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MESSAGE ON AN EGG. Led to Marriage of English nan With a

In regard to the story which has been going the rounds of the papers lately, as to a Liverpool man findbeen going the rounds of the papers lately, as to a Liverpool man finding a message written upon an egg by the packer, a widow in Manitoba, whom he ultimately married, many true incidents of the same kind could be related, says The London Dally Chronicle. In 1889, a message was found in a barrel of apples that had come from New Zealand. In this message the packer of the fruit, a young woman, stated that her ancestors, whose names were given, came from Kent, and she asked the finder to ascertain if any of her name and family still remained in the county. As stated in the papers of the time, the finder was able to give her full particulars as to surviving relatives. But Mr. Tew of Leeds, a member of a Yorkshire banking family, had at one time a collection of these "messages in merchandise," some of them being very tragical and being a survival of the days when peaceful traders were caught by Algerian pirates and sold into captivity and slavery. One such message had been written in blood into captivity and slavery. One such message had been written in blood on a coarse canvas bag that had contained gum-arable; another ap-peared as a sort of tatooed stain on a large cork that had fastened up a

a large cork that had fastened up a vessel containing attar-of-roses.

In England these messages are most common in the hat trade, the girls working at the huge factories near Manchester being fond of putting bits of paper in between the lining and the substance of felt hats.

A few years back there was a sensational wedding, reported in the newspapers, at Guide Bridge, near Manchester, between the finder of one such message, a young Dalston cabichester, between the finder of one such message, a young Dalston cahinet-maker, and one of the mill-workers, who had put a tiny "gem" portrait of herself and her name and address inside the lining of a bowler. The girls who work in Cuban cigar factories are fond of sending these messages in merchandise out to the world, and the present writer saw one of these lately that had been found by a gentleman who got the cigar at the Carlton Club. A small needle had been placed in the cigar, and to this was attached, by a tiny and to this was attached, by a tiny thread, a thin strip of paper, or which was a message, in very good Spanish, addressed to the finder, and stating that the writer was young and beautiful, though poor.

APSLEY HOUSE.

Sale of Former Residence of the Duke of

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The London Express says:— Ap-We, the undersigned Druggists, are fully prepared to give the following guarantee with every 50 cent bottle of Dr. Pettingill's Kidney-Wort Tablets, the only remedy in the world that positively cures all troubles arising from weak or diseased kidneys:—
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C. H. Gunn & Co., Druggists, Chatham, Ont. sley House is to be sold if no great objections are raised in certain quarters. The news will come as a Apsley House was built about 1785-6 by the Adams for Henry Bathurst, Baron Apsley, Earl Bathurst and Lord Chancellor, who died in 1794. In 1828 the house was cased with Bath stone, and a gallery, a suite of rooms, and the present portico were added, at a cost, it was then stated, of £130,000. The house contains a wonderful picture gallery, where a Waterloo banquet was held annually until 1852, and which still contains precious works of art; a wonderful china room full of fine bronzes and interesting relics, of the great Duke, and a small, ill-lighted room, in which the famous general slept on a narrow bedstead. The late Duke of Wellington was very anxious to sell Apsley House some years ago, but A. I. McCall & Co., Limited, Drug-gists, Chatham, Ont. Powell & Davis, Druggists, Chat-ham, Ont. Apsley House some years ago, but he met with opposition from an ex-alted quarter on the grounds that such a sale would be an indignity to a great name. As the present Duke represents the fourth generation, and represents the fourth generation, and no longer receives an annual grant, it is believed that no opposition will be made to the sale, so that before very long a "prince of finance" may be ensconced at the house which a foreigner once aptly described as "No. 1, London."

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Stratford, 4th Aug., 1893.

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"A little knowledge is a dangcrous thing," to use the popular mispuotation of Pope's line, and so Stewart Arthur Williams has found of two Mylliams has found of two. Mylliams has found of two. Mylliams has found it. Mr. Williams has found of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of firty-six; who actually hit upon a new, and for a time successful, form of fir Pope's Line Exemplified. "A little knowledge is a dangerous

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He Didn't Need to Be Told.

Sir Robert Ball, the English astronomer, recently was showing a visitor a double star through a telescope, and since his friend was not an expert, Sir Robert thought to improve the occasion by a word or two of information. "One of those stars goes round the other," was his remark.

"Yes I saw it," said the visitor.

As a matter of fact, the star in question takes a little over 900 years to revolve around its fellow.

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these muscles so that they shall respond to our slightest demand as it is that our hands are trained to do our bidding. Different teachers will advo-cate different forms of breathing-upper chest, side chest, lower chest and abnormal breathing-but what we most want is absolute control, such control of the muscles as shall enable us to make use of any desired form of breathing at the word of command, for all forms have special values. Full upper chest breathing is used most, but lower chest and abdominal breathing are very valuable in cases of nervous ess, indigestion, stomach and bowel troubles.

The Truthful Pioneer.
"One day," said the truthful pioneer, I was whacking up some wood down by the creek, and ten Indians loomed up. They were pretty thirsty even for Indians, and they said they knew I had a jug somewhere, and they wanted to sample it. I had a log about half split at the time, and the ax was stick ing in it. I told them if they would help me get that log in two I would show them where the jug was. So they took hold, five on one side and five on the other, and pulled. And when I took the ax out the log sprung together and held them all by the fingers. Then I walked away to the house and loaded the shotgun and three or four pistols and then went back and argued with them, and they reformed right away." This story, says the Nebraska State Journal, was originally told of Daniel Boone or Davy Crockett and has done good service ever since. It is not copyrighted, however, and there is no good renson why Nebraska pioneers should

The Wild Giraffe. Perhaps the most difficult of all wild animals to capture is the giraffe. In addition to being very rare giraffes are exceedingly timid and are very swift footed. There is no special way to capture a giraffe, as almost every way has been tried, and all have been almost equally unsuccessful. The method which nas occasionally resulted in a capture is by using a long cord, at each end of which is a round weight. This cord is thrown by the hunter in such a manner as to wind round the animal's legs, either bringing it to the ground or rendering it incapable of escaping before it is made a prisoner. Most of the giraffes in captivity have been caught by chance when young.

Lovemaking In Mexico. In northwest Mexico the courting is all done by the lady. The young people meet at the feasts, and there the damsel who has fixed upon a member of the opposite sex whom she wishes to become her husband tries to attract his attention by dancing before him, persistently keeping her back turned to-ward him. Eventually she may sit down near him and pull his blanket and sing to him in a gentle, low voice. When she desires to bring matters to a focus, she begins to throw pebbles at the chosen one. If he throws them back at her, they are betrothed.

Eyes With Double Pupils. Cicero says that "the glance of all women with the double pupil in the eye is noxious, blighting and withering." Cadmus tells us that such persons would not drown. Still others say that if they did drown the body would never sink, neither would it decay. They could cure the disease of the chestconsumption—by rubbing their perspiration on the affected parts of the indi-vidual, and in case the double pupils were red instead of black they could cure the lepers and the blind.

Politician and Statesman "Maw, what's de difference between er politician and er statesman?" "Well, honey, a mushroom's good

ain't it?"

"And a toadstool is pizen, ain't it?" "And dey bof look alike?"

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Sugar Making In 1700.

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