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HORSE WHISPERERS.

ecret Methods That Were Used by

Ireland, as well as the far north of Scotland, had-possibly still has-its horse whisperers," though the "brotherings" which give such permanence and geniality to the Scottish "plow-man's whisper" never seem to have existed in the sister island. Irish "whisperers" have been lonely men, whose secret has generally died, with them, says the Golden Penny.

The most famous "whisperer" of modern times was James Sullivan of Dunhallow. No horse was ever brought to Sullivan which he did not permanently tame. Ordinarily restive inimals he would master in a few minntes. For exceptionally vicious horses he took about half an hour, during which time he shut the stable door and forbade any one to open it till he gave the signal. When the door was opened the horse was still lying down and Sullivan by his side, playing with him as a child does with a puppy. There was no tying up of the foreleg or any other visible means of coercion. How his ascendency was obtained no one could tell.

A successor of Sullivan named O'Hara became almost equally famous, and was often urged to explain what was the secret of his influence. But O'Hara treated his questioners as Samson did the Philistines, deluding them with various and unsatisfactory answers. At one time, for instance, he said the secret lay in "rocking" the horse—putting one hand firmly on his crupper, and with the other grasping his shoulder and then swaying him to and fro, gently at first and gradually increasing the motion till you throw him. At another time he protested that his plan was to bite the animal's ear. Both these are well known jockey tricks. The most stubborn horse, they say, will be wholly subdued by being thrown twice or thrice, and if you can get a vicious horse's ear between your teeth and bite hard you are his master and he your submissive slave from that time forward. As to the idea that the "whisperer" works by kindness, it stands to reason that that method supposes the entire education of the animal to be in your hands. If you have only half an hour to do your work in, you must show overmastering power as well as kindly feelings. A hors whose temper has been spoiled by chronic bad treatment looks on all men alike as tyrants and bullies

EFFICACY OF THE ONION. Apply It Outside and Inside and Cure a Cold.

The idea of an onion cure may not strike the fancy of the æsthetic. However, the experience of those who have tried it is that it works wonders in restoring a racked system to its normal state again. There are three kinds of doses in the orion cure, or three onion cures, as you choose to put it. One is a diet of onions, the other is onion plas-ters and the third is onion sirup.

It is claimed by those who believe in the onion cure that a bad cold can be broken up if the patient will stay in-doors and feed on a liberal diet of onions. It need not be an exclusive diet, but a liberal one. For instance, an onion cure breakfast includes a poached egg on toast, three tablespoon fuls of fried onions and a cup of coffee. Luncheon of sandwiches, made of Bos-ton brown bread, buttered and filled with finely chopped raw onions, seasoned with salt and pepper, makes the second meal on the schedule. For supper the onions may be fried as for breakfast and eaten with a chop and a

baked potato. The strange efficacy of onions is well known to the singers of Italy and ildings, \$12,000.00.

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The acres in suburbs of Chatham, the singers of Italy and Spain, who can them every day to improve the quality of their voices and keep them smooth. Onion plasters are prescribed to break up hard coughs. They are made of fried onions placed between two pieces of old muslin. The plaster is kept quite hot until the patient is snugly in bed, when it is placed on the chest to stay overnight. Onion sirup is a dose that can be bought of any druggist and is claimed by some to be unequaled as a cure for a cold in the

All this is probably quite true. For to be done up with onions, both inside and out, would be enough certainly to chase out any self respecting cold.

Whittier and His Admirers. Few poets had more admirers among women than Whittier had, and this admiration frequently took personal form. One day his sister, in her slow, Quaker fashion, was describing these erup-tions. "Thee hast no idea," she said, tions. "Thee hast no idea," she said, "of the time Greenleaf spends in trying to lose these people on the streets. Sometimes he comes home and says, 'Well, sister, I had hard work to lose him, but I have lost him.'" To this Whittier pathetically added, "But I can never lose a her."

He Wanted the Shoes. "Here, waiter!" said Mr. Meddergrass to the attendant in the city cafe where he was breakfasting. "I see you got some 'fried soles' on this here bill o' fare. Bring 'em on. I think them was the uppers I got fer griddlecakes a

Natural Inference.
"It was very affecting when I asked eld Binks for his daughter. Why, I wept myself."
"Did he kick as hard as all that?"

The state of New Hampshire gets more than \$5,000,000 each season from summer boarders.

Evil often triumphs, but never con-

Quite often results in bad health, because Ontic often results in bad health, because what is termed "good living" is usually the gratification of the palate without reference to the nutrition of the body. When the good liver is a business man and rises from a full meal to plunge at once into work requiring mental.

at once into work requiring mental effort the result is almost sure to be disastrous, because digestion draws upon the same nervous forces which are employed in thought. In time the stomach becomes diseased, the processes of digestion and nutrition are imperfectly perimperfectly per-formed and there is a physical breakdown. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical

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KILLED ON THE RAILWAY. Alfred Gault and Wm. Cartwright Meet Death Near Keewatin.

Keewatin, Ont., Sept. 30.-An accident occurred about half a mile west

dent occurred about half a mile west of here yesterday, where a freight, eastbound, struck and killed Alfred Gault, who was sitting on the track apparently asleep. Immediately the engineer saw him the emergency brake was applied, but the train was so close to Gault that he was run over and instantly killed.

The train was brought to a standstill, and while standing a couple of men came rushing up the track, saying that another man had been killed a quarter of a mile farther east, it is thought by the Imperial Limited. This latter man was afterwards identified as William Cartwright, employed by the Keewatin Lumber Company. He was unmarried and has no relatives in town. Gault was also an unmarried man, and lived with his parents on Ottawa street.

Sudden Death at Bowmanville,

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Bowmanville, Sept. 29.—Wm. Wood,
a teamster for Manning's cooperage, fell
from a load of barrels at noon to-day,
and was dead when reached by John
Potts, who saw him fall. He was aiflicted with heart disease, and it is supposed the exertion of climbing on the
load brought on heart failure. He
leaves a wife and three small chiluren.

Mr. Andrew Carnegle has offered \$5,000 o St. Mary's for pu'bic library purposes on the usual conditions.

Applications have been made for 50,000 Mckets for Mr. Chamberlain's meeting at Glasgow on October 6th.

During August 64,977 immigrants land ed in the United States, as compared with 45,554 in the same month last year. The Montreal Locomotive Company has asked to be showed to tender for engines required by the Transvaal Rail-

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THE STAGE



ANNOUNCEMENTS

At the Chatham Grand:-Side Tracked—Oct. 3.
General Hospital Benefit—Oct. 9.
Pauline & Co.—Oct. 12-19.
Lyceum Course—Oct. 26.
Sadie Martinot—Oct. 27. Firemen's Benefit—Oct. 29. Over Niagara Falls—Oct. 30.

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One of A. Q. Scammon's excellent ompanies will be the attraction at the Grand on Saturday evening, Oct. 3rd, presenting the 'cyclone of fun, Side Tracked." There are more realistic situations in the play "Side Tracked" than perhaps any other show of its class on the road, while the ludicrous comedy situations cannot fail to amuse all.

Sadie Martinot will soon appear in "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," the most remarkable and most criticised play of modern times, written by the play of modern times, written by the foremost living dramatist, Arthur Wing Pinero. Its theme is unconventional and the character of Paula Tanqueray eminently suited to Miss Martinot, whose performance of the part is one of the artistic riumphs of a career which has been temarkable for a quick transition. able for a quick transition from com-edy of the musical and society kind to the heavier requirements of. 'Cam-ille,' "The Notorious Mrs. Ebosmith' and "The Marriage Game," Clyde Pitch's play Fitch's play.

MÉXICAN INDIAN MAIDENS.

They Take the Initiative In Love Affairs and Do the Courting.

The custom of Mexico requires the Indian girl to do all the courting. She is just as bashful as the young swain whom she wishes to fascinate, but she has to take the initiative in love affairs. The young people meet only at the feasts, and after she has got mildly under the influence of the native beer that is Hberally consumed by all she tries to attract his attention by danc-ing before him in a clumsy way up and down on the same spot. But so bashful is she that she persistently keeps her back turned toward him. She may also sit down near him and pull his blanket and sing to him in a gentle, low voice a simple love song, such as "Beautiful man to be sure." If occasion requires, the parents of the girl may say to the parents of the boy, "Our daughter wants to marry your son." Then they send the girl to the boy's Lome that the young people may become acquainted. For two or three days perhaps they do not speak to each other, but finally she playfully begins to throw pebbles at him. If he does not return them she understands that he does not care for her. If he throws them back at her she knows that she has won him. She lets her blanket drop and runs off into the woods, and he is not long in following her.—Carl Lumboltz in "Unknown Mexico."

Change of Air.
The quasi miraculous benefits which are associated with change of air in the popular belief are in reality derived when they accrue from change of environment, qua change of habits of life. In a great many instances the measure of benefit obtainable would be as effectually secured, and at much expense, by mere change of habits. without the fatigue and inconvenience of change of domicile. The overwrought city clerk might advantageously take to driving a cab, while the cabman would find it a relief to discharge for a time the functions of caretaker of a deserted house. Many an overworked physician would experience a distinct improvement were he to qualify as chauffeur, with no other object in view than to cover space, and there are few domestic servants whose health would not be sensibly modified by a brief experience as milkmaid or gleaner should the season lend itself to that pursuit. The "literary gent," whose brain is sterile of new ideas might recuperate his energies by usurping the role of a sick man and remaining in bed for a week or two.

A Spider and a King. On the ceiling of one of the rooms in Sans Souci, the world renowned palace of Frederick the Great in Prussia, is the painting of a huge spider with its The reason for this odd decoraweb. tion is that one morning just as the king was about to drink his usual morning cup of chocolate in this room he turned aside for something, and when, a moment later, he took up the cup he noticed a small spider had fallen into it. Immediately upon giving an order for a fresh cup a pistol report was heard, and it was discovered that the cook had shot himself. The reason for this, it was later found out, was that he had poisoned the chocolate, and of course when a fresh cup was ordered he supposed his treachery had been discovered. It was in remembrance of this narrow escap that Frederick ordered a spider's web to be painted on the ceiling.

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New Zealand's Ownership.

Queer points are raised from time time in courts of law. For instance, one just seriously reserved for consideration by an Australian judge of the supreme court—namely, whether New Zealand is legally a British possession. It sounds like a loke at the expense of that most loke at the expense of that most ardent and energetic of Imperialists, King Dick Sddon. At the same time it is possible there may be something in the point. Although Captain Cook repeatedly urged upon the Imperial Government the colonization of New Zealand, no practical step was taken until very late in the thirties, when it leaked out that the French were contemplating the anthirties, when it leaked out that the French were contemplating the annexation of the islands. It was close race between a British and a French man-of-war, the British ship winning by a few hours. It is con-ceivable in the excitement of the moment some formality in the pro-clamation of British sovereignty over clamation of British sovereignty over New Zealand may have been over-looked. In 1835 a Frenchman who called himself Baron de Thierry pro-claimed himself "sovereign chief of New Zealand," but his funds failed, his ninety-three followers deserted, and he sank into obscurity.—London Chrenicle.

British papers say that Sir John British papers say that Sir ohn Fisher, who takes over the Portsmouth command, is one of the strongest men on the flag list. He is generally understood to have had a large share in drawing up the new scheme of naval training, issued by Lord Selborne last Christmas, and his new appointment will give him Lord Selborne last Christmas, and his new appointment will give him an opportunity of taking an active part in putting the scheme into practice. He will have under his dind at Portsmouth the college for cadets at Osborne, the great maval gunnery school at Whale and, the torpedo school on board Vernon, the big naval depot, with its huge contingent of stokers, mostly huge contingent of stokers, mostly undergoing training, which is about to be moved from the old three-deckers to the new naval barrack at Portsea, and the St. Vincent training ship for boys. He has seen a good deal of active service, and first became really famous in the Egyptian war of '82, when he adapted and commanded the "iron-clad train." In spite of his years, he is an energetic dancer, and as he has daughters, everyone in the district is looking forward to a good deal of entertaining at Admiralty House. at Admiralty House.

Treasure Treve in England. Not long ago 6,775 English silver pennies which some man had hoarded up for his own benefit in times when pennies were silver were sold to the public at auction in London, realizing \$500 for the national treas-try. This money was dug up by some laborers at Colchester while laying the foundation of a building

The crown stepped in and seized the a few rare coins in the collection were sent to the British museum. When the hoard was found the price of these silver pennies wenk down in all the coin collectors' markets. This strange and not particularly reason-able law of a treasure trove" has extended from England to France, Germany, Spain and Denmark. If any one finds hidden treasure and con-ceals it for his own use he is liable to fine and imprisonment. It used to be a hanging matter.

Surprised.

"I suppose," said the physician smiling and trying to appear witty while feeling the pulse of a ladv patient, "that you consider me an

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