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Or baby at night waked the house with a With Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Gran'ther

That no cold or cough would e'er fail of a

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## Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

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50 Years of Cures.

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the Conservative rooms, who I don't

Mr. Robinson here objected to this line of cross-examination. Mr. Osler-I propose to cross-examine at large as to credit. Judge Robertson-Can't Mr. Osler substantiate his case by means of denight of Dec. 17 in London?

fendant witnesses? In reply to Judge Ferguson, Mr. Osthat if his cross-examination substantiated other charges than train? the Detroit and Windsor group, he would ask the court to admit the evi-

dence on those charges. Judge Ferguson said he did not procounsels' arguments. He proposed to get on with the case in some way. further argument, in which Mr. Robinson strongly argued against Mr. Osler's stringent cross-examination, Judge Ferguson said there could be no limit to the cross-examination of witness as to his credibility.

GRAYDON'S HUNT.

Mr. Osler, having won his point, proceeded. Witness said it was part of his duty to see the G. T. R. station agent at Chatham. When he got to Windsor he staved at the Crawford House. stayed there the first night, but Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights he slept at the Russell House, Detroit. He had a list of some voters with him. He first saw Harold Richardson Wednesday night at the Crawford House. On Tuesday night he met Mr. Wm. Grav. president of the Conservative Club, at the Crawford House. He saw no voters Tuesday night. Wednesday morning he went to Walkerville, but saw no voters. He saw the in Detroit. Walkers about some inland revenue

man named Spearman, but made no arrangement about him. From there he went to see a man named Plewes, and also George Calver, but did not find them. Then he went to look for Ryckman at his home, but Ryckman was not there. The woman who an- man you never saw before! Did you swered the door told him Ryckman was working on a church. Witness could not find Ryckman there, and returned to the house. He left a message for Ryckman, but would not swear that of the trial. he had not left word that he wanted Ryckman to go to London to vote. Q .- Will you say that you did not ask Mrs. Ryckman to send Ryckman

A .- No; I asked her to send the boy Q .- Did you offer to leave with her

A.-No.

Q.—Whom did you next see?

Witness said White looked him up He afterwards canvassed Rykman for his vote at the Crawford House, and Richardson came in at the time. Richardson and witness then looked for Lloyd and found him at church. Judge Robertson-Was this on Sun-

Mr.Osler-No; the Wednesday evening service. Witness said Richardson went into the church and witness waited out-

### DURING THE PRAYERS. Q .- Did Richardson wait for the

prayers? Witness said Richardson stayed some time inside before he could see Lloyd. Lloyd came out after a while and witness interviewed him. Then Richardson and witness returned. He thought they went to Detroit that night. Next rning (Thursday) witness went to Walkerville and saw a L. E. and D. R. R. employe. On Thursday afternoon he went to the races. Q .- See anything but horses? Any

Do anything but election Toothe to Graydon, asking the latter work? A.-No. Q .- You were doing the races?

Witness did not think Richardson dined Thursday night with him. on swears that he dined with you that night.

A MYSTERIOUS CONFERENCE. Witness said that he saw some voters, among them John Forbes, Pat Howard, possibly Forkey, and Fitzhenry. He was not sure whether Richardson was there or not. He could not say how many voters were there.

Q.-How did they come there? A .- I don't know; I had not asked them. But I have a pretty good idea. Mr. Osler-Yes, they cam came as flies

Witness said Ryckman was the only one he had asked to come. On Friday he had his full list of voters, and he ers' list which witness had been asked went to see a man named Parker, who to look after by Mr. Beattle. Witness worked in a wholesale confectioner's that spoken to Ross on a previous ocstore, but who was not in at the time. store, but who was not in at the time. casion about Hamilton voters for Next he went to see Eastland. After London. The Martin mentioned was tea he went to see Parker at his George Martin, a lawyer.

house, and after that to see Beveridge. Mr. Osler — There is a telegram. Sarsaparilla.

Knapp and Forbes, Richardson was | Toothe to Richardson, telling him to | -0-0-0voters, and arrange for them to come? look after Harvey. How did that come CORNERING HIM ON CARTY. Q .- Your errand was to see London TOOTHE CONTRADICTS GRAYDON.

A.-No; my object was to see how they were going to vote, and if they A .- I don't know Witness explained that in a letter Q.-And for that reason you had a list? to Toothe he had mentioned Richard-

name was not on the list?

vote?

and money?
A.—No.

the interests of the Conservative party

A.—No. Witness said he talked to Saunders

about voters in the Russell House on Saturday. He gave Saunders no names

Q.—Can you suggest anyone who would go to A. J. Carty with a ticket

EMPLOYED BY FRED BEATTIE.

Q.—It was Mr. Fred Beattle who asked you to go to Detroit?

A.—Yes. Witness saw Mr. Beattle one day,

and Beattie asked him if he was going

to Windsor. Witness said "Yes," and Mr. Beattie asked him to look after

these votes. Witness frequently went

to Windsor. Witness saw Ryckman

three times altogether in Windsor.

at that time, and again at the time of

the Detroit commission. On the latter occasion he went to see Ryckman on

Sunday, the day before the commis-

sion, and twice afterwards before

Q.-When did you go to Detroit for

A .- Early on the Sunday morning

Q.-Whom did you see that Sunday?

A.-Ryckman, Knowles and Richard.

Q.-Was Hugh Sharkey, the barber,

Judge Ferguson-What time did wit-

Mr. Osler-On the midnight train,

Q.-How long had Sharkey been

A .- I didn't know he was there un-

Witness said Mr. Hellmuth had ad-

vised him to go to Detroit before the

Q.-Did Major Beattie go with you

A .- No; we met him at the Cadillac

Q.-Did you go to the station to

Q .- You knew Ryckman had been

A.—Yes.
Q.—And you found Ryckman?
A.—I did not see him when he came

A .- I went to the Royal Hotel.

Q .- And went to Ryckman's room?

Witness said Ryckman was talking

Q.-Did you becken him out and

A.—Yes; when I got hold of him. Q.—"Got hold of him!" Had

arranged with Toothe for the inter-

Ryckman a room at another hotel?

room at the London House.

Q .- And after the interview you got

A.-When we got through, Ryck-

leave the door open for me every

known Ryckman before he saw him

times on your first visit to Detroit,

three times before the commission

sat, and when he came here on sub-

of him, and took him to Toothe's of-

A .- In London, after the first sitting

Q.-How many times did you see

A.—Three or four times. Mr. Osler said Ryckman's father

was a conductor, running to London

Q .- Did you ever come to know E. J.

Q.-Did you know he was going to

ANOTHER SUNDAY TRIP.

Q.-Were you in Detroit last Sunday

-To see if I could find Locking-

-Did you nunt for Lockington?

A .- I searched in the ordinary way

for Lockington's name. Witness said he found several names

such as Ludington, and went to the owners, but he did not find the right

One place he went to

-You have been at Detroit on

five miles out of the city. (Laugh-

other occasions? How many times have you been there since Dec. 1?

last five months. Twice on election matters and ones to a ball.

A .- I think only three times in the

Q.-Did you see Joseph P. Cos-

Mr. Osler produced a telegram from

to arrange to have Costello go to

Q.-What do you understand by the

Witness said he could not put a

onstruction upon Mr. Toothe's tele-

Mr. Osler-I see in your telegram to

Witness said he had no recollection

of Ingram or the telegram.

see Ryckman's father?

A.—Yes. Q.—When?

on the G. T. R.

be a witness?

and Monday?

A -YPS

madie.

tello?

quick."

word "arrange"?

Q .- What for?

ton. (Laughter.)

Q.-What did you do?

A.-No.

Mr. Osler-Yes, you saw him three

(Laughter.) Witness said he

I learned he had

Had you

subpoenaed for the petitioner?

gone to the Royal Hotel.

Q.-Did you follow him?

to somebody in his room.

take him to Toothe's?

in on the train.

A.-Yes.

night."

meet him on the arrival of the 11:30

Sunday night. Q.—Did you see Ryckman on the

A.-Sharkey was with me when

met Ryckman on Woodward avenue.

he commission sat.

there?

there?

before the commission. Q.—Who with?

ness leave London?

Saturday night.

til I got there.

and Toothe?

son in connection with the votes of Lloyd and Coppinger. A.—Yes. Q.—Can you swear E. J. Carty's Mr. Osler-I call upon Mr. Toothe to produce that letter.
Mr. Toothe-I don't like to say Mr. Q .- Did you report the result of Graydon is mistaken, but I do not re-

your trip? A.-I think I marked off the names did, I haven't got it. of the men on that list.
Q.—What did you do with the list? Osler-The sent it, and mentioned Harold Rich-A .- Gave it to Mr. Fred Beattie. ardson's name. Q.-Do you know anyone else in Witness then said he would not swear he had mentioned Richardson's name

who was looking after the Detroit Mr. Osler-You swore you did. A.-I said I thought I had, and I A.-I met a man named Saunders. Q.—Do you know of anyone else given charge of the Detroit vote?

still think so. HAD "MONEY TO BURN."

Mr. Osler scanned witness' cash book, and said witness got \$100 the day before the election. Witness said he had nothing entered in the book after the election. Q .- Where did you get the \$100.

.-I don't know. (Laughter.) Witness confessed that none of the \$405 expended by himself, as recorded in his book, had been included in Mr. Beattie's official return of expenses.

WHOLESALE DENIALS. Q.-Mr. Graydon, you undertake to contradict Mr. Fitzhenry?

Q .- Also Ryckman? A.-Yes. Q.-Also Costello? A .- Yes.

Q.-Also Lloyd?

A.—No; only in slight matters. Q.—You contradict Forkey? Q.—You contradict E. J. Carty? A.—Yes.

Q .- You contradict John Carty? Q.-Did you know Fitzhenry was A .- I believed he was not.

Q .- How did you learn that? A.—From Mr. Hornsby.
Q.—You absolutely produce nothing with reference to your Detroit trip? A.—Nothing.
Mr. Osler—Mr. Beattie produces nothing, and Mr. Toothe nothing.

Q.-Did you lay any money on the table at Mrs. Ryckman's house? A .- No; I was not in the house. Judge Ferguson-You didn't pay or leave any money for anybody?

To Mr. Hellmuth, witness said the money given him by Mr. Fitzgerald was chiefly to pay the expenses of the Tupper demonstration. All the payments he had made were recorded in The court adjourned at 1 p.m. for

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Important Oil Find at Wheatley, Ontario.

Brakeman Killed Near Gravenhurst -Melba Has to Give Up Her Engagement.

Hamilton's fire losses for the past year were only \$20,921 99. The steamer State of Georgia, from Dantzic for Halifax, is long overdue, The German Savings Bank of Des Moines, Iowa, suspended payment

Thursday morning. Rev. C. H. Mockridge, of Toronto, has been called to the rectorship of he is supposed to have been very the Church of the Messiah, Detroit. Wm. Hudson, of Hintonburg, Ont., death of his wife, who died a few the Kaw River, near Kansas City. months ago.

man said he was afraid his hotel was closed. Mr. Toothe said: "You'd bet-The Commercial Cable Company's ter come with me. I can get you a issue of £400,000 (\$2,000,000) 4 per cent 000. He had considerable ingenuity debentures, offered by the Barings at and a great aptitude for mechanics, 94 per cent, closed on Thursday, largesaw Ryckman next day coming out of the court house. He had never over-subscribed.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland has accepted sion anniversary services at Peterboro, Jan. 24; St. Marys, Jan. 31; Kingston, Feb. 7; Whitby, Feb. 14; Mitchell, Feb. 21; Port Dover, Feb. 28. Mme. Melba has asked to be releaspoena, you were waiting to get hold ed from her engagement with the Metropolitan Opera Company, and will fice! And all this attention paid to a sail for Paris on Saturday. She wants to take the benefit of a sea voyage and a rest of a month, and expects to return in six weeks to finish her engagement.

The Wheatley (Kent county) Gas and Oil Company, while boring for gas in the southeast part of the town struck an oil well at the depth of 1,152 feet, and 45 feet in the oil rock. well is supposed to be a good one. The oil remains at the depth of 259 feet below the surface of the ground. At Gravenhurst Wednesday morning brakeman, working on top of some freight cars while the train was shunting, and fell to the track, the cars passing over him and mangling his body. Deceased was 30 years of age, and belonged to Barrie. He was married about a year ago to Miss Morley.

TERRIBLE POSSIBILITY. The Steamer Ilfracombe Goes Down Probable Loss of All on Board.

London, Jan. 2.-The British steamer Salisbury, from Port Reach to Newport, has been in collision with an unknown steamer about four miles from Ilfracombe, Devonshire. The latter is supposed to have sunk with a crew of about twenty men.

## THE NATIVES RAN.

The Royal Niger Company's Men Find No Enemy to Fight.

Brass, Guinea Coast, Jan. 22.-News Brass, Guinea Coast, Jan. 22.—News gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel, salaries and sundries was has just been received here that the gravel has been received here the gravel has been received here. Company against the Emir of Nupe, from Lokoja, found the Foulah army dispersed and in flight when it arrived at Kabba.

The expedition consisted of 500 Naussa troops, six maxim rapid-fire guns, twenty-six mounted European officers and 900 carriers. It was headed by the Governor, Sir George Goldie, and was accompanied by the Royal Niger Com-Coonskin Boyd you say "Arrange to have Culbine." Who is Ingram? I see here a telegram from Toothe to pany fiotilla of armed stern-wheeled steamers. The quarrel between the powerful Emir of Nupe and the Niger you, which reads: "Ingram arranged for; do not touch." company is an old one and arose from the Emir's raiding the company's territory for slaves. The Foulah force at Kabba was estimated to amount Mr. Osler produced a telegram from to 20,000 foot and 2,000 cavalry.

the witness to L. W. Ross, barrister, Hamilton, which read: "Will you or The estate of the late Shah of Persia Martin attend to matters I spoke about, if I forward papers? Answer is valued at \$200,000,000, of which twofifths is in cash and bullion. It is rumored that his successor will devote Witness said this referred to a vot-\$20,000,000 in advancing the civilization of Persia.

> Women who are weak and nervous. who have no appetite and cannot sleep find strength and vigor in Hood's

IN THE voting by the readers of Woman, the English journal, to decide who is the "most popular woman collect having received the letter. If in the United Kingdom" outside of royal circles, the Baroness Burdett-Coutts led the list, with Ellen Terry second and Mme. Patti third.

A GROCER'S horse in Zanesville, O., after having been driven over icy streets, where it could only stand with difficulty, was left standing in front of the grocery. Of its own accord the horse walked into the blacksmith shop, where it was usually shod, and held up its forefoot for inspection.

AN INTERESTING thing about Watts' "Wounded Heron," now on exhibition in London, is that it was first exhibited at the Royal Academy 60 years ago, in the year of the Queen's accession. It is believed that no other living artist can say as much of any picture of his own. His boyhood work was sold by Mr. Watts years ago, lost sight of, and then repurchased by the painter for \$25 from a Scotch

DR. DAVID BENNET, a distinguished Aberdeen mathematician, was recently presented with his portrait, subscribed by old pupils and painted by Sir George Reid, president of the Royal Scottish Academy. A replica was also presented to the Aberdeen University, the balance of the fund being handed over to the university for the foundation of a gold medal to be awarded annually for distinction in some branch of mathematical study.

IN A rural parish in the Mearns, the other week, says the Edinburgh Dispatch, an Aberdeen divine occupied the pulpit. Only one person attended service, and the minister apologized for the length of his discourse. His audience signified his approval of his preaching, and the minister continued. Guess the consternation when he discovered his audience consisted of his driver, who had been engaged by the hour! The preacher's eyesight was none of the best.

THE London Church Times-tells the story of a Protestant minister, who, on going to a new parish, inquired if there were any Puseyites in the community. "Naw, sir," said the clerk,
"there used to be some, but for the
last two years the boys have took
all their eggs." This is on a par with
the answer of the Georgia "cracker" who replied to a Sunday school missionary that he did not know whether there were any Presbyterians in the neighborhood c. not, "but there was some varmint around which was catching the chickens and lambs."

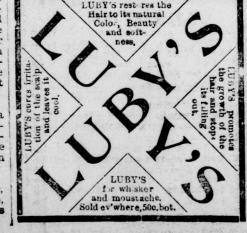
TIBURZI the brigand's brain was given after his death to Prof. Lombroso for examination. The professor is obliged to admit that it is perfectly normal, as are all the criminal's other organs, but he saves his theory by, alling him a criminaloid. By that he means a man whose natural qualities are not bad, but who becomes an outlaw only technically. Under more favorable circumstances, he thinks, Tiburzi might have become a leader of mercenaries like Sporza, or a founder of a state. He dodges the point that the man was a murderer and a thief.

NO ONE knows just how much the late Mathias Splittog was worth, but nearly a millionaire. He was one of the last of the Wyandotte Indians, was arrested Thursday afternoon on and his wealth was largely in the a charge of being the cause of the "unearned increment" of lands along For one piece of property the Missouri Pacific Railroad paid him \$160,and he is said to have built a snall steamboat which used to ply the Mis souri River between Atchison and invitations to conduct Methodist mis- Wyandotte. One of Splittog's peculiarities was that he would never sell a piece of land except for gold.

Westminster Township Council Westminster, Odell's Hotel, Jan. 11. -Minutes of a meeting of the West-

minster Township Council, composed of Geo. Riddell (reeve), John Mc-Dougall, Robert Brown and R. M. Piper. All the members subscribed to the legal declaration of qualification for office, and took their seats. John | ively. Cousins, John McDougall and R. N. appointed by the reeve and David John W. Elliott was appointed assessor at the same salary as last year. The treasurer's bond was read and approved. James McMillan was continued as treasurer. It was John firm the appointments of auditors, throughout the neighborhood. \$55 94 due for election expenses at ters. six polling places. W. H. Adams was him \$12 for the work done. Total checks issued by the council for gravel, salaries and sundries was clerk.

poles of Jupiter are flattened almost exactly like those of the earth, The phenomenon can be plainly seen with the telescope.





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20c a half dozen. A nice Cake Stand at 20c.

A Half-Gallon Jug at 25c. A beautiful Tea Set of six pieces 35c, worth 50c.

Pepper and Salt Cruets 15q Fruit Dish 10c.

## SOAPS:

For Saturday only we will | Twin Bar Castile 5c. beautifully wrapped, for 8c, Rose 5c. also a box that we sold for 15c Fifteen we will sell for 10c.

sell a nice box of Soap, 3 cakes | A very large cake of White

Fifteen bars best Electric Soap 25c. Saturday only, Bargain Day, Threelarge Laundry bars 25c

# MISCELLANEOUS:

Instant Crockery Mender, 5c; Bird Seed, 5c; Clothes Brushes, 10c; Whisks, 5c; Carpet Tacks, 2 papers for 5c; Two foot Carpenter's Rule, 10c; Picture Wire, 5c roll; Towel Rollers, 10c. lubs, 49c; Wash Board, 5c; a better one 10c; Fibre Lunch Box, 14c; Ash Sitters, 12c; Granite Pie Plates, 10c; Egg Beaters, 3c; Hand Lamps, 15c.

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Dorchester Agricultural Society Elects
Officers—A Traveler's Misfortune

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Tedford, of St. Thomas, and little
Eliza Middleton, sister of the groom, -Death's Doings.

Mr. Edwin Morrow, second south line, has disposed of both his farms to Mr. Benjamin Sells, Melrose, and Mr. George Brock, Adelaide, respect-

The Glencoe Transcript records the Piper were elected deputy reeves. death of Mr. Geo. Young, one of the For auditors, J. W. Crinklaw was early settlers of the township of Ek-Mr. Young was born on the frid. Lawson was elected by the council. Rideau Canal, near Kingston, Aug. 15, 1822. For several years he followed the business of a carpenter and builder, working in Woodstock, Caradoc and Ekfrid. About the year 1853 he settled in Ekfrid, where he resided up Nixon's turn to retire from the board to the time of his death. Mr. Young was a painstaking and successful of health, and he was reappointed, was a painstaking and successful Bylaws Nos. 557, 558 and 559 to confarmer, and was highly esteemed assessors, road commissioners and wife was Miss Bartram, of Caradoc, board of health, were passed in due who died about two years ago. Mrs. form. The deputy returning officers George Huston, of Ekfrid, is a sister, will be paid \$5 each, and \$3 for each polling place for the municipal elec-The reeve signed a bill for sists of five sons and three daugh-

At the annual meeting of the Dorpaid \$2 for a carriage spring broken chester Agricultural Society, the fol-while passing over a bad culvert. Mr. lowing officers were chosen: R. Ven-Shoebottom claimed pay for a ditch on ning, president; James James, vice-the 3rd concession. R. N. Piper and president; Wm. Uglow and Robert John Cousins will settle the claim out of their ward money. N. Monroe and S. Carrothers again reported that the road through the township, on lot 8. Choate, W. Strathdee, C. Beattie, P. Molardhan, hoperary discontinuous control of the control of the course of the cour on the 4th con., is still sinking. The reeve, R. N. Piper and John Cousins rectors, Thomas McFarlan, W. C. appointed a day to go and see the Drake and A. Gilmour, N. N. McCalappointed a day to go and see the road through the swamp and consider what is best to be done. The Bothwell Times: Mr. H. Harcourt Bothwell Times: Mr. H. Harcourt Bothwell Times: Mr. H. Harcourt, M.D., London, England, arrived in council agreed to release Mr. Mote M.D., London, England, arrived in from his contract on lot 8, and paid town on Monday, and registered at the Brunswick House. He reports that while on his way from Buffalo to Hamilton he became engaged in conversation with two men, who, on learning where he was going, stated that they were bound for the same place, and as the talk continued a social bottle was passed round, and soon thereafter he fell asleep, and when he awoke his 'friends' and money were gone. He reports the loss to be \$1,800.

At the annual meeting of the Adelaide Agricultural Society the following officers were elected for the year: President, Chas. Demaray; vice-president, W. T. Gallowawy; directors, Messrs. Wm. Dowding, Wm. F. Smith and J. M. Henderson; auditors, B. J. Donaldson and Richard Brock. Messrs. Harrison & Rathburn, of Glencoe, have disposed of their branch banking business at Alvinston to Mr. T. A. G. Gordon, late chief accountant in the Traders' Bank of Canada there, and Mr. A. Douglass, of Monreal, will take possession at once. The West Nissouri Agricultural Society held their annual meeting at Thorndale and elected the following officers for 1897: President, John Taylor: vice-president. R. Garner: secretary-treasurer, W. F. McGuffin;

directors, Dr. R. E. Ardiel, A. E. Brown, Alex. McMartin, John McFar-

lene, Wm. Ardiel. John Salmon, John

Keast, J. H. Davis, D. Alken.

A happy event took place at the residence of Mr. Tedford, 9th con. of North Dorchester, on Monday, Jan. 18, it being the marriage of his eldest daughter to Mr. Samuel Middle-ton, of North Yarmouth. The bride acted as maid of honor.

## ELUFFED THE CONDUCTOR.

Two Actors With a Single Wish and One Railroad Ticket.

They were two comedians, and they were stuck in Wilkesbarre, with Scranton ever so many miles away. "Well, what are we going to do "Biest if I know," said his com-panion. "But I do know that the walking is awful bad, and jumping coal

trains no sort of work for two em-inent comedians." "Count the house," said Hanley. They emptied their pockets, and found that by squeezing a cent or ticket to Scranton. Then they conceived a plan for traveling at the rate of two on a ticket. When the conductor came through the cars two hands firmly clasping one pasteboard were

"There's only one ticket here," said the conductor, gruffly.

"That's mine," said one of them.

"That's mine," said his companion,
with equal emphasis. "See here," said the conductor, "you can't both ride on one ticket. I'll have to put one of you off. 'Make it me-that's easy money, cried both comedians in chorus. "Put me off if you dare. "Well, you've got to get off at the next station," said the conductor, vig-orously, "one of you, at least."

The next station passed, and the next, and no conductor appeared to trouble the two men with but a single ticket. When Scranton was reached, the couple sought out the conductor and told him if he would accompany them to the hotel they would make good the missing fare. "That's all right," he said. "You got one on me that time. You see, we are under orders whenever there is a possibility of a suit, to take the safe side."

### An X Ray SNAP SHOT

Of your internal organization would reveal: if your back pains, congested kidneys; if your tongue is coated, disordered stomach, if your head is heavy, sluggish liver. Take another snap shot after you've used Mack's Rheumatic Pills, and note the change-the kidneys will be filtering the poisons from the system, the stomach actively digesting and the liver pouring out bile. You'll say you never felt better in your life. The system has been cleared of poisons by Mack's Pills, that's why. Fifty cents, all druggists. "Cough Chaser" will cure that hacking Cough. 10c, druggists.