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ittle heat came near them. I could hardly sleep. "When I saw Cuticura Soap and Ointment advertised I sent for a free sample which did so much good that I bought more, and I used two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and three cakes of Cuticura Soap when I was healed." (Signed) Miss Bertha Nilsson, Stock-holm, Sask n. Sask

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A COLONY OF BEES.

Its Members, Their Product and the Heat of a Sting.

A colony of bees in summer consists of from 50,000 to 100,000 individuals. Each colony contains a queen, several hundred drones and the balance workers. The latter are neuter or undeveloped females, and they do all the work of the hive, gather their food from the flowers, which consists of honey and pollen. They also gather propolis, a resinous substance used to stop cracks and boles in the hive.

It is not generally known that honey is not thick and syrupy when first gathered. It is called nectar by beekeepers and looks like water. When first gathered it can be shaken from the combs easily. Sometimes it is necessary to shake

bees from a brood comb, and the bees Dees from a brood comb, and the bees as they fall are so deluged by the wa-tery nectar that they look like the proverbial "drowned rats." This, how-ever, does no harm, as they at once proceeded to clean each other, and when bees clean up they do a good job. I have put out a dish from the table that was daubed with honey, and in a very short time it was as clean as though washed.

Many persons are very much afraid of the business end of the bee, and those who are not used to bee sting poison suffer pain when stung. The sensation of a bee sting can be compared to the prick of a needle point in the flesh, and then try to imagine that while just under the skin the needle is heated white hot and held there for about five minutes. Bee-keepers will agree that this statement is not overdrawn. Beekeepers work-ing about the hives every day are seldom stung, as they know the habits of the bees and avoid their prods. In time one becomes more or less im-mune to the poison.—George Shiber in New York Sun.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget In Cows.

THE DRUG MENACE.

Society Facing an Exceedingly Dangerous Human Element.

In rigorous effort to suppress the illegal sale and use of habit forming drugs the New York police are now arresting annually about 900 persons and securing 700 convictions. Of those fully 75 per cent, have had previous police records, which include every crime in

Peggy.

My Peggy is a young thing, Just entered in her teens, air as the day, and sweet as May, Fair as the day, and always gay; My Peggy is a young thing, And I'm not very auld, Yet well I like to meet her at

The wauking of the fauld My Peggy speaks sae sweetly,

Whene'er we meet alane, yish nae mair to lay my care, wish nae mair of a' that's rare;

My Peggy speaks sae sweetly, To a' the lave I'm cauld, But she gars a' my spirits glow At wauking of the fauld.

- My Peggy smiles sae kindly Whene'er I whisper love That I look down on a' the town, That I look down upon a crown; My Peggy smiles sae kindly It makes me blyth and bauld, And nacthing gives me sic
 - And naething gives me sic de-light.

As wauking of the fauld.

My Peggy sings sae saftly

When on my pipe 1 play. By a' the rest it is confest, By a' the rest, that she sings best; My Peggy sings sað saftly

And in her sangs are tauld With innocence the wale

sense, At wauking of the fauld. Allen Ramsay

FREQUENT HEADACHES

People with thin blood are much

Propie with thin blood are much more subject to headaches than full-blooded persons, and the form of anaemia that afflicts growing girls is almost always accompanied by head-aches, together with disturbances of the digestive organs. Whenever you have constant or re

curring headaches and pallor of the face, they show that the blood is thin and your efforts should be directed toward building up your blood. A fair treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will do this effectively, and the rich, red blood made by these pills will remove the headache. More disturbances to the health are

caused by their blood than most peo-ple have any idea of. When your blood is impoverished, the nerves suffer from lack of nourishment and you may be troubled with insomnia, neuritis, neuralgia or sciatica. Muscles subject to strain are under-nourished and you may have muscular rheumat ism or lumbago. If your blood is thin and you begin to show symptoms of any of these disorders, try building up the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and as the blood is restored to its normal condition every symptom of the trouble will disappear. There are more people who owe their present state of good health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills than to any other medicine.

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and most of them do not hesitate to

Science Jottings.

It has been discovered that wood can be preserved from destructive worms by injecting pure turpentine into it by neans of a syringe or other instru nent.

The illumination of the Statue of Liberty in the New York harbor is ac-complished by the use of 250 lamps,

each of 250 watts capacity. Within the twelve months ended March 31 the British and Foreign Bible Society distributed 11,000,000 Bibles and tracts printed in 497 different lan-

guages. An electric lamp on the phonograph An electric lamp on the phonograph helps the orator to guide the needle to its proper place on the record. The average passenger train earns about \$1.40 per mile. The cars and

locomotives weigh about 550 tons The resources of the State of Arkan-sas are being boosted by means of an

exhibition train, accompanied by 125 residents of the State.

THE ATHENS REPORTER, SEPTEMBER 12, 1917



own wings, turned out to have a mar-

velous agility, a miraculous power of assuming inusual positions and gett-ing itself out of them. Looping the loop, that maneuver over which the

pioneer airmen debated for so long a

time they dared make the attempt, is possible to one of the big wide-

must be done with skill and caution. however, else the aviator may wrench

off a wing; further, it must be done slowly. That is about the easiest thing to do with a scout machine of

the new fast type; its fifp is like the jump of a trout at a fly. You can fly it for several seconds upside down; and you can make it roll over

A Painter's Retort.

Shortly after Franz Lenbach had painted the portrait of Emperor Wil-liam I. a privy councilor called on him to express the Emperor's satisfaction.

to express the Emperor's satisfaction. There was only one criticism to make —would the professor be so kind as to paint more distinctly the buttons on the uniform, which were only indicated vaguely? Lenbach looked at him a

Monsleur: For 15 days in the month of January I was suffering with pain of rheumatism in the foot. I tried all kinds of reme-dies, but nothing did me any good. One person told me about MINARD'S LIMI-MENT, as soon as I tried it the Satur-day night, the next morning I was feeling very good; I tell you this remedy is very good; I tell you this remedy is very good; I could give you a good certificate any time that you would like to have one. If any time I come to hear about any person sick of rheumatism, I cculd tell them about this remedy. Yours truly,

Yours truly, ERNEST LEVEILLE,

IN THE TRENCHES.

oh, but they're beautiful, Shiela, my

216 Rue Ontario East, Montreal, Feb. 14, 1908.

and over. like a dog.

laughed heartily.

It

spreading observation machines.

sius, who, tradition says, was cured of Increase the spread of its wings in a snake bite by the rod of Moses. proportion to the power of its motor.

proportion to the power of its motor, and, while you add to its stability at Next to that comes the flag of Fionn MacCumhaill's militia, the golden sun-set on a blue ground, and the weight of opinion among all Irish students of research seems to favor this as the true national flag. Indeed, blue was a low pace and to its lifting power, you take away from its speed. The art of constructing a fast machine art of constructing a fast machine consists largely in giving it the smal-lest practical wing spread. It is the motor kicking with united of power against the air, not the wings gliding along the air, which makes it fly. And this kind of machine, meeting with but little obstruction from its own wings, turned out to have a maralways Ireland's national color until

1798 Quite a number of other flags have figured in Irish history, and each of them has its line of enthusiastic sup-porters. Not the least popular among these is the flag exhibiting three gold-en crowns imposed on a blue ground, which figures at the present day in the

arms of the Province of Munster. This flag was accepted after the Norman invasion in the near 1170 as the ensign of Ireland, the three crowns representing the kingdoms of Des-mond, Ormond and Thomond. It was retained until 1547, when Henry VIII. abolished it and substituted the harp. Coming down to more recent times, it is found that the Parliament of Ire-land, of which Henry Grattan was the

head, did not recognize green, although it did accept the harp. That parlia-ment's flag was a golden harp on a blue ground.

blue ground. At the time of the Union with Eng-land in 1801 a new flag was evolved apparently for the express purpose of incorporating it with what is now known as the union jack, but it does not seem to have caught the popular fancy any more than the act of un-ion

ton. This was the red saltire on a white ground, which was christened St Patfrom the arms of Trinity College at Dublin though how Dublin came by it is a mystery.

The tricolor of green, white and or ange-"The orange and green, with the stripe of peace between"-is the recognized flag of the Irish National whose aim is complete independence .- James T. Doyle, in Baltimor American.



Can Do With Ease What

Was Impossible.

Powerful Motor, Small Wings, the Secret.

The race for improvements in fightng planes between the allies and the central powers has been nip and tuck all the way, writes Will Irwin in the Saturday Evening Post. Late in 1915 the Germans sprang the first well recognized type of what the British call a scout machine. It was the famous Fokker, an exact copy of the French Morane-a return to the monoplane principle, which had been aband early in the war. Being able to fire through a propeller, it had supremacy until the French perfected a similar device.

The French then answered with a

HT.P WANTED How to Test, How to Beat, How to Boil. Are the eggs for which you pay 40 cents better than those which cost 50? Test them to see. Much handling makes eggs shiny. Those direct from the farm are dull. If an egg is stale some of the water of its composition has evaporated through the porous shell, air has en-tered, and the egg is light. To test, put in a deep pan of water. First-if bad it will flat. Second.-If stale it will oe light enough to stant away from the bottom of the pan or stand on end. This, test will wales cause sit to sink.

SOME EGG LORE.

Third—if fresh its weight causes it to sinz. This test will make you wish eggs could always be bought by the pound, as in some places, instead of by the dozen. B.cause the eggshell is porous and read-ily absorbs impurities from a dirty shell or the air eggs should always be wash-ed before being put away. Second test: Hold egg before a candle or gas jet behind which is a dark back-ground.

Around the yolk of an egg is a thin tissue, which holds the yolk together. When decomposition occurs the yolk together. When decomposition occurs the yolk breaks this membrane and be-comes mixed with the white. By hold-ing the egg before a strong light the yolk can easily be seen as a large dark spot.

spot. If bad, the yolk has broken its mem-brane and this dark spot cannot be

Drane and this using spot cannot be noticed. There is also a tissue around the white of an egg which, in beating the whites stiff, must be broken into infinitesmal pleces before the egg will become light and fluffy.

stiff, must be broken into inimicant pleces before the egg will become light and fluffy. A few grains of salt dropped into the white before beating will at each turn of the beater help to cut this membrane. The whites then "beat up" much soon-er than if the salt had not been added. Table for cooking eggs without keep-ing time or temperature: One egg, one-half pint of boiling water. Two or three eggs, a pint of boiling wa-ter. Three to five eggs, one and one-half pints of boiling water. Five to eight eggs, a quart. hair pints of boiling water. Five to eight eggs, a quart. Put the eggs into the water while it is boiling and immediately set the dish away from the fire. Fifteen or twenty minutes will be required to cook the eggs. After that time the water will have reached 140 degrees and will do no more cooking, but will keep the eggs warm a long time.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

CONTINENT OF MARVELS.

Some of South America's "Greatest in the World."

moment over his glasses and said, "Look here, Mr. Councilor, I paint heads, not buttons (ich mal' nur Bring on the superlatives! We write of South America, the continent where are the world's greatest moun-tain ranges, densest forests and largkoepfe, aber keine knoepfe!) Tell his majesty that!' The Emperor when this answer was brought to him est rivers. Just for instance, the Amazon river

system has over 50,000 miles of navi-gable waterway, enough to the two loops around our planet. It can be navigated for 2,500 miles by ocean steamers, a greater distance than from New York to Panama. The Rio de la Plata is 120 miles wide at its mouth.

And notwithstanding all Colonel Roosevelt's discoveries South Ameri-ca still has the largest unexplored area of any continent.

Almost everybody knows that Bra-zil is larger than Europe or the con-tinental United States, but the size of

the "little" republics is not so well known. Texas could be lost tweet in "little" Venezuela and still leave room for Kentucky and Tennessee. Peru could comfortably swallow California, Oregon, Washington, Ne-vada, Arizona, Utah and Idaho.

And it is over 2,000 miles from one Names wi' the air o' the mountain and glen in them, Names wi' the sound o' the pibroch's Amer in them, Names wi' the ding o' the dour kilted men in them.

And it is over 2,000 miles from one end of Chile to the other—almost as far as from New York to Glasgow! Gold is found in every state of South America, and from Potosi alone the famous "peak of silver" in Boliv-ia, more than \$2,000,000,000 in silver has been mined in the last three there has been mined in the last three centuries.-World Outlook.

Names wi' the smell o' the haggies and peat in them, Names wi' the flavor of whister peat in them, Names wi' the flavor of whiskey sue sweet in them, Names wi' some clods o' Ben Lamond's broad feet in them, Famous for fetchin' the hale warld **RELIEF AT LAST**

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Burns in them, Names wi' the hearts o' the heather that yearns in them, Names wi' the kills that fricht babe-killing Huns in them, Oh, but they're beautiful, Shiela, my own.

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the states of Wyoming, Idaho and Montana, though nearly 4,000 head are thought to remain in Colorado, and considerable numbers are scattered through western Canada. The Camp-fire Club of America and other organ-izations and individuals are working for its preservation. The favorite home of the elk is the Yellowstone home of the elk is the Yellowstone National park, where he has no rifle to fear and where cougars, coyotes and timber wolves are kept under control. In the park and its vicinity are probably 50,000 head, distributed in two main herds During the summer months the elk

During the summer months the end live high up in the mountains, gen-erally at an elevation of 8,000 to 11.-000 feet. The grassy plateaus offer an ideal summer range. Even on the wooded sides of the highest ravines there are parklike glades where the elk late in the afternoons come out to feed. It is difficult to imagine a more beautiful sight than is then afforded by these stately and graceful animals. Although their number in the park may sometimes reach as high as 60, 000 head, it is rare for visitors to see a single specimen. Visitors are ta-ken in stages around a regular route arranged for viewing the natural phenomena of that great outdoor muettm.

The elk dislike to be pursued by tourists with cameras and keep away from the stage routes. If visitors would leave the highways of the park and seek out its byways, either on foot or by pack and saddle trips, they would have a marvelous opporwhich survives of our mountain wild life—not only the elk, but mountain sheep, deer, beaver and many other animals

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Odds and Ends.

Certain German naval authorities are experimenting with electrical machinery for gathering peat.

Berean College students, numbering 1,400, are being sufficiently fed at a cost of 17 cents per day, and those at Carlisle School at a slightly lower

Pittsburg's pay-roll amounts to about \$1,000,000 per day.

The manufacturing capital of the

Southern States is nearly 60 per cent. of that of the entire country in 1899.

The world's consumption of cotton last year amounted to 24,500,000 bales

.of cotton

the statutes. This is an official state ment, one of sinister portent. It means that law abiding society is fac-11 iLg a human element new and exceed-ingly dangerous—so grave, in fact, that one of the most important duties of the police lies in stamping out this traffic.

The danger is by no means confined to large cities like New York; it probably growing in towns and vil-lages all over the country. Police in-vestigations have revealed an appall-ing increase of drug addicts. More than one-half of those confined in the city prison, the Tombs, were victims, Man and women following virtually every business. trade and unofession every business trade and profession were included. Even school children became addicted to the habit of using these drugs.

It is with full knowledge of such oceverything possible to stop illegal traf-fic in druge. Criminals of this class i.resent a problem even more difficult than the old time bank robber and general crook. The police may arrest general crook, the police may arrest 1.000 offenders annually, but the pro-blem will not be solved until boys and girls are taught the terrible results which follow upon the use of habit forming drugs. It is at this point that teachers of physiology and personal hygiene must lend powerful co-opera-tion --Century Magazine tion .- Century Magazine.



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Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

FLAGS OF IRELAND.

Prior to 1798 National Color Was Blue.

The universal belief concerning the flag of Ireland is that it has always been "the harp without the crown" imposed on a field of green, and that green has from time immemorial been Erin's color.

I venture to say that ninety out of every hundred persons will assert, in answer to a query, that the harp on a green background has constituted Ireland's national design these many cen turies, this belief obtaining generally In opposition to this belief it will ap-

pear strange when the asseveration is made that Ireland's national color until something more than a century ago was blue.

It may, indeed, produce a bit of a shock to many who have been wedded to the nation that "the Emerald Isle," to the harror that the Emeratu Isre, "the shamrock so green," "our green isle beyond the sea" and other similar expressions were indissolubly and forver connected with the 'country's national colors.

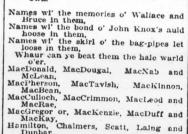
tional colors. But, as a matter of fact, the green flag made its appearance in 1798, the year of the uprising, so that as flags go it is comparatively new. Green, you know, is a blend of the orange and the blue, aid it is asserted that treen was adouted in 1708 by the green was adopted in 1798 by the Inited Irishmen to typify the union o north and south, orange being the color affected in the northern part of Ireland and blue in the southern provinces.

In point of antiquity the real Irish flag is the "spear and serpent," which appears in the arms of the O'Sullivans. It is said to commemorate the incident of Gaodhal Glas, the ancestor of Mille-

greater speed and practical agility. That killed the monoplane idea—at least for the time being. The latest machines are all of honoplane idea—at reast for the time being. The latest machines are all of the biplane type. The new models have come out so fast that a layman has difficulty in keeping up with hem.

Even the fastest, most aglle mahines of a year ago will be out of late this summer. In July, 1916, in the Verdun sector, I watched a squadron of scout machines maneuvering. They of scout machines maneuvering. They handled themselves like a flock of swallows. Yesterday, at an aviation base near the front, I watched two aviators, but lately sent up from school, go through their morning practice. Travelling across the sky at an increditable speed, they seemed to turn in their own length; they roll-ad over on their syls, as a swimmeod over on their axis as a swimmer rolls over in the water; they flipped heir noses downward and dived: thprought themselves to level with a

sharp twist. Compared with those swallow machines I watched last year they seem-ed like humming birds. For the constructors, in planning this new type of machine, made an accidental discov-ery; an airplane is a motor on wings. I night.—Houston Post.



Mackay, Homiton, Chalmers, Scatt, Laing and Dunbar, Gordon and Watson frae dark Lochnagar, Ross, Reid and Dalrymple, Craig, Angus and Burns, Monro and MacFarlane (that's Irish by turns).

turns), Campbell and Stewart, Dunlop and Mac-

with the Cameron men frae the land o' Lochiel. -Anon.

Of course, unhappiness is the cause

of divorce, and much of the unhappi-ness is due to the circumstance that the wife has nothing to do at home in



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Ironing Kills the Germs.

One need not worry about receiving infection in clothes sent to a laundry even though they be washed with those of other families in which there may be infectious diseases. Such, in substance, is a report just issued by the United States public health serthe United States public health ser-vice after an investigation by M. C. Schroeder and S. G. Southerland of the New York department of health. For whatever disease germs are not killed in the washing will be killed in the ironing. In fact, the ironing kills more germs than the washing. There is, however, danger in hav-ing clothes washed by a laundress at her own home, for, "owing to the close quarters in which the laundress es live, there is possibility of reinfec-

es live, there is possibility of reinfec tion of the clean linen if communic able diseases are present among the members of the laundress' family.

"Undertakers."

In England in 1614 undertakers were men of influence who undertook for a consideration to get such persons returned to Parliament as would prove submissive to the royal will of King James I. The three chief undertakers of 1614 were Lords Bacon, Somerset and Neville. Then there were under-takers in Ireland in 1608. They were English and Scotch colonists sent to North Ireland and were each allotted 2,000 acres of land. They were men of capital and undertook to pay a mark a year for every six acres and to admit no recusant for tenants; hence the name as applied to them. But neither the histories nor the digiton. aries give any reason for calling the men who bury our dead undertakers.

It has been computed that 25,000 theles pass Forty-second street and

at 500 pounds to the bale

Fifth avenue, New York, each day. According to data compiled from var-ious sources by the United States Bu-reau of Labor Statistics, the number of strikes and lockouts during the year of 1916 was 3,323, as compared with 1,229 in 1915.

1,229 in 1915. Apart from thousands of lives de-stroyed by fire, the United States sus-tains an annual loss from this cause of at least \$300,000,000; a per capita nearly ten times as great as that found in the leading countries of Europe.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I want you to promise that if you decide to enlist you will tell me all about it without delay." "What "I want to speak to the general, so that he won't let you forget your overshoes and eat things that disagree with you. You know, Char-ley, you are so careless!"---Washington Star.

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