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# SELECTIONS

## A PRIVATE TUNNEL.

One Fourteen Miles Long For Use of  
Chicago Business Houses.

It appears that an interesting work  
has been going on in Chicago for sev-  
eral years without the knowledge of  
the people in the excavation of a tun-  
nel fourteen miles long under the busi-  
ness district of the city. This tunnel is  
a business undertaking simply and is  
to contain a railway for the transporta-  
tion of freight among the great mer-  
cantile houses and between them and  
the freight stations of the forty-two  
railways which enter Chicago, besides  
furnishing accommodation for tele-  
phone wires and possibly wires of other  
kinds.

It is almost incredible that a tunnel  
of this length, varying in width from  
six to thirteen feet and in height from  
eight to fourteen feet, could have been  
constructed under the most crowded  
part of a great city without the knowl-  
edge even of the newspaper reporters,  
but the tunnel is far below the surface,  
the depth varying from twenty-seven  
to sixty-five feet, so that it was un-  
necessary to make temporary roadways  
over it, and the excavated material has  
been taken out at night through shafts  
opening in private grounds and taken  
away to the lake front.

The ground under Chicago is a soft  
clay, which was easily excavated, but  
it has been necessary to line it every-  
where with concrete. A considerable  
portion of the tunnel is already in use,  
and many business houses have shafts  
open into it, equipped with elevators,  
by means of which freight packages  
brought by cars running on the tracks  
laid in the tunnel are hoisted to the  
warehouses. Although an underground  
freight railway of this kind seems an  
expensive substitute for trucks and  
horses, it is quite possible that it may  
promote economy as well as conveni-  
ence in handling and transferring mer-  
chandise.

Every one must see that the mainte-  
nance of a stable full of horses and  
wagons and of a multitude of grooms  
and drivers is an important item in the  
cost of carrying on business, especially  
when, as is often the case, the wagons  
are driven half the time empty or with  
only one small package in them, and  
a system by which goods arriving by  
rail could be at once delivered at their  
destination with the minimum of hand-  
ling, while those shipped could be  
billed through from the shipping  
clerk's desk, would be of immense ad-  
vantage to merchants, as well as to the  
public.

## "Small Cap" Shafter.

Many of General Shafter's old associ-  
ates still refer to him as "Small Cap"  
Shafter, a nickname which originated  
at a banquet given to several army offi-  
cers in Denver many years ago at  
which Shafter was one of the guests.  
One of the Denver papers reported the  
banquet and gave a complete list of the  
guests, but when the proof slips were  
sent to the proof reader he observed  
that Shafter's name was in lower case  
type, and so he marked it "sm. c.,"  
meaning that the words should be re-  
set in capitals of small size. It seems  
that the compositor was not familiar  
with proof corrections, and, supposing  
that the note made by the proof reader  
indicated some military title with  
which he was not familiar, instead of  
making the proof correction he substi-  
tuted the words "Small Cap" and it  
was so printed in the paper. Shafter  
was in "a frame of mind" when his at-  
tention was called to his name in the  
paper, but the other officers made much  
fun of it, and the title stuck to him  
many years.

## Chaplain Dean's Advice.

Benjamin Franklin, a lawyer of Ma-  
con, Mo., has been recalling some sto-  
ries of Henry Dean, a chaplain of the  
United States senate before the war, a  
curious character, with the picturesque  
forcefulness of language of a pioneer  
and a voice of extraordinary range.  
Perhaps this is one of the most inter-  
esting of the stories: "When I started  
for Charlton county, Mo., in 1884 to  
teach a country school near Bruns-  
wick," says Mr. Franklin, "Dean volun-  
tarily gave me a letter of recom-  
mendation to his friend, Casper W.  
Bell, a noted citizen. He also offered  
this advice, and I will never forget it,  
as it has served me well: 'Benjamin,  
I want to say this to you: You will al-  
ways find that mankind will respect  
you most when it sees the ivory handle  
of your pistol sticking out of your  
pocket.'"

## A New Milk Product.

Galalith is the name of a new sub-  
stance made from skimmed milk by  
treating the casein with metallic salts  
and soups and, finally, with formal-  
dehyde. It is as hard as celluloid, takes  
a fine polish, is odorless and is less in-  
flammable than the gun cotton and  
camphor combination. At the recent  
Hygienic Milk Supply exposition in  
Hamburg there were shown toilet ar-  
ticles, chess figures and even tables  
made of the new substance. These had  
the appearance of marble, as galalith  
takes kindly to various coloring pro-  
cesses, but were far lighter in weight.  
As an article of commerce it is des-  
tined, so its sponsors believe, to become  
widely used and correspondingly rea-  
sonable in cost.

## Fireproof Clothing.

According to the Boston Evening  
Transcript, clothing has been invented  
to protect the entire body, face and all  
from fire. Even breathing is without  
danger. Since the many holocausts of  
late in many storied hotels this, if  
true, must be a most useful invention.

# ECZEMA

## The World's Greatest Skin Torture

Many Infants are Born  
with Eczema

It's the Only Thing Some Folks  
Have Left When They Die

## THE ONLY INFALLIBLE CURE IS CUTICURA

It is in the treatment of this most dis-  
tressing of torturing and disfiguring  
skin and scalp humours, with loss of  
hair, that the Cuticura remedies have  
achieved their greatest success. Original  
in composition, scientifically com-  
pounded, absolutely pure, unchangeable  
in any climate, always ready, and agree-  
able to the most delicate, they present to  
those suffering from Eczema the most  
successful curative of modern times. We  
know that this will be considered strong  
language by those acquainted with the  
character and obstinacy of the disease  
under consideration, but it is justified  
by innumerable successes where all the  
remedies and methods in vogue have  
failed to cure, and in many cases, to  
relieve, even.

The first step in the treatment of the  
chronic forms is to remove the scales and  
crusts and soften the skin, by warm  
baths with Cuticura Soap. The scalp,  
ears, elbows, hands, ankles and feet will  
require frequently a thorough soaking in  
order to penetrate the thickened skin  
and crusts with which these parts are  
often covered. Dry carefully, and ap-  
ply Cuticura Ointment, lightly at first,  
and where advisable spread it on pieces  
of soft cloth and bind in place. Take  
the Resolvent, pills or liquid, in medium  
doses. Do not use cold water in bath-  
ing, and avoid cold, raw winds.

Cuticura Resolvent, liquid and the form of Cuticura  
Cream, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Soap are  
sold throughout the world. Sole Agents, The  
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for a free trial of Cuticura Ointment, Cuticura  
Resolvent, Cuticura Soap, and Cuticura Cream.  
Sole Agents, The Cuticura Co., 100 N. 2nd St., Philadelphia, Pa.

## Jewels on an Idol.

The jewels of an Indian idol must be  
worth stealing if many of these re-  
markably hideous images possess such  
valuable head ornaments as one made  
for the idol Parthasathy, in the Triplicane  
temple at Madras. The ornament is  
worth some 50,000 rupees and is  
made of sovereign gold studded with  
diamonds, emeralds and rubies, the largest  
emerald being valued at 1,000 rupees  
and the biggest ruby and diamond  
at 800 rupees apiece.

A man talks about owning his busi-  
ness. But as a matter of fact his  
business owns him. His whole life is  
regulated by the demands of the busi-  
ness. The time at which he rises, his  
breakfast hour, the time given to  
meals, are all determined by business  
obligations. He rushes through lunch  
because he can't spare the time from  
business; he can't eat leisurely. He won't  
take a rest because he is needed at  
the store or office. He is in fact an  
absolute slave to business. The re-  
sults which follow this slavery are to  
be seen on every hand. Men dyspep-  
tic, irritable, nervous, with drawn  
faces, and hollow eyes, sit at the desk  
or stand behind the counter until they  
collapse in a fit of sickness, or are  
taken away by heart failure. Those  
who cannot escape the exactions of  
business will find a friend in Dr.  
Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It  
strengthens the stomach, increases  
the action of the blood-making glands,  
increases the vitality and physical  
vigor. It makes men strong and pre-  
vents those business breakdowns  
which so often terminate fatally.

Some people seem to think that the  
sin of gambling is in losing.

Sentimental utterances pall when  
they come in large doses.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of John  
Josiah Walrath, late of the Town-  
ship of Harwich, in the County of  
Kent, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to  
"The Revised Statutes of Ontario,  
1897," Chapter 129, that all creditors  
and others having claims against the  
Estate of the said John Josiah Wal-  
rath, who died on or about the tenth  
day of October, 1903, are requested on  
or before the 21st day of November,  
1903, to send by post prepaid or de-  
liver to W. F. Smith, of the City of  
Chatham, Solicitor for the Executors  
of the last Will and Testament and  
Codicil thereto of the said deceased,  
their Christian and surnames, and  
addresses and descriptions, the full par-  
ticulars of their claims, the state-  
ments of their accounts and the na-  
ture of the securities, if any, held by  
them.

And further, take notice, that af-  
ter said last mentioned date the said  
Executors will proceed to distribute  
the assets of the deceased among the  
parties entitled thereto, having re-  
gard only to the claims of which they  
shall then have notice, and that the  
said Executors will not be liable for  
the said assets or any part thereof  
to any person or persons of whose  
claims notice shall not have been re-  
ceived by them at the time of such  
distribution.

Dated at Chatham this 28th day of  
October, 1903.

W. F. SMITH,  
Solicitor for Executors of the Will of  
John Josiah Walrath, deceased.

Minard's Liniment is used by Phy-  
sicians.

## A SCOUT'S HARD LIFE.

Some of the Hardships and Dangers  
That Must Be Faced.

An unfortunate, says Leslie's Month-  
ly, was sent with a dispatch to one of  
the smaller outposts in the far north-  
west. It was toward spring, when the  
midday sun thaws the surface of the  
snow and the light frosts harden the  
melted crusts to a glaze of ice as daz-  
zlingly bright as the blinding flashes of  
sunlight from polished steel. The thaw  
had crusted over the trail, and the  
scout had to keep a sharp eye on the  
way not to lose the path altogether.  
Suddenly the midday sun developed ex-  
traordinary hues. Magenta, purple and  
black patches began to dance on the  
snow, alternately with wheels and  
rockets of cheese colored fire. Then the  
light went out altogether, though the  
man knew that it was broad day. He  
had become snow blind. The only thing  
was to give his horse the bit.

The horse stood stock still. By that  
time he knew that he had lost the trail  
altogether or the broncho would have  
followed any visible path. He wheeled  
the horse about. It still refused to go  
on, and then the man inferred that the  
crust of ice had been so hard that the  
horse could not follow back the way it  
had come. That night the trooper  
slept under saddle blankets, with the  
faithful horse standing sentry.

For five days the trooper wander-  
ed blindly over the prairies, losing all  
count of time, eating snow to quench  
his thirst and sleeping in the holes that  
the broncho had pawed through the  
ice crust to the under grass. The trooper  
was now too weak to mount and  
keep the saddle. As a last hope the  
thought struck him that if he unsad-  
dled his horse and turned it loose it  
might find its way back to the fort,  
and so notify his friends that he was  
lost. He did this, but the faithful crea-  
ture refused to leave the man lying on  
the snow and stood over him in spite  
of all his efforts to drive it off. On the  
sixth day the mail carrier found the  
pair. The trooper was severely frozen,  
but the rider and horse lived to see  
many another day's service.

## PICKINGS FROM FICTION.

Prisons are the inferno civilization  
builds in which to hide its mistakes.  
—"The Under Dog."

It's plumb foolishness to try to lay  
down rules for other folks to live by.  
—"The Substitute."

A man's faith in himself is often the  
chief cause of a woman's faith in him.  
—"Round Anvil Rock."

A woman who has discarded a man  
is perhaps nearer loving him just after-  
ward than ever before.—"Gordon  
Keith."

Those whom we most resemble are  
the very ones who are most annoyed to  
see themselves reproduced.—"His  
Daughter First."

There is a gravity of words; they de-  
scend and never climb; they must, like  
a stone, come tumbling from above to  
do an injury.—"Peggy O'Neil."

The sin and sorrow of despotism is  
not that it does not love men, but that  
it loves them too much and trusts  
them too little.—"Robert Browning."

No woman of sense objects to her  
husband's simple admiration of an-  
other woman, but when it comes to  
another woman being a factor in his  
life and thoughts a wife must and  
should resent it.

## The Way to a Happy Mar.

Agnes and Ethel are the kind of  
twins it is difficult for intimates of the  
family to distinguish apart. They are  
four years old and a source of despair  
to mere acquaintances.

A friend of the family met one of the  
twins on the street the other day and  
asked:

"Now, which are you, Agnes or  
Ethel? I simply can't tell you apart."

"I'm Agnes," gurgled the small  
maiden, and then she put one of her  
chubby little fingers in her mouth and  
mumbled: "You can tell me easy. I'm  
the one with the loose tooth."

## The Turk and the Grave.

In Russia many of the peasantry still  
bury their dead in grottoes and caves,  
just as their princes and noble men  
were accustomed to do centuries ago.  
In Constantinople, as in other Turkish  
cities, bodies are placed in the ground  
as soon as the last spark of life has  
died. The Mussulman believes that as  
long as the body is unburied the spirit is  
in torment and that it is a crime  
akin to murder to molest a grave. Ac-  
cordingly, the cemeteries around many  
oriental cities far exceed in extent the  
abodes of the living.

## Beside Herself.

The fair young thing was telling  
about how happy she was when she  
saw her brother's baseball team win  
the intercollegiate game. "Oh," she gurgled,  
"I was so delighted that I just  
hugged myself for joy!"

Here the grave professor of psychol-  
ogy looked up with an air of interest.  
"Hugged yourself?" he asked. "In-  
deed, you must have been quite beside  
yourself to have done that."—Judge.

## The Proof of It.

Casey (after Riley has fallen five  
stories)—Are yez dead, Pat?

Riley—O am.

Casey—Shure, yer such a liar Oi don't  
know whether to believe yez or not.

Riley—Shure, thot proves O'm dead.  
Yez wudn't dare call me a liar if Oi  
wur alive!—Judge.

## Caught at Last.

"Sir!" cried Mr. Pecksniff indignantly.  
"How dare you accuse me of such  
things? My reputation, sir, is spot-  
less!"

"Your reputation may be, sir," re-  
plied the detective, "but you're not.  
We spotted you some time ago."—Ex-  
change.

# Cure Eczema

Boils, Salt Rheum, Scrofula,  
and all blood diseases per-  
manently by using

## Weaver's Syrup

For the Blood.

## Moths and Butterflies.

Butterflies are active in the day and  
fold their wings together when they  
settle. Their antennae end in clubs.  
The fore and hind wings never hook  
together. The chrysalis is angular and  
not inclosed in a cocoon or silken case.

Moths, on the other hand, are usually  
active in the dusk or at night and do  
not fold their wings together on set-  
tling. The feelers are very various in  
shape, but rarely clubbed. The fore  
and hind wings are generally fastened  
together during flight by a "hook and  
eye" arrangement. The chrysalis is not  
angular and is inclosed in some sort of  
case or cocoon.

# GRAND WORK IN NEWFOUNDLAND

## Dodd's Kidney Pills are Clear- ing out Kidney Disease

Richard Quirk, One of a Score Cured  
in One Neighborhood, Tells How  
Pains of Twenty Years Standing  
Vanished Before the Great Kidney  
Remedy.

Fortune Harbour, Nfld., Nov. 9.—  
(Special).—There are a score of peo-  
ple in this neighborhood who suf-  
fered from Lame Back and other  
symptoms of Kidney Disease and who  
are now strong and healthy, thanks  
to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One of the  
most serious cases cured is that of  
Mr. Richard Quirk, and in an inter-  
view he says:

"I suffered for more than twenty  
years from Lumbago and Kidney Dis-  
ease. I almost always had a severe  
pain in my back, so severe that dur-  
ing intervals for years I was totally  
unable to work.  
"Doctors and medicines gave me  
little relief and after ten or twelve  
years I had almost made up my mind  
that my trouble was incurable. Then  
reading of cures by them led me to  
try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had not  
taken half a box before I experienced  
relief and after using seven or  
eight boxes I was a perfect cure  
and a new man. The cure was per-  
manent."

Cure your Backache with Dodd's  
Kidney Pills and you will never have  
Bright's Disease.

## Blind Swimmer's Straight Steering.

It is a standing puzzle that all blind  
swimmers are able to hold an almost  
perfectly straight course for very con-  
siderable distances, though no more  
guidance is given to them than some  
species of call or whistle coming from  
the winning goal. A blind man, in  
fact, desiring to go in a straight line  
possesses the curious power of being  
able to do so almost exactly. A pre-  
vial mayor instituted a series of  
contests in an open lake between blind  
men and ordinary ones of about equal  
skill and strength, and the result was  
marvelous so far as the straight steer-  
ing of the blind was concerned.—Lon-  
don Chronicle.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas  
County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that  
he is senior partner of the firm of F.  
J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the  
City of Toledo, County and State  
aforesaid, and that said firm will pay  
the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOL-  
LARS for each and every case of Cat-  
arrh that cannot be cured by the use  
of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn before me and subscribed in  
my presence, this 6th day of Decem-  
ber, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken inter-  
nally, acts directly on the blood  
and mucous surfaces of the system.  
Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO.,  
Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

It is a great evil as well as a mis-  
fortune to be unable to utter a  
prompt and decided no.

Wash greasy dishes, pots or pans with  
Lever's Dry Soap a powder. It will re-  
move the grease with the greatest ease. 3c

When it comes to making shallow  
excuses some women are pretty deep.

Dear Sirs,—I was for seven years  
a sufferer from Bronchial troubles,  
and would be so horses at times that  
I could scarcely speak above a whis-  
per. I got no relief from anything  
till I tried your MINARD'S HONEY  
BALSAM. Two bottles gave relief  
and six bottles made a complete  
cure. I would heartily recommend it  
to anyone suffering from throat or  
lung trouble.

Fredericton.

J. F. VANBUSKIRK.

The piano-forte can't help hur-  
dender when it is bombarded.

—Scrofula in the blood shows itself  
sooner or later in swellings, sores,  
eruptions. But Hood's Sarsaparilla  
completely cures it.

The more a woman criticizes her-  
self the less she will criticize others.

## DENTAL.

A. A. BLOKS, D. D. S.—Honor gradu-  
ate of Philadelphia Dental College  
and Hospital of Oral Surgery,  
Philadelphia, Pa., also honor gradu-  
ate of Royal College of Dental Sur-  
geons, Toronto. Office over Turn-  
er's drug store, 28 Rutherford  
Block.

## LODGES.

WELLINGTON Lodge,  
No. 46, A. F. & A. M.,  
G. R. C., meets on the  
first Monday of every  
month, in the Masonic  
Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30  
p. m. Visiting brethren  
heartily welcomed.  
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donald's Bank, Chatham, Ont.

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Crown Attorney, R. L. Gosnell.

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ters, Solicitors of the Supreme  
Court, Notaries Public, etc. Money  
to loan on Mortgages, at lowest  
rates. Office, Fifth Street. Mat-  
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loan at lowest current rates. Office,  
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site H. Macdonald's store.  
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