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There are reported here three cures of chronic cases of piles. In all three cases many treatments were tried before it was discovered that Dr. Chase's Ointment is about the only real cure for this distressing ailment. Mrs. A. Oates, 22 Gilmerson street, Brantford, Ont., writes: "I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment as a household remedy for ever so long, and am particularly indebted to it for a cure from Piles. I had suffered from this annoying trouble for ten years, and tried nearly everything I heard of. After using Dr. Chase's Ointment a short while I was completely cured."

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High Explosive Caused Air Shelter Disaster During Raid on London

MOST of the casualties in a recent London raid were caused by a bomb which fell on an air-raid shelter. The bomb, evidently of a high explosive nature, reached the basement, which was crowded with women and children. Many of these were badly injured, and the screams of these, added to the cries of the terrified children, made a scene that lacked no touch of perfectly devilish horror. Fire only was needed to complete the catastrophe, and it came in a few minutes. Within five minutes the whole basement was a raging furnace, with the red flames roaring up to the skies through the shaft. Quickly the works fire brigade set at the double task of fighting the flames and rescuing those pinned down and imprisoned in the basement, and quickly they were reinforced by the arrival of the L.C.C. brigades, and the great majority of the refugees were enabled to escape. Meanwhile the flames had steadily gained hold of the main fabric of the building, and before they were got under control by the firemen practically all the roof and top floor were gone, while right along the lower floors the fire had wrought havoc.

Through the gaping shaft pierced by the bomb one could see the bare skeleton of the building, the fantastically twisted steel girders and charred beams of wood. About a hundred people, all men, were at work on the night shift when the warning was given, and these were promptly ordered to the basement, where they helped to shepherd the women and children who soon began to swarm in. One of the first employees, named Alfred Kibble, who had his left arm swathed in bandages, his hand having been seriously torn in the explosion, said: "We had scarcely got the last of the people in when the bomb fell. All the people had been as calm and cheerful as you could wish up to then. The children particularly were fine. One of the boys had a mouth organ, and with this as the music they had an impromptu concert. They were singing 'The Bull-Dog Breed' and 'Way Down in Tennessee,' and the kids started up that song they are always singing, 'The Moon Shines To-night on Charlie Chaplin,' and they were yelling it out until most of them tumbled off to sleep in their mothers' arms. Then came the explosion. There was a short, sharp hissing sound, which I suppose the bomb made in its descent, which even in the basement we could hear quite distinctly, and then came the crash, worse than anything I have ever heard. Our firemen were at work as quickly as possible, but in a few minutes the whole place was like a furnace. The bomb had fallen and exploded, yet not more than ten feet away I came across two little children standing absolutely untouched. They were crying with fright, and I got hold of them and managed to get them out. That was about the last I remember of it, for almost immediately I fainted—I suppose with the pain of my hand and arm, of which only then did I seem conscious. One great mass of concrete, weighing, I should think, about half a ton, had fallen down right on a little group of four women. Three of them were killed outright, I think, but the fourth was only pinned down and was screaming out to be released. Four of us tried to get her out, but we couldn't make the stonework budge an inch, although we tried to lever it up with all kinds of things. At the time the flames were getting fiercer and fiercer and coming nearer and nearer, and at length one great burst of flame and smoke drove us right away, setting light to our clothes, and we could not get near the woman again.

Contract Marriages?
While the controversy still rages in France around the problem of providing husbands for the young women of the republic after the war, French psychologists and economists have indignantly rejected any suggestion of the adoption of the "ersatz," or substitute marriages, as put forth by Germany. An extensive campaign is being carried on by Dr. Robert de Simone, a noted physician, for the legalizing of "contract marriages" for a period of three years. His plan is for the contracting parties to be at liberty to dissolve their union at the end of the three years. Any issue of the marriage is to be cared for by the state in the event of the father and mother being unwilling to assume responsibility, the parents to devote a percentage of their earnings to the education and maintenance of the children. — *Capper's Weekly.*

A Lesson In Discretion.
The story that is being told of the visit recently paid to London by two Basuto chiefs contains a lesson in discretion which might be laid to heart by many. The Basutos had been to the front and learned many things and had come back to London and learned many more; for one thing they had learned all about spies. Small wonder then that the journalists, endeavoring to interview them, should find them non-committal. Speaking to a small group of journalists the Basutos thought it right to be very careful. "You never know whom you are talking to," they said, so the story goes, "that gentleman over there, for instance," regarding a substantial but entirely innocuous journalist, "wanted to know a lot of things, and how could we be sure he was not trying to find out when we were going back, so he could tell the Germans."

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Province as Dry as Law Can Make It

No Liquor for Thirsty Ones Except by Doctor's Orders—And Then Hard to Get

Less than one year and a half ago it was possible for any one to secure as much liquor as they wished, providing they had the necessary cash. Today the story is a different one, caused by the enforcement of the New Brunswick prohibitory act. The purchase of a case of the "Oh be joyful" is at present practically impossible and daily the purchase of quarts is becoming harder.

The difficulty of purchasing liquor at present comes to those who do not really need it, for the legitimate user of alcohol in any form can purchase it by securing a prescription duly signed by a medical practitioner which, on presentation to a vendor, will be speedily filled. The business of these vendors is supervised by the chief inspector, Rev. W. D. Wilcox, to whom the vendors are required to send their prescriptions every month to be checked. Every time a vendor makes a sale the transaction is marked down in a record book. This book is sent to the chief inspector every three months to be audited.

Inspector Wilson said recently that the largest sales recorded by the vendors for any one month so far was \$300. The average is much below this figure.

Such business might appear to be a lucrative one and so it would had not the inspector opened channels by which the vendors have competition. Since prohibition the distillers' prices have advanced considerably and with high freights and breakage the profits are somewhat reduced.

The vendors, explained Mr. Wilcox, are doing everything in their power to prevent themselves from being duped in the presentation of fake orders. There have been some vendors in the province filling prescriptions somewhat freely but only for a short period, for as soon as the inspector became acquainted with conditions he at once took the matter up with both doctors and vendors. Since several of the doctors in the province had been before the courts there have been fewer prescriptions taken to vendors.

GOES TO LINSAY, ONT.
Mr. A. E. Taylor who has been manager of the Bank of Montreal Chatham for almost four years, has received word of his transfer to Linsay, Ont., and will remove there shortly.

It Works! Try It
Tells how to loosen a sore, tender corn so it lifts out without pain.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing freezons, the ether discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers. Ask at any pharmacy for a quarter ounce of freezone, which will cost very little, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus. You apply just a few drops on the tender, itching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so softened that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue. This discovery will prevent thousands of itching corns and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so softened that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

SOUTH NELSON

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. G. A. Flett on Wednesday 14th. Roll call answered by Current Events. A discussion opened by Mrs. E. Bateman on "How to Improve Rural Schools".

A paper was read by Mrs. Brown on New Brunswick matters. A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Hazen Peterson for the trouble she had gone to in making and selling ice cream for which the sum of \$5 was realized and given to the Institute Funds.

Arthur Coughlan very thankfully received a letter recently from a nursing sister stating that his son Gunner Frank Coughlan had been very seriously gassed and for a time his life was despaired of, but was now slowly improving and removed to another hospital, and a few days later Mr. Coughlan received a short letter written by Frank which goes to show he is getting better. We all hope for his complete recovery.

Mrs. Flemming of Newcastle has been the guest of her sister Mrs. G. A. Flett for the past two weeks.

Lemons Make Skin White, Soft, Clear

Make This Beauty Lotion for a Few Cents and See for Yourself

What girl or woman does not long for lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes, to whiten the skin and to bring out roses, the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white this way. Strain through a fine cloth the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing about three ounces of orchard white, then shake well and you have a whole quart of skin and complexion lotion at about the cost one usually pays for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no pulp gets into the bottle, then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months. When applied daily to the face, neck, arms and hands it should help to bleach, clear, smoothen and beautify the skin. Any druggist will supply three ounces of orchard white at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons.

HOLTVILLE

The weather for the past few days has been delightful, and the crops are looking beautiful. A number of the young people attended the wedding at Storey town Aug 12th.

Mrs. Nat Book was calling on friends in Doaktown Sunday. Mrs. D. Munn and Mrs. J. Turner made a flying trip to Doaktown this morning.

Mrs. Fred Rushton and little daughter have returned from Acadaville where they were visiting her mother-in-law.

Arthur Parker is home from Sussex on leave. Mrs. Hiram Storey has moved in her house again.

Miss Helen Munn of Boletown is spending the summer with Mrs. Stelsar Chute, at Wood Cottage. The death occurred on July 28th.

Violet Patricia the only daughter of Gunner and Mrs. Pamela A. Munn her father is overseas with the 12th Battery.

NEWTEACHERS FOR CHATHAM.
At a meeting of the School Board held Friday evening, Miss Nellie and Miss May A. McLaughlin were appointed to the teaching staff.

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