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Sale of Shirt Waists

On Saturday July 12

On Saturday next we place our entire stock of ladies colored cambric shirt waists on sale at very low prices. Every waist is this season's production, perfect in fit and finish. Every desirable color is represented and all sizes. All priced for Saturday next as follows:—

50c Waists for 35c 75c Waists for 50c
\$1.00 Waists for 65c \$1.25 Waists for 85c

Flower

Sale.

A table of handsome flower regular up to \$1.00 each a bunch, divided into two lots for Saturday at

5 and 10c

Wrappers

Dark navy and red print wrappers sizes 33 to 38 in. well made in good style, reg. \$1.00 each, on sale for Saturday at

75c

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The prettiest lot of fine dimity muslins we have shown this season are now on our counters, in all the dainty colorings and designs, fast colors, special value at a yard

20c

Ladies' Underwear

Unbleached ribbed cotton undershirts very special at, 6 for 25c

10c and 12c

Cushions

Cushions for the Verandah, the lawn or for general use, covered with pretty designs in Art Satens and Denims, wonderful value at

23c



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10 pieces dress goods in good colors for separate skirts and children's dresses, reg. 40c, 45c and 50c a yd. on sale for

25c

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47c

56 in. wide all pure wool Home Spun, in good shades of grey, fawn, navy, black and green, for unlined skirts, reg. \$1.50 a yard, on sale for

\$1.25

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10 pieces of English striped pongee silks in every desirable shade of blue, rose, pink, navy, etc., now priced special at 25c per yd. on sale Saturday at

14c

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Fine saten tops with very pretty bone and natural stick handles covers guaranteed fast black, very special purchase allows us to sell you them at

\$1.00

Fancy parasols including Black Frilled, etc., in silk stripes, price ranging \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 on Saturday at One Quarter Off.

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On Saturday we will sell you for 5c the best unbleached cotton in the trade to-day for the price. If bought at present it would cost 6c to 7c a yd.

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Fish Stories



Are now being told of great catches. You can be absolutely truthful when you tell your friends of the great catch you make when you get our Mens' White Canvas Bals at Bargain prices, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00. These are snaps secure them while they last.

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AN INQUIRY

Lord Roberts Defends the Recent Rustication of Cadets, But Will Investigate.

London, July 10. — Lord Roberts, commander-in-chief of the forces, replying in the House of Lords to-day to criticisms made by Earl Carrington (Liberal) and others regarding the rustication of 29 of the cadets of the Royal Military College at Sandhurst, as a result of their failure to denounce the persons guilty of starting the recent fires at that institution, and who were not convicted of any connection with the attempts at incendiarism, defended his order, which effected the rustication of the cadets in question, on the ground that otherwise he found it impossible to discover the culprits. He promised personally to investigate each of the rusticated cadets and see that no boy would lose his seniority unjustly. Lord Roberts said, however, that the 29 cadets would not be allowed to return to the college until a satisfactory conclusion as to the origin of the fires had been reached.

KING RECLINES ON A COUCH

Steady Improvement of His Majesty is Maintained— Unable to Sit up yet.

Arrangements for His Transfer to the Royal Yacht Kept Entirely Secret.

London, 1 p.m., July 10. — The bulletin on King Edward's condition posted at Buckingham Palace at 10 o'clock this morning says:

"The King's condition continues to be satisfactory. (Signed) Treves, Laking, Barlow."

IMPROVEMENT MAINTAINED.

King Edward is not yet able to sit up, but every day is removed to an adjustable couch, which gives a welcome change to his position and which enables him to read with some degree of comfort. It is understood that next week His Majesty may be transferred upon a couch to the royal yacht Victoria and Albert in a specially constructed ambulance carriage, but all the arrangements for this transfer are kept secret in order to prevent a gathering of the public to witness the King's departure. His Majesty maintains his steady improvement.

With the departure to-morrow of the Duchess of Aosta, all the coronation guests will have left Buckingham Palace.

NO TRACE OF DISEASE.

An authoritative statement regarding the health of King Edward was published in to-day's issue of the British Medical Journal. It says:—"In view of the fact that sinister stories continue to be manufactured and printed, it may be again stated as emphatically as possible that during the operation no trace of malignant disease was observed, no suspicion of any kind has arisen since, and that the medical attendants are quite satisfied that His Majesty's constitution is thoroughly sound. The same journal adds:—"The progress of the last week has been everything that could be desired. The wound, though still deep, is granulating well. During the last ten days the improvement in His Majesty's general health has been remarkably rapid. The King has regained his strength almost completely, and is able to take restricted diet with a good appetite." The Lancet also states as "lies" the sensational rumors circulated, and says:—"There is not and never has been the faintest shadow or ghost of a suspicion of any malignant disease." The Lancet specially asserts that the King is free from cancer.

SIX VOTES

Now Constitute Liberal Majority in North Grey—Cross Appeal so Results.

Toronto, July 10. — Before Justice MacLennan this morning, the cross appeal of A. G. McKay, M. P. P., for North Grey, came up. Mr. Watson, arguing that the appeal be heard, as it would result in an increase of Mr. McKay's majority.

The judge said that a number of the ballots had been considered in connection with Mr. Boyd's appeal.

Mr. S. H. Blake, who appeared for Mr. Boyd, said:—"Oh, let us have a new election."

To this Mr. Watson hotly replied that he knew just where Mr. Blake stood.

The latter said there would be a scrutiny any way, and it was decided to go on with the examination of the ballots challenged by Mr. Watson.

After hearing argument, the judge increased Mr. McKay's majority to six, giving him four votes in Owen Sound.

A. W. Grant, of Ridgeway, and W. M. Hood, of Walkerville, were registered at the C. P. R. yesterday.

APPALLING MINING CALAMITY IN WHICH HUNDREDS MET DEATH

An Explosion of Fire Damp at Johnstown Attended With Terrible Loss of Life—Rescuers Report Seeing Scores of Bodies—Roof of the Mine Demolished.

Johnstown, Pa., July 10. — Johnstown has again been visited by an appalling disaster. It is only less frightful than the awful calamity of May 31, 1899, it cost in life, but it has brought sorrow to hundreds of homes made desolate by a mine explosion which took place in the Columbia Steel Company rolling mill under Westmont hill, at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon.

How many are dead it may take several days to determine, but that it is a long list is certain. It may reach 200 or more men.

It was nearly an hour after the explosion before any general knowledge of what happened got abroad. Men who came from the mines escaping with their lives, told the news, and soon it spread all over the city. Hundreds rushed to the point and waited news that did not come from the ill-fated mine. At the opening across the river from the point, the Cambria Iron Co., police, with several assistants stood on guard, permitting no one to enter the mine from which noxious gases were coming.

It was nearly four o'clock, when all hope of sending rescue parties from the Westmont opening was abandoned. Two men who had escaped from the mine—Richard Bennett and John Meyers—went back two miles to see what assistance could be rendered, but the damp drove them back, and they fell prostrate, when finally after a desperate struggle, they reached the outside. Two doctors gave the men assistance, and after working with them half an hour restored them.

Their story of the situation in the mine made it clear that the rescue work could not proceed from the Westmont opening, and the hasty preparations were made to begin that mission at Mill Creek entrance.

Soon after the news of the explosion reached the Cambria officials—mining engineer, Marshall G. Moore, and one of his assistants, A. G. Prosser, made an attempt to enter the mine. They were followed by mine superintendent George T. Robinson, but the deadly gases stopped their progress, and they were compelled to return to the surface. Mine foreman Harry Rodgers, his assistant, Wm. Blanche, and Firebosses John Whitney, John Retallic and John Thomas, were overcome by gases, and it is feared they perished in an effort to rescue the miners. A son of Harry Rodgers then tried to reach his father by the deadly gas, and was carried out unconscious. Wm. Stibich spent several hours at the Mill Creek opening. He said that he believed that as many as 450 men were still in the mine. In his opinion, from all he could glean, not to exceed 150 men had come out.

At ten o'clock to-night after-damp prevents rescue parties from making rapid headway. Probabilities are that miners will not be reached before morning.

The mining officials of the Cambria Company stated the explosion was one of fire damp. The catastrophe occurred in the section of the mine known among the miners as Kiondyke. The mine of the section on the company's books is the sixth west of the south main heading. It is about a mile and a half from the main entrance of the rolling mill mine. A few survivors, who have escaped from the depth of the mine, describe the condition to be frightful in their nature. Outside the Kiondyke the mines are safe and uninjured. Within the fatal limits of the mine, solid walls of masonry, three feet through were torn down, and the mine were demolished, and not a door remains standing. In the face of these difficulties, even the most heroic efforts towards rescue may well seem hopeless. Miners who left the mine by way of the Mill Creek entrance brought horrible stories of crawling over the dead bodies of their comrades. Two young men who were at work in the Kiondyke when the explosion occurred escaped by way of the airshaft leading up through Kernville Hill from the mine. A fan house, now out of use, stands at the top of this air shaft. This way the young men, sick and dizzy from the nauseous after-damp, or black damp, reached safely.

The Cambria Steel officials were notified of the explosion at once. Chief Mining Engineer, Marshall G. Moore and his assistant A. G. Prosser were the first to enter the mine after the explosion. They went in at the main entrance, and began to work their way to the other end. Both were supplied with safety lamps. The progress was slow and tedious, because of the poisonous gases.

At 11:20 the first four victims were brought to the surface from the Kiondyke section. They were William Robertson, who was unconscious when found; John Retallic, alive and in pretty good shape, and two unknown Slavs, both alive, but unconscious.

Dr. Lowman, of this city, who came up with the up, said he passed twenty-five dead bodies, some of them in sitting postures.

At midnight President Powell Stack-

Its contents were valued at \$3,000,000. Many splendid jewels were lent for exhibition purposes, though purchases could be made from \$1 to \$10,000, which was being asked for a DeBeers 207 carat diamond and for the great Southern Cross pearl. Among the aristocrat saleswomen was the Duchess of Marlborough, who, in her stall, had \$300 worth of China sent for sale by Emperor William.

Lady Strathcona, wife of the Canadian High Commissioner, and Lady Macdonald presided over Canada's sections, which were beautifully decorated, the principal decorations being of maple leaves.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lady Laurier accompany Lord Strathcona to the Imperial coronation bazaar at the Royal Botanical Gardens, at which the Queen opens this evening.

CABLED FROM CAPE TOWN.

Ottawa, July 10. — The following cable has been received at the militia department from Cape Town:—"Dangerously ill, 6th July, at Sydneyham, 'R.' Division S. A. C. Ernest William Walford, enteric fever. Please inform next of kin, father, James Walford, Garden Hill, Ont., at Pietmaritzburg, Edwin Ernest Graham, pneumonia; please inform next of kin, R. C. Graham, Centerville, Digby county, Nova Scotia. (Signed) Casualty Department."

July Selling

White Shoes For Men

Are the most comfortable kind of shoes for the hot weather which will arrive in a day or so. We have them in both high and low at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, and Goodyear Welt Soles, at \$2.00.

Boys' Black Canvas Base Ball or Bicycle Shoes

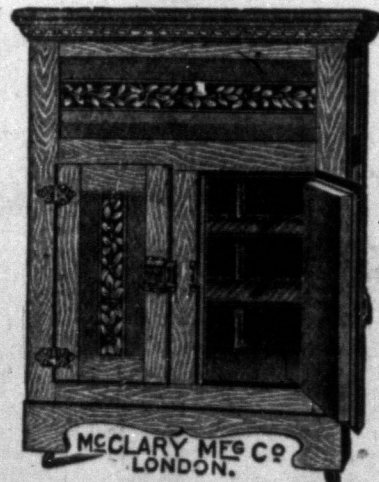
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Every Kind of Footwear Suitable for the Warm Weather

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Complete Stock of Hot Weather Requirements:

Ice Cream Freezers All Sizes

Hammocks, Window Screens, Fishing Tackle, Screen Doors

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If your paper fails to arrive regularly, or if you can suggest a better connection, or a better route, please communicate with the circulation department.

FRIDAY, JUNE 11.

A CHINAMAN'S CRIME.

Buffalo has a sensation, points out the Ottawa Citizen. A little six-year-old girl of that city has been found murdered after having been outraged. The result of the police investigation has been the issuance of a warrant for the arrest of Charlie Wee, a Hudson street laundryman, on a charge of murder in the first degree. The discovery of the crime and the suspicious circumstances indicating Wee as the guilty party aroused public feeling against local Chinese to an intense pitch and they have had to be accorded police protection from mob violence. It may be that the accused is not guilty and that he will be able to clear himself of the charge of committing a most diabolical crime; but should he not, should he have been guilty of the outrage and murder, it would be manifestly unfair to brand all Chinese as alike criminal. Such a method of dealing with native Canadian criminals would do grave injustice to a peaceable, law-abiding people whose general conduct has at intervals been marred by the acts of fiends in human shape. The admitted inefficiency of the Chinaman as we have come to know him in this country should stand Charlie Wee in good stead, and in any case save his fellow-countrymen from unjust suspicion and harsh treatment.

NO COMPROMISE.

That suggestion given out by the Peterborough Times that there is talk of a coalition is rather of the fairy-tale order. The Times is an independent paper, fairly expert in producing rumors, but this time it seems to have gone off at a tangent. Peterborough is Hon. J. B. Stratton's town, and that also may account for the starting of the rumor there. Mr. Stratton is among those who have made politics profitable; at all events he has amassed wealth since getting into politics. It is just possible, therefore, that he would favor a coalition if he were given a portfolio, and that he gave out the whisper as a feeler. Hon. J. M. Gibson is another minister who has grown wealthy since he got into active politics; Mr. Dryden is supposed to have made the money which he invested in his Dakota ranch out of the people of Ontario; Hon. Elihu Davis is said to have been closely in touch with the North Waterloo inquiry; Hon. Mr. Harcourt did not make a first class success in handling the finance portfolio and was changed off to the education department. He was always sure to figure out a surplus, however, and stuck to that to the last.

Just fancy Sir William Meredith coming down from his high position on the bench to preside over a cabinet composed in part of such men! Who could imagine Col. J. P. Whitney and J. J. Foy compromising with those who have resorted to all sorts of corruption to deprive them of their rights? Oh, no; we do not believe there is any foundation for the rumor. It is now found that Lennox remains Conservative; that Mr. Carleton has been confirmed in his seat. North Grey will yet be placed in the Conservative column; and "there are others." The Minority Government must go, and by the time the courts get through with the recounts and appeals and protests, Mr. Whitney will have a good working majority. Whitney and Foy and their colleagues are not likely to coalesce with men whose tenure of office has been prolonged by the most flagrant dishonesty.

Hon. G. W. Ross, the premier, is about the only one in the cabinet who has not shown peculiar adeptness in money-making since he got into politics, and it is proposed to shelve him as the Lieutenant-Governorship.—St. Thomas Times.

HOW ARE THE MIGHTY FALLEN.
Hamilton Spectator.

Oh, Pense! And you an editor, too! Vie!



Summer Necessities.

We have just the goods you want for summer, and we are sure the prices will give you comfortable temperatures. We plan for your pleasure and don't want any of our friends to be disappointed. Here's the stock that satisfies.

Skeleton Suits, two post, sizes 34 to 44, stripes and plain, \$5.00 to \$10.00.
White, and black and white stripe pants, 50c a leg.
Black and colored Lustré Coats, \$1 to \$2.50.
Men's and boys' belts, 15c to 75c.
Boys' Mesh Shirts, white and cream, 50c.

We have the best suspenders in Chatham for 125c.
Yes, we will sell straw hats in the leading styles, 50c to \$1.50.

See THEM
MEYNELL'S
The Up-to-date Clothier
Three Doors West From Market,
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ROSS CAN'T SEE HIS FUTURE.

Brantford Courier.
The Ross Government now takes rank with the man who has a great future behind him.

HAMILTON'S PERENNIAL FASHION.

Equine millinery has appeared on the streets. Last summer's fashions seem to be still popular.

A MOST POPULAR ART.

F. W. Faber.
The art of saying appropriate words in a kindly way is one that never goes out of fashion, never ceases to please, and is within the reach of the humblest.

QUALIFIED TO JUDGE.

Hamilton Herald.
We learn from John Brisbane Walker, of the Cosmopolitan Magazine, that Edison is a fakir. The information is all the more likely to be reliable because Walker should be a good judge of fakirs, being an experienced fakir.

THE BAPTISTS' GREAT LUCK.

Calgary Herald.
The Baptists are in luck. Yesterday they were to have held a picnic at Okotoks and chartered a train for \$50. A large number started out, but when the train got to Fish Creek it was unable to get over the bridge, and had to return to the city. It brought the picnicers back, and they had nothing to pay, as the company could not carry out its bargain.

HE GREATLY STARTLED HER.

Scottish-American.
At a dinner party there were present a young widow and a newly-married lady, whose husband, a British officer, had lately been ordered to India. An old military gentleman was asked to take the widow to dinner, but unfortunately he was under the impression that his partner was the newly-married lady. As they were crossing the hall the young widow, fanning herself, said, "It is very warm here." "Yes," replied the old gentleman, "but not nearly so warm as the place your husband has gone to."

SOME REASONABLE REFLECTIONS.

Brantford Courier.
Old Sol is making most things soluble.

This temperature comes high but we have to take it.

Where are those savants who claim that the sun is losing its heat?

In the matter of clothing sensible people these days leave off all that the law allows.

The human skin possesses some thousands of pores and by the great horn spoon they have all been worked.

Great talkers are like leaky vessels; everything runs out of them.—C. Simmons.

The most profitable pork is that made in the shortest time.

When leaves are baked in too hot an oven and the outside crust gets too brown, do not attempt to cut it off, but as soon as the bread is cold rub it over with a coarse tin grater and remove all the dark brown crust.

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Baking Tips.
Old tins are preferable to new when baking cakes. They are also more satisfactory.

The Maple City Creamery and Cold Storage

For butter only. We have room for a few more crocks or tubs of butter. Our room is cold, clean, perfectly dry and free from any taint as we take in butter only.

ing overtime during the last two or three days.

A GREAT YEAR.
Toronto Telegram.

1902 is undoubtedly a great year for strawberries, cherries, Hon. J. R. Stratton, and other small fruits.

THEY KNOW THEMSELVES.
Ottawa Citizen.

The National Council of Women is in session at St. John, N.B., and its proceedings are conducted with a refreshing naivete. For example, on the door of the auditorium where the sessions are held is posted prominently this notice:

Ladies kindly refrain from talking during the session, as it disturbs the speakers.

Not all ladies recognize the weakness of their sex; but, then, not all ladies are qualified for membership in the National Council of Women.

GOLDWIN SMITH ON TEACHERS.
Weekly Sun.

Alarm is beginning to be taken at the great and increasing preponderance of women over men among our public school teachers. It is said, and nobody who frequents the streets of Toronto or has anything tempting destruction can doubt, with justice, that the result is a marked deficiency in the manners of the boys, whom, beyond a certain age, women generally are unable to control. Hence the preference which is visibly growing for voluntary schools. Teaching under our present system is not a profession; it is a government service. The salaries are uniform, and necessarily low. A man who has gifts as a teacher cannot, as he could in a profession, distinguish himself and earn his due. So long as this is the case, the continuance of male teachers in the calling will be short and the number of female teachers will increase.

Indian Cress.
Indian cress, a most excellent salad plant, imparts a pungent and appetizing flavor to salads. Leaf, stem, flower and seed may all be eaten, the latter usually being salted and pickled first.

The Moonflower.
The moonflower isn't really any prettier than the morning glory, only it is bigger.

Crusty Bread.
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COLONIALS CONFER

Premiers Waiting to Discuss Matters With Chamberlain—Canadian Arch.

London, July 10.—Mr. Chamberlain's illness is delaying the conference, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the other Premiers are conferring among themselves with a view to adopting a united position in discussing the trade, defence and other questions with the British ministers.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was overwhelmed to-day with visitors at the Hotel Cecil. He dined with Lady Winborne, and attends a reception afterwards.

The Canadian ministers are delighted with the kindly, genial reception by the Prince and Princess of Wales at the royal dinner at St. James' Palace last night. The Prince and Princess recalled incidents during their Canadian tour with manifest delight. The Canadian arch. was devastated of its grain yesterday to make way for the flags design for Kitchener's reception on Saturday. There were amusing scenes as the crowd heaped and obtained souvenirs of Canadian wheat and corn. Two wagon loads were thus eagerly snatched away, the policemen watching smilingly. The crowd even appropriated shrubs intended for the Kitchener design. Illuminated portraits of the King, the Queen, Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener form part of the new design, with a Canadian message of greeting to Kitchener and the troops upon a red background.

SETTLING DOWN

Boers Returning to their Farms—National Scouts Anxious to Return.

London, July 9.—A steady stream of repatriated burghers, says the Times correspondent, at Johannesburg, has recently been returning home. The Boers are supplied with tents, equipments and rations for a month. This week the general return begins by government transport of those possessing horses and carts of their own. A local commission in each district will assist in the restoration of the people to their homes, supplying wood, plaster, seeds and stock when necessary. Each commission will be under the presidency of a resident magistrate, and will exercise broad discretion in making grants with regard to present needs, not with regard to the position of the families before the war.

The correspondent points out that the National Scouts—Boers who fought on the British side—deserve preferential treatment, and are as anxious as other to return to their normal life. Not more than 400 of these will return to their own farms. Many of them may take advantage of government land settlement schemes.

This week a group of settlers possessing some capital will be established in Ermelo district. These, including more than 50 New Zealanders. The sum of \$3,000,000 will be put at the disposal of the local commissioners for settlement of claims for war losses. When the successful complainant has received no supplies, his share will be paid in cash. In other cases the value of supplies granted will be deducted.

SUFFERING AND DEATH

London, July 9.—While Harry De Windt has been undergoing tragic experiences in Siberia, his nephew, Chas. Vynor Brooke, son of Ralph Brooke, of Sarawak, who married De Windt's sister, has been having a terrible time in the northern part of Sarawak. Despatches received from the Singapore Straits Settlements, under yesterday's date, gives details of the expedition, said to number 10,000 men, sent up the Batang Lahan River, Borneo, to punish the head hunters. When the expedition of which Mr. Vynor Brooke was a member started June 10, it was composed of 15 boats. By June 14 the flotilla was reduced to forty boats. By June 19 over a thousand deaths from cholera had occurred, and hundreds were ill. The intensely hot weather favored the rapid progress of the disease. The remnants of the expedition, however, successfully fought the head hunters, and, including Mr. Vynor Brooke, returned safely to Singapore.

MORPETH.

Miss Ethel Duck has returned from Alma College for the summer months. A. S. Hurst, B. A., and Mrs. Hurst, of Bridgeport, Conn., will spend the summer in the village and vicinity.

The heavy rains of last week ruined the spring crops on the low lands in this locality. A number of bridges were washed away west of the village during the storm of Wednesday night. A garden party will be held on Wednesday evening the 15th inst. at the home of Isaac Duck, in aid of the Methodist church.

Dr. Charles Armstrong, of Kankakee, Ill., spent last week at the home of his mother near Papineau.

James A. Mooney, near the Eau, recently sold his farm of 40 acres to Louis Bennett, for \$4,000, and there are no buildings on it.

The death of Edward Lee, a former resident of this village, occurred at Flint, Mich., on the 28th inst. Deceased was the son-in-law of Robert Shaw, of Ridgeway.

Wm. Lane, of Detroit, was on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Louis Bentley, last week.

W. T. Mooney, B. A., and Mrs. Mooney are spending the holidays with relatives in this locality.

Thomas Harrison and Miss Harrison, have been on a visit to Miss Harrison's sister's at St. Catharines. Mrs. Ed. Softley has returned home after spending a month with her parents at Mount Pleasant.

P. Mooney and wife, who have been visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity, have returned to their home in Cleveland.



Old Age IS MADE Vigorous BY THE USE OF DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

"I suffered for six years with constipation and indigestion, during which time I employed several physicians, but they could not reach my case," writes Mr. G. Popplewell, of Burcks Springs, Carroll Co., Ark. "I felt that there was no help for me, could not retain food on my stomach; had vertigo and would fall helpless to the floor. Two years ago I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and little 'Pelle's,' and improved from the start. After taking twelve bottles of the 'Discovery' I was able to do light work, and have been improving ever since. I am now in good health for one of my age—60 years. I owe it all to Doctor Pierce's medicine."

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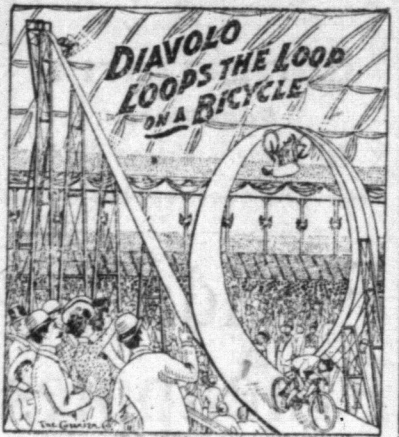
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H. Scott, of Highgate, was in the village on Monday.

We are sorry to record the death, on Saturday night, of the infant child of D. W. Kett. The infant took place on Monday afternoon in the Burgess cemetery. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of their numerous friends.

Miss Mand Blue has been very ill for the past few days.

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Change of Time

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

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*2:36 a. m. L. Express.....*1:11 p. m.

*3:32 p. m.Express.....*1:05 a. m.

*Daily.

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2:23 p. m.Express.....

8:32 a. m.Accommodation.....8:15 a. m.

.....Express.....12:42 p. m.

1:45 p. m.Accommodation.....2:30 p. m.

5:08 p. m."Eastern Flyer".....

8:50 p. m.Accommodation.....4:23 p. m.

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Swan River.....

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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Count von Ebert is in Detroit today.

The flag-pole on Tecumseh Park is being painted today.

John Steinhoff, of Mail, is taking baths at the bath house.

Bert Schwemler, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, William St.

The little daughter of P. W. McAuley, who has been quite ill, is no better.

Will McGeorge left yesterday to spend a few weeks camping at the Eau.

T. L. Cochrane, travelling freight agent of the Wabash, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. D. Bechard and son Real left today to spend a week in Windsor and Detroit.

Mrs. J. Polk Taylor, of Galva, Ill., is taking a course of baths at the mineral bath house.

Dr. Chappel, of Bothwell, brought a man suffering from appendicitis into the hospital yesterday.

Leslie Shepley, who has been in the General Hospital here, left today for Romney much improved.

Owen Doyle, brother of the late John Doyle, of Lansdowne Ave., leaves tomorrow for Chicago, Ill.

J. M. Park and wife leave West Superior tomorrow for home and will arrive some time next week.

Mrs. J. E. Oldershaw and Mrs. D. McKay and daughter left today for Erieau to spend the summer.

Mrs. Elizabeth and Miss Maud Wilson, of Ridgeway, are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Harvey St.

Andrew Thomson, Sr., Edgar street, is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. A. Park, Beverly Lodge, Erieau.

Miss Lydia Jenner, of Woodale, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rev. T. T. George at the Victoria avenue Methodist parsonage.

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Harry Clarke, Lombard street fire-hall, aged 27, leaves widow and two children, member of brigade three years.

David See, Lombard Street firehall, aged 29, unmarried, member of brigade five years; was a Paardeberg veteran.

Fred Russell, Yonge street Firehall, aged 32, leaves widow and three children, member of brigade seven years.

Walter Collard, Rose Ave. firehall, aged 32, leaves widow, member of brigade 11 years.

Estimated loss \$350,000.
Estimated insurance \$145,000.

Toronto, July 11.—Between the hours of six and seven o'clock yesterday morning, while yet many of the citizens were wrapped in peaceful slumbers, there was waged one of the fiercest combats with the fiery element recorded in the annals of the city and to-day Toronto mourns the death of five brave firemen who lost their lives in the battle with their grim and relentless enemy.

The annals of the fire department record no greater loss of life and but few more destructive conflagrations in the history of Toronto. The loss to property is estimated to be in the neighborhood of \$350,000. The five firemen who died in the performance of their duty were all killed by falling walls, and in addition a sixth fireman has suffered dangerous injury by a fall from his truck while on the way to the scene of the fire.

The injured man is Charles Toplis, of the Crown Avenue hall, who fell off his truck while passing the Aylmer grounds.

The entire brigade was engaged, directed by Chief Thompson, and by their extraordinary exertions in the face of the imminent death and danger which menaced, confined the conflagration to five principal buildings in the immediate vicinity of the scene.

WHERE THE FIRE BEGAN.

The starting point of the fire was the great storage warehouse of P. McIntosh & Sons, at Front and George streets, the first alarm being sent in at a quarter past six o'clock, to which the Lombard and Bay street sections promptly responded.

When the chief arrived a few minutes later, he found the fire to be of no ordinary magnitude and at 12.2 a. m. a general alarm was rung. Promptly the other sections arrived, and the battle was on in earnest.

The first terrible tragedy was enacted about ten minutes to seven o'clock. Sections of the Lombard and Richmond St. brigades were engaged from ladders in directing streams of water through the eastern wall of the big warehouse on George street.

In this work there were engaged Foreman John Swift and Firemen Lowrie, Poole, Adam Kerr, David See, and Harry Clarke, of the Lombard street hall, and Firemen Thomas Boyes, Thomas Poynton, Duncan McLean and James Pritchard, of the Richmond St. hall.

In the midst of their exciting labors the perilous nature of their occupation was lost sight of. Scarcely anything could be heard above the crackle and roar of the seething furnace inside.

"She's going, boys!" suddenly shouted Thos. Poynton, and the Richmond St. men dropped from their ladders and rushed madly away. Without any further warning and ere the others could descend, the huge wall bulged outward and toppled, burying the three men, Clarke, See and Kerr, under the ruins.

Word has been received at Ottawa that Capt. A. E. Rastick, formerly of the 57th Rifles, died in London of hydrophobia.

The Bell Telephone Company have purchased the Pontine telephone line, which runs from Quyon to Portage du Fort.

The Western Ontario Firemen's annual meeting will be held at Stratford on August 5, 6 and 7.

Miss May Strathy, of Lachine, Que., was accidentally killed in London, England.

A company has been organized at St. Louis to build a bridge over the Mississippi.

A mouse that was being shipped from Ottawa without permission was seized at Ottawa.

Michael Berry, concessioner, 8, Caradoc Township, had twelve steers killed by lightning.

Peter Clouse, a former resident of Simcoe, was drowned while boating on Long Point Bay.

The Prince and Princess of Wales entertained over 800 colonial visitors at St. James' Palace.

The T. H. Pratt Company's stock at Hamilton was destroyed by fire, and the building badly damaged. The loss is about \$80,000.

David Abrams, an Oneida Indian, has been arrested, charged with the abduction of Mary Antone, daughter of Peter Antone of Oneida.

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ROLFF HOUSE

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naught vainly sought to encourage him.

"No, no, Ralph," he said, as they were discussing the matter in the office, "I can see no gleam of hope in this matter. I tell you our case is completely riddled. There isn't a ghost of a show. Everything depended on there being no direct witnesses against us. Owing to my cursed recklessness and want of the most ordinary forethought, that infernal traitress not only has knowledge of all our plans, but has been the means of furnishing other clues against us. Everything has worked wrong. I put too much confidence in the war shutting off Claude, and in his weakness of character. I never expected to see him show such vigorous fight. It's too bad—too bad! We are doomed to be beaten. I can see it. I dare not contemplate the consequences. Unless something more hopeful turns up—but, no, there can be no hope. It is idle for us to delude ourselves. Fate is against us. If it hadn't been for that devil-haunted house—Ralph, I am growing superstitious. Yes, yes—popular legend is right. None but a Rolff can ever inherit that property. Don't tell me—look how every plan we have set in motion has been foiled in some strange and mysterious manner. I have been too sceptical. Some occult power is leagued against us. We must give up the fight. We must save ourselves, if we can."

"But what are we to do?" demanded Ralph.

"I don't know yet, Ralph. I must think—I must think. We can run away, I suppose."

"What, and give up everything, without a single manly blow? I would rather do anything than that. How do we know but that, by making a good fight, there is hope for us yet?"

"No, no, Ralph; my spirit is hopeful—too hopeful generally; but it is madness to deceive ourselves on this point. They can send me to prison. It's a criminal offence. Halstead is too sharp not to see the point he has got against me. He'll institute a criminal suit—see if he don't."

"And must we abandon everything—sacrifice all we have got—and go out in the world like beggars? Hang it! I'd rather shoot myself."

"So would I, Ralph. But we won't have to. You are not really concerned in this, and the responsibility cannot be made to lie against you. Matters can be arranged so that you will be all right. In fact, if I was to abscond and allow the suit already begun to go against me by default, I think that would be the end of the matter. All my property would be put in your hands and disposed of at your leisure, and we could make a new start in some other section. It's a hard choice, but I am not disposed to stand the chances of ending up my days in a penitentiary."

Disgusted and disappointed as Ralph was at the total collapse of the plans that had promised such brilliant fortune, he was unable to combat his father's fears successfully. At times the lawyer would show a temporary return of spirit, but it would be quickly succeeded by a fit of depression. In fact, Anthony Saybrook was like many a keen rogue, bold to plot and execute so long as success smiled on him, but easily worried and frightened under misfortune. Convinced that the lawyer Claude had secured to press his suit was skillful and determined, and had held of very dangerous testimony against him, he had no heart to await the issue, which he felt sure Claude was in a mood to push to the utmost extremity.

However, he made a show of carrying on a vigorous fight; boasted on the streets that he would win an easy victory; and apparently was prepared to contest every inch of ground in defending his character and holding on to the property he had so strangely acquired.

Finally the day arrived when the great suit of Rolff vs. Saybrook was to be opened. There was much public excitement over it, and the court-room was thronged. But, when the case was called there was no response from the defence. Inquiry was made, and it was found that Ralph Saybrook was at home; but he stated that his father had saddled his horse and ridden from town the previous night and had not returned. He did not know where he had gone or how soon he would return. For himself, he could only say that the management of the estate was entirely in his father's hands; he knew little or nothing of the matter; and he was not prepared to put in any answer till his father's return.

The case was postponed; but, as days passed by, and Anthony Saybrook did not reappear, it became evident that he had run away to escape the consequences of his crooked acts, and so judgment went against him by default.

Ralph Saybrook had not been sued jointly with his father, as suggested by Claude's lawyers, for the reason that the young man considered the father the instigator and manager of the

renowned scheme of fraud, and possessed too fine a sense of honor to allow it to be said of him that he desired to injure anybody out of mere spirit of jealousy. Having asserted his right to his patrimony, and secured a reversal of all the wrong attempted against him, he was not disposed to be revengeful. His hatred vanished, and, in its place, came a dull apathy and melancholy. He had succeeded—but to what purpose? He abused himself to make another appeal to farmer Bruyn; but only to be rudely rebuffed. The old man was of too obstinate a nature to yield easily in a matter where he had committed himself so strongly and Claude made the mistake of showing too great eagerness, and going to him before the disgust and disappointment at the failure of the schemes he had set such great store by had worn off. Farmer Bruyn did not lack in a certain coarse kind of conscientiousness. He had really trusted and suspected Claude's character, and flattered himself that his efforts to control Rosa's future had been actuated by a fatherly regard for her welfare. Though surprised, and almost

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summed up the asseveration of Anthony Saybrook, the flight of that individual and the consequent derangement of the plans he had cherished, he was too honest not to see that these events did not affect the least opinion he had held of Claude. To change his attitude now was to convict himself of hasty and unreasonable judgment, and to lay himself open to the suspicion of being merely mercenary, and the bluff, wrong-headed old fellow was not in the least disposed to make such admissions, and, as has been stated, rebuffed Claude's approaches with even more than his former curtness.

CHAPTER XXXI.

The events detailed in the past chapters had occupied the fall months, and winter had again arrived.

For awhile, Claude found occupation enough to keep himself from total despondency. He had much to do to straighten his affairs, but under the advice and with the assistance of lawyer Halstead, he was enabled to meet obligations falling due by issuing new mortgages and disposing of outlying portions of the estate.

Claude went through with all this business wearily and mechanically. His health had been restored in a measure; and, feeling himself once more master of Rolff House, his pride and spirit returned, subdued only by the experiences he had passed through. The career of study and travel he had marked out for himself had come to a sudden end; he could not interest himself in the business and pleasures of the little place, and his ardent spirit fretted and soured under the ill-fortune that seemed to baulk his chief desire. There was but one object that now absorbed his hopes and ambition—and that object was sweet, patient, faithful Rosa Bruyn. The young man's short experience as a student of art abroad, and the knowledge that he was shut out for the time from all hope of carrying out his ambitious projects, had dulled the edge of his enthusiasm for travel and study, and it was natural, at his years, that, folled in every other outlet to his abundant energy and spirit, he should surrender himself completely to the beguiling passion of love.

He could dream only of Rosa Bruyn. He caught a furtive glimpse of her occasionally, and saw she was growing fairer, though paler than of yore, and with a meek of settled sadness that cut him to the heart. How willingly could he now resign every other thought of ambition or happiness to throw himself at her feet!

Claude could not resist once more communicating with her. He wrote her a long, passionate letter, bewailing the fate that separated them, declaring his unchanging love, and vowing that he would be faithful forever, and would wait while life lasted for fortune to smile on their happiness and crown their union. He wished her to give him a like pledge for he had in view that might take him from the place for years; indeed, he might never return; but, whatever fate overtook

him, he wished to leave with him the assurance that she could be his, and only his, while life lasted.

This letter he entrusted to old Carl to deliver and bring him an answer and in the course of two or three days the old fellow handed him the following brief reply from Rosa:

My Dearest Claude: It was not wrong for you to write to me; nor can I think it wrong for me to reply this once without my mother's knowledge for I think she would give her consent most readily. My heart bleeds for you, and my life is very, very sad; but my duty is plain. It is very good and noble of you to be so considerate, after all the ill-treatment you have suffered. Do not despo. Do not be unhappy. Do not do wrong to yourself by being misanthropic. These clouds will yet depart. We shall yet be happy. I shall love you always, and be true till death; and should you wait for me, live till the day that makes me free to be the mistress of my own heart. You speak of going away. I cannot control or advise you; but remember how unhappy I shall be not to see you even at a distance occasionally; and do not do anything reckless. Believe me, ever fondly and faithfully, your own Rosa.

These sweet words came like a blessing and a prophecy of hope to the young man. But he was resolved on not staying longer than he could help in the little village. He felt that the only thing that could enable him to bear the sorrow and disappointment wringing his heart was excitement and action. His country was in the throes of a terrible war; disaster had fallen upon her arms; the call for help from all patriotic sons resounded through the land. His country was naturally of a generous nature in which the spirit of patriotism would find easy root. He felt that his country needed his services, and his restless eager nature, finding under disappointed hope, was ready to face any danger or bear any privation that would supply stimulus to his moping spirits. He put himself in communication with the military authorities of the State, and, having the opportunity to take a position as orderly, in which he surmised he could render efficient service, he resolved to do it, and give his services to his country.

With this resolve he made hurried preparations to settle his business affairs. He determined to install old Carl and Margaret in the great house again, made careful arrangements for the disposition of his property, if he should never return; and, on the approach of the New Year, was ready to join the army at its winter headquarters.

But he recollected his promise to be at the old vault on New Year's day, and so delayed his departure for a few days.

The first day of the New Year soon arrived, and Claude proceeded to the old house to observe whether the expected sign had appeared on the door of the little vault.

It was with a beating heart, and many recollections crowding upon him, that he again traversed the old hall, and procuring a light, proceeded down to the old cellar.

Entering it, he was quickly at the door to wait. Here the traces of Leeb Sackett's abortive attempt to break into it attracted his attention for a moment. Then, casting his eye scrutinizingly over the door, he noticed in the center of the four corners a small white cross, plainly painted on the dark stone.

It was the sign his aunt had told him to wait for. At that time, the vault had arrived when the secret of the old vault was to be removed. The prohibition had ended. He recalled to mind the mysterious roll his aunt had given him, and resolved to proceed at once to learn its contents.

To be Continued.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

CHARING CROSS.

Miss Eliza Walker left on Monday for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. L. McBrien, Berlin, Ont.

Rev. W. R. George, of Granton, is visiting friends here.

Wm. Feltton and family, of Cleveland who have been spending a few days at Mr. Arthur Walker's, left today to visit relatives in Toronto.

Miss Cora Meloche entertained a few of her friends at a birthday party recently.

Fred. W. Shearing, who has been M. C. R. night operator here for two years, leaves Friday for Dartmouth, Ont., to accept a similar position.

Miss Lydia Broadbent, of South Buxton, is visiting her cousin, Miss Eva Hunter.

Wm. Walker was in town today. Rev. W. R. George, of Granton, will occupy the pulpit at St. George's church next Sunday morning.

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Rev. Mr. Down preached his introductory sermon on Sunday to a large congregation.

Miss Annie Rath, of Crompton, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Venning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Howe and daughter, Miss Ida, of Barbarton, are guests of Mrs. Howe.

Mrs. Whitehead, of Bay City, Mich., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Milton Shaw.

The drainage pump is running night and day.

The G. T. R. will build four new houses for their section men here.

Mr. Batz, of New York City, spent a few days here last week the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Koniz.

Miss Hamlin, of Detroit, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. G. Reams, from Thursday until Monday.

Cherry pickers are numerous in our village just now.

S. Garbett has found his horse.

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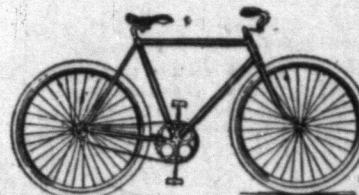
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THE FAST TRAINS TO CHICAGO.

New York Central's Express Service Adds to
George H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent of the New York Central Road, talking yesterday of the company's fast train service, said that, in addition to the new twenty-four-hour trains to Chicago, and two Empire State expresses daily.

The Twentieth Century Limited, twenty-hour train, leaves New York every day at 2.45 p.m. and arrives at Chicago the next morning at 9.45.

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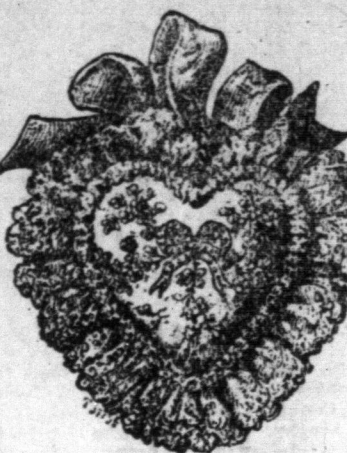
Note - The New York Central also has 15 trains a day between New York and Buffalo and Niagara Falls; 5 trains a day between New York and St. Louis and Cincinnati; 4 trains a day between New York and Montreal and by its Boston and Albany Division 4 trains a day between New York and Boston via Springfield.

Children Cry for CASTORIA

A PRETTY PINCUSHION.

This Dainty Affair is Made of Silk, Ribbon and Lace.

This dainty and artistic heart shaped pin cushion which properly made would ornament the finest of dressing tables in ribbon embroidery on a delicate shade of green silk. The silk is embroidered with forget-me-nots in china ribbon in pale shades of blue, with pink for the unopened buds, as is seen in the real flower. On choosing the correct shade of ribbons the success of the work greatly depends. A knot stitch is worked with yellow silk in the



HEART SHAPED PINCUSHION.

center of each flower. The stalks are in cording stitch worked with embroidery silk. The bow which ties the stalks is worked in gold colored silk, with a line of tiny gold sequins between the lines of cording stitch. When the work is finished, strain it by pinning it out right side up over a damp cloth. For the back cut a second piece of silk the same size as that on which the embroidery is worked, turn in the edges and sew together, leaving about two inches unsewn through which to pass the bran or sawdust for stuffing. It should be stuffed tightly, then after the opening is sewed up it should be pressed between the hands to flatten it a little. Trim the edge with a full frill of lace, which is headed by a ruche of frayed out silk about three-quarters of an inch in width. Loops of ribbon finish the top.

The Good Night Brigade.

It is sometimes the most difficult task of the day for a mother to get her little ones ready to bed without undue remonstrance. A happy thought came to the mother of five small children, says a contributor to Good Housekeeping, when she said one night, "We will march to bed as the soldiers do when on parade." The children were soon in their nightgowns, and with mamma ahead as captain, a light in her hand, the brigade formed into line. When mamma counted "one," five little feet went pat on the stair. As she counted "two" ten little feet were on the stair. Thus they marched cheerfully to bed every night until they learned to keep step like soldiers. Then mamma said, "Now that you can keep step so nicely by counting, we will march tonight singing:

"Softly now the light of day
Fades upon my night away;
Free from care, from labor free,
Lord, I would commune with thee."

A Protection For Open Bookcases.

Persons blessed with a large number of books find it difficult to care for them in rented houses and places where no permanent shelves may be set up and glass inclosed. Such will find the little strip of pinked out leather or enamel cloth attached by brass nails to each shelf a great protection. Though narrow, it acts as a dust gatherer and is really a most efficient bar in the way of preventing dust from filtering through to the back of the books. Many book lovers dislike to put their favorites behind glass, feeling that they are shut away from quick contact, and such may considerably rely upon tiny fringe, especially if the book shelves are backed, as all should be.

Cleaning Fine Lace.

The surest and quickest way to clean fine lace is to spread it on a clean cloth sewed about a board, arrange every point carefully and baste them to the cloth. Then go over the lace carefully with a clean linen rag dipped in hot borax water until all soil is removed, then use clean water to rinse away all trace of the borax. Sometimes a little thin starch is added to the last rinse water, but that is a matter of personal taste. Put the board and lace in the sun to dry, cut away the stitches, remove the lace, fold it in blue paper and lay it away until needed.

"Crazy" Wall Papering.

Somewhat akin to the "crazy" soft pillow fad of a few years ago is the fancy for papering rooms in samples or remnants of wall paper of various patterns and colorings. The scheme in the hands of a conservative person might not be bad, but for the most part it is the sort of thing that would give one the nightmare, especially if he had to sleep in such a harlequin room.

A Homemade Fire Extinguisher.

Do you know that you can make your own hand grenades to be used in case of fire by filling old quart bottles with the following: Chloride of lime, crude, twenty parts; common sea water, seventy parts. Cover the mouth with a cork and stopper. Those who have convenient hand pumps may keep this solution handy and throw it with the pump.

Pillow Ticks.

The brown spotted condition of pillow ticks is really greasy and dirt that work their way into the folds. Covers made of unbleached muslin put over the ticks proper save pillows a great deal. They can be removed and washed once in two or three months, thus insuring clean, sweet smelling pillows.

Cataract is a Germ Disease

Science, armed with the microscope, has established it a fact, and this conclusion renders obsolete the practice of treating Asthma, Catarrh and Bronchitis by stomach drugging, or sprays, snuffs, etc. Such treatments are an utter failure because they cannot penetrate the delicate air cells of the lungs, or permeate the air passages of the nose and bronchial tubes where the germs of Catarrh have their stronghold. Catarrh is the only certain remedy. It is inhaled by the mouth and after spreading through all the respiratory organs is exhaled through the nostrils. Catarrh kills the germs, heals the inflamed tissues, clears the head and throat in two minutes, and cures in a few hours. Nothing is so effective, pleasant and simple as Catarrh. Two months' treatment \$1; small size, 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

It is natural for a woman to wonder why men find a charm in home-liness.

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Dear Sirs - While in the country last summer I was badly bitten by mosquitoes - so badly that I thought I would be disfigured for a couple of weeks. I was advised to try your Liniment to allay the irritation, and to find relief. The effect was more than I expected - a few applications completely curing the irritation, preventing the bites from becoming sore. MINARD'S LINIMENT is also a good article to keep off the mosquitoes.

Yours truly,
W. A. OKE.

Harbor Grace, Nfld., Jan. 8, 1898.

The happiness of your life depends upon the character of your thoughts.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

Tears fall on both the barren and the green place of memory.

Children Cry for CASTORIA

What the song writer wants is plenty of people to voice his sentiments.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

Most men are inventive enough in the matter of personal justification.

The mother who would be horrified at the thought of letting her daughter wander away to a strange country without guide or counsel, yet permits her to enter that unknown land of womanhood without counsel or caution. Then, in utter ignorance, the maiden must meet physical problems whose solution will affect her whole future life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been well named a "God-send to women." It corrects irregularities and imparts such vigorous vitality to the delicate womanly organs, as fits them for their important function. Many a nervous, hysterical, peevish girl has been changed to a happy young woman after the use of "Favorite Prescription" has established the sound health of the organs peculiarly feminine.

Every woman should own a copy of the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing and customs. The same book of 1008 pages in substantial cloth for 50c. Buffalo, N. Y.

What you dislike in another take care to correct in yourself.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

Women usually estimate the worth of their jewels at twice the value.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

There is nothing so powerful as truth - and often nothing so strange.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

Time dissipates to shining ether the solid singularity of facts.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

All who joy would win must share it - happiness was born a twin.

LOSS OF APPETITE.

A person that has lost appetite has lost something besides - vitality, vigor, tone. The way to recover appetite and all that goes with it is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla - that strengthens the stomach, perfects digestion and makes eating a pleasure. Thousands take it for spring loss of appetite and everybody says there's nothing else so good as Hood's.

One of the greatest arts in life, and one of the most neglected, is that of finding happiness in little things.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The first duty of life is to be calm; for the calm mind sees the truth as the river seeks the sea.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

The greatest of faults, I should say, is to be conscious of none.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL COFFEE."

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THE POOR.

His Majesty's Efforts Have Always Been Directed Towards Them.

When General Booth's striking book, "In Darkest England," was published, in 1890, a copy was sent to the Prince of Wales, whose secretary wrote: "Pray likewise assure him (General Booth), on the part of the Prince, that his Royal Highness is confident that he cannot fail to be greatly interested by the perusal of a work that treats of a subject which for many years he has had so much at heart." The Prince was a member of the Royal Commission which considered the question of how far the State should compel the erection of suitable houses for the working classes. He took a keen personal interest in the sittings of the Commission, and was one of the most regular attendants. He visited several crowded parts of the East End in person, under the guidance of Lord Carrington, and was deeply impressed by the terrible conditions under which so many of the poor lived. It was about the time when shocking revelations had stirred the heart of the nation, and the Prince determined from that moment to do all in his power to improve the surroundings of the honest and hard-working poor. He has alighted in public again and again to this grave question affecting the social well-being of the whole community, and it is noteworthy that his first speech in 1891 was on the subject of the poor. The expression of a wish by him will sometimes go farther than an Act of Parliament. His influence upon public opinion is potent, and will be exerted for the good of his poorer subjects in this matter. If casual meetings in a way-side inn can effect a reconciliation between two nations at war, it is not hard to imagine that the wish of a King expressed to men who are so lighted and ready to serve him, may have effect in so happy a fashion as this.

QUAINT BIBLICAL PHRASES.

Official Document of the Form and Order of Coronation.

An interesting official document has been issued describing the actual coronation ceremony in Westminster Abbey, entitled, "The form and order of service and ceremonies at the coronation of Their Majesties Edward VII. and Queen Alexandra, in the Abbey Church of St. Peter, Westminster, June 26." The document, which is very long, is divided into numerous sections thus:

Section 1 - Preparation.

Section 2 - Entrance into the church.

Section 3 - The recognition.

Section 4 - The litany, communion and sermon.

Section 5 - The oath.

Section 6 - The anointing.

Section 7 - Presenting the spurs and sword, and girding with the sword.

Section 10 - Investing with the armil and imperial mantle, and delivery of the orb.

Section 11 - Investiture per annum et baculum.

Section 12 - Crowning.

Section 13 - Presenting the Holy Bible.

Section 14 - The benediction and Te Deum.

Section 15 - The entronization.

The document is couched in quaint biblical language. It commences with a description of how on the morning of coronation day care is to be taken that the ampulla is filled with oil, and with a special lead cask upon the altar. The archbishops and bishops, being already vested with their copes, will form a procession outside the west door of the Abbey and await notice of the approach of Their Majesties before moving into the church. Their Majesties will be received with the anthem, "Pace Be Within Thy Walls." Their Majesties will pass towards the throne and make their humble adoration, kneeling at the foot of the throne, and then sit in chairs below the throne.

The document continues to describe the curious ceremony of recognition and the other ceremonies. Those above mentioned occur before the coronation proper.

INTERESTED IN SCIENCE.

As Boy and Man the King Has Honored His Professors.

It is not inapt, perhaps, to remember here that though the serious side of the King's life is much less understood than the popular side of it, the King had been interested from the beginning of his career in serious things. His Majesty's interest in science has always interested the King, who from his youth was keen on witnessing chemical and electrical experiments. He held ten years ago, in a speech at the Royal Institution: "I had the opportunity of practising chemistry in the University of Oxford, and I only regret that I have not time to pursue that interesting science." He attended the marvellously absorbing lectures delivered by Michael Faraday, and both he and his sister - the late Empress Frederick - lost no opportunity of paying developments of electricity have been followed carefully by the King, who soon recognized the value and advantages of electric lighting. When "liquid gas" was manufactured before a brilliant assemblage in London, the Prince of Wales was present as an interested spectator of the experiment. He is very fond of hearing of the latest discoveries in science, and no one who has been privileged to explain such a matter to the King has failed to gain his close attention. Arcopos of the King's attendance at Faraday's lectures, an interesting autograph letter was bequeathed to the Royal Institution by the late Mr. Charles Dawson, of Newcastle. It was written by the King when he was a lad of fourteen years of age to Michael Faraday himself. In a simple, boyish style the young Prince said how much he had enjoyed the lectures, and how he counted the Professor as a friend, and would try and remember the marvellous things he had learnt from him.

The Hero and the Winner.

"A recent novelist says of the hero 'You could hear him wailing his hands. What do you suppose he means by that?'"

"Maybe the fellow got pinched in a laundry."

At the Concert.

Fondick: Why do you applaud such a long and wearisome sonata?

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Words of the Wise.

Dread the anger of the dove - French proverb.

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Pimples and Blisters

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