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The Pagan. as dying, and he had been a mine as long as I could re-He had gone to work under at the age of seven. He ha been properly fed. Every day 1 ome sweating to the surface aft imb of 200 fathoms, had change walked a couple of miles to hi lean, cheerless cottage. Now he was ifty-five, and he looked seventy, and eart and lungs had given out. He knew that he was near the end and still kept his philosophy. He was as onest a man as ever lived, and it had often seemed strange that he was al ost the only man in that village lethodists who had no religion. He dving and was content except for

fact that he could no longer enjoy bacco. One day I sat by his bed when the doctor came. He was a shy man and a very earnest Christian, and bable

o consider ious to say, and I was on the point of taking my leave when he spoke, dropping, as one did with Peter, into the old caressing dialect: JMORS.

full of ramors Peter, when you do die?" railway plans Canada. What ese reports the no means of as-

can tell whether Meaning of "Sophomore." to build the rail-

Says a literary man: "I used to loquy fell on the ears of which look so well

PAINTER PLAYED POKER. Sir Philip Burne-Jones Had Faith in a Fair of Deuces. "P for painter, also for poker and

roorly.

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rilla.

he was fond of Peter. I knew that he pair; d for deck, also deuces and had something he was desperately anx- dunce; b for bart., bamboozled and busted. Thus murmured Sir Philip Burne-Jones, Bart, the painter of "The Vampire" and the son of Sir Edwin Burne-Jones, the celebrated "Where do 'ee think you'm goin' to, English painter, as he descended the gang plank of the Oceanic the Peter looked up at him with the kindliest of smiles. "Dunnaw, doctor; with Sir W. Martin Conway, the not-

but I never knew a horse yet that ed mountain climber, writer and but I never knew a horse yet that the mountain the lecturer; Gerald Duckworth, the were coming to conquer. Napoleon was not exempt from the habit. the were coming to conquer. Napoleon J. Catto of Toronto Southey wrote verses in praise of and E. K. Spinney, says The New snuff. All the more distinguished York Tribune. Sir Philip's solfsoli-his ley, and the rest had their own pecharters have think that the word 'sophomore' was companions, and they nudged each culiar mixture. made up of the Greek word signifying other and smiled while he continued The snuff maker kept books full recipes, and made for each custon

SNUFF'S FALL AND RISE. Last Century Killed-Some Cur. ously interesting lacts. "George IV meht or said snuff in historical nov old gentlemen, and the papers tell s with a pleasing choice of adjecives, that snuff takers are "either d men or poor women." Who the Good as Gold nius who first took tobacco neat astead of as smoke history saith ot. What is certain is that snull Hard as Gold ecame popular in England just 200 rears ago, and the learned opine hat the cause was Sir George but not Dear as Gold. looke's victory at Vigo, where be ides gold and Spaniards and other nconsidered trifles he captured arge parcel of snuff and brought own prices. In those days macaw Page Woven Wire Fence r rappee, cost some 5s. a pound he only reliable fence for holding stock owing the continuous coil or spiral spring. No. and everyone used it save perhaps staunch old country squires, who ordinary No. 7 of 1,700 pounds ( stuck to their church wardens and October ale. There were dainty ladies to meet more delicately, and yet more amply the requirements of wellbred noses. Queen Charlotte had her snuff account. Frederick the Great took it in handfuls, and smothered his clothes therewith, so that his USE OUR valets acquired a small but comfortable income by brushing them and seiling the result. So at least tradition records; but those crafty menials must have had noses and eyes of triple brass. Even the great Samuel Weller, prince of servants, coulcould not manage snuff without sneezing; but he belonged to a de generate age, when pipes and cigars for spring.

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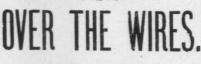
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the steps deen taken for other pur- to the second class in a college because ed the game," of the Canadian railway by In support of the latter ter,' and a Greek word meaning fool- "It was one of those narmiess little games, only a sixpenny ante it is pointed out in despatches "The college course extended over New York that there has been linary demand on the stock tive classes of students were termed it, only your clothes," said re for C. P. R. shares, and sophs or soph-mors, senior sophs and n two days and a half sales agng two and a half millions have made. Some financial authoriare quoted as authority for the ists." ent that the purchases were de in the Vanderbilt interest, and t it is their intention to acquire rol of the road. Failing in this ject, they would enter upon a fierce is explained the purchase of the Can-ada Atlantic, the operations in Nova Scotia, and the projected roads in New Scotia, and the projected roads in New Brunswick. The Toronto World has cactus needles. The reason for this But the fool called her his lady fairdiscovered that the Vanderbilts also wished to acquire control of the Inter. object, but of course they failed, which leads the World to make these redrink at once in their last extremity. to build another line. All this goes to show the importance of the Intercolonial in the transportation problem. day and all day long the whole world country. Where the government at Ottawa over with far greater persistence than the war between carnivore and prey. made a mistake was in not securing only those species of plant can survive the Canada Atlantic, by which they in such exposed situations which happen to develop spines, thorns or pricwould have been enabled to do what kles as a means of defense against the the Vanderbilts have in sight, and mouths of hungry and desperate assailwhich the Canadian Pacific have also ants.-Exchange, in sight. Aprarently a great war is on between the Vanderbilt interests and the C. P. R. interests. Whether Let It it will ultimately end in some kind of consolidation, as all these things genally do, we do not know, but the importance of the Intercolonial being held by the State and gradually extended srrikes home with all the more force as new developments come to light.-Globe.



Canton, April 18-The rebels are oc-

A Mystericus Robbery.

been thrown around a robbery which that's all there is to it. occurred in a Fifth Avenve mansion. It is admittel that the burglers made away with more than \$25 000 worth of silver. you feel better-you eat better diamond necklace alone among the lot was a quiet worker. worth a firtune. These in the secret.

worth a fortune. These in our the same of Sent for new Se

wise and the English word 'more.' The sorrowfully thus: "It was the third time I ever playword was thus applicable, I thought,

beth;"

the modern tobacconist, if each smok So it was that another poker maintained in some quar-re is looming up a great a the Vanderbilts and the the vanderbilts and the ing to the class of collegians to whom the winner. The former, it hardly t it is also held that there it is applied. It was first used at the need be said, was Philip and the latno fight at all, for the reason Vanderbilts may secure pos-in its infancy appeared in the form own confessions. Mr. Duckworth in the infancy appeared in the form own confessions. Mr. Duckworth was also in the game, and he told "soph-mor." It was composed of the word 'soph,' a contraction for 'sophis-word 'soph,' a contraction for 'sophis-"It was one of those harmless

and a 50 cent limit, the kind you "The college course extended over three years and one term. The respec-" (can't lose anything at," he said. "No, you can't lose anything at Sir freshmen or first year men, junior Philip, sotto voce. "Sir Philip was full of curiosity," questioners. This nomenclature was said another passenger (he might transferred to the American higher in- have been bitten). "He stuck it stitutions of learning, and in the form out and was the last man to call freshmen, juniors and seniors, still ex- in every hand. even when he had no more than a pair of deuces. He wanted to see what the others had.

He saw." Vegetable Hedgehogs. "But he's not curious any Cactuses are the hedgehogs of the said Sir Philip. vegetable world Their motto is "in. I Sir Philin

in the West Indies I have pushed my is the painter of the picture entitled make them sneeze; partly because it || in keeping with his business, -- if hand for a second into a bit of tangled "The Vampire," which suggested to was cheaper, as the Surrey laborer npetitive campaign. On this theory bush, as the negroes call it, to seize Kipling, who is his first cousin. the still smokes mugweed. Coffee looks very much like rappee, and ladies

the almost invisible and glasslike little (Even as you and I). bellicose disposition on the part of the

cactuses is a tolerably easy one to This painting, which, it has been guess. Fodder is rare in the desert, said, was suggested by a well-known colonial; in fact that was their first The starving herbivores that find them. actress, Sir Burne-Jones said, was selves from time to time belated on the not intended to represent anybody. He said that he had brought his confines of such thirsty regions would selze with avidity upon any succulent paint pot and brush with him, ready to do any work desired of him, flections: The Vanderbilts now have plant which offered them food and but had not made his plans fully who yet. He did not know where he In the ceaseless war between herbishould establish his studio or how vore and plant, which is waged every long he should remain in this

> Do Plants Reason? Francis Darwin, the distinguished with the influenza. Some genius dis-Do plants think and reason? Mr. son of a world-famous father, would almost make us believe they do by the lecture he delivered recently in connection with the British Associa-tion meeting at Glasgow. Through a tion meeting at Glasgow. Through a

ong course of experiments and obprinciple of gathering facts instead skeptical acquire a stuffy cold and servations, conducted on his father's of pursuing theories, Mr. Darwin is give it a copious pinch of strongable to show, by what seems conclusive proof, that plants control, to a handkerchiefs, but the effect is lastcertain extent, their own growth. They adapt themselves to the influnce of gravity by means analogous to the instinctive action of animals.

Man does not walk by a reasoned theory of the adaptation of his limbs Scott's Emulsion is not a theory of the adaptation of his limbs good medicine for fat folks, to the operation of gravity. He walks by instinct, and keeps himself We have never tried giving it from falling by instinctive motions, to a real fat person. We don't of his limbs, tutored by organs of sensation plants, says Mr. Darwin, dare. You see Scott's Emul- grow upwards by similar interaction

organs of sensation and what sion builds new flesh. Fat motion. Moreover, each plant pipe, cigarette or cigar, is largely a matter of means and fashion. So it people don't want it. Strong interprets correctly the condi-people don't need it. Strong and thrive. If you turn the tip of a stem downwards the plant will hend

stem downwards, the plant will bend But if you are thin Scott's it upwards. Have we here any in-dication of qualities which in man sieging Nan-Ning and it is reported that Emulsion is the medicine for are called mental? asks Mr. Darwin. the place bas already fallen. The tele-graph wires beyond Wu Chow (hotman) you. It doesn't tire you out. Have plants memory and desire? To that tremendous question Mr. Dargraph wires beyond Wu-Chow (between There is no strain. The work win is not yet prepared with a full answer. But he inclines to the beis all natural and easy. You lief that mind and life are ever im-

New York, April 19-Great mystery has just take the medicine and plicated the one with the other. What life is we are no nearer knowing than plicated the one with the other. What before. Nor what death is. what is the purpose of change of in. The next thing you know dividuals from so-called life to socalled death, allied with constant with more than \$25 000 worth of silver. ware and gems. Other reports say that a \_\_\_\_\_\_and you weigh more. It is plants have mind and desire, it is a \_\_\_\_\_\_of snuff. But the snuff-taker knows

strange thought that the garden rose- not what it is to lose his dearest tree, tortured by prunings, cuttings, pipe or suffer tortures over the bad and tyings may be sighing with en-

Canada

absorbed by the First Gentleman of Europe. The true snuff-taker was faithful to his one love. When cigars you wished to make a man your en emy for life, the best way was to smoke a cigar while he was taking snuff or filling his box. A modern parallel would be to smake a pipe of shag at a public dinner. Snuff-taking was comparatively economical. The ordinary man consumed some two ounces a week-cost about 71d. The smoker whose tobacco costs not more is an economical man. course, there were hardened sinners, who bought their snuff by the halfdozen pounds, and luxuriated in its dry delights. There were also gentlemen (of the lower orders) who contented themselves with carrying coffee. Partly, like Mr. John Smauker

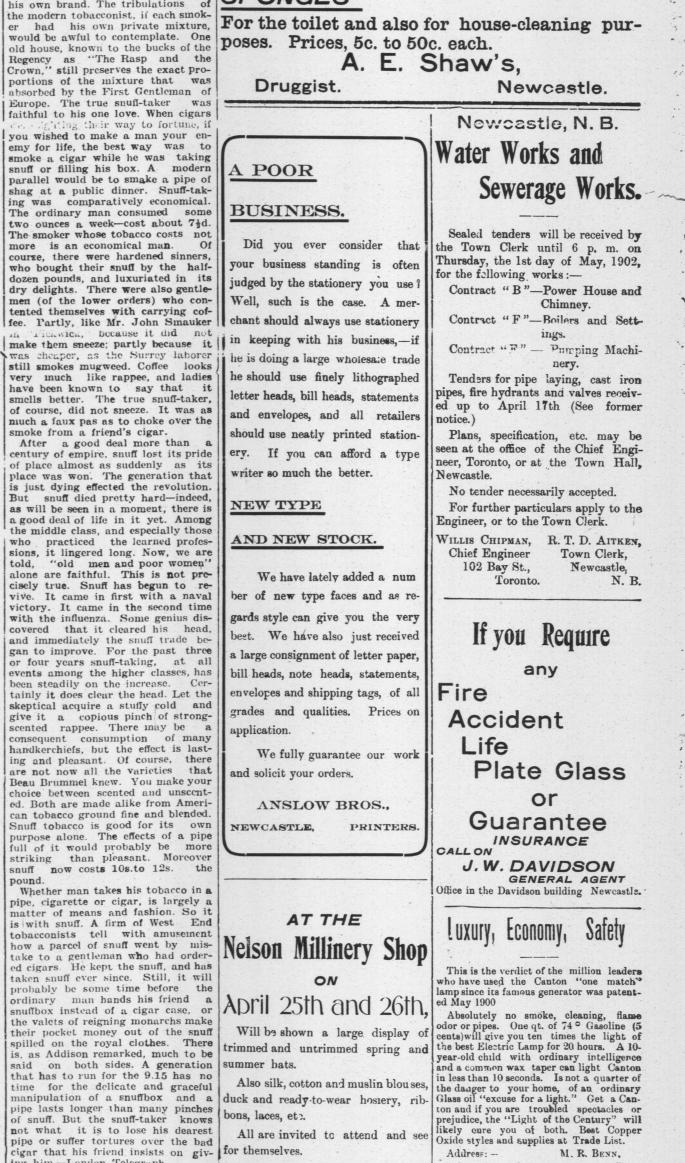
his own brand. The tribulations

Fichwick, because it did not very much like rappee, and ladies much a faux pas as to choke over the smoke from a friend's cigar. After a good deal more than century of empire, snuff lost its pride of place almost as suddenly as its writer so much the better. place was won. The generation that is just dying effected the revolution. But snuff died pretty hard-indeed, NEW TYPE as will be seen in a moment, there is a good deal of life in it yet. Among the middle class, and especially those AND NEW STOCK. practiced the learned professions, it lingered long. Now, we are told, "old men and poor women" alone are faithful. This is not precisely true. Snuff has begun to revive. It came in first with a naval victory. It came in the second time covered that it cleared his head, and immediately the snuff trade be been steadily on the increase. Certainly it does clear the head. Let the scented rappee. There may be a application. consequent consumption of many ing and pleasant. Of course, there are not now all the varieties that Beau Brummel knew. You make your and solicit your orders. can tobacco ground fine and blended. Snuff tobacco is good for its own NEWCASTLE. purpose alone. The effects of a pipe full of it would probably be more striking than pleasant. Moreover snuff now costs 10s.to 12s. the

AT THE take to a gentleman who had order-ed cigars. He kept the snuff, and has taken snuff ever view. Still taken snuff ever since. Still, it will probably be some time before ordinary man hands his friend a snuffbox instead of a cigar case, or April 25th and 26th the valets of reigning monarchs make Will be shown a large display their pocket money out of the snuff spilled on the royal clothes. There trimmed and untrimmed spring and is. as Addison remarked, much to be said on both sides. A generation that has to run for the 9.15 has no pipe lasts longer than many pinches

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