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London, Monday, March 16.

The Opening at Ottawa.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's effort in the House of Commons on Friday will banish anxiety as to his physical condition. He spoke for an hour and a quarter with apparent ease and with his wonted brilliancy. All his hearers are agreed on that point. The Toronto World, Conservative, says he was in fine form, and that his speech did much to give heart to his followers. The Toronto News, Independent, says he spoke without effort, and that his address will rank as one of the best in form of any of his less important utterances. Deep concern had been caused in the country by persistent rumors that his health was hopelessly undermined, but these are proved now to have been grossly exaggerated, from motives which in some cases were not creditable. The leader of the Opposition chivalrously congratulated the Premier upon his improvement, and echoed the sentiments of the House in which Sir Wilfrid's opponents but no enemies. Sir Wilfrid's speech contained several important declarations. He promises that the redistribution will not be used for party advantage. A gerrymander bill would be resented as keenly by Liberals as by Conservatives, although it would be a retaliation for the injustice of 1884. The Premier spiced the guns of the Opposition by announcing that the Bond-Hay treaty would not be effective unless Canada received from Newfoundland equal privileges with the United States. This is the first intimation that the Government had been moving in the matter. A commission of experts will be appointed to investigate the conditions of the transportation problem, with special reference to terminal facilities on the lakes and the seaboard. The commission, it is expected, will select a chain of ports and harbors, extending from the head of Lake Superior to the Atlantic coast, upon which public money can be spent to most advantage in facilitating the movement of traffic from the Northwest to tidewater. The work must be carried out on definite and carefully considered lines. On the question of Imperial defense, the Premier reaffirmed the position of the Government, that Canada should provide for her own defense, but should not be drawn into Imperial military expenditures, over which she had no control. The Premier promised to bring down the correspondence with the British Government in which the Canadian Government formulated a protest against the personnel of the American members of the Alaska tribunal. He professed to be well pleased with the treaty, and pointed out that the Washington Government had receded from its former contention that Dyea and Skagway should be outside the scope of the commission.

The House disposed of the address in reply to the speech from the throne in one sitting, a sensible course, as the session will be long enough without wasting time on purely oratorical features. The budget will be brought down next week and the ground will be cleared early for the most important business of the session, the redistribution and the Grand Trunk Pacific railway project.

Gamey, the Rising Sun.

The movie novel features of the Gamey affair are being skillfully developed by the Opposition press. In newspaper parlance, Gamey is rare copy. He is good for a sensation every day and he likes the role. "The man from Manitoulin" is the greatest political vaudeville show the country has known for years. Apparently the performance goes on even while the principal is asleep. It is reported that Mr. Tom Lewis, of London, invaded his room at 2 o'clock in the morning. Lewis denies the story, but it was well calculated to keep Gamey in the limelight. The Mail and Empire discovered in it a plot against Gamey's life. The Ross Government had marked him out for assassination, and he had to have a bodyguard presumably to look out for knock-out drops. The London Free Press is more charitable. Assuming that Mr. Lewis was the nocturnal visitor, it credits him with a desire merely to get on speaking terms with the new regime. "What better politics," it asks, "than endeavor to make interest with the new-comers, to get in the warmth of the rising sun?" The Conservative party has been waiting a long time for a rising sun, but at last its hopes are fulfilled. Gamey is the man. If the Conservatives get into office they will owe a great deal to Gamey, and there is not the slightest doubt that Gamey will collect the debt. On the ground of party service he could claim the leadership. The office-seekers should hasten to follow the shrewd example of Gamey's midnight caller by getting in the warmth of the rising sun. Even the leader of the Opposition dare not fall out with Gamey.

The War on the Locomotive.

In the March number of McClure's, Samuel E. Moffett describes "The War on the Locomotive," which is being waged by the insistent trolley. He points out that the number of passengers carried on steam railroads has fallen off by over twelve millions in

seven years, although travel has greatly increased. One can go on an electric car to almost any point in Southern New England reached by a locomotive, and to a good many parts where its whistle is never heard. The trolley in its early development, had four advantages. It could run separate cars at frequent intervals; it could take on and let off passengers anywhere on the road; it could take people near their homes and offices; and it could pay a profit at nominal fares. Per contra it had the disadvantage of less than railroad speed, because as a rule it was laid on the surface of the public highway. But the tendency has developed to build the roads on private rights of way and operate them by steam railroad methods. On the Union Traction Company's line between Minneapolis and Muncie, 53 miles, the trolley speed is a mile a minute, each car being driven by motors of 300 horse power. On the Buffalo and Lockport line, a speed of 75 miles an hour will shortly be attained. On several other inter-urban lines in the United States a speed of 40 to 60 miles an hour is maintained. On Dec. 23, 1901, the Everett-Moore syndicate (owners of the London street railway) ran the first through electric car from Cleveland to Detroit, a distance of nearly 200 miles. The run from Cleveland to Toledo was made in five hours and a half, under the disadvantage of continual delays by construction gangs. The ordinary express train time between those points on the Lake Shore Railroad is three hours. Experiments now in progress on the electric line justify the belief that the trolley cars will soon be doing it in four. The City of Detroit has become the greatest center of electric traction in the United States. Lines actually built extend from Detroit to Port Huron, Bay City, and Kalamazoo, and their extensions now under way span the entire State of Michigan, and lead straight through to Chicago. In January, 1901, the Detroit, Rochester, Romeo and Lake Orion Railroad concluded a treaty agreement with the Saginaw Suburban Railway Company, by which through electric cars were to be run hourly from Detroit to Bay City, 127 miles, covering the distance in about five hours, at a rate of a cent and a half a mile. In connection with the Everett-Moore lines that skirt the shores of Lake Erie, that gives an unbroken trolley run of over 500 miles, from Painesville, less than 50 miles west of the Pennsylvania border, to Bay City, with a service as quick as the steam accommodation train, several times as frequent, and half as expensive. It will soon be possible to travel by electricity without a break from the coast of Maine to the middle of Nebraska, half way across the continent. The electric freight service is as flexible as an elephant's trunk and as adept in picking up little things. It grows rich off the crumbs of business that a steam road would despise. But it is also becoming a serious rival. The International Railway, operating the electric lines in the vicinity of Buffalo and Niagara Falls, runs full-grown freight trains, drawn by electric engines with a hauling capacity of 25 cars each.

The steam railroads are now beginning to develop electric traction instead of blocking it. The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad has taken the daring step of paralleling its own lines, for a considerable distance, with new trolley roads. Thus it is its own competitor, and catches the passenger whichever way he goes. The Boston and Maine has gone even further. It has incorporated a trolley line as an integral part of its regular system. Its Concord and Manchester electric branch was constructed and is operated on steam railroad methods throughout. One bridge is used in common by locomotives and trolley cars, under the joint protection of interlocking signals and derailing switches. There are a regular passenger agent and a dispatcher controlling the movements of cars by telephone, a fixed time schedule, inspection of watches and administration of discipline. In the whole United States there are now 20,000 miles of electric roads. In Canada the development has only begun, but London is fortunate in being one of the largest centers of it.

His Code of Morals.

[Washington Star.] "Honesty, day say, is de best policy," remarked Plodding Pete. "Dat's right," answered Meandering Mike. "You'll never catch me doin' anything to keep me dodgin' the police. It's too much like work."

The Buffalo Method.

[Washington Star.] "Do you think the person who committed the crime will be punished?" "Emphatically, yes," said the police official. "But you haven't discovered him yet." "No. But we'll keep saying we suspect somebody and thereby keep him suffering the terrors of a guilty conscience."

A Favorable Verdict.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.] The old gentleman steadily regarded him.

"Well," he said, "it is evident that my daughter did not pick you out for your personal attractions. Hence I must conclude that you have some practical points that are of value. Take her, my son, she's yours."

Malodoros.

[Hamilton Times.] Gamey? Yes, smells a trifle high.

Where She Will Draw The Line.

[Exchange.] "She always was such an original girl."

"What's she done now?" "Got engaged by wireless telegraphy."

"I'll bet you she won't be satisfied with a ringless engagement, though."

Danger of Real Beauty.

[St. Thomas Journal.] In Buffalo it is dangerous for a young woman to be handsome. She is in special danger, if a blonde, of being arrested for murder.

DEFIANT WORDS OF SAROFF

The Macedonian Leader Tells Powers They Must Act

OR HE WILL ATTACK TURKS

In London There is Talk of an Anglo-Turkish Alliance—Would Help Britain in Persia.

New York, March 16.—The Sun has the following special from Vienna: In a letter to the Zeit, Boris Saroff, the Macedonian leader, condemns any recommendation to suspend the agitation in that country and give the reforms a trial. Macedonia will not be safe, he says, until European troops occupy the country and guarantee peace. Then the Macedonians will lay down their arms willingly. Otherwise they will fight Turkey alone.

The Sun also has the following from London: The situation in the Balkans and Turkey is still so clouded that it is impossible to forecast either the immediate or distant developments. There is still a general expectation of an insurrection in Macedonia, but no indication of any sort as to what the Sultan really intends doing politically or in a military way. Nobody expects for a moment that he will display any qualities of disinterested humanity. On the other hand, when he adopts that role, as in his prompt acceptance of the reform suspension, suspicion of him is everywhere intensified. Europe is simply waiting for him to show his hand, which he will be in no hurry to do.

Some attempts are being made in England to induce the Government to change its policy of abstention from interference in affairs of the Near East. It is urged that there are ample inducements and wide imperial interests in favor of a revival of British prestige in these regions, where it has declined since the opening of the Suez Canal almost to the vanishing point.

An argument is advanced to day in favor of an Anglo-Turkish alliance, which would undoubtedly create a military combination that would transform the situation, not only in the Balkans, but in Persia and the hinterland of Asia. It is politically unfeasible, of course, for the British Government, which recently aroused against itself domestic unpopularity of amazing strength, to venture on such a measure of alliance with the unspeakable Turk.

A Mystery.

[New York Times.] "Senator, what is clean politics?" "Why—er—I dunno."

Cut Away the Ulcer.

[Toronto Globe.] The welfare of the Liberal party is not bound up in the fortunes of any politician or in the fate of any government, and now that the issue is clearly drawn, neither the high record of the Government nor the fear of party humiliation will turn away the great body of the Liberals of Ontario from pressing for absolute justice. The very life of Liberalism, as well as the sacred interests of national honor, depend on taking that course resolutely and without hesitation, and we are convinced that Premier Ross will be drawn up to either advise or submit to any compromising measures. If there is an ulcer in the body, self-preservation demands that it be cut away, and the health of the Liberal party invites unflinching and merciless treatment of any disease diagnosed by competent examination, but the diagnosis must be by experts, and not by excited or interested self-appointed investigators. If this is not the attitude and determination of Ontario Liberals, then we are grievously mistaken.

Before and After.

[Boston Transcript.] Mrs. Mateland—Henry, I wonder if you love me as much as you used to love me before we were married. You never say the prettiest things to me that you did in those days. Mr. Mateland—That's because I love you more than I did then, dear. I love you too much now, to lie to you, you know.

Record Walking Trip.

London, March 16.—Fifty-six pedestrians competed in a walking contest from London to Brighton, a distance of 52½ miles. J. Butler, an amateur, won by two miles in 8 hours 43 minutes 16 seconds, which is a record for the distance.



Many a man would better go without lunch at all than eat the hurried lunch which forms the noon-day meal of many a business man. Hasty eating, foods hard to digest, and no time allowed for digestion are the cause of many a case of stomach "trouble."

Disease of the stomach is treated in three ways: the health of the whole body and should be promptly cured. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the perfect assimilation of food and the proper nutrition of the body on which physical strength depends.

"Nine or ten years ago my health became very poor, and in 1895 was so far gone that good doctors pronounced me incurable. I was given every treatment, but was nervous to such an extent I could not sleep. I finally got three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and some 'Pelle's.' Took them according to directions on the bottles, and in a few days noticed a decided improvement. I commenced to get more rest at night and could eat with pleasure, where formerly food was like chips to me. I was a new man; could eat mince pie for supper, go to bed at seven P. M., and sleep until seven A. M. I am now working at my trade (carpentry), every day in all kinds of weather, and think if I had not taken your medicine I would now be under the sod."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the digestive system from accumulated impurities.

A MISSIONARY TO ENGLISH WOMEN

California Girl Preaches to Britain's Housekeepers.

THEY DON'T NEED SERVANTS

Says That It Should Not Be Considered Derogatory to Answer One's Door Bell.

London, March 16.—England continues to be, in the eyes of certain Americans, a field which is every ready to absorb the most extravagant notions. The latest exponent of the preach-to-all-the-people theory is a young woman, who hails from California, by the name of Gwendoline Stewart. She has announced that her native state has solved the servant problem, and that she has come to England to bring the glad tidings.

Miss Stewart lectured Thursday. What she says of American women will perhaps astonish many of them. "The American housewife," she said, "that does her own work is by no means a domestic slave. During the morning she works, the day does her good; her domestic tasks are done easily, quickly and thoroughly. "How does your servantless wife manage her house? She cleans, knife-cleaning, washing up, blacking grates and answering the door?" Miss Stewart was asked.

Her answers were ready: "The American men and women wear rubbers when it is wet. These are easily washed. The woman cleans her boots with a knife-cleaning, which is far less labor than the old paste blaking. If English people wear rubbers they would be saved much rheumatism. Knife-cleaning is not necessary, because electroplated knives are universally used. Our grate is a small cradle in a tiled hearth when the rooms are not heated by steam. Washing dishes, I admit, is one of the things that must be done in the old-fashioned way, but in American houses the handling of dishes is not so serious a matter."

As to answering the door, why should you not answer your own door? What is there derogatory in it? There is something incredible in the notion that you demean yourself by opening your door to a caller."

Miss Stewart also advocated a system of hiring servants to come certain hours every day, the same as though they worked in a factory.

COMPANY NOT WORRYING

The Offers of the C. P. R. Strikers Referred to Montreal.

Vancouver, March 16.—Settlement of the U. B. R. E. strike against the Canadian Pacific seems further away than ever, despite an alternative proposal by the strikers yesterday morning, that in the event of mediation by the Provincial Government being refused, the company declining the chance of a strike, they will accept the proffered adjudication by arbitrators of the four trainmen's brotherhoods, presently represented here and officially recognized. This, it will be remembered, was the course proposed by General Superintendent Macpherson, who said, however, that the company is quite satisfied to have no further dealings with the strikers, and will certainly not replace any employees engaged during the suspension of regular service from which the strikers take it that they are to be challenged to do their worst. Meanwhile Mr. Macpherson, who has been in the city since the new proposal is not yet before him, and if it were refusal of the acceptance would come from Montreal.

THE AUTOMOBILE RACE

Parliament Will Pass Bill Now on Its Second Reading.

London, March 16.—The bill authorizing the holding of the coupe international automobile race in Ireland is now awaiting its second reading in the House of Lords. The Marquis of Londonderry, with the approval of the Privy Council, has undertaken the race of 52½ miles. J. Butler, an amateur, won by two miles in 8 hours 43 minutes 16 seconds, which is a record for the distance.

Excitement in Ireland over the holding of the race in the Emerald Isle grows every day. The Irish Automobile Club intends holding an exhibition during race week and has taken a very fine rink at Earlsfort terrace as a garage for racing and other automobiles. It is also suggested that the English racing machines be painted green, as a pretty compliment to Ireland that will be sure to be appreciated.

Already the coming race is exercising a good effect. The local government board for Ireland has raised the legal speed limit from 12 to 14 miles an hour.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. has been used for FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, FOR COLIC, FOR SOOTHING THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's," and accept no substitute.

The Cooper Hewitt mercury vapor electrical lamp is the cheapest light in the world, barring the sun. It has no red rays, and is, therefore, less irritating to the eyes than other lights, but this absence of red rays makes colors mixed with red appear as shades of dirty brown or bright violet and the greenish tint, while the faces of persons are green, blotched with purple.

DEATH COMES TO ALL.—But it need not come prematurely if proper precautions are taken. A ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, and to have prevention at hand and allow a disease to work its will is given. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil not only allays pains when applied externally, but will prevent lung troubles resulting from colds and coughs. Try it and be convinced.

Sakes alive! But you are a foolish person if you don't get a package of Hutch and cure your cold of indigestion. Really, it takes the pain out of your stomach!

Sometimes you eat too much! Sometimes you drink too much! Hutch relieves that bad taste and distressed feeling which follows a night at the club. It's a doctor for 10 cents.

Be sure to hear Pauline Johnson tomorrow evening.

Superb Showing of Black and Colored Dress Goods

Have you visited the New Dress Goods Department in the new store? Those who have are agreed that the wonderful and magnificent display is not equaled in any other store. With largely increased space, excellent light for the display of the rich fabrics, we are determined that this will be the popular store for you to purchase your new spring gown. New goods are now getting their first showing. Come and see them. It will pay you to familiarize yourself with our stock of Dress Goods.

New Black Cheviots,

56 inches wide, a splendid range, at, per yard, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.40.

New Black Pebble Suitings,

56 inches wide, specially priced, at per yard, \$1.25.

New Black Basket Cloth Suitings,

56 inches wide, specially priced, at per yard, \$1.35.

New Black Cloth Suitings,

Strong values, at, per yard, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Also a large range of colors, in navy, new navy, green, moss, grays, fawns and browns, at, per yard, 70c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

New Navy Cheviots,

56 inches wide, at, per yard, \$1.00 and \$1.40.

New Mottled Granite Suitings,

56 inches wide, golden brown and black, at, per yard, \$1.40.

New Granite Suitings,

56 inches wide, new navy, golden brown and black, at, per yard, \$1.00.

New Canvas Zibeline Suitings,

56 inches wide, new navy, brown and green, at, per yard, \$1.25.

Dress Lengths in Basket Cloth Suitings,

Beautiful goods for spring wear, 6 yards to the dress, at, per yard, \$1.50.

B. and I. Corsets.

Of all the Corsets made or sold in this Country, B. and I. is the Corset most earnestly recommended by Physicians and Ladies' Tailors. They are graceful in appearance and afford perfect comfort to the wearer. We have all sizes and styles in stock, and no matter what your figure, there is a B. and I. Corset that will fit comfortably and beautifully. Prices Range from \$1 to \$2.

See what the New Store is offering in Linens. See what the New Store is offering in Cottons. We have exceptionally good values in these lines.

King'smill's

KING AT CODY'S SHOW

Nine Hundred Persons Present at First Court of the Season.

London, March 16.—King Edward, Queen Alexandra, the Princess Victoria, Princess Charles of Denmark and three children of the Prince of Wales, all attended by their suites, occupied a specially constructed royal box at the Olympia to witness the Wild West show. A tea room, hung with old gold velvet, and decorated with flowers, was at the back of the special royal box, and there the King and Queen and their party had tea at the close of the performance. Their majesties afterwards visited the Indian camp, where Col. Cody was presented to them. Col. Cody and Major Burke then escorted the royal party through the settlement, where rough riders were drawn up in a double line. The King conversed animatedly with Col. Cody, commenting on the various styles of horsemanship.

At the center of the camp Mrs. George Star was brought to the Queen two tiny Indians, who presented her majesty with big bouquets. The Queen took the flowers, and kneeling down, shook the children's cheeks.

The first court of the season was held at Buckingham Palace Friday night. It was a brilliant function. Over 900 persons assembled in the throne room, all the ambassadors and legations, being particularly well represented. Their majesties, after the presentations, reverted to the former custom of allowing the guests to file past the royal dais, which arrangement voided an unpleasant crush in the supper room. The King and Queen remained seated while the company filed out.

IRATE MRS. NATIONS

Inhabitants of a Village Descend on Saloon and Demolish Stock.

Findlay, O., March 16.—Williamstown, a village of 800 inhabitants, in this county, was the scene of wild excitement on Friday.

Most of the residents of the village are strong temperance advocates and have never permitted saloons to do business in their midst. Yesterday Mrs. Kate Puicheo, who owns a saloon in this city, purchased a two-story frame building there and announced she intended to put in a saloon. The citizens were enraged and today a mob of at least 500 men, women and children overpowered two men who were moving in stock and with axes soon demolished the building and fixtures. The stock was emptied out on the ground.

The two men employed at the saloon were badly beaten and chased out of town. The sheriff was summoned to quell the riot.

Strange Node of Suicide.

Chicago, March 16.—With a clothline about his neck, the end of which was made fast to the window ledge, Henry Pike leaped from a window on the third floor of a boarding-house last night. The rope with which Pike thought to hang himself broke, but he fell to a stone sidewalk in front of the building and was killed. Pike was an Englishman, 57 years old, and had been out of employment, and had become despondent.

Wigg—I see the original Uncle Tom of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" is dead. Wagon—What, again?

The eye is most sensitive to green colors.

LAST OF ALL COAL

An Expert Declares Anthracite Will Disappear in Sixty Years.

Washington, March 16.—Prof. Charles D. Wolcott, director of the United States Geological Survey, has taken a horrid scare into the people of Washington, who heard him lecture before the National Geographical Society. He said that at the present rate of consumption the anthracite coal fields of the United States will be exhausted in 60 years.

The bituminous supply, he declared, will run until the year 2203. He did not give the exact date. Washington coal dealers are beginning to hoard their supplies.

Prof. Wolcott allowed some hope to remain. He says the lignite beds of the West are practically inexhaustible and will be the source of our fuel supply when the coal is all gone.

CZAR'S GIRLS POPULAR

Czaritzza Wears at Her Belt an Emerald Weighing 60 Pounds.

St. Petersburg, March 16.—The Czar's daughters are the most popular dames in the whole empire. The latest story current is of the Grand Duchess Olga's retort to the court furnisher, who, having submitted them while driving, said: "I saw four nice very little girls riding this morning."

"No, you didn't," interrupted Olga abruptly and indignantly, "you saw four little grand duchesses."

Gossip continues to run on the Bozard ball. The Czaritzza wore at her waist-band an emerald as big as her palm, weighing sixty pounds. It was tried on seven times before it was found satisfactory.

Spring is already here, a whole month before it was expected, and St. Petersburgers are indulging in grayling—a fish obtainable only in the vernal season.

A LUCKY LAWYER

Friend of a Few Months Dies and Leaves Him \$80,000.

New York, March 16.—By the death of Dr. Arthur W. Church, a physician, whose home was in Toronto, Ont., William H. Rees, a young Jersey City lawyer, comes into a fortune of about \$80,000.

Dr. Church, who was a nephew of the late Dean Church, of St. Paul's Cathedral, London, was estranged from his relatives. He arrived in Jersey City about a year ago, making his home at one of the hotels there.

About three months ago he had occasion to consult a lawyer regarding some litigation in which he was involved, and as he had met young Rees, he went to him for advice. A strong friendship sprang up between the two. Dr. Church took a fancy to the lawyer, and sought his companionship. Last week the physician was stricken with appendicitis. He was removed to St. Francis Hospital. An operation was performed on Friday, and that same day he died. Before the operation he had handed Lawyer Rees his \$80,000.

Rees will have good reason to remember Dr. Church, for it was learned yesterday that he had been a very good friend.

Old Coughs

New coughs are bad enough; old coughs are worse. They make you think of bronchitis or consumption. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cures consumption. Not all cases, but very many. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

terday that before he went to the hospital he executed a will, making the young lawyer chief beneficiary. To a sister and niece in Toronto, Dr. Church left \$20,000 each, and to Rees he bequeathed the residue of his estate.

UNIQUE FRENCH DUEL

There Were Eight Engaged, Four of Whom Were Wounded.

Paris, March 16.—A novel encounter, in which eight men fought with dueling swords without buttons, under the same conditions as prevail in actual duels, and in which four of the combatants were slightly wounded, took place in a private inclosure at Neuilly, a northwestern suburb of Paris, in the presence of 150 persons, among them being a number of well-known Parisian club men. The police attempted to interfere, but the commissary of police was induced to believe that the affair was an ordinary fencing match with buttoned foils and he departed. The organizers of the encounter declare that the object was to demonstrate the harmlessness of duels as they are generally fought.

Nerve Wracked and Insomniac. Everything goes wrong, head feels heavy and dull, mind is filled with strange forebodings, stomach is out of kilter. You need a good tonic like Ferro-China, bring back your lost appetite and digestion, and cleanse the blood of all impurities. Ferro-China is a wonderful invigorant, and strengthens the will, banishes gloomy depression and quickly restores you to a healthy, vigorous condition of mind and body. Nothing is so good for the sick, weary and debilitated as Ferro-China. Price, 50c per box, at druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Hamilton's Manderline Pills Cure Constipation.

Anthracite coal underlying 1,000 acres has been discovered in Vancouver Island, B. C.

Piles

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if it does not cure you. A box, at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

Very often the hardest things to keep are promises.

A MERRY HEART GOES ALL THE DAY.—But one cannot have a merry heart if he has a pain in his back or a cold with a racking cough. To be merry one must be well and free from aches and pains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will relieve all pains, muscular or otherwise, and for the speedy treatment of colds and coughs it is a splendid medicine.

The lumber companies of Sweden have formed a trust.

THE GREAT DEMAND for a pleasant, safe and reliable antidote for all affections of the throat and lungs is fully met with in Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It is a purely Vegetable Compound, employed at the saloon and sought his companionship. Last week the physician was stricken with appendicitis. He was removed to St. Francis Hospital. An operation was performed on Friday, and that same day he died. Before the operation he had handed Lawyer Rees his \$80,000.

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