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### TRUE WITNESS AND CATHOLIC CHRONICLE. TH

# GO IT, MACBETH.

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" My name's Macheth, I'm out of breath, In haste to lecture you, With fire and smoke, I'll squerze the yoke Upon the Papish crew. Upon the rapid crew. Home Rule with me does not agree, To you I plainly tell. On it I frown, I'll put it down, And disappoint Parnell.

And with my twine I'll hang O'Brien, And with my twine I'll hang O'Brier Then take my hangman's roye, Across the eea, to Italie. And there I'll hang the Pope. When that is done, the battle's won, You Orangemen can smile, But yet I fear there's danger near, That threatens Erin's Isle.

Let us begin and hang those men. Those Home Rule advocates We'll choke to death and stop their breath. Or drive them to the States. Let every man rush to the van, Let no man stay behind ; Well have great fun. to see them run, Like chaff before the wind.

My power is great, I'll vind cate He who represents the Crown, And Home Rule yet I will upset, And glerify Lansdowne. He and Trenche can beat the French, And hang the Irish poor, And make a raid with his br gade Upon a cabin door.

My dear Lansdowne, confined to town, My dear Lansdowne, conneed to town, Well guarded there by men, You can't expose your Lordship's nose, You keep it snug within . This take you home, across the foam, Where you will be content, With your police the poor to fleece And gobble up your rent.

God help you, then, poor Kerry men, When Lansdowne comes in sight; His cloven hoof will smash your roof And drive you out at night!" "See here, Macbeth, just hold your breath, You're talking very fast. You're talking very tast, Till I provide a place to hide From your infernal blast.

But mind your eye, when you come nigh,

The land of liberty, To roar and bawl in Alontreal,

Where Ir shmen are free. You'll get the groans and cobble stones,

To send you back, and then

Across the main, if you're not slain. And Parneil's sure to win !'

MEBICANO SOLDHOW,

## THE HOUSEHOLD.

# HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

Salt and water cleans willow furniture. For diarrhoea use boiled milk and castor oil, also brandy and raw eggs.

Butter and lard should be kept in earthen or stone ware, and kept in a cool place. Charcoal ground to powder will be found to be

a very good thing for polishing knives. A bonnet and trimming may be worn a much longer time if the aust be brushed well off after

walking. face in warm water. Claret stains, shou'd, while we', have dry salt spread upon them, and afterwards dipped into boiling water

New tins should be set over the fire with boiling water in them for several hours before food is put into them.

A little borax added to the water in which scarlet napkins and red-bordered towels are washed will prevent them fading.

Plaster busts may be cleaned by dipping them into thick, liquid cold starch-clear starch mixed with cold water-and brushing them dry.

A pirce of zinc placed ou the live coals in a hot stove will effectually clean out a stovepipe, the vapors produced carrying off the soot by chemical decomposition.

Tea stains are very difficult to get out if ne glected. They should be soaked in mitk or warm water as soon as possible, and then soaped and rubbed out. The next washing will efface them wholly.

# FOR THE POST.] PASCAL TRANCHEMONTAGNE.

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INSECTS THAT FEED ON STEEL

RAILS.

The existence has just been discovered of a detestable microbe which feeds up n iron with

as much gluttony as the phylloxera upon the

vine. Some time ago the greatest construction existed among the engineers employed on the

railways at Hagen by the accidents occurring always at the same place, proving that some terrible defect must exist either in the ma-terial or the construction of the rails. The

German Government directed an inquiry to be made and a commission of surveillance to be

formed for the purpose of maintaining constant watch at the spot where the accidents—one of

watch at the spot where the accidents—one of them attended with the loss of life—had occurred. It was not, however, until after six months had elspeed that the surface of the rails appeared to be corcoded, as if by acid, to the extent of 100 yards. The rail was takken up and broken, and was literally hollowed out by a thin grey worm, to which the qualification of "railover-ous" was assigned, and by which name it is to be known in natural history. The worm is said to be two centimetres in larget and of the

said to be two centimetres in length and of the

size of the prong of a silver fork in circumfer-ence. It is of a light gray color, and on the head carries two little glands filled with a cor

rosive secretion, which is ejected every ten minutes upon the iron. This renders the iron

induces upon the fron. This renders the fron folt and spongy, and of the color of rust, and it is then greedly devoured by the insect. "There is no exaggeration," says the official report of the commission, "in the assertion that this creature, for its kind, is one of the most vorucious kind, for it has devoured thirty-six kilogrammes of rail in a fortnight."—Colegne Gazette.

A POLITE NEW YORK BANK CASHIER.

A despatch was received that ticket No. 50,255 had drawn the \$150,000 prize in the August drawing of The Louisiana State Lottery Company, on the 9th inst, at New Orleans, and

that one-tenth of the ticket, representing \$15,000 to the lucky holder, had been collected

through the National Park bank of this city. A News reporter asked Assistant Cashier De Baun and he had the books examined and re-plied that the tenth part of ticket 50,255, which

drew the \$150,000, had been received by them from Crane's Bank at Hornellsville, N. Y.-

TAKE CARE OF YOUR EYES.

Keep a shade on your lamp or gas burner.

Avoid all sudden changes between light and

Never read by twilight, moonlight, or on

Never read or sew directly in front of the

It is best to let the light fall from above obliquely over the left shoulder.

Do not use the eyesight by light so scant that

Never sleep so that on first awakening the

Never begin to read, write or sew for several minutes after coming from darkness to

The moment you are instinctively prompted

to rub your eyes, that moment stop using

HAVE YOU TRIED IT.

be known to all who have not used it.

If so you can testify to its marvellous powers

HOW SHE KEEPS HER WAIST DOWN.

it requires an effort to discriminate.

eyes shall open on the light of a window.

New York Daily News, Aug. 30.

Gazette.

darkness.

light.

them.

cloudy days.

light of windor or door.

I'm stivadore on de winter, I work de Bivver Line, (In summer time I'm do nawting, I'm wan de man dats sign.

I pass de lomber on de ship, My gang work ver har, We den put on de "hole" some chiss, Some botter an' some lar.

Wan day wen I be on de "hole" I come ver near be ded-Tree bar pig iron out de sling Pass on de bodoy by de "bed."

Day pick me up and make tel'sraff, Waggin wit bell it's come; De doctor put me on "young bed" And give neglass Jam-ay-kay rum.

Dey run off quick de hospital, Mabbey dats dang'ers case; Dey put me on big stone sidewalk, I'm tink dats be strange place.

I'm eat gas-hose for make it slip, She fill same on big spree ; Dats fill jus' like I'm get toot puil, Or wen I'm drink moch white whiskee.

De doctor tell-You'll allright now, Dats jus' your back's be break ; Ycu soon be on your work encore, Dats onla small time take.

My weff he's cry like small young boy Wens come de hospital, He's ax it wat he's make it wear Wens go my funeral.

I tell my weff jus' dis like dat— l'm not so dead you say; Dats be my fault, you know yourself— Mon Dieu ! doan cry dat way !

I call my weff near on my side For tell him bring some wan, Dats play de "musick" ver well On de acordion.

De ver nex day he bring one fren Her mame dats Paul Devienne ; She'll bring de box wit it, and Play-"Vive la Canadienne.

So soon I'm out and dats be well, I make it ope small store, For sell cigars, tabac, sprace beer-All tings like dat and plenty more.

Flora's make plenty beesness quick, He's be so smart fine wan ; I'm tell you dis. I love ver much Flora-my black and tan.

Pert quick, mabbey, we come very rich. And go on des Etats-Dats for to make it little trip,

And see my Brodder-law. -XAVIER DUBOIS.

## BRITISH LANDOCRACY.

THE MEN WHO MONOPOLIZE THE LAND.

If the eyelids are glued together on waking up do not forcibly open them, but apply saliva with the finger; it is the speedlet diluting in the world; then wash your eyes and It is a striking fact that one-half of the land in the United Kingdom-England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales-is held by J.12,000 part of the population; that is to say, 2,238 individuals out of a populatica of 30,000,000 memopolize 40,000,000 acres, which comprise the territory of the islands. It is still recent the territory of 40,000,000 acres, which comprise the territory of the islands. It is still more startling that more than one-eighth of the territory, comprising 9,300,000 acres, is held by forty-four per-sons, not one of whom own less than 100,-000 acres. And two-Lord Middleton and the Duke of Sutherland-possess over 1,000,-000 acres each. In the House of Lords the property interest is, of course, paramount, upwards of 400 out of the 500 acres. In the House of Commons there are about 200 proprie-tors owning upwards of 2,000,000 acres, besides more than sixty sons and heirs of land-holding peers. Taking both Houses of Parliament, the land-owning interest is far in excess of others, of healing and recommend it to your friends. We refer to Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strswbarry, the grand specific for all summer com-plaints, diarrhos, cholera morbus, dysentery, cramps, colic, sickness of the stomach and bowel complaints of infants or adults. Let its merits A writer in the London Lady gives the fol-lowing simple plan by which all the evils of wearing corsets may be done away with, while all the comfort in the way of warmth and support remain: I can with confidence land-owning interest is far in excess of others, owning a quarter of all the land in the United Kingdom. Can it be expected that they will pass any law interfering with their own land laws? Until this evil law of primogeniture hell have been down even with these poil all To test jelly drop a little into cold water or on a cold plate, stirring it for a few seconds. If it concludes it is dome. The best jelly only re-quires five minutes boiling. In ironing, have a piece of sandpaper, such as corpeters use, lying on the table handy, it re-feelly with only a rub or two across it.

HOW OLEOPATRA KILLED HERSELF.

HOW CLEOPATRA KILLED HERSELF. Dr. Viaud Grand Marias, in a curious pamphlet on the Egyptian Queen, discusses at some length her experience on slaves, prisoners and persons condemned to death. Quoting from Plutarch, he shows how she acquired the cer-titude that the bite of the asp effected a calm and painless death. But here the wortby doctor's reasoning begins. How, he asks, did the asp escape, and how did the two attendants of the queen die? Nob:dy saw the serpent afterward, and we have the spectacle of a closed room, of two women inanimate, and of one languidly raising her head to answer with dying feebleness the women inanimate, and of one languidly raising her head to answer with dying feebleness the messenger of Crear. All this, according to the doctor, shows that charcoal had been resorted to; for Cleopatra, who was a clever woman, had studied every possible means of bringing about d-ath. M. Malpero, the well known Egypto-logist, to whom the recent researches of which Barou Larrey made fun have been communi-cated, doubts the existence of the great Nile Queen, as there are no monuments or hiero-Queen, as there are no monuments or hieroglyphs relating to her.-London Daily Tele-

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If a you can testify to its marvellous powers f healing and recommend it to your friends. We refer to Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the grand specific for all summer complaints, diarrhœa, cholera morbus, dysen-tery, crampa, colic, sickness of the stomach and bowel complaints of infants or adults. Let its merits be known to all who have not used it. .

> A WORD TO THE BOYS. [By Dr. Holland.]

If we are to have drunkards in the future some of them are to come from the boys to whom I am writing; and I ask you again if you want to be one of them? No, of course you don't! I know you dont't drink now and you don't! I know you dont't drink now and it seems to you as if you never would. But your temptation will come, and probably it will come in this way. You will find your-

It will come in this way. You will find your-self, some time, with a number of companions, and they will have a bottle of wine on the table. They will drink and offer it to you. They will regard it as a manly practice, and very likely they will look upon you as a milksop if you don't indulge with them. Then what will you do? eh, what will you do? Will you say: "No, no! None of that stulf for me. I know a trick worth half a dozen of that!" or will you take the glass with your own common sense protesting and your com-

own common sense protesting and your con-science making the whole draught bitter, and a feeling that you have damaged yourself, and then go off with a hot head and a skulking soul that at once begins to make apologies for itself, and will keep doing so all your life? Boys, do not become drunkards.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE. NERVOUS PROSTRATION AND WEAKNESS OF THE

ALIMENTABY CANAL. Dr. E. M. GAVITT, Toledo, O., says : "It is

a valuable remedy in nervous prostration and weakness of the alimentary canal."

# THE SCOTT ACT REPEAL. A THIRD PARTY TO BE FORMED TO RESIST THE MOVEMENT.

TORONTO, Sept. 14.—The Scott act conven-tion closed this afternoon. Arrangements were made for a campaign against the repeal move-

ment and all temperance people are called upon to assist the assailed counties. A vigorous pro-test will be made in the Dominion Government against the repeal vote in the Dominion Government which the Scott act has not been in force for the full period of three years. A supplementary campaign fund will be reated to render assistance to local or ganizations where a repeal voto is pending. A central committee consisting of Mayor Howland, J. J. McLaren, Q.C., Rev. Dr. Shaw, Rev. John Smith, F. S. Spence, Rev. Dr. Griffin, Chas. Raymon and M. O'Hara was appointed to com-trol the campaign fund. trol the campaign fund. A lecture hureau con-sisting of F. S. Spence, Rev. John Smith, J. T. Moore, Toronto; Dr. Youmans, St. Catherines, and Rev. D. L. Brethour, Brantford, was also formed. Several hours were spent in discussing the formation of a prohibition party, and the following resolution, moved by Rav. Dr. Suther-

ground of hope that prohibition will be made a plank in either platform in the near future, if 100,000 at all; and whereas, as there is no distant issue of principle between the existing parties which 00,000 02,000 renders their continued existence either neces-sary or important; therefore, be it resolved that 03.000 05,000 this convention is of opinion that the present 05.000 juncture is peculiarly favorable to the organiza-09,000 tion of a new party, with prohibition as a chief 09,000 plank in its platform. 10,000

COURTSHIP IN FRANCE.

patent of respectability in all stations, in all professions. The young man is spoken to and, of course, the girl named to him. A party is given, and they meet. Then the girl, supposed to be in entire ignorance up to this point, is asked how she should like so and so for her husband. Then the mamma of the bride-groom comes one evening when the house has been set in order, and everybody dressed in his best. And alter the first saluta-tion she rises, and in a solernn voice asks the hand of Mile. Estells for M. Achille. Then the mamma on the opposite side of the house accepts the offer. Estelle weeps and throws herself into her future mamma's arms, while the son-in-law embraces the mother of his in-tended. The papas shake hands : the betrothed lovers, relieved from the maternal arms, mutuallovers, relieved from the maternal arms, mutual-ly bow to each other, and the servants bring in

tea. The bridegroom comes every evening with a grand boquet, which he offers to made-moiselle, flirts an hour or two with the mother, bows to the daughter and gors off.

The bride elect has only to embroider quietly by her mother's side, to smile, to blush and simper. The negotiating lady comes in grand state, preceded by an enormous trunk (mamma and the bride receive her-never, of course, heeding the trunk), and present the bride with a corbeille-namely, the wedding dress, veil and wreath, two or three Cashmere shawls, ditte velve t dreeses, a set of furs, a set of lace flounces, a set of diamonds, a watch, a fan, a prayer book and a purse of gold. These come from the bridgroom. In return the lady gets a bracelet from the bride, with many thanks for the presents and the husband. At last comes the signing of the contract. The bride takes one step into the world—she receives her visitors, and speaks, nay, converses with all except the intended --that would be improper. She gives tokens of her affection to her unmarried relatives, bought from the purse in the corbcille. relatives, bought from the purse in the corbeille. The wonders of this corbeille are displayed in one room, while the troussean of the bride, given by the mother, is exhibited in another. Embroidery, linen, cambric, laces, &c., are here lavished on the personal clothing of the bride, made up in dozens and dozens of each article, with piles upon piles of table cloths, sheets, towels, &c., all marked with embroidered marks and tied with pink and blue ribbons. Then comes the civil coremony, and two days Then comes the civil ceremony, and two days atter the last scene of all, at which we have assisted, in the Church of St. Sulpice.—London Exchange.

VOLUMES OF BOMBAST have been published about the multifarious and irreconcilable effects of many proprietary remedies. The proprietors of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery content themselves with facts susceptible of proof. They state their Purifier to be what it has proved itself to be, an eradicator of Dys-pepsia, Constipation, Liver and Kidney troubles, and a fino general alterative.

### DEFECTIVE SPEECH.

On this subject we give the leading points of a clinical lecture reported in the London

and the muscles of the palate in an unnatural way. Hence after the closure of the cleft by an operation, an impediment remains, because the patient is still controlled by his previous habits. He will need, therefore, systematic training for months or years, to acquire right habits in the case. One prime requisite is that he lix his entire attention on his teacher, and slowly imitate him as the latter strongly pronounces the difficult words, making every movement of his lips and tongue as plain as possible. The palate may be so highly arched that the child's speech is not much better than that of the former case. But the soft part of the palate can be lowered by an operation, and the speech greatly improved by training. following resolution, moved by Rav. Dr. Suther-land, was carried. "Whereas, the experience of thirty years in Great Britain, the United States and Canada shows that no advanced temperance legislation need be expected from the existing political parties as such; and whereas, the public utter-ances of party leaders in the Dominion afford no for the suback states and canada part of the intellectual powers. In other cases the mental powers gener-In other cases the mental powers gener-ally may be good, and the child be indeed specially bright, but, for some cerebral reason, he lisps badly, or finds it difficult to pronounce the letters s or *l*, or he speaks in a to pronounce the letters s or n, or he speaks in a babyish way. Such patients will generally over-come the difficulty in time. Sometimes the voice is "stuffy," especially in endeavoring to utter m, n, or ny. The word morning sounds like bordig. This is due to growth in the nose, or back month. On the removal of these by a surgical operation, the voice recovers its normal character. Enlarged tonsils sometimes cause omewhat similar difficulty. Another defect somewhat similar difficulty. Another defect is stammering. Usually the person has a nervous constitution, and has been subjected to some pervous strain, generally at school. In such cases, all disturbing causes should be removed, and the nervous system invigorated as far as possible. But the stammerer must be taught to a personal the diffuents causes in initiative the speak with deliberate enunciation, imitating the teacher in the utterance of all difficult words, and especially filling the longs well at every

IN MEMORIAM. HENRY CRILLY, J. P. 3

No lingering in the valley. No waiting by the shore ; His feet scarce touched the water, When his soul was wafted o'er,

He fell asleep so gently After his last "Good night,"

Believe his spirit fied, And thought that smile so saintly Belonged not to the dead.

But the brave, brave heart was silent, His good life's work was o'er, And the firm right hand and helper Had gone for ever more.

The echo of his footsteps Had hardly ceased to fall, And words were left half uttered When summoned by the call.

His Father and his God; And left a sorrowing household To bow beneath the rod.

A perfect bliesful day, When all the clouds of sorrow

DR. O'READY.

ALONE IN AN OFFICE WITH A BOX OF GOLD AND A THIEF IN A COFFIN.

"Not long ago," said a gentleman recently in conversation with a reporter, "I not a most singular and daring woman in a little town in the West. She was a telegraph operator, and a twery good one, too. Though fifty years old, she was still fresh andfull of vigor. Her piercing black eves, closely shut lips and fine gray hair, brushed back from a low brow, bespoke very while to achieve her with plainly to a close observer that this woman at least was not one of the kind that shricks and

faints away in emergency. "She related to me au adventure she had with a robber in her early days, which, connected with a strange freak of the telegraphic instru-

ment, is worth rolating. "'In my early days,' she said, 'a number of years ago I was the railroad operator in a little Western town in an entirely new and unsettled county. It was during the gold excitement and people were coming and going all the time. It was he were the performance of the said was no uncommen occurrence for a box of gold to be sent by express, and the greatest diligence and care were required on the part of the train-mon to see that they were not robbed of their precious burden. "One afternoon an express train arrived and

"One atternion an express train arrived and left at the station in my care a box of money, the amount I do not remember. Inster in the day a rough box containing the body of a man who had been killed was landed on the platform, and it was found could not be removed until the next day. Well, both boxes were carried in, and I must confess that it was not very pleasant to clean with a colden treasure on one side and and I must contest that it was not very pleasant to shop with a golden treasure on one side and a lifeless body on the other. There was no remedy, however, and I had to put up with the arrangement. As the money had been forward-ed very quietly I felt confident that no one knew anything about it, and so was not troubled with any actions a number of the solution.

"The night proved to be very dark and it began to tain. I had been lying awake for seme time watching the bright scintillations of the lightning from the wires, when clearly and distinctly across the line came the startling message :-- 'Watch that box, watch that box.' I sprang up at once and tried to find out from whom the message came. I telegraphed to a number of points, but no one knew anything about it. Finally I came to the conclusion I had been dreaming, and retired. I had scarcely got into bed when the strange message was heard again. This time it was more distinct, Watch that box, watch that box.

"At once I got up and pulled out a heavy Colt's revolver that had been rusting in the

No long or dreaded terrors, Clouded his heavenly sight;

That loving friends could scarcely

His soul had sought its Maker,

Oh! think what blissful vision Burst o'er the fa ling sight, As closing here his eyelids In the dark and dreary night,

They met a glorious morning, Had fled, yes, fled for aye.

# AN OPERATOR'S ADVENTURE.

Salt is preservative in its nature. If too much of it is used in cooking food, it wars against the juices of the stomach, and thus retards digestion, and will in time derange the digettive organs. It is best to use it in small quan-

t ties. To take creases out of drawing paper or engravings, lay the paper or engraving face downward on a sheet of smooth payer, unsized white paper, cover it with another sheet of the same very slightly damp, and iron with a moderately warm fistiron.

### A FEW CONVENIENCES.

Have some small pieces of board, either round or square, covered with enamel cloth or oil-cloth, to set under pots and kettles when they ars taken from the stove. Every woman knows what a black, ugly mark these utensils make wherever they are set, and usually the sink is used for this purpose, to save the cleaning of table or leaf after them. A few of these boards hung near the stove will be found very con-venient for this purpose. When the dripping pan comes out of the oven it is sure to smut whatever it touches. A square board like the shows hind will come in years handy, here above kind will come in very handy here. These boards can be washed off very easily and will last a long time, thereby saving the housewife a great deal of unnecessary work.

A small box tacked to the wall in some corner where it will be easy of access, into which is deposited all the small clippings from the family sewing that would otherwise be thrown into the rag bag will be found of no little assistance. In cooking you spill something on the floor. It ing you spill something on the floor. It is only a little spot and you don't want to run out atter the wash-cloth for that. Take a scrap from the box. clean the spot and throw the scrap in the fire. Your knives have all been cleaned and the board put away, when you find one you had forgotten. You don't want to bring out the board for that, and you don't want to put it away as it is. A scrap from the box and a little ashes from the hearth clean it wirely another scrap minerit due the hearth nicely ; another scrap wipes it dry ; the knife is put away clean, the scraps burned, and you are satisfied. The baby puts his greasy fingers on your clean paint, or Johnny writes his name on it. A scrap from the box dampened and soaked obliterates all, and the paint is as clean as before. The uses that the contents of a box of this kind can be put to are innumerable, and if once given a trial you will never be without

All people are more or less forgetful, and the best of housewives cometimes forgets to order from the store something that she should. The wakes up with the croup, or some on else twelve o'clock at night and not a bit of mustard in the house. She has to either wake up a neigh-bor and borrow some, or use something not near as good in its place, until morning. A memo-Then have one in the kitchen. A child's slate, such as used in the kitchen. A child's slate, such as used in the schools, is just the thing. Have the pencil on a string attached securely to it. When out of any article, or when nearly out, of something in summary use the interval out, of something in common use, write is down immediately, and you will save yourself and amily a great deal of discomfiture and anxiety.

please you.

method of lacing, while it gives at every breat don't suppose one is always exactly the same s and why bandage tightly one's body when would not even treat a limb in the same w I also think that when the body is allow to expand it also contracts as naturally; by pinched it is sure to avenge itself later by coming more shapeless or getting thicker. my plan were resorted to I am sure better fig in middle life would be the result, and, in case of young matrons, better health to next generation. I will finish by saying people who suffer faintness, or who have to down during the day, will fully appreciate comfort of lacing with narrow elastic.

## IN BRIEF, AND TO THE POINT.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered live nisery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature. The human digestive apparatus is one of most complicated and wonderful things in energy. It is easily put out of order. Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, Cokery, mental worry, late hours, irreg habits, and many other things which ought to be, have made the American people a na

of dyspeptics. But Green's August Flowers has don wonderful work in reforming this sad busi and making the American people so hea that they can enjoy their meals and be happ Remember :-- No happiness without hes But Green's August Flower brings health happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your drug for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

# MY LAST ERRAND FOR MY FATH

Boys, I have a little story to tell you, the Boys, I have a little story to tell you, the old doctor said to the young people the other even-ing. One day, a long, hot day it had been, I met my father on the road to town. "I wish you would take this package to the village for me, James," he said. Now, I was a boy of twelve, not over fond of work, and just out of the hayfield, where I had been at work since daybreak. I was tired, dusty and hungry. I wanted to get my supper and to wash and dress wanted to get my supper and to wash and dress for singing school. My first impulse was to reluse. I knew he would go himself. He was a patient, gentle old man. But something stopped me; my Guardian Abgel, I think, "Of course, father, I'll take 1t," I said heart-

"Of course, father, I'll take it," I said heart-ily, giving the soythe I was carrying to the men. He gave me the package. "Thank you, James," he said, "I was about to go myself, but, somehow I don't feel very strong to day. He walked with me to the road that turned off to the town. As we reached it he stopped, and before returning homeward he put his hand on my shoulder, saying again: "Thank you, my son. You have always been a good boy to me, James." I hurried to town and back again. When I came near the house I saw a crowd of farm-hands near the door. One of them came baby wakes up with the croup, or some on else of the family with a pain. A mustard bath or a mustard poultice is just what is needed, but it is twelve o'clock at night and not a bit of mustard in the house. The last words he spoke were of in the house. The has to either wake up a night

You." I am an old man now, but I have thanked God over and over again, in all these years that have passed since that hour, that the last words my father spoke to me were, "You have always have a cord bar " you been a good boy.'

Nobody ever yet was sorry for love, or kind-ness shown to others. But there is no pang of remorse so keen as the bitterness with which we To get nerise from indicestion, billourness, constitution or torpid liver without disturbing the stomach or purging the bowels, take a few kinds words to these who gather with you about the same hearth; it is only a little while, after is not sometimes wishes he could lose that the same hearth; it is only a little while, after is and sometimes wishes he could lose that the same hearth; it is only a little while, after is and sometimes wishes he could lose that the same hearth; it is only a little while, after is and sometimes wishes he could lose that the same hearth; it is only a little while, after is and sometimes wishes he could lose that the same hearth is the same hearth is the same hearth is the same hearth.

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Here we have the names of forty four persons possessing upwar1 of 9,300,000 acres in the United Kingdom.

# Consumption Surely Cured.

TO THE EDITOR-

Please inform your readers that I have a posiive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and P. O. address.

Respectfully, DR. T. A. SLOCUM, BRANCH OFFICE: 37 Yonge St., Toronto. 32-L

It some man knew as much as they talked there would not be any sale for the encyclo-pædias.

THE BERATH of a chronic catarrh patient is often so offensive that he cannot go into society, and he becomes an object of disgust. After a and ne becomes an object of the groupy bones are attacked, and frequently entirely destroyed. A constant source of discomfort is the dripping of the purulent secretions into the threat, sometimes producing inveterate bronchitis, which in its turn has been the exciting cause of pulmo-nary disease. The brilliant results which have

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12,000can be easily practiced when Diamond Dyes are known and used. They color any article any color, and faded or dingy articles can be made to look like new. 32 Colors. 10 cents 14,000 20.00025,000 30,000 each. 30,000 30,000

THE DIRTY DUKE. HIS OFINION OF AMERICAN NEWSPAPER

REPORTERS. New YCRK, Sept 14 .- A correspondent of the World called upon the Duke of Mariborough at Boston shortly after his arrival there yesterday. After courteously hearing what the correspondent wanted to find out, regarding him with some suspicions, the Duke said :

160,000 some suspicions, the Duke said : 160,000 "Interviewing is a highly permicious prac-165,000 tice. I am not quite familiar with American 165,000 journalism, but I think ii is far below the 170,000 standard of London journals. The habit of pro-80,000 miscuous interviewing is exceedingly annoying. 190,000 They never quote correctly what one says. They 190,000 distort it and amplify with their acute imagina-190,000 tion. I find that public men are greatly an-00,000 noyed by reporters

50,000 "Has your Graze been put to annoyances from 50,000 this source?" 60,000 this source?"

300,000 Now, if an American were to come to London, 400,000 continued the Duke, "and ring my door bel 400,000 and wanted to know how many housemaids 1 450,000 kept, whether I had a butler and how much 1 900,000 kept, whether I had a butler and how much 1 1,000,000 paid my cook, I should consider him imperti-1,200,000 nent because he wanted to pry into ir persons my private affairs. Now, I consider s in the that my impressions of people I have met, and my places for the present and future, are just as much my private affairs, and I cannot answer the questions you have asked. This American are questions you nave asked. This American system of interviewing, like the American papers on the whole, is different from our Eng-lish ways, and in many respects inferior and reprehensible."

How do you enjoy the American tour so far ?"

suffer dizziness, indigestion, inflammation of the eyes, headache, lassitude, inability to perform mental work and indisposition for bodily labor, and annoy and disgust your friends and acquaintances with your nasal twang and offensive breath and constant efforts to clean onensive oreath and constant efforts to clean at a time without feeling exhausted; but now, I your nose and throat, when Dr. Sage's "Catarth Remedy" will promptly relieve yon of dis-comfort and suffering, and your friends of the disgusting and needless inflictions of your loathesome disease? Mrs. Spriggins remarks that she would rather fool with a bee than be with a fool.

Fond mother—I tell you my daughter Eulalia has such control over her feelings, that, for in-stance, when at the theatre she can weep with one eye turned toward the stage, while with the other she smiles at the gentleman sitting beside har."

WITHOUT EQUAL. Wilson Montrose, of Vienna, Ont., having used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in his family for summer complaints, says, "I cannot speak too highly of it, for children as well as sged people troubled with diarrhom it has no equal."

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator has no equal for destroying worms in children and adults. See that you get the genuine when purchasing.

stop.

On a wet day a number of persons took shelter in Rowland Hill's chapel during a heavy shower, while he was preaching. Hill remarked: "Many people are greatly to be blamed for making their religion a cloak, but I do not think that those are much better who make it an umbrella.

THE EXPERIENCE OF MRS. PETERS. Mrs. Peters had ills, Mrs. Peters had chills, Mrs. Peters was sure she was going to die; They dosed her with pills, With powders and squills, With remedies wet and with remedies dry.

Many medicines lured her, But none of them cured her,

Their names and their number nobody could tell; And she soon might have died, But some "Pellets" were tried,

That acted like nagic and then she got well. The magic "Pellets" were Dr. Pierce' Pleasant Furgative Pellets (the original Little Liver Pills). They cured Mrs. Peters, and now she wouldn't be without them.

"I wish I was a pudding, mamma." "Wby ?" "Cause I should have lots of sugar

A lady from Syracuse writes: "For about seven years before taking Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Oure, I suffered from a complaint very prevalent with our sex. I was unable to walk any distance or stand on my feet for more than a few minutes at a time without feeling exhausted ; but now, I

Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup stands at the head of the list for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It acts like magic in breaking up a cold. A cough is soon subdued, tightness of the chest is relieved, even the worst case of the sumption is relieved, while in recent cases it may be said never to fail. It is a medicine prepared from the active principles or virtues of several medicinal herbs, and can be depended upon for all pulmonary complaints.

The Spaniards have this proverb :-- "When mothers in law fall out, we get at the family facts.'

office and found to my horror it wouldn't work. I was afraid to go near the box containing the dead man, for I felt sure a live one was in it. The treasure was too heavy for me to carry, and to go out and leave it for a moment would have given the villain in the box an opportunity to take it. What to do I scarcely knew. The instrument clicked, clicked, and the same shortline message was repeated over an 1 over. By aid of a low, flickering light I could see the rough box or a low, hickering light I could see the rough box very plainly at the other end of the station. I gave no signs of hfs. Finally I secreted my-solt behind a dry goods box where I could see and not be seen, and awaited developments. 'I held in my hand an iron bar and the old rusty revolver; these were the only weapons of de-fence I had. I did not wait very long before I thought I saw the lid of the coffin move. I was not mistaken, either. Pretty soon it was pushed gently aside, and the head of the most villainous-looking man was pushed out. I saw through planned. He got out from his temporary sepulchre and lit a dark lantern. He moved cautiously about. As he drew closer and closer to where I was I was afraid my hard breathing would reveal my hiding place. He passed me unnoticed, and I knew now was my only chance. The man heard me move and turned quickly, but not quick enough to ward off a well simed blow, as it alterwards proved. I struck him near the ear with the bar and with sufficient force to fell him to the floor. Almost overcome with excitement I ran to the nearest neighbor's and returned to find the bird flown. The marks of carriage wheels in the mud could be plainly seen, and while I was gone his confederates had arrived, found their unlucky pal and had taken him away, but had left the box. I never found out who he was, neither could I learn from whom the strange message of warning came. I am not superstitious, but I never could account for the occurrence only by ascribing it to supernatural causes."—Pittsburg Despatch.

BURYING ONE OF THE VICTIMS.

MITCHELLSTOWN, Sept. 13 .- The funeral of Michael Lonergan, who was shot dead by the police last Friday took place yesterday after-noon. The body was followed to the cemetery by thousands of people, the procession being over half a mile long. At the grave Father McCarthy made an address in which he ex-claimed :—"God have mercy on his soul, may he receive more mercy in heaven than he re-caived on earth."

MORE FIRING BY THE POLICE.

DUBLIN, Sept. 13 .- At Ballyporeen, Tipperary, last evening, a riot broke out in a public house and the police used their batons freely on the rioters. The laster, after a tussle, compelled the police to retreat to their barracks, from which a few shots were fired at the crowd. No one was injured, however. Several rioters were arrested.

Thos. Sabin, of Eglinton, says: "I have re-moved ten corns with Holloway's Corn Cure," Reader, go thou and do likewise.

A young man having been twitted with the fact that his sweetheart squinted, replied thus in verse :---

I know there's a cross about Norah's blue eye, But that fact my love cannot smother, For her eyes are so pretty; no wonder they try

To be gazing round into each other,

Mrs. Parvenu says her new house has all the modern conveniences, even rheumatic tabes.

put into me."

' I am traveling for rest and change, and find that I am securing it." DON'T HAWK, SPIT, COUGH