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[illegible] the wife at home expecting her husband's return [illegible] In a few minutes the young man came up the street. He walked [illegible] until he reached his own steps, when he turned his back to the house and [illegible] to pull the very last whiff from [illegible] of a cigarette. Two minutes [illegible] The wife was nervous. Another minute and a few more whiffs, and [illegible] "Pardon me, but I do not think I [illegible] a man who has not yet left off boyish habits. In my business time is money. Good day." He bowed himself out [illegible] the steps, the little smoking stub from [illegible] his teeth and passed up the steps. He found his wife in tears, and would hardly believe his senses when she told him how he lost good employment by dallying with the weed in small packages.

Make a Note of It!

Read it over and over again, spell it out and sing it, until it is indelibly fixed in your mind, that Dr. Sage's Catarrh remedy is an infallible cure for chronic catarrh of the head, with all its distressing complications. Impaired taste and smell, offensive breath, ringing noises in the head, defective hearing, nose and throat ailments, are not only relieved but positively and permanently cured! This is no fancy of the imagination, but a hard, solid fact, proven over and over again, and vouched for, under a forfeiture of $500, by its manufacturers, the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Example is the school of mankind, and they will learn at no other.—[Burke.

How to get a Handsome Husband.

"When'er some lucky Indian maiden
Found a red ear in the husking,
'Muska!' cried they altogether:
'Muska! you shall have a sweetheart—
You shall have a handsome husband.'"

The handsome man always admires the beautiful woman. Then simply make yourself beautiful. Remove all blotches, pimples, "forked signs of turkey tracks" from your features, by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a tonic to the nervous, circulatory and procreative systems. Its use brings roses to the cheeks, and sparkle to the eyes. Take it, and you will like the Indian maiden, find a "red ear" in good health, an omen of future happiness. *Guaranteed* to give satisfaction in every case, or money paid for it refunded.

The Emperor of China has insomnia.

Good Sense!

Disease is largely the result of impure blood. To purify the blood, is to cure the disease! As a blood-purifier and vitalizer, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery stands head and shoulders above any other known specific! Its power in this direction is nothing short of wonderful. Guaranteed to benefit or cure in every case, or money refunded.

The fastest mile by a trotting horse was made in 2 mins. 8¼ secs.

After Many Days.

Holmfield, Man., Feb. 14, 1890.

W. H. Comstock, Brockville, Ont.

Dear Sir:—For 12 years my wife was a martyr to that dread disease, Dyspepsia. Nothing relieved her; physicians were consulted and medical skill tried, without avail. One doctor advised a change of climate, suggesting Manitoba as a desirable place. We acted upon this advice, coming here two years ago. The change of climate wrought a change indeed, but for the worse, as she [illegible] A neighbor [illegible] Morse's Indian Root Pills [illegible]

Yours gratefully,
Geo. Evans.

"Not all is gold that glitters" is a true saying; it is equally true that not all is sarsaparilla that is so labeled. If you would be sure of the genuine article, ask for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and take no other. Health is too precious to be trifled with.

One of the peculiar customs of the East Indian coolies called Lascars is the putting of a ring on the great toe when they marry.

For the thorough and speedy cure of all Blood Diseases and Eruptions of the Skin, take Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. Mrs. B. Forbes, Detroit, had a running sore on her leg for a long time, commenced using Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and she is now completely cured. Her husband thinks there is nothing equal to it for Ague or any low Fever.

Smoking jackets should always be worn with puffs.

When the hair shows signs of falling, begin at once to use Ayer's Hair Vigor. This preparation strengthens the scalp, promotes the growth of new hair, restores the natural color to gray and faded hair, and renders it soft, pliant, and glossy.

In running the fastest mile made by a man was accomplished in 4 mins. 12½ secs.

Mrs. M. Stephens, of Albany, N. Y., writes us as follows: My stomach was so weak that I could not eat anything sour or very sweet, even fruit at tea-time would cause Heartburn, fullness or oppression of the chest, short breath, restlessness during sleep, and frightful dreams of disagreeable sights, so that I would often dread to go to sleep. With the use of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery this unpleasantness has all been removed, and I now can eat what suits my taste or fancy."

The fastest mile ever accomplished by a man walking was made in 6 mins. and 23 secs.

How to cure Indigestion and Dyspepsia, chew Adams' Tutti Frutti Gum before and after meals. Sold by all druggists and confectioners, 5 cents.

There is only one sudden death among women to every eight among men.

Robert Lubbuck, Cedar Rapids, writes: I have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil both for myself and family for diphtheria, with the very best results. I regard it as the best remedy for this disease, and would use no other.

Tall slender flaring vases of pale green glass sprinkled with tiny sprays of gilt flowers are among the things new and lovely.

Singers and public speakers chew Adams' Tutti Frutti Gum to preserve and strengthen the voice. Sold by all druggists and confectioners. 5 cents.

Rings for men, with seals like checkerboards, are observed. The squares are simulated by alternate diamonds and sapphires imbedded in the gold.

When you feel unpleasant sensations after eating, at once commence the use of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and your Dyspepsia will disappear. Mr. James Stanley, Merchant, at Constance, writes: "My wife has taken two bottles of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery for Dyspepsia, and it has done her more good than anything she has ever used."

Instead of cut-glass and silver-mounted ice-pails for the table we have egg-shaped cut-glass bowls held in tripods of repousse silver and without handles.

Silver coffee-pots for after-dinner coffee appear to be a feature. They assume vase forms, slender and widening toward the base with long handles of ivory and different woods.

Aunty's Advice.

"My brother had a severe summer complaint about a year ago and no remedies seemed to relieve him. At last my aunt advised us to try Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and before he had taken one bottle he was entirely cured."—Adelaide Cri[illegible]den, Balwin, Ont.

An instance of the [illegible] use of [illegible] forms is [illegible] shell, beautifully iridescent, which looks like the body of [illegible] completed by a [illegible]

F. M. Markell, West Jeddore, N. S., writes: I wish to inform you of the wonderful qualities of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I had a horse so lame that he could scarcely walk; the trouble was in the knee, and two or three applications [illegible] completely cured him.

Only You.

If I'm strolling in the meadows,
Listening to the thrush's song,
And by accident that evening
You should chance to come along
And should ask to walk beside me,
Just to say a word or two,
Why, of course I shouldn't mind it,
For 'tis only, only you!

If you say you feel much better
With your arm about my waist,
Can I think of getting angry
When you show such perfect taste?
If while walking you should give me
Just a loving kiss or two,
Why, I don't think I should mind it,
For 'tis only, only you!

Roasts that should be juicy come to the table as dry as pasteboard, because the oven was not hot enough at first to instantly harden the outer surface and prevent the escape of its juices.

A lady writes: "I was enabled to remove the corns, root and branch, by the use of Holloway's Corn Cure." Others who have tried it have the same experience.

An indiscreet man is more hurtful than an ill-natured one; the latter attacks only his enemies—the other injures friends and foes alike.

M. A. St. Mars, St. Boniface, Manitoba, writes: Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is a public benefit. It has done wonders here, and has cured myself of a bad cold in one day. Can be relied upon to remove pain, heal sores of various kinds, and benefit any inflamed portion of the body to which it is applied.

Whenever you find a great deal of gratitude in a poor man, you may take it for granted there would be as much generosity if he were a rich man.

Purifies the breath and preserves the teeth, Adams' Tutti Frutti Gum. Sold by all druggists and confectioners. 5 cents.

Great efforts from great motives is the best definition of a happy life. The easiest labor is a burden to him who has no motive for performing it.

Victory at Vivian.

"In our family faithful work has been done by Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry as a sure and quick cure for diarrhœa, dysentery and all summer complaints. I can recommend it to all as a family friend, always true and faithful."—Mrs. W. Bishop, Vivian, Ont.

There is nothing that has so much authority, and is entitled to so little, as custom—it rules all the fools with a rod of iron, and threatens even the wise.

Mr. Thos. Bell, of Messrs. Scott, Bell, & Co., proprietors of the Wingham Furniture Factory, writes: "For over one year I was not free one day from headache. I tried every medicine I thought would give me relief, but did not derive any benefit. I then procured a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and began taking it according to directions, when I soon found the headache leaving me, and I am now completely cured.

Nothing hinders the constant agreement of people who live together but vanity and selfishness. Let the spirit of humanity prevail with benevolence, and discord and disagreement would be banished from the household.

Mrs. Geo. Rendle.

Mrs. Geo. Rendle, of Galt, Ont., writes: "I can recommend Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for it is a sure cure for all summer complaints. We are never without it in the house." Fowler's Wild Strawberry. Price, 35c.

The fruit season has brought out innumerable designs in small silver sugars and creams.

C. A. Livingstone, Platteville, Ont., says: I have much pleasure in recommending Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, from having used it myself, and having sold it for some time. In my own case I will say for it that it is the best preparation I have ever tried for rheumatism.

The great military manœuvres of France, Germany and Austria took place this week.

Mr. J. R. Allen, Upholsterer, Toronto, sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used, the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

It is worse than madness to neglect a cough or cold which is easily subdued if taken in time; becomes, when left to itself, the fore-runner of consumption and premature death. Inflammation when it attacks the delicate tissue of the lungs and bronchial tubes, travels with perilous rapidity; then do not delay, get a bottle of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the medicine that grasps this formidable foe of the human body, and drives it from the system. This medicine promotes a free and easy expectoration, subdues the cough, heals the diseased parts and exerts a most wonderful influence in curing consumption of the throat and lungs. If parents wish to save the lives of their children and themselves from much anxiety, trouble and expense, let them procure a bottle of *Bickle's Anti Consumptive Syrup*, and whenever a child has taken cold, has a cough or hoarseness, give the syrup according to directions.

The total number of Buddhists in the world is estimated to be 75,000,000.

Pope & Bitleau, druggists, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, writes: We have never sold any medicine that gives such satisfaction to the consumer and pleasure to the seller as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. We can refer you to numbers that have used it for diphtheria with entire satisfaction and success.

Antique vases, flagon forms of cut glass with silver-gilt vases, lips and handles are desirable as wedding presents.

Are You Hard of Hearing or Deaf?

Call or send stamp for full particulars how to restore your hearing by one who was deaf for thirty years. John Garmore, Room 18, Hammond Bldg. 4th & Vine, Cincinnati, O.

IF You [illegible]

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999 SONGS [illegible] **FREE!** [illegible]

Dr. Davis' Pennyroyal and Steel Pills for females, quickly correct all irregularities. Sold by all chemists or the agent, W. NEILL, 2263 St. Catherine street, Montreal. **50c. Per Box.**

TANSY PILLS! Safe and Sure. Send 4c. for "WOMAN'S SAFE GUARD." Wilcox Specific Co., Phila., Pa.

FAT FOLKS using "Anti-Corpulene Pills" lose 15lbs. a month. They cause no sickness, contain no poison and never fail. Sold by Druggists everywhere or sent by mail. Particulars (sealed) 4c. WILCOX SPECIFIC CO., Phila., Pa.

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"MOTHER GREEN'S TANSY PILLS" used successfully by thousands, safe and sure. Act only on the generative organs, and sure suppression from whatever cause. Should not be used if Pregnancy is suspected or possible, until the question is negatived beyond dispute, as their employment will be attended with different results than those desired. By mail, $1.00. Full particulars (sealed) 3 cts. THE LANE MEDICINE CO., MONTREAL, CANADA.

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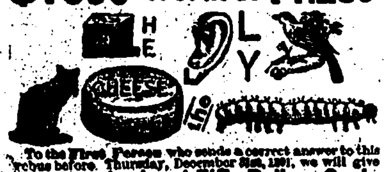

To the First Person who sends a correct answer to this rebus before Thursday, December 31st, 1891, we will give **One Hundred and Fifty Dollars Cash.** To the Second, $100 Cash. To the Third, $50 Cash. To each of the next [illegible]

A Solid Gold Stem Winding Watch. [illegible]

$50 [illegible] High-Arm Sewing Machine [illegible]

A Handsome Silk Dress Pattern [illegible]