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Lloydtown, Ont., March 19th, 1909. "For some years I have been greatly tree!" "Headaches and indigessoonaght on by s'omach disorde' many remedies with only indifferent success, until "Fruit-a-tives" came to my notice. Being a general storekeeper, I was selling a good many "Fruit-a-tives" to my customers and, remarking how pleased they were with the results obtained from using "Fruit-a-tives," I decided to try them and, I might say, the effects were almost magical. Headaches and biliousness disappeared and to-day I recommend 'Fruit-a-tives' to my customers as 'An

"I might also add that about three years ago I was laid up with LUM-BAGO AND SCIATICA—couldn't get out of bed or lift one foot over the other. A good treatment of "Fruit-atives" cured me of these pains and banished the Sciatica and Lumbago so that to-day I am as well as ever and can lift anything necessary."
(Signed) W. S. BOND.

Our Big Boys .--- How to Win Their Confidence

The "big-boy" age is full of the subtlest and sweetest opportunities

A well-brought-up boy usually at this period regards all women with a kind of wonder, half awe, half worship, and his mother heads the list. Often a lad, who has been entirely undemonstrative in his affection hitherto, will now begin to use a tender, and, perhaps, slightly patronizing air. He is commencing to realize that he is the stronger of the two. The mother should watch for this period and respond to it fully. Abandon the tone of authority used in childhood. If you still cling to it, you may lose your son. Recognize his budding manhood. He is pulsingly conscious of it every hour of the day, and terribly sensitive with regard to it. To be treated as a child is torture to him Lean on him, ask his opinion about things, and his heart will go

out to you in love and gratitude. It is a phase of the boy's development which will pass away; but it is, the most critical time in the lad's whole life, and one when, by the very law of nature, he is peculiar ly sensitive to the mother touch. Guard him from criticism and ridicule by other members of the family. A boy will never forget the friend who understands and upholds his tottering dignity at such a time.

One lad of sixteen, who had never before given a thought to his personal appearance, suddenly developed about the prominence and color of his nose, which, from much outdoor sport, was of a very ruddy Half a dozen times a day he eagerly examined the offending organ in every available mirror. Of course, his brothers and sisters laughed at Not so the mother. She saw that, for the time being, it was real-In a cross to the boy, and, though strained to the utmost, she talked light or laughing word, he would not come to her with weightier matters tween mother and son was strengthened, and the lad felt there was some one upon whose interest he could count in every phase of life.



Joker's Corner

While campaigning in his 'cm' State, Speaker Cannon was once inveigled into visiting the public schools of a town where he was bill-

In one of the lower grades, an ambitious teacher called upon a youthful Demosthenes to entertain the distinguished visitor with an exhibition cine, to my surprise, I began to improve, and was completely cured. attempted was Byron's "Battle of Waterloo," and just as the boy Morriscy's prescriptions. reached the end of the first paragraph, Speaker Cannon suddenly gave vent to a violent sneeze.

"'But, hush! hark!'" declaimed the youngster-"'a deep sound strikes like a rising knell! Did ye

The visitors smiled, and a moment later the second sneeze-which the Speaker was vainly trying to hold back-came with increased volume. But hark" (bawled the boy)-"that heavy sound breaks in once more,

And nearer, clearer, deadlier than be-Arm! arm! it is the cannon's open- dow.

a roar when "Uncle Joe" chuckled ton Transcript. 'Put up your weapons, children; I won't shoot any more."-Success.

There are probably few better raeonteurs alive than is the Duke of Argyll, and in his memoirs he has told some inimitable stories. One of the best concerns a showman's ape which paid a visit with its master to Inverary. During its stay there, it escaped from its cage, but came to grief through want of food, and died by the roadside. Two Scotch farmers zled what to make of it.

"Deaar me, what na beast's yon?"

After carefully examining it, one ye ever see such a hairy man! It can-died. Such incidents as these-by no na be a highlander-No, no, it canna means infrequent-ought to make be a highlander; do ye think it's a people realize the danger that may lowlander, Donald?"

"I think not; I don't think a lowlander is quite ever, ever so hairy as dirty knife, a rusty needle, a splinter

"Deaar me," said the first speaker, 'I think it canna be a highlander; I think it canna be a lowlander. I'll ly tell you what we'll do, we'll just go through the breach in the skin, to the castle and see if any of the battle royal ensues between them and English visitors are missing since certain organisms in our blood.

ago sent a large black hen to his married daughter, who lives in Springfield, and who wished to keep his present as a pet. Upon the arrival of the fowl it was immediately placed - in a coop which chanced to sults is to cleanse the wound and apbe within sight of the street.

passing by, said:

"Got a hen, haven't you?" "Yes," said the new owner. "Nice, black one, isn't it?"

This neighbor was almost immedithe customary observation: "Why, you have a hen!"

"Yes."

"Just one?" "Yes."

"Coal black hen, isn't it?"

An intermission of a few minutes; tnen another neighbor.

"Well, I declare, you have a-" "Mary," called out the lady of the nouse, "kill the hen for dinner!"

A political speaker was attacking the Government of the day with more venom than reason. A man at the fic. All druggists and stores sell at back of the hall (k) last cried out: fifty cepts a box, or post free from 'You're wrong, sir! A little nettled Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. the orator continued, without heeding. Presently, in answer to anoth strong question, came again, "You're wrong, sir!" The speaker looked angry, but continued on the warpath. "You're wrong, sir!" again rang

one, the orator cried, "Look here. I sible to get and it is less expensive could tell this man something about than any other high-grade Roofing this Government which would make material. Booklet free.-N. E. Chute. his hair stand on end!"

"You're wrong again, sir!" came exultantly from the critic, as he stood up and removed his hat. His head was as bald as the proverbial billiard ball .- Tit Bits.

"Jimmy." said the teacher, "what

"A cape is land extending into the "Correct! William, define a gulf."

"A gulf is water extending into the

"Good! Christopher," to a small eager-looking boy, 'can you tell us what is a mountain?"

Christopher shot up from his seat. and promptly responded: "A mountain is land extending into the air."

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The Motorist (who has run over a stone-breaker's toe)-What! sense! I'm not a millionaire.

either.-The Sketch.

DEATH IN A SCRATCH.

Results.

Morris Quatzam, an eleven years "It's no a beast, it's a man," said old Windsor boy, has just died as the result of a scratch on his wrist. Poison entered the wound, which of them said: "It's a man, but did and despite the physicians, the boy worse for his adventure.

lie even in the smallest flesh wound. Take a simple illustration. When a of dirty wood, a barbed wire fence. or a thorn, scratches the hand, the latter is inoculated with germs, of which the air about us is full. Directthese germs are introduced

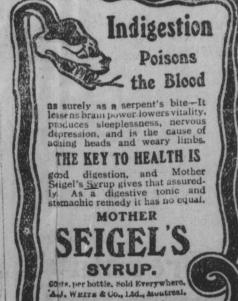
When the invading germs are too strong for Nature's defences, in a few A Massachusetts farmer not long hours the finger will become hot and throbbing. A little later the wound may exhibit a whitish appearance in the middle of the swelling, and we have what is known as a festering or

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Earl Grey Lost in Woods and Narrowly Escapes Death

Victoria, B. C. August 30. -Earl Grey, who has been on a visit to Dawson and Skagway, returned here today on the government steamer Quadra. His excellency had a narrow escape from death on Saturday Vile hunting in the woods near Jervis inlet. He had gone out alone with his dog, and, losing his way, wandered in the bush for five and a half hours. When finally found by a search party headed by Major Clarke and Second Officer Johnston of the Quadra, he was utterly exhausted and his clothing badly torn. He told of nearly falling over a precipice in the darkness shortly before being found.

the Quadra witween arkness came on and the governor-general failed to tense steam whistle return. The vesse was kept blowing hen stantly. fires were built along the shore and several scouts sent out to make a thorough search of the neighborhood. Meanwhile, the gov rnor-general, who leaves whispering outside your win- had lost his bearings after penetrat-Citymen-It's all right to hear the his way through the undergrowth, This was too much, and the laugh leaves whisper, but I never could clambering over logs and sliding that broke from the party swelled to stand hearing the grass mown.-Bos- down rocks. Only the fact that he carried an alpenstock as well as a rifle saved his life. He was walking on the edge of a precipice without You knowing it when the alpenstock slipwant £500 for a crushed foot? Non- ped from his grasp wer the edge and clattered down a considerable dis-The Pessimistic Stonebreaker-No; tance. His excellency turned back in an' I ain't no bloomin' centipede, alarm, but still falling to find his way and utterly fat gued he sank down, after many struggles, and was resting when the search party came

Seeing the light of an Indian encampment in the distance, as he sat came across it, and were much puz- Simple Injuries with Serious exhausted, Earl Grey fired his rifle. This attracted the search party, which the governor guided to where he was by shouting. He was immediately hurried to the Quadra, where Lady Sybil was waiting in -reat was caused by falling off his bicycle. anxiety. His excellency is none the

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