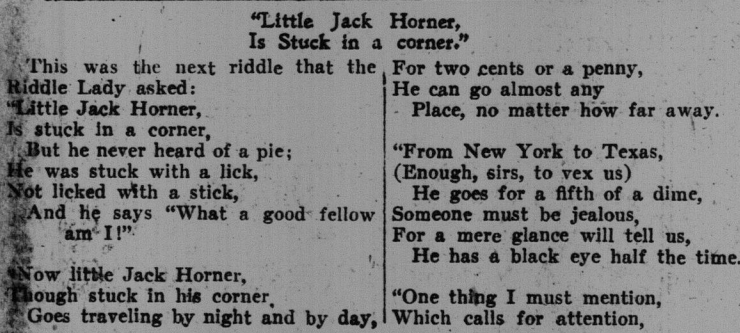


By Olive Roberts Barton.



**Exposure to Rain, Sleet and Snow Brought Bad Attack of Grippe,
Father John's Medicine Gave Prompt Relief**

The work of the doctor is not fully appreciated by the public. Day after day, all day long, he is out in all sorts of weather when ordinary folk shudder at the very thought.

Emile Pelouquin, of Costiokuk, Que., found himself the victim of a bad attack of gripe, which confined him to his bed for several days. He recovered, thanks to Father John's Medicine, a remedy which has the following:

I was engaged in caring during the bad weather and contracted a cold, which was so violent that I could not get up. I bought a bottle of Father John's Medicine at a neighbor's and now realizing that I had a kind of gripe, I secured a bottle. At the end of two days I felt better and after a few more doses I was cured. I can now say without doubtedly this medicine that relieved me and I highly recommend it as a good remedy for colds and also as a good tonic.

It is a good medicine for all kinds of ailments, and it has done a world of good.

Colds are extremely dangerous because they soon reduce the body's resistance against Flu and Pneumonia. They often linger for weeks and months just because the system is so weakened that it cannot get the strength to drive away the cold.

Father John's Medicine has been used successfully for 60 years simply because it contains all the elements necessary for curing ailments.

It is an old-fashioned prescription containing cod liver oil and other ingredients. It is a simple and effective remedy. The Government is firmly established without putting a burden on the digestive system.

It is a pure blood, nourishes nerve and body tissue, thus putting the system in the best of health.

Not only grown folks but children as well derive great benefit from Father John's Medicine, and as it contains no alcohol or dangerous drugs it is safe for all.

His railroad must be single track,
When he goes far away,
It's a sure thing he'll stay,
He has never been known to come

"Oh, I know what it is. It's a postage stamp," said Nick. "That can go 'most any place for two cents." "
"What is a postage stamp?" asked Bo Peep.
"Yes, what is it?" asked Tom, Tom the Piper's Son.
"Don't you know?" exclaimed Nanny. "It's a postage stamp! My goodness! Where have you been?"
"I 'n't so strange that Mother Goose people don't know about postage stamps," said the Riddlee Lady. "I didn't think of it when I asked it. Mother Goose Land is an old-fashioned, old-fashioned place. They send all their letters by messenger and stamps are not needed."
"So I began at once to tell them all about it."
"I don't see why you called it after Mother Goose," said the Riddlee Lady.
The Riddlee Lady smiled. "Well, you see, I had to have a word that rhymed with corner and Horner was the only word I could think of. I don't think you would be pleased, sir."
"I am!" said Jack sheepishly. "But I'm stuck in a corner and you get the stamp. The price is a nickel." "If it isn't, it should be. Nick the questioner is a real stickler for the price. The price is a nickel."

Nick thought and thought. Suddenly he began to laugh. "I remember," one of the men said, "you can guess it. What key is hardest to turn?"

"A turnkey!" declared Doctor Foster quickly.

"No," said Nick. "That isn't it."

"Are you sure?" insisted Mrs. Daw.

"It could be all right."

"That's not the answer," said Nick. They guessed monkey and turkey and finally Daddy Gander called out, "I know—it's a donkey!"

"Good for you, Nick!" laughed the Ridgelys.

"That was a fine riddle. Daddy Gander, here is a new pipe for your prize."

(To be continued.)

**Great Reductions on
the balance of our Elec-
tric Trains. Not many
left—Get your's today.
Toytown—M. R. A.
Ltd.**

PLEASED WITH PROGRESS
T. A. Somerville, of the E. G. M. Cape Co., of Montreal, before leaving for that city on Saturday afternoon, expressed himself as very well pleased with the progress which is being made in the erection of the Admiral Beatty Hotel. Particularly was he pleased to discover that there was heat on in 80 radiators, situated on the second, third and fourth floors of the new structure. The contract for heating is being fulfilled by a local concern, Francis S. Walker, Church street.

By STANLEY



Here is Answer to Saturday's Puzzle

Canadian Press Cable.
MONTREAL, Dec. 21—Henri Messier, Hermenegilde Dufaut and David Myette were committed to stand trial at Sorel on Saturday on the charge of having murdered Emile Pelletier, a butcher of Sorel, on the night of Nov. 22.

Saturday's Puzzle

—

S	L	E	E	K	Z	F	B	R	A			
S	L	U	M	P	E	E	T	O	U	G	H	
L	U	L	U	P	L	Y	A	D	R	Y		
O	M	L	R	E	F	E	R	D	E	E		
O	S		L	O	G		N	A	B	E	N	
P		D	O	G		O	I	R	E	A		
P	E	N	P	E	N	U	L	T	I	M	A	T
C		W	G	I		O	E	K	E	M		
O	F		E	S	T	O	N	E		D	O	
A	I	M		H	I	G	H	T		B	O	A
T	A	I	L		C	A	M		C	Y	S	T
S	T	R	A	P		B		L	U	R	E	S
S		S	E	P	I	A		D	O	P	E	S

FLORIDA


Touring through the great fruit and orange section by automobile. (June-like climate.) Visiting all principal resorts on the East and West Coasts. Optional side trip to Havana. Parties with escort leave Jan., Feb. and March—best of everything. Secure Illustrated Itinerary. Est. 1919.

Unwelcome.

The Woman—"I wish to lodge a complaint."

Hotel Clerk—"Sorry, madam, but our rooms are all full."

rooms are all full."



TO

Prevent
Chapped Hands & Cracked Knuckles

Rub "Vaseline" Petroleum Jelly on your hands before working in the cold or wet and you'll avoid chapped hands and cracked knuckles. For cuts, burns, blisters, wounds and minor skin troubles, apply "Vaseline" Jelly liberally. Always safe, soothing and healing.

"Vaseline" for the trade-mark "Vaseline" on every Vaseline. It is your protection.

Chas. H. & Co., Chicago (Inc.)
1880 Canal St., Montreal

Vaseline

1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		11				12				
13	14			15					16	17
18				19			20		21	
22	23		24	25		26	27		28	29
30		31			32			33		
34				35				36		
	37				38			39		
40			41			42			43	44
45		46		47	48		49		50	
		51	52		53			54		
		55								

SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

HORIZONTAL	VERTICAL
1—A Christmas present every Ice lover wants	1—A Christmas present. Nother boys always want
6—What a little girl wants for Christmas	2—So like a
11—A very small particle	4—Toward
12—To come along	4—To draw with a pointed Instru
13—The evening before Christmas	5—Large bodies of water
15—What they sing at Christmas	6—To let fall
16—A spread	7—A liquid insaluable in water (pl.)
18—Lair	8—A degree
19—High School (abbr.)	9—Part of a tree
20—Aforthright to a letter (abbr.)	10—Always
21—Because	14—May you be at Christmas
22—Is	17—What the child thinks of Christmas
24—Exists	22—Perform
28—The dearest person at Christmas	23—Therefore
34—A lyric poem	24—Edify
39—Something used to suggest Christmas	25—A covered collar
43—Tied Christmas presents to denote who they are intended for	26—A planet
45—Belonging to us	27—A Roman coin
48—A foreign nobleman	28—By word of mouth
49—Cooking utensil	28—A long fish
49—An animal	31—Suffix denoting one who follows some cult
49—Fairy	32—Pertaining to music
49—Toward the top	33—Golf term
49—Prefix meaning not	40—Veas
45—A kind of grain	41—By; near
49—Implied	42—Pronoun
50—A beverage	44—Tidy
51—A weight (abbr.)	44—A kind of tree
49—Automobile	45—Perform
49—Initials for name of famous president	48—Anger
50—What we hang about the houses for Christmas	50—Part of verb "to be"
	50—Prefix meaning "two"
	44—Toward

By BLOSSER



By MARTIN



By SWAN



Quick! At Your
Grocer's Today

First thing you know your Grocer will have no Christmas Cake and Plum Pudding left. The run on Robinson baking is tremendous.

If you really prefer Cake and Plum Pudding on its merits—the way it looks, tastes and goes down—Robinson's for yours.

Fruit Cake, iced or otherwise, 45c lb. Cherry Cake and Pound Cake, iced to taste, 50c lb. Sold with Old English Plum Puddings.

But quick! The rush is on. It always goes fast. Those who look last look in vain.

ROBINSON'S LTD.

HARTLAND	HERE.	Paul's church yesterday when Ven. Archdeacon A. H. Crowfoot was assisting at the ordination service in St. John's (Stone) church.
Rev. W. Hartland, conducted the service in St.		

and 

BROMO QUININE

A Safe and Proven Remedy
for Colds, Grip and Influenza.

The First and Original Cold and Grip Tablet

Look for this
Signature  on the Box.
30c.

Made in Canada