

EVENING TIMES-STAR MAGAZINE PAGE FOR THE HOME

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton.

THE BIGGEST RIDDLE ON EARTH



But Nancy and Nick took the riddles off by themselves and read them one at a time.

The Riddle Lady said she had to go home, but that she would come some other time.

"I'll leave my riddles with Nancy," she said. "They are in this book and she can read them to you."

"Oh, let's have our refreshments next," said Mrs. John.

"Yes, let's!" cried Jack Spratt and

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"Neither am I a knob. On a pole or a door, I am not on the ground. I don't roll on the floor, Though I'm not on the ground. It's as true as can be, That though I'm not on it, The ground is on me."

"Through oceans of space, I roll and I twirl, With planets I race, And I whizz and I whirl, I am not on a pole, But he-he! Don't you see! Though I'm not on a pole, And there are poles on me."

"Some places I'm hot, Some places I'm cold, And I'm something like seventy Million years old. I converse with the sun, Sing duets with the moon, The Dog-Star's my pet, And the Dipper's my spoon."

"The clouds are my curtains, The stars are my lights, The Milky Way shows me, The rainbow's my parasol, Gay in the sun, Now tell me, who am I? My riddle is done."

"I know what it is," said Nick. "What?" said Nancy. "I think it sounds dreadfully hard."

"It's the earth," said Nick. "That's

WANT BEAUJOUR NATIONAL PARK

Border Societies to Ask Dominion to Take Over Old Fort Site.

AMHERST, N. S., Dec. 30.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Amherst Board of Trade this evening, W. L. Ormond announced that nationalization of a Dominion park site of Fort Beaujeu would be considered at a meeting to be held in this town or Sackville early in January. Mr. Ormond has already been in communication with Dr. J. Clarence Webster, of Sheldice, who expressed his approval of the idea. The president of the Sackville Board of Trade has been asked to take up the matter with the Board of Trade in Moncton and Port Elgin, Canadian clubs in Amherst and Moncton and branches of the I. O. D. E. in the towns of Westmorland and Cumberland counties are being asked to send delegates to this meeting.

The establishment of a bird sanctuary in the vicinity of Fort Beaujeu will be one of the measures given serious consideration while direct application will be made to the National Parks Commission for speedy action.

DRESS DOLLS.

A special meeting of Seven Seas Chapter of the I. O. D. E. was held last night at the home of Mrs. Phillips in West St. John, with Miss Alice Lockhart, the regent, presiding. The members were busy dressing dolls in preparation for the entertainment the chapter will give for the children in the families where free milk is given. The entertainment will be held in St. Andrew's Sunday school on Saturday afternoon. During the meeting last night refreshments were served.

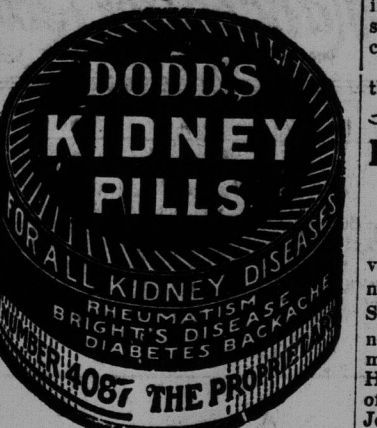
round and old and cold at the North Pole and hot down south—and well, it's everything it says.

Nancy looked then.

"That's right," she said solemnly. "That's the answer. It's too bad the Riddle Lady has gone home. You might get the prize."

"It's more fun to guess one answer than to get a hundred prizes," said Nick proudly.

And I think he was right.



THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



FABLES ON HEALTH

Whooping Cough

Whooping cough is a nasty little thing that visits the children during the winter period, as was the case with one of the Mann youngsters.

Of course a doctor should be called, but in the event that a doctor is not immediately available and the child should be seized with a paroxysm of coughing try this:

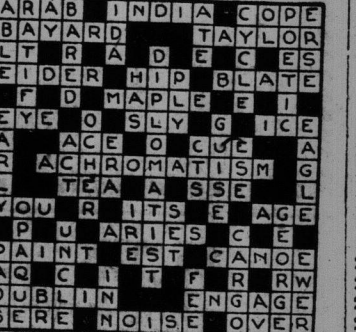
Raise the child's arms high above the head. Bring them down and press

them against the chest. Or turn the child alternately upon his face and his side. Cold water may be dashed in the child's face and mustard packs placed upon the stomach which has been known to furnish relief.

When the weather is mild see that the child gets out of doors as much as possible. Fresh air is a fine tonic, but be sure the child is well wrapped.

It is well to fumigate the room in which the child has slept.

This Is Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle



Appointment of R. S. Murray to Be Treasurer

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Dec. 30.—Appointment of R. S. Murray, assistant treasurer, to succeed Henry W. Darling, treasurer of the General Electric and associated subsidiary companies, resigned, is announced. Mr. Darling's resignation will become effective Jan. 1.

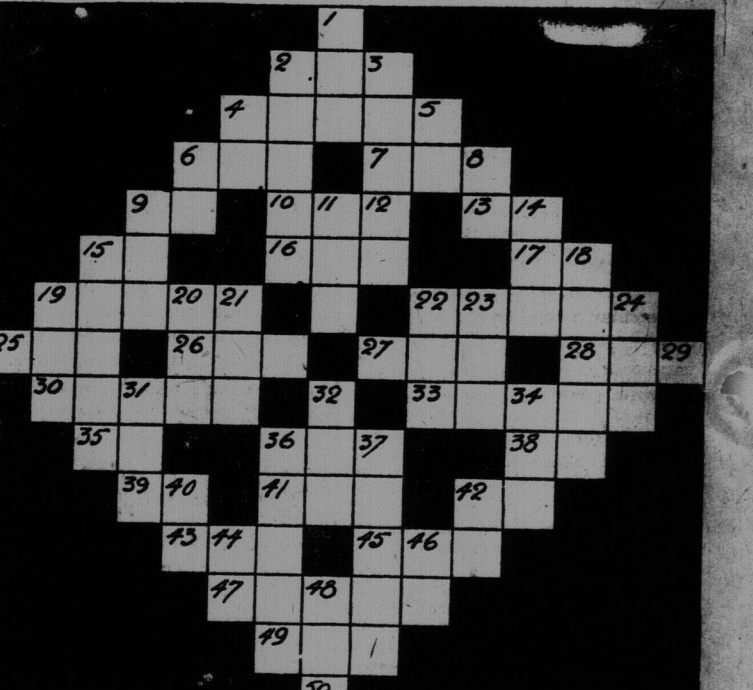
CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

The object of the cross word puzzle is to fill out the white spaces in the diagram with words which agree with the definitions given in the accompanying text.

The word defined in the text under "HORIZONTAL" and indicated as No. 1 (in case such a number appears in the Horizontal list) will extend horizontally from No. 1 square to the next black square.

The word indicated as No. 1 under "VERTICAL" in the list of definitions will extend from white square No. 1 to the black square below. And so on.

Most of the letters are used in the making of two different words.



- Key to Cross Word Puzzle**
- Horizontal.**
- 1-25—Form of sled.
 - 26-28—Fledgling.
 - 29-30—Dead.
 - 1-28—Having raised levels.
 - 2—Native mineral.
 - 4—Wild rose bush.
 - 6—Lytic poem.
 - 7—Mountain.
 - 8—A king of England (ab.).
 - 10—Part of verb "to be".
 - 13—Army department (ab.).
 - 15—State in U. S. A. (ab.).
 - 16—To press for payment.
 - 17—State in U. S. A. (ab.).
 - 19—Willful burning.
 - 22—To scratch.
 - 23—Junior army officer (ab.).
 - 24—A rodent.
 - 25—By way of.
 - 26—Also.
 - 28—Trial.
 - 29—Investigation.
 - 30—In that way.
 - 31—Australian bird.
 - 32—Steamship (ab.).
 - 33—Two odd letters.
 - 34—Negative.
 - 35—Mother (ab.).
 - 36—You sleep on foot.
 - 37—Part of your foot.
 - 38—Of long.
 - 39—Small deer.
- Vertical.**
- 1—Meaning three.
 - 2—Mountain nymph.
 - 3—Deerhound.
 - 4—Minister's degree (ab.).
 - 5—Two odd letters.
 - 6—A conjunction.
 - 7—Numeral.
 - 8—Conveyance (ab.).
 - 9—Runs an auto.
 - 10—Anno Domini (ab.).
 - 11—A track.
 - 12—Prefix.
 - 14—Rus.
 - 15—Twelve dozen.
 - 16—Crustaceans.
 - 19—High card.
 - 20—Anglo-Saxon coin.
 - 21—Negative.
 - 22—To drink carefully.
 - 23—A wheeled vehicle.
 - 24—Point of compass.
 - 25—Drunkard.
 - 26—To love (Latin).
 - 28—An artist belonging to a society.
 - 29—In Ontario.
 - 30—A noted witch.
 - 31—To unfasten.
 - 32—Canadian province (ab.).
 - 33—Myself.
 - 34—Two vowels.
 - 35—Army officer (ab.).
 - 36—A head movement.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



"HE WHO GETS SLAPPED"



By MARTIN



By SWAN



SALESMAN \$AM A FOOL AND HIS MONEY ARE SOON PARTED



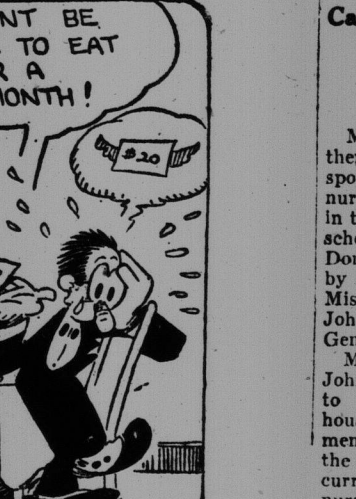
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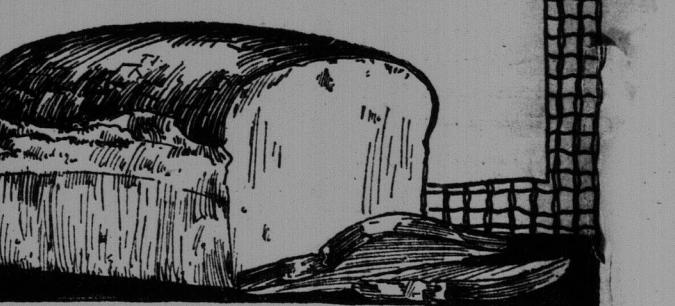
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ONLY ONE PASSES

Canada's Hospital Training Schools Criticized by State Inspector.

Misery likes company, it is said, and there is some consolation for those responsible for the training school for nurses in the General Public Hospital in the fact that only one of the training schools for nurses in the whole of the Dominion was passed as satisfactory by the Inspector from New York State, Miss Gillman, who recently visited St. John, and gave scathing criticism of the General Public Hospital.

Miss Gillman's censure of the St. John institution's training school is said to have included condemnation of housekeeping and dietician departments, of the height of the ceilings and the shabbiness of paint, as well as the curriculum and hours of study of the nurses. There was very little which Miss Gillman did not criticize adversely.

Arrangements Made In Security Case

In the police court yesterday afternoon the case of William Jones, charged with selling securities in St. John, was out having the necessary certificate from the Public Utilities Board, withdrawn as satisfactory arrangements had been made.

Harold Semon appeared, having been reported for driving an automobile without a license for a Dodge car at this was caused by a transfer. He was allowed to adjust the matter with Government officials.

Iron staircases in the library of the British Museum recently were treated to a coat of rust to make them less slippery.