HER DEATH WAS HOURLY EXPECTED

Enterprise, Ont., Oct. 1st, 1908.
"For seven years I suffered with what
physicians called a "Water Tumor." I could neither sit, stand, nor lie down.
Hypodermics of morphia had to be
given me to ease the pain.



MRS. JAMES FENWICK

My cure seemed hopeless, and my friends hourly expected my death. I was so bad that I wanted to die, and it was during one of these very bad spells that a family friend brought a box of "Fruit-a-tives" to the house. After much persuation I commenced to take them, but I was so bad that it was only when I had taken nearly two boxes that I commenced to experience relief. I kept up the treatment, however, and after taking five boxes I was cured, and when I appeared on the street my friends said. The dead has come to life, and this seemed literally true, because I certainly was at death's door."

(Signed) MRS. JAMES FENWICK.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold by all dealers at 50c a box—6 for \$2.50, or trial box, 25c, or sent post-paid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

MANAGER COWANS AND SALES AGENT DICK COM-MITTED FOR CONSPIRACY

General Manager, J. R. Cowans of the Cumberland Coal and Railway Company and General Sales Agent Alex Dick of the Dominion Coal Company were put on trial in the supreme court at Halifax, Monday by Stipendiary Magistrate Field,ng. The charge is that they did among themselves conspire, combine, confederate, agree and arrange together to unduly limit the facilities for producing and supplyin coal in the province of Nova Scotia, coal being an article or commodity which may be a subject of trade or commerce and to unduly prevent or lessen competition in the production and sale of coal in the province of Nova Scotia and to unreasonably enhance the price thereof in and continue in succeeding years to do the same. The magistrate then put the defendants on trial and fixed the bail at \$1,000 each with one surety for \$1,000. The defendants each went bail for the other. His Honor intimated that the application to have the defendants sent up on other charges was not granted, the reasons being stated in his review.

An attack of the grip is often followed by a persistent cough, which to many proves a great annovance Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been extensively used and with good success for the relief and cure of this Many cases have been cured after all other remedies had failed Sold by all dealers.

PORK IS STILL ADVANCING.

Chicago, Feb. 14.-The widespread movement against the high price of Ivy, ivy! nay, it shall not be, I wis; meat has failed to check the advance Let holly have the mastery as the meat has failed to check the advance in prices of hogs. Live hogs at the stock yards here sold today at the highest mark, with one exception, in the last forty years. The new high point recorded today was \$9.27 1-2 per hundred pounds and predictions were made that in a few weeks the \$18 level will have been passed. Simultaneously the price of hog products also made marked advances. Pork for May delivery sold today at \$ 3.65 per bbl. This is the highest price since the civil war, except in 1887.

Stomach's Sake

You should keep Mother Seigel's Syrup by you. It soothes and strengthens, cures wind, pain, cramps, colic and all forms of indigestion.

Take Mother

HOLIDAYS AT SANDRINGHAM.

Christmas Observed In Good Old-Fashioned Way-Servants' Ball.

At Sandringham, where England's royal family spends the holidays, simplicity is the keynote of the Christmas celebration. The party assembles a day or two before Christmas and one of the most interesting functions takes place on the afternoon of Christmas eve, when the Queen, accompanied by Princess Victoria, the Princess of Wales and the other ladies staying in the house, distributes gifts of beef, coal and warm clothing to the laborers on the royal estate. All the meat given away is bred by King Edward himself, either at Sandringham or Windsor.

Christmas eve is monopolized by the children of the Prince and Princess of Wales, who insist upon having games in which all must join. A feature of the evening is the burning of the great Yule log in the inner hall.

Christmas morning finds the royal party assembled in the pretty little Church of St. Mary. The hymnsused during the service are all selected by Queen Alexandra and comprise most of the favorite Christmas tunes. Unless the weather is very unfavorable the King and Queen walk across the park to the church with other members of the house party, but if the weather is too wet they drive in a

simple closed carriage.

Lunch is served on Christmas day
a little earlier than usual, and the afternoon is given up to rest and quiet, with afternoon tea in the white drawing room. Dinner is also early, so that the children may be able to enjoy themselves afterward.

As soon as the meal is finished the doors of the ballroom are thrown open, and there is the Christmas tree in all its glory twinkling with hundreds of tiny electric lamps. Upon it are placed any number of presents for every member of the house party and for the higher court officials who are invited to join the royal circle. These are taken from the tree by the Princess of Wales, Princess Victoria and Hon. Charlotte Knollys and hand-

ed to the Queen, who bestows them personally upon the recipients.

The games that take place afterward are of the old-fashioned description, and every one present enters into them with great zest. About half past nine the children go off to bed and the elders settle down to quiet conversation, for bridge is taboo on

Christmas night. Boxing day is given up to shooting by male members of the party and in the evening there is a servants' ball. Both the King and Queen are very thoughtful of those who serve, and the domestics at Sandringham down to the kitchen maids find tangible proof of their royal master's approval awaiting them at Christmas.

A Queer Story From London. name of John Coombe and saying he was an American took a room in the house of W. Medland, a Government employe in Kew Gardens, London, He appeared to be about 50 years old and was apparently in poor circumstances. His habits were mysterious. He never

A month ago he was taken ill and removed to a hospital, where he died after an operation. His clothing, as is customary, was returned to Medland, who was apparently the only friend the dead man had.

Some days ago Mrs. Medland was discussing with her niece, Mrs. Sholl, the question of the disposal of John Coombe's clothing. They were gathering the garments into a parcel, when Mrs. Sholl, noticing a pad in the lining of a waistcoat, tore it open. The en were indescribably surprised to find that the pad consisted of several

Thoroughly searching the rest of the clothing they found many American and English notes in the padding of the shoulders and the lining of collars. In an old belt were hidden valuable documents concerning real estate in

The total money found was well eve \$5,000. Letters discovered showed that some time ago Coombe worked his own farm of eighty acres. His son is/still in possession of this farm, but it is evident that father and son did not correspond, they having been on bad terms for several years. An inventory of Coombe's posses-

sions was prepared and forwarded to

Christmas Joy.

Ivy enjoyed popularity for many years as a Christmas evergreen, then people took an inexplicable dislike

Holly stood in the hall fair to behold. Ivy stood without the door, she is full runs an old carol of the Sixth Henry.

and it seems to typify the feeling which people held towards the clinging emblem of friendship. There was a curious custom anen the ivy observed until comparatively recent years at Lanton, in Oxford shire. A maidservant would command man to fetch ivy for decoration of the house. If he neglected to bring within a certain time she would take his clothes and nail them to an outer fence for all passers-by to see. What was the origin of this, or ex-

Marriage at Sea.

actly what it meant, nobody can say.

A romantic marriage took place at sea recently, when Capt. J. W. Winter, of the British steamer Stowford, was married off Algiers. He had arranged to meet his fiancee, Miss Mary Eliza Duncan, a sister of the first officer, to be married at Algiers, but he vessel was suddenly ordered to Valparaiso. There was no time for the ceremony on land, so the English chaplain, Rev. A. P. Brownyn, the act ing consul, and Mrs. Graham sailed out in the Stowford. The ceremony was performed five miles out at sea.

Modus Vivendi.

The term modus vivendi is a mutual

ADVANCE STYLES.

Short Coats For Spring Wear—Abbreviated Skirts.

Short coats are destined to have a vogue after Easter, and even now l'aris is wearing them. The old Eton effect is said to be a coming fashion. The woman who is making a new

frock may go safely ahead on a short skirt, provided she has one or several long ones that serve for occasions that demand them. It is not a season when a gown can have written all over it "Multum in parvo." Each costume stands by itself.

Collars to be worn with tallored blouses are fitted close and high at the



sides and back, curving down to a comfortable line under the chin. Upon the proper fitting and shaping of the collar will depend much of the smartness of the blouse.

Aquamarine is a semi-precious stone that is just now very high in fashion's favor, and it is utilized with artistic results in a variety of ornaments. Persian silks are rising in value be-

cause of their two colored effect, making it possible to wear one blouse with two different suits. The skirt that is made in sections or to give a panel effect is a favorite this season. This model is simple, yet very graceful. The skirt is in walking length and consequently adapted to

the street and simple indoor gown.

JUDIC CHOLLET. This May Manton pattern is cut in Send 10 cents to this office, giving num ber, 6544, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail. If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage, which insures more prompt de-

SIDE LIGHTS ON STYLE.

Charming Are Artificial Bouquets Worn on Winter Suits.

Winter is not winter when orchids bloom on coat fronts and camellias match their whiteness with snowflakes. The practice of wearing artificial bouquets is such a dressy one that it is hoped it will continue much longer. A single orchid wilth sprays of maidenhair fern goes nicely with a purple or wine toned street suit.

The pique and heavy mannish gloves are much in demand this season for street wear with tailored gowns. Pique is always in good taste, and it is a serviceable choice. For those who prefer chamois all the year round there are extremely soft but thick gloves in

A word from Paris tells us that the latest idea in the modes is raven's wing blue. The invisible blues and greens shading black are a close sec-

Bows on shoes are more in evidence than ever before. In fact, there are bows and bows and bows this season. Skirts that give long lines at front and back are generally becoming.



AN EIGHT GORED SKIRT. This one includes that feature and also the panel effect at the sides that is so smart for tailored skirts. The model is in eight gores. The side panels are made in sections and are lapped over the narrow center gores to form plaits. which provide a becoming flare at the feet, while perfect slenderness at the

JUDIC CHOLLET.

arrangement whereby persons not at the time being on friendly terms can be induced to live together in harmony. The term may be applied to individuals, to societies or to peoples.

This May Manten pattern is cut in sizes from 22 to 22 inches waist measure. Send to cents to this office, giving number, 6552, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail. If in haste send an additional





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