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The third was and laces—
Complexion of roses and cream—
The essence of all the three graces,
The idol of art's fondest dream.
I'll take all your bearing for grante
Just toss all your books on the shel
Come down from the clouds, maid et
Sweet graduate, be but yourself.

I know it is much I am asking;
You'd rather your mind would still soan while you're at the sage's feet basking—
To heights of philosophy's lore.
But here at your feet I am kneeling,
Beseeching, with true lover's art,
Has knowledge deprived you of feeling?
Out the sage; he hasn't a heart.

Nay, maiden, I honor your learning,
Le's really before that I pail,
Tet has it not stifled the yearning
I feel-ghnowing nothing at all?
And learning does not ill become you,
Still, fain would I brush it aside
And have you, sweet grad., push it from you
And be, not an owl, but my bride.

—Philadelphia North American.

Pa's View of It.

Daughter (with some show of embarrassment)—Pa, did Clarence interview you last night?
Pa—He did.
Daughter—And what was the result?
Pa—Well, my impression of the result was that he was about to retire from literature and become a confectioner.
Daughter—A confectioner? You are indulging in levity now, pa.
Pa—Not at all, for when, in rejecting his suit, I spoke disparagingly of his callhis suit, I spoke disparagingly of his call-ing, he struck an attitude and boastingly declared that I would yet live to see the day when his works would be in every

How to Manage Em.
"Mrs. Young says she has solved the servant problem."
"She's a genius! What's the solu-"Why, she says all you've got to do is never to find any fault, submit to every-thing, do as you're told, keep out of the way and pay good wages, with privi-leges, and you won't have a bit of trou-ble."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

He Never Goes There Any More. Young man," shouted the irate father, I ever catch you here again I'll use my cane."
"As you suffer with the gout," re-sponded the young man, "you'll probably use your cane whether you catch me or

Then the cane was used right there.-The Disgusted Big Brother.

No wonder woman's slow,
When she's fixing up to go;
'" won were in her place,

You'd be poky, too, if you were in her place
With hooks all up your back,
With a pair of brows to black,
And a lot of stuff to smear upon your face.

On, the wonderful to me,
When a maiden fair I see—
A maiden with a beauty that is fresh and sweet
and rare—
Knowing what I do of girls,
With their crimpings, puffs and curls,
That they ever manage to succeed in getting anywhere. -Cincinnati Enquirer

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

The gooseberry is about the only shrub hat will thrive in the shade. that will thrive in the shade.
Cultivate the strawberries thoroughly as soon as the plants are done fruiting. Apples or pears properly dried or evap-orated make a good article of food for the

oracted make a good article of food for the winter.

Fruit on the farm always helps its selling value, even if the trees are not old enough to bear.

The objection to stimulating the vine by animal manures is that it tends to make the vines grow until late in the fall and the wood will not ripen well.

Partly rotted wood makes a good mulch, but anything that will shade the soil is good if applied properly and in good season. Have the soil in good condition before applying.

## POPULAR SCIENCE.

Another new star has been discovered at the Harvard observatory by Mrs. Fleming, to whom are credited five of the six new stars found since 1885. This latest comer in the stellar family is in the constellation Sagittarius.

Professor Pickering proposes to call the new moon of Saturn which he discovered "Phoebe." after a sister of Saturn the god. As viewed from Saturn, the new satellite would appear as a faint star of the sixth magnitude. Its diameter is perhaps 200 miles.

### TRUST THRUSTS.

The amount of antitrust action bears antitrust talk .- Birningham (Ala.) Age-Herald. What about the cattle trust just form-d in Texas? What does Governor Say-Soston Advertiser.

As soon as it becomes thoroughly unerstood that eggs will cure consumption
he hens will probably incorporate under
he laws of New Jersey.—Chicago Rec-

### POLITICAL QUIPS.

Politics go around and around in the rollitis go around an around the same old rings.—New Orleans Plcayunc.

Must be some mistake about the kissing bug getting into Ohio, for all the available room there is taken up by the presidential bee.—New York Herald.

Politicians are like the little girl who fell out of a cherry tree in a distant orchard. Her mother asked her if she cried. "Why, no," said the little one. "There was no one to hear me."—Peoria Star.

RENEWED AT SEVENTY.

Every and Rebust as Every Bear as Hearty and Rebust as Every Bear to their appropriation. Mr. Hemstreet as pioneer and much esteemed resident of Acton. Mr. Hemstreet is a native of this county, having been born in Trafalgar township in 1817. In his younger days Mr. Hemstreet conducted a tanning business, and some twenty five years ago, owing to his superior knowledge of the value of live stock, he took out a license as auctioneer. In this calling he became at once popular and he was constantly on the road, driving in all kinds of weather, holding auction sales several days a week. Athough possessing a strong, healthy constitution, the continued exposure and hard work of selling some days for six or eight hours at a stretch, he gradually lost his strength and vigor, and about three years ago found himself a collapsed and worn-out man. In conversation with a reporter of the Free Press collapsed and worn-out man. In conver-

A PIONEER'S STORY. Serious his attention was attracted by the published testimony of Rev. Mr. Freeman, a minister with whom he was personally acquainted, relating to his restoration to health after using br. Williams' Pink Pills. He was articularly impressed with this tes-monial and concluded that these

about three years ago found himself a collapsed and wern-out man. In conversation with a reporter of the Free Press he said:—"I felt that my days of usefulness were over. My strength had departed, my voice was gone, I was too weak to do work of any kind and I was undenially useless to mys If or anyone else. My symptoms were peculiar and baffled soveral of the best local physicians, who differed very much in their diagnosis. I took their medicines faithfully but no improvement resulted. I did not suffer much pain but was a very sick man. Had no appetite, no strength, could not sleep, and both myself and my friends oncluded that my days on earth were numbered and that my worn-out system would in a very short time lie down in eternal rest. I had to give up all my business interests." When Mr. Hemstreet's condition was most

# FRANKVILLE FAIR

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## SPECIAL - ATTRACTIONS

First Day. Green Race......Prizes aggregating in value, \$13 50 Barrel Race, Boys under 12 years. Society, 2 lbs. pea nuts..... Shoe Race, Boys under 10 years. Boy's Foot Race, under 13 years. Chas. R. Rudd, Brockville, whip......\$1.00 Girl's Foot Race, under 12 years Society, 4 lbs. peanuts.

Society, 3 lbs. peanuts.

Society, 2 lbs. peanuts

40 Tablets 35 cents. Sold by J. P. Lamb Society, 2 lbs. peanuts.....

Second Day. Free-for-all.....Purse, \$65.00 Combination Race.....Purse, \$8.00 ATHLETIC SPORTS.

Catching Wild Calf. Catcher to have the Calf..... Catching Tame Rabbit. Society, Cash......\$2.50 Egg Race.

The Globe Clothing House, Brockville, pair pants. \$2.00

A. H. Swert's, Brockville, Table. 1.50

A DOCTOR'S HOW 

The new postmaster at Lafayette, Ind., Is Willie Work. It depends on the man and the requirements of his position.—

New York Press.

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New York Press.

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Mog and Gifroy, Smith's Falls, Unbrella.

Society.

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"I am as much averse to making personal matters public as any one ship of Bedford. It is reported that

Set 2.—Dawson's Golden Char, Diamond Grit, Gold Coin. Each person wishing one of these sets should apply as early as possible, mentioning which set he desires; and the grain, with instructions for testing, and the blank form on which to report, will be furnished free of cost to his address, until the supply of grain for distribution is exhausted.

All communications should be ad-

Experimentalist. Agricultural College, Guelph, Aug. 17th, 1899.

ONLY NATURAL CURE For all Disorders of the Digestive Functions is Dr. Von

Stan's Pineapple Tablets Most medical men know that the pineapple contains a quantity of yego table pepsia. This product is in-valuable, because it exerts a wonderful valuable, because it exerts a wonderful power in the digestion of all kinds of food. Science has now consolidated this grand essence into tablets, and thus, within reach of everone, is a veritable panacea for all stomach ills. Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets was the most important advance for are the most important advance for the prevention and cure of sickness in the last thousand years. A good the last thousand years. A good digestion is the basis of health, and all

The trial of "Billy" Ponton, the alleged Napanee Bank robber, will come off at Cobourg this month, His friends confidently expect his acquittal

### HEART SIGNALS,

uick as a Flash They Appear, but Jest as Quickly will They Vanish Under the Healing Spell of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. When the breath is short-when you tire easily—when there is palpitayou tre cashy—when there is smothering sensa-tion—when there is smothering sensa-tion—and dropsical tendency—all these indicate heart weakness, and are the danger signals if you procrastinate. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is saving lives which in many cases have been proclaimed by eminent physicians as beyond hope. It will relieve most acute cases to thirty minutes, and patience and the remedy will cure any case of heart trouble in existence. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

Nine people out of ten think they deserve credit for having feelings which A DOCTOR'S HOMAGE.

Prescribed for his Patient South American Rheumatic 'Cure, and the Man's Own Words for it: "It Saved My Life." Wm. Erskine, manager for Dr. R. Hopkins, Grand Valley, writes: "I have a patient who has been cured b South American Rheumatic Cure. He bas been trying everything on carth without the slightest relief, and had taken to his bed, Three doses relieved him, and when he had taken two bottles he was able to drive out. He immediately came to me and said this remedy relieves in a few hours and is curing the world. Sold by J. P.

ME WENT TO THE BALL And His Appearance Resulted In a

the darkness.

It was explained to the foreign guests

it was explained to the foreign guests that one of the Indianapolis Indian tribes was evidently restless, but that no further trouble need be feared. As for Mr. Woodward, his side of the story was not known for nearly 20 years afterward.—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

### UNCLE SAM'S STATIONERY. The Department of Justice Conduct a Wholesale Business.

"The department of justice runs one of the biggest stationery concerns is the country," said a clerk of that department to a Star reporter. "We have to do that to supply the various officials of the department throughout the country. Not many years ago our stationery bureau was used solely for the Benefit of this immediate department. Judges, clerks of courts, marshals and other officials throughout the country purchased their supplies from stores in their dities and towns and sent us the account to pay. By this method we paid the retail price for everything. We found this would not do, as the highest prices were paid for everything. Under our present system every official of the government coming under our department makes requisition on us for supplies, and we send them at little cost, most of the time by mail. As we buy everything at cost prices we save to the government thousands of dolors seed very very every the old method of do "The department of justice runs one of

save to the government thousands of dollars sach year over the old method of doing business.

"We carry a stock worth at least \$6,000 at all times, and all the judges, marshals, clerks and others send to us for their pencils, writing paper, etc. It's funny, too, what strange fancies some of them have. For instance, there is a certain western judge who won't have anything else but a red pencil which is peeled off when it is sharpened. We carry this pencil in stock for no other person, as not many others have ever taken a fancy to it. I suppose he loses or misplaces all the other kinds of pencils, but finds this one to his liking because he can easily see it. Right here in the District of Columbia is a judge who listens to arguments with six pencils in his hands. He rolls these between his fingers while he is busy, and never has less than a half dozen. He is not particular about the kind of pencil he has. Other officials have peculiar ideas about the kinds of paper, pens and ink they want, and they will have no other. Thus, you see, we carry a more varied assortment of goods than a stationery store."—Washington Sight.

The Shopkeeper's Lament.

I don't suppose I ought to kick,"
said the head of a big dry goods store on
a recent wet Saturday, contemplating

a recent wet Saturday, contemplating at one and the same time the yawning sisles in his establishment and the hurrying people without, "but I do, all the same. A rainy Saturday means a great deal to the dry goods trade. A rainy Friday now I wouldn't care about. But a great many stores look upon the Saturday as one-half the week's business, and, while naturally one or two other lines are directly benefited by rain, they would be just as much gainers if it rained on any other day. I have no doubt that the rain is a good thing, but it's the Saturday rain that keeps me from enjoying my Sunday."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Scotch thrift is commemorated in the aps worn by the presiding officer at the traduation exercises of the universities of Edinburgh and St. Andrew's. At the of Edinburgh and St. Andrew's. At the former the cap is made out of the sent of an old pair of breeches that once belonged to George Buchanan, while the latter makes use of a cast off pair of John Knox's. Professor Chiene, president of the Royal College of Surgeons at Edinburgh, is authority for the statement.

Napoleon's Heuse a Barn Longwood, Bonaparte's house at St. Helena, is now a barn. The room in which he died is a stable. On the site of his grave is a machine for grinding corn.

The British revenue from spirits is a little in excess of £20,000,000 yearly, of which £4,000,000 is en imported goods. Denmark slaughters 1,400,000 hogs ev-

IRELAND'S VANISHED GREEN.

move for 12 cants. On a single estate in Kerry after the revolution of 1688 trees were cut down of the value of \$100,000. Bivery landlord cut down, scarcely any one planted, so that at the present day there is hardly an eightleth part of Ire-land's surface under timber.—St. Louis Remphile.

How They Won.

In "The Gambling World," by Rouge et Noir, two brothers, Russians, are recorded as having played at Homburg and won about 500,000 francs.

One of the brothers for some time watched the play, without staking, and noticed the frequent recurrence of the same numbers. He discovered that it was to the fact that in cleaning the roulette the servant was obliged to press heavily on certain parts which took a polish with difficulty. Through this some spots of the brass were depressed in a manner imperceptible to the eye, but palpable in its results. The rolling ball was diverted from its legitimate course by these inevitable indentations; hence certain numbers were sure to win repeatedly during the day, while others never turned up. On this knowledge the brethers acted. When they had gained 10,000 francs a day, they gave up play and did not return till next day. Hence their final success. But theirs was ne system in the usual sense.

Eating Oysters. Eating Oysters.
Surely the queerest way of cooking an oyster is that mentioned in the year 1672, when Richardson, the fire eater, took a live coal on his tongue, on this he put a raw oyster in its shell, while an attendant blow upon the coal with

he put a raw oyster in its shell, while an attendant blew upon the coal with bellows until it flamed and sparkled in his mouth. This continued until the oyster opened and was perfectly cooked. The Englishman, as a rule, contents himself with brown bread and butter, pepper, vinegar or lemons; Americans usually require crackers, and the Belgians eat them with homemade bread and butter.

The European Magazine for 1806 contains an account of a young lady at Brighton who undertook to eat for supper the amaging quantity of 300 oysters, with a certain amount of bread and butter. This feat she performed, greatly te the astonishment of all present.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Insuited.

Contractor—Did you offer that alderman \$500, as I directed?

Secretary—Yes, sir.

"How did he act?"

"What did he say?"

"He said I ought to be in the penitentary."

"What did he do?"

The Invalid's Mecca. Traveler—Is this a healthful locality?
Native—Well, rather. We have had but one death in nine years, and that was the doctor.
Traveler—Indeed! And what did he Native-Starvation.-Chicago News.

THE VERDICT. The peace conference has left several questions open for other debating societies.—Detroit News.

To be made president of Santo Dominatorio News. go is equivalent to a death sentence by assassination.—Oswego Times. If you want to find out all the draw-

It you want to hid out an the actave backs of motor carriages, consult a veter inary surgeon.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Orleans county editor who prescribes lager beer as a gargle for sore throat must credit his readers with rare self control.—Buffalo Express. They have now taught a chimpanzee to They have now taught a chimpanese to play golf, and he seems to like it, but he is not very successful in landing the ball in a hole. The missing link.—Boston Herald.

Herald.

A Boston helress married her coachman. She must have been reading some old works of fiction, or she would know that the custom is out of date.—Cleve land Legan. land Leader.

A youth of Indianapolis, aged 70, was lately chastised for misconduct by a hale and vigorous parent of 106. It is idle, after an exhibit like this, to talk about

In the Havana custom house are em ployed 214 Cubans, 84 Spaniards and only 32 Americans, which again illustrates the disinterested nature of the American occupation.—St. Louis Globe-

When a watch ticking on a table in St. Louis can be heard at the end of a tele-phone wire in Cincinnati, it is time to congratulate ourselves upon our wonder ful progress in communication.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Post-Dispatch.

Although the bicycle face is rapidly giving way to the automobile face, it is yet to be determined whether the latter is worn by the man who rides in the many many the m chine or the pedestrian who has out of its way. Explanatory.

Mrs. Golden-Bridget, what ails the lock? I haven't heard the cuckoo today. Bridget-No, mum; the divil of a cat's cen in the kitchen all the mornin, and the poor birrud's afther bein afraid to show it's face!—Jewelers' Weekly.

"How is Mud Slinging going to side in this race? Is he for you?"
"That's what's worrying me," replied the candidate for office. "If I thought he was going to be against me I would feel surer of election."—Columbus (O<sub>Q</sub>) State-Journal.

Oh, prunes! though thou art fit to grace the ban-quet of a king. Yet dost thou to the lowly board of humble peas-

good and—cheap!
And could I twang a thousand harps through centuries of Junes,
My one and all triumphant theme would but
song of prunes.

For did I own a thousand mouths and twice as

Cheap Gas.

The gas war in New York profoundly affects many relations of life.

For instance, the convention farmer of the humorous prints, upon entering his room at a New York hotel, starts vio-

room at a New York hotel, starts vio-lently.
"I see no 'Don't Blow Out the Gas' sign," he faltered, betraying much uneas-

A Pointer. Little Willie—I guess sister Grace won't ant to go ridin on your tandem much

pine junta is a man named Bray. We suspected as much from the sounds. Chicago Journal. When the Boston papers wish to be

## A Fleshy Consumptive

Most certainly not. Consumption is a disease that invariably causes loss of

flesh.
If you are light in weight, even if your cough is only a slight one, you should certainly take

is such a perfect preventive to consumption. the moment your throat begins to weaken and you find you are losing flesh, you should begin to take it. And no other remedy has cured so many cases of consumption. you are far advanced with this disease, Scott's Emul-sion will hold every in-

th your general system asy be easily removed.
Address, DR. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Ma.

MERRY MOMENTS.

But oh, the hidebound, sorry frune, with visage

many spoons,
I'd still employ them, svery one, to get my dil
of prunesi

iness.

The bellboy says:
"No; gas has got so cheap in New York that we don't care any more."—Detroit

onger.
Mr. Simperling—Why?
Little Willie—They was a feller with a nottomobile here last night, and I heard her say today that she thought the horse-

It is a great pity that General Weyler agua.—Exchange.

It appears that the head of the Philip-

When the Boston papers wish to be extremely sarcastic toward Mary Bakes Eddy, they call her "Mrs, M. B. Eddy."

-Philadelphia Ledger.

Sir Charles Tupper's is possibly another case in which a statesman has allowed a flow of eloquence to carry him a little beyond his depth.—Washington Star. beyond his depth.—Washington Star.

Had Anna Gould paid a few dollars
for a monkey she would have gained far
more in ancestry and brains than she did
when she bought the insignificant Castellans.

Did you ever see one?
Did you ever hear of one?
Most certainly not. ConMost certainly not. Con

Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil with hypo-phosphites. No remedy

ducement to you for a perfect cure.
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