

chewing motion "tearing off" something of Irving Berlin's with the loud pedal on.

Wild times are expected around the British House of Commons during the they visit. session which opens tode /. And at that they are not figuring on Mrs. Pankhurst.

"Be not stiffnecked as your fathers were," says Chronicles. But how can we help it while we are trying to see the preacher from behind a flock of birds of paradise?

"Canada" published at London, Eng., with this type of critic is that unless Canada's greatest need.

The provincial treasurer promises to report a surplus. Let us hope it will not be like the London hydro-electric surplus, made up largely of funds that rightfully belong in another column.

New York paper says there are 750,000 men in that city who are single because they cannot find a place to "spoon." 'Pshaw, the man who can't find a place to "spoon" doesn't deserve a wife.

King George has ordered a cleaning up of the slum district which he owns in the heart of London. This will be a severe test of the loyalty of some people who pretend to take royalty as their high example.

THE BOY SCOUTS.

resolution was submitted the other A day to a convention of mine workers in the United States, condemning the militia and the Boy Scouts as "harmful to the best interests of the working people." The combination of these two organizations in a common censure shows a lack of information as to the character of one of them. The idea doubtless was to condemn them both as military institutions, and, we presume, the fear underlying is that in cases of a strike the militia might be called out to enforce order, and might prove prejudicial to the strikers. Whether that is a sound position to take is a matter on both sides of which something might be said. And so also as to the general principle of the encouragement of militarism there is ample room for debate.

But the Boy Scout movement is not affected by one's opinions as to the militia, for the simple reason that there is nothing military about it. Some people have that idea, probably because it was inaugurated by a military leader. Gen. Baden-Powell. But there is not a single military feature about it, beyond the physical

exercise and habits of discipline. Rather is it the reverse of military, in that it is intended to be helpful to the individual and to the community, instead of being even indirectly harmful. It is not to take life, but to save it, not to injure the body, but to preserve it in health

The objects of the Boy Scout pro-

In this expensive successful conclusion. It has the men On less than twenty-five.

who gave the temperance act such a victory behind it and will be watched with interest by all who are dependent with interest by all who are dependent upon the accommodation of the towns He got his fifty one fine day, And then he found out that

He never could be happy quite, Without one hundred flat. WHAT'S THE USE? D EOPLE are asking what's the use

P EOPLE are asking what's the use of such an exploitation of the Antarctic Continent as Sir Ernest He made some wise deals after that And gathered in a million, But was he happy? No, indeed, He had to save a billion. Antarctic Continent as Sir Ernest Shackleton is about to make. They claim there is nothing gained by this kind of a feat, and that it can be of Old age could find him fighting to nulate a trillic no general advantage. The trouble

In the Wake of the News suggests Laurier as high commission-er. "Canada" is complimentary, but must realize that our next premier is while. In the achievement itself he for a statement for this season of

while. In the achievement itself he in Mexico is excellent for this season of sees nothing inspiring and the heroic becomes foolhardy. It is true that it is difficult at present to state just how the exploits of Peary, Amundsen and Scott are useful to mankind, as they connect he estimated in figures never-

Scott are useful to manking, as they cannot be estimated in figures, never-theless the appeal to the imagination is an excellent tonic for us even in the commonplace tasks of daily life. The parcel post limit will be extended

quite likely that Shackleton's expedition will add to our knowledge in regard to the origin and conditions of ife. Someone has pointed out that David Livingstone's wanderings throughout Central Africa at first appeared aimless, and certainly there was no immediate results in cash or souls of the great missionary explora-

tions, but what Livingstone did was to open up the dark continent for Christian civilization. It is dangerous to too hastily declare as mere adventure and unnecessary such an expedition as Shackleton's. The results of it may in time be of immense practical advantage to mankind.

GOOD OLD DAYS. 77 [Washington Star.] When pterodactyls everywhere Pursued their ways extensive, The meat was flying through the air And very inexpensive.

SELFISH INTEREST. [Kansas City Journal.] "Wombat is always trying to stir up suffragette hikes." "He is evidently deeply interested in the caus "I fear it is a selfish interest. He's

> FOND OF HERS. [Cincinnati Inquirer.]

The two women were discussing the fashions. "Did you say your husband was fond of those clinging gowns?" "Yes, indeed; he loves one to cling to me for about five years."

DISCOVERY. [Chicago Record-Herald.] It has been discovered by a Paris phy-sician that injections of sugar bring about the revival of people who are in danger of dying of heart failure. However, almost anything that prevents death is sweet.

FOR GRATIN'S SMILE. [Detroit Free Press.]

She looked stunning in her new Cardi-gan one-step gown, caught up at both blases with a spray of crepe de Potiphar, yet for five minutes he had not smiled. "Dear," she pouted, "please don't look so glum." so glum." "You don't love me," he said, "if you "You would sit on my isp."

"But Gratin," she protested tearfully, "I

The old sojer who never brags is gen-arally the one who was in the hardest bat-tles. Grandoa Bibbins says he kin remember ack to the time when anybuddy that used a fireless cooker was accused of witch-craft. Grandon Bibbins says he kin remember back to the time when anybuddy that used a fireless cooker was accused of witch-

craft. Erat. Elmer Spink is laid up and unable to attend to his duties down at the feed mill Last Sunday he hired three fellers to peel a mustard plaster off n his back which he put on last fall and they had to use dyna-mita

Oh, Grief; Oh, Sadness. I used to be a hero, They pinned their junk on mo My breast adorned with medals Was glorious to see. They thought that it was winter Whene'er I walked around, My medals ratified colly: My medals rattled gally; Like sleighbells did they sound.

I was the only pebble Upon the sandy beach, And I was the headliner A yell, a scream, a screech. I used to be a hero 'Twas pleasant, I'll allow, But the sheriff took my auto, I'm a down and outer now.

Coming. There, little hookworm, There, little hookworm, Don't you cry, You'll have your inning By and by; Spring's surely coming, That is true, Spring fever then is Up to you.

Braley's Rem Today

DESIRES

I wish that I could be

An old standpatter

To look around and see

Nothing the matter.

Serene and placid.

He's well contented:

To him all progress is

A thing demented;

He doesn't know it

And so he drifts along

So he should worry:

Through all the flurry:

To him there's nothing wrong,

To me life's sometimes grim

-BERTON BRALEY

And all things matter.

The old standpatter.

And yet I envy him,

The world has gone ahead.

And all things show it;

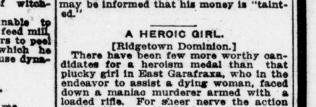
Forward the age has speed-

All new thoughts to repel

With brain that's flace'd.

And think that all is well.

What calm, what peace is his



plucky girl in East Garafraxa, who in the endeavor to assist a dying woman, faced down a maniac murderer armed with a loaded rifle. For sheer nerve the action of this 16-year-old girl has seldom been equalled. Miss Sadie Gibson is well en-titled to a place with Madeline Vercheres, Laura Secord, and Abigall Becker in the Laura Secord, and Abiga list of Canadian heroines.

IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.

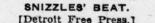
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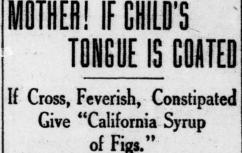
Indigestion.

[Port Rowan News.] Much has been said and written about the drift of the best young life of the country to the cities, and now that it has country to the cities, and now that it has assumed large proportions this movement is universally deplored. Little, however, of a practical nature has been done to lessen the volume of the stream. But this winter school section No. 4 of the township of Downie has built a skating rink for the amusement of the children of the school and for a meeting place for the young people of the neighborhood. This is not much, but it is at least a recogni-tion of the claims of the social side of life in the country. in the country.



"Snizzles!" called the city edito abruptly. The cub reporter, Antonio Snizzles, approached his chief's desk fearfully. "We gotta have a first-page story," said the city editor. "I don't care what, but I the city editor. "I don' gotta have it. Go out and if you don't get it, stay out."

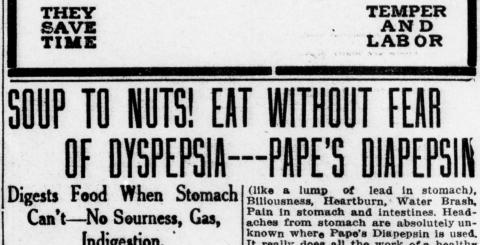
II, Stay out." II, Three hours later Snizzles bumped into the city editor's desk with such enthusi-astic violence as to make that busy offi-cial drop his blue pencil into the glue pot and swallow half a yard of copy which he was holding in his mouth while wait-ing for the copy boy. "I got it! I got it!" shouted Snizzles. "Triple murder on Snobfat avenue! Presi-



A laxative today saves a sick child temorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste

poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness. Beware of counterfeit fig syrup. Ask your druggrists for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Fig.," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "Cal-ifornia Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled! be fooled! be fooled! be fooled! dent of the School for Battleship Sales-men kills his wife, his butler and his St dent of the School for Battleship Sales-men kills his wife, his butler and his St dent of the School for Battleship Sales-men kills his wife, his butler and his St Bernard! I got the cause and effect and everything!" "Forget it," snarled the city editor, who hadn't got the copy paper all the way down yet. "The public's tired of mur-ders. Is that all you got?" "Well," said Snizzles, rather crestfallen, "I passed Mrs. Highfly Boodle-Hyphen's you know-just in time to see her throw out three couples for doing the one-step which. But I don't suppose"-"Two and a half columns!" boomed the bispatch: Hey, copy! Extra: Wow!"



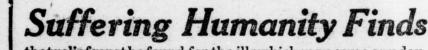
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DANGEROUS.

[New York American.] A Brooklyn man paid his fiancee's way through a course in domestic science. Or completing the course the girl eloped with another man. The jilted one has this con-solation: T'other fellow will have to easy the domestic science biscuits.



