About six months ago she got so feeble she was helpless. Her old remedies, or physicians, being of no avail, I sent to Deposit, forty-five miles away, and got a bottle of Hop Bitters. It improved her so she was able to dress herself and walk about the house. When she had taken the second bottle she was able to take care of her own room and walk out to her neighbor's, and has improved all the time since. My wife and children also have derived great benefit from their use. W. W. HATHAWAY, Agt. U. S. Ex. Co.

A committee of ship owners will forthwith demand power to construct a second Suez Canal.

**Testimonial from Capt. Joshua Harper.**

Suckville, N. B., Feb. 13, 1877.  
J. H. Robinson, Esq., St. John, N. B.

Dear Sir,—Early in October last I took a severe cold which settled on my lungs. After having a bad cough for about six weeks, I had a very severe attack of bleeding from the lungs, while on a passage from Queenstown to Dover. I had daily spells of bleeding for some days, until I lost about two gallons of blood, and was so weak as to scarcely be able to stand. I put back to Queenstown, where I received such medical assistance as enabled me to get home.

I saw an advertisement of your Phosphorized Cod Liver Oil Emulsion in a paper. I immediately sent and got half a dozen bottles, after taking which I feel myself a well man again. My weight, which was reduced to 120 pounds, is now up to my usual standard of 152 pounds. Seeing what it has done for me, I can confidently recommend it to others afflicted with lung disease.

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) JOSHUA HARPER,  
Of the barque "Mary Lowerson."

Robinson's Phosphorized Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Lacto-phosphate of Lime is prepared only by Hanington Bros., St. John N. B., and is for sale by Druggists and General Dealers. Price \$1.00 per bottle; six bottles for \$5.00.

Japan has the cheapest postal service in the world.

"Dr. Benson's Skin Cure has driven away all my eruptions." Ida C. Young, Hamilton, Ill.

A writer says; "I would not be without Eggar's Wine of Rennet in the house for double its price. I can make a delicious dessert for my husband, which he enjoys after dinner and which I believe has at the same time cured his dyspepsia.

**Convincing Proof.**  
The attention of readers is respectfully called to the advertisement of the Puttner Emulsion Co., appearing in the columns of this paper. Convincing proof is there given of the unbounded popularity of their valuable proprietary medicine which cannot be gain-said.

**PHYSICIAN'S TESTIMONIAL.**—J. F. Brine, M. D., Port Hill, P. E. I., writes:—Messrs. Puttner, Emulsion Co., Halifax. Dear Sirs—I have used your Emulsion extensively during the past four years, and have much pleasure in adding my testimony as to its efficacy. We had here last summer numerous cases of Whooping Cough and Scarlet Fever. I found the Emulsion answer admirably when the acute symptoms had subsided, in very many instances. In most wasting disorders, especially those peculiar to children, your Emulsion has rendered me good service, being pleasant to the taste and no feeling of nausea following its administration. It seldom fails giving good results, and I prefer it to any other preparation of the kind.

I am, yours respectfully,  
J. F. BRINE, M. D.

**Home Items.**

—All your own fault. If you remain sick when you can get hop bitters that never—FALL. The weakest woman, smallest child, and sickest invalid can use Hop Bitters with safety and great good.

Old men tottering around from Rheumatism, kidney trouble or any weakness will be almost new by using Hop Bitters.

My wife and daughter were made healthy by the use of Hop Bitters and I recommend them to my people.—Methodist Clergyman.

Ask any good doctor if hop Bitters are not the best family medicine on earth.

Malarial fever, Ague and Biliousness, will leave every neighborhood as soon as hop bitters arrive.

My mother drove the paralysis and neuralgia all out of her system with hop bitters.—Ed. Oswego Sun.

Keep the kidneys healthy with hop bitters and you need not fear sickness.

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The vigor of youth for the aged and infirm in hop bitters.

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