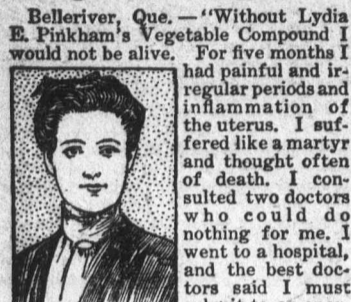


OPERATIONS AVOIDED

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Belleriver, Que.—“Without Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I would not be alive. For five months I had painful and irregular periods and inflammation of the uterus. I suffered like a martyr and thought often of death. I consulted two doctors who could do nothing for me. I went to a hospital, and the best doctors said I must submit to an operation, because I had a tumor. I went back home much discouraged. One of my cousins advised me to take your Compound, as it had cured her. I did so and soon commenced to feel better, and my appetite came back with the first bottle. Now I feel no pain and am cured. Your remedy is deserving of praise.”—Mrs. EMMA CHATEL, Valleyfield, Belleriver, Quebec.

Another Operation Avoided.
Poughkeepsie, N.Y.—I run a sewing machine in a large factory and got all run down. I had to give up work for I could not stand the pains in my back. The doctor said I needed an operation for womb trouble but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did more for me than the doctors did. I have gained five pounds. I hope that every one who is suffering from female trouble, nervousness and backache will take the Compound. I owe my thanks to Mrs. Pinkham. She is the working girl's friend for health, and all women who suffer should write to her and take her advice.—MISS TILLIE PLENZIG, 3 Jay St., Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

Thirty years of unparalleled success confirms the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to cure female ailments.

woman should be born without. We are not all born with the sunshine in our hearts, as the Irish prettily phrase it; but we can cultivate a cheerful sense of humor if we only try.

No boy, no girl, can ever come to be utterly bad who remembers only love and tenderness and sweetness as associated with father and mother in the old-time home. Give them manly and womanly example, give training, give them the inspiration of devoted lives, give them these higher, deeper things. Do not care so much as to whether you are accumulating money, so that you can leave them a fortune. We really believe that the chances are against that being a blessing for a boy. But leave them an accumulated fortune of memories and inspirations and examples and hopes, so that they are rich in brain and heart and soul.

It is pleasant to hear of occurrences that show the better side of human nature. It is not worth while to hate anyone. Life is too short to cherish ill will or hard thoughts. What if that man has cheated you, or that woman played you false, or some friend forsaken you? Let it all pass. What difference will it make to you in a few years when you go hence to that undiscovered country? All who cheat you wrongly will be more sorry for it, than you in your deepest grief. A few more smiles, a few more tears, some pleasure, much pain, a little longer hurrying and worrying in the world, some hasty greetings and abrupt farewells, and life will be over, and injured and uninjured will be laid away and forgotten. It is not worth while to hate each other. This is our advice, and like salvation, it's free.

Avoid the Blues.
The temptation to yield to the blues often assails people when they are weak in bodily health. Often it attacks them when they are incumbered by mental troubles. A wise elderly woman once said to a young girl: “Anybody can cope with real trouble. It is the vague, intangible trouble that gets the better of one and clouds the gay spirits until one walks in the blackness of a fog.” Whether trials are real or simply imaginary, a good rule for every one is to seek the sunshine. If there is the least derangement of health trust in God with all your might and apply to the best physician within reach.

Basque Must Be Hard to Learn.
It is asserted by the Basques that their language, which bears a strong resemblance to certain North American dialects, is the oldest one in the world, and was spoken by Adam and Eve in the garden of Eden. They also boast that it is the most difficult of all languages to learn. According to a native legend, the devil lived among the Basques for seven years, and during that time learned only two words of their tongue, “hai” and “ez,” “yes” and “no,” and these he forgot within an hour of leaving the country.

A Persian Bridge Story.
There are few rivers in Persia, and not many of these are bridged. Years ago a wealthy woman built a bridge over a stream near the capital city, and then, thinking that this should have been done by the Shah, she pronounced a curse upon any king who should ever cross the bridge. It is said that no Persian ruler has ever had the hardihood to venture upon it, and it is said there is not money enough in the kingdom to hire one to do so.

Conscience Stricken.
The little page boy was not extra fond of his job. He imagined that he had too much work to do.
One day an old lady came to see the mistress. When she was going away she said to Buttons, “Well, my little lad, what do you do here?”
“I do a butler out of a job, mum,” was the reply.—London Tit-Bits.

Up Against It.
Hokus—Why don't you try to get a job?
Pokus—Employers prefer to hire married men.
Hokus—Then why don't you get married?
Pokus—A girl won't marry a fellow unless he has a job.

The Resemblance.
Marks—That Mrs. Gabbleigh is a perfect amazon of a woman.
Parks—She hardly suggests the amazons of old to me.
Marks—Oh, I mean the river. She has a large mouth, and she runs on incessantly.

Careful of Appearances.
Mrs. De Style—Marie, I shall take one of the children to church.
The Maid—Yes'm.
Mrs. De Style—Which one will go best with my new purple gown?
Phone an Amusement.
In some parts of Australia the telephone is regarded as an amusement rather than a necessity.

CURED OF CONSTIPATION

Mr. Andrews praises Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills.

Mr. George Andrews of Halifax, N.S., writes:
“For many years I have been troubled with chronic Constipation. This ailment never comes single-handed, and I have been a victim to the many illnesses that constipation brings in its train. Medicine after medicine I have taken in order to find relief, but one and all left me in the same hopeless condition. It seemed that nothing would expel from me the one ailment that caused so much trouble, yet at last I read about these Indian Root Pills.
That was indeed a lucky day for me, for I was so impressed with the statements made that I determined to give them a fair trial.
They have regulated my stomach and bowels. I am cured of constipation, and I claim they have no equal as a medicine.”
For over half a century Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills have been curing constipation and clogged, inactive kidneys, with all the ailments which result from them. They cleanse the whole system and purify the blood. Sold everywhere at 25c. a box.

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WATFORD, MARCH 1, 1912.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

The country laments the high cost of living, and yet it goes on educating its youth into the professions and away from the agricultural and other productive occupations.

Laura Jean Libbey says that this year even the shyest maiden may express her thought on matrimony and even hint at a proposal without being considered immodest. This will be good news for the ministers.

Is it not rather significant and at the same time remarkable that of the two most outstanding figures in China to-day, viz.:—Dr. Sun Yat Sen and Yuan Shih Kai, the former is a professing Christian and four sons of the latter attend a Protestant mission school?

For a good every day household angel, give us a woman who laughs. Home is not a battlefield, nor life one long unending row. A trick of always seeing the bright side, or, if the thing has no bright side, of shining up the dark one, is a very important faculty and one of the things no

Every Woman

is married and should know about the wonderful MARVEL Whirling Spray. Most convenient. It cleanses instantly. Ask your druggist for it.

If he cannot supply the MARVEL, accept no other, but send stamp for illustrated book—sent. It gives full particulars and directions. Obtainable to ladies. WINDSOR SUPPLY CO., Windsor, Ont. General Agents for Canada.

It Doesn't Snap.	Is Well Prepared.	It Lasts All Night.	Big, Bright Baze
For Wood or Coal Stoves.	SMOKELESS BOSTONIO CANNEL COAL		For Wood or Coal Grates.
For Cooking.			For Heating.
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Planing and Chopping Mills Run Every Day.
Cedar Posts, Shingles, Etc.
GEO. CHAMBERS.
Successor to Lawrence Firm, Established 1870.

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- Sap Pails
 - Sap Pans
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- at Right Prices.

The N. B. Howden Est. Furniture for All

We never were in a better position to supply the wants of Our Customers and are offering an Attractive Line of Goods at Exceptionally Favorable Prices. A few are mentioned. Special line of choice Pictures and Engravings, works of art that will adorn any home.

- Fancy Chairs
- Easy Chairs
- Easels
- Bedroom Suites
- Sideboards
- Drawing Room Suites
- Secretaries
- Library Pieces
- Couches
- Morris Chairs

AND A COMPLETE LINE OF Sewing Machines and Gramophone Records

Comfort, Elegance, Durability, and Value are features that our goods are noted for.

HARPER BROS. Fine Furniture. Funeral Directors

The fact that a Western Ontario farm, which has been in cultivation for one hundred years, won the corn growing prizes at Guelph and Tilbury is good enough evidence that the fertility of Ontario soil may be retained indefinitely.

James Dewar, of Mandaum, suffered a very painful accident while assisting in the barn-raising at the Englehart farm, just north of Petrolia. He was some distance from the floor and fell, fracturing his wrist.

Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.

Quebec—backward and unprogressive as we are so often told—is to spend ten million dollars on a system of main roads. This proves that it is progressive, and that good roads are a good thing.

Mrs. Wm. Keeler, while climbing into a cutter at Seaforth to return to her home in Hibbert, collapsed and was dead in a few minutes as the result of the breaking of a blood vessel in her brain.

Watford merchants have the goods and meet all price competition.

FARM FOR SALE.

100 ACRES, BEING WEST HALF OF LOT 26, Con. 2, Township of Plympton. The land is good rich soil, good orchard, 20 acres of good bush, beach, maple and elm. On the premises are a new two story brick cottage, main building 50x25, kitchen 18x18, concrete cellar under all the house, 6 rooms, 2 cloth closets, ball telephone in the house. Good barn, 40x38 and other outbuildings. 2 wells (one flowing). 8 acres of fall wheat in. All fall plowing done. For further particulars apply on the premises.
MRS. FRANK ALEXANDER, Box 33, 4 natural P.O., Plympton, Jan. 6th, 1911.

Watford, Feb. 23.

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WATFORD, MARCH 1, 1912.

Should Be Made Pay.

The Parkhill Council are considering one of the sanest propositions for the good of the home town which we have yet heard. This proposition, which originated in Goderich and will soon be debated on the floor of the Legislature, aims to place a business tax on departmental stores, who send in catalogues and do business in our town. That such a bill will be allowed to become law without fierce and powerful opposition, cannot be expected. But it strikes right at the root of an evil which has sapped the strength of the small town to an alarming degree and should be supported by every town council in Ontario. We tax the pedlar who with his little boy or little wagon goes from door to door. We tax the man who opens a store and sells goods. We tax our blacksmith, our baker, our railway, our telephones and who-so-ever tries to do something to build up the town. But the man who sends in his expensive catalogues, who does business here large enough to rival our local merchants, who never pays one cent toward running our local institutions, goes scot free. Will the small towns stand together in this? If not they deserve to become the prey of those whose motto is not "Live and let live."—Gazette.

KINGSCOURT

Mr. James Sayers returned from England on Friday last after a two months' visit to his old home. He brought back with him some interesting relics of by-gone days, among them being some London papers published over one hundred years ago. He kindly loaned these to the editor for perusal. The papers are small four page sheets printed on hand-made paper, the price per copy being 6 1/2 d. and the government revenue stamp of 3 1/2 d. appears on each. Some of the advertisements and news items appear very odd for this age. The quack medicine advertisers were the front then as now, and "The Nut of the Sassafras Tree" and other spring remedies held out just as alluring inducements to the sick as some of the so called remedies of the present day. One ad. that attracted our attention was the announcement that 1141 persons imprisoned for debt had been released. Trade differences with France are discussed in one issue, stating that "Bonaparte" had issued a decree excluding British commerce from the continent. Lotteries are openly advertised and both the literary and advertising columns make exceedingly interesting reading. The papers are certainly valuable for their oddity and antiquity. No doubt Mr. Sayers will be pleased to show them to anyone interested.

WANT COLUMN.

UPHOLSTERING of all kinds, and other repairs to furniture promptly attended to by A. J. Weight, Watford. m-1-31
Good comfortable dwelling house for sale. Situated in good locality. Apply to D. A. MAXWELL, Watford.
THE Parson steam laundry will still be carried on at the old stand, by the new proprietor, Sid Brown. m-1-31
LOST.—Black and red square blanket on 12th line, Brooke, near Sutorville, on Tuesday, Feb. 27th. Finder please leave at A. J. Davis' store.
MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR THORNER wish to thank all the friends and neighbors who extended kindness and sympathy to them at the time of the loss of their little child.
MRS. ROBERT STEVENS wishes to thank all those who were so kind and sympathetic at the time of her husband's accident and death. She fully appreciates their kindness.
A NUMBER of pure bred white cockerels, Ferguson, Brantford, stock also a few Partridge Wyandotts and White Rocks, prize winners, for sale. Eggs for hatching in season.—C. VAIL, Watford.
PARTIES desiring to insure live stock against death from accident or disease may do so by applying to W. E. Fitzgerald, Watford, who represents the Yorkshire Insurance Co., which is the oldest, largest and wealthiest office transacting this class of insurance.
FOR SALE—Comfortable six room house on Rachel street, Watford. Soft water inside and plenty of good hard water, frame stable, chicken pen, good coal and wood shed, etc. All in good repair. Apply to HILLYARD WILLOUGHBY, Watford. f-6t
Dr. Warner Cornell, the well-known eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Fort Huron, will resume his visits to Watford, and will be at the Roche Hotel on Friday afternoon, March 22nd, when he can be consulted on all diseases of those organs. Glasses properly fitted. f-6t
Edwin Beattie, of Bothwell, has been appointed Indian agent for the Moravian town reserve. This vacancy was caused by the death of A. R. McDonald, who died shortly before the Dominion elections. This post was also formerly held by John Beattie, father of the present incumbent.

BROOKE

Mr. W. J. Leach and family left this week for London, where Mr. Leach has accepted a good position.

Service in St. James' church, Brooke, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30. There will be afternoon and evening service in Christ church, Sutorville, on Sunday.

Mrs. McLellan is in Blanchard this week attending the wedding of her cousin, Mr. Eph. Somerville. She is accompanied by her son, Mr. S. McLellan.

The pancake social given by the ladies of Christ church, Sutorville, at the home of Mr. Eli Taylor, 12th line, Brooke, was a decided success. The large house was filled to overflowing. The silver offering amounted to about \$25.00.

A challenge debate has been arranged between "The North Brooke Literary Society" and the "Napier Society." It is to be held in Chalmers' Church on Tuesday evening, March 12. The subject is "Resolved, that the Monarchical Government as illustrated by Great Britain is better than the Republican Government as illustrated by the United States." Everybody come and enjoy the evening.

The North Brooke Literary Society held their regular meeting in Chalmers' church on Feb. 23rd. The president, Mr. Archie Fisher, performed the duties of chairman. The debate "Resolved—That Canada has greater natural advantages than the United States for the making of a great nation," was very thoroughly discussed. The leader of the affirmative, Mr. Gordon Davill, was assisted by Messrs. Arch. Lindsay, Nevin McVicar, Roy Croft and Dan McIntyre. The leader of the negative, Miss Sadie Logan, was assisted by Misses Nettie McEachern, Ada McGugan, Alma Dolbear and Mr. Cameron Coristine. The judges, Messrs. A. Walker, W. Annett and A. Fisher, decided in favor of the negative by 20 points. A solo by Miss Jennie McGugan and a speech by Rev. J. Ure Stewart, were enjoyed by all. It was decided to hold a social evening in S. S. No. 17, Brooke, on March 8th. The evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Clerk for 38 Years.

Mr. W. G. Fraser, one of Petrola's best known and popular business men, has held the office of Division Court Clerk for the past thirty-eight years. Mr. Fraser first commenced his duties in that capacity in 1874. The Court was at that time held in the old fire hall in the east end, now known as the Orange hall. John Robinson was the presiding judge.

During his long term of office by his kindness, courtesy and desire to oblige, Mr. Fraser has made many warm friends, who join in the sincere wish that he may hold the post for many years to come.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Estate of Patrick Maher, late of the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Ontario Statute, L. George V., Chap. 26, Sec. 55, that all persons having claims against the above named deceased, who died on or about the twenty-seventh day of January, 1912, are required on or before the twenty-third day of March, 1912, to send or deliver to Cowan & Towers, Watford, Ont., solicitors for the undersigned administrator, their names and addresses, full descriptions of their claims and the nature of the security, if any, held by them. And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to such claims as his solicitors shall then have had notice and he will not be liable to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received.

JOHN MAHER, by his solicitors, COWAN & TOWERS, Watford, Ont. Dated this 23rd day of February, 1912. m-1-31

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Estate of Hugh Letch, late of the Township of Brooke, in the County of Lambton, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Statutes in that behalf that all persons having claims against the estate of Hugh Letch, deceased, who died on or about the fourth day of February, 1912, are required on or before the 24th day of March, 1912, to send or deliver to Cowan & Towers, Watford, Ont., solicitors for the undersigned executors, their names and full particulars of their claims together with the nature of any security held by them, duly verified, and further take notice that after such last mentioned date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to such claims as their solicitors shall have had notice and shall not be liable to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received.

ARCHIE LEITCH, ANDREW SMITH, Executors, by Cowan & Towers, their solicitors, Watford, Ont. m-1-31

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Valuable Farm Property

The Administrator of the estate of Patrick Maher, late of the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, Farmer, Deceased, will offer for sale by public auction at

ROCHE'S HOTEL, in the Village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, on

Tuesday, the 19th Day of March, 1912,

at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable land, namely—The West Half of Lot Number Ten, in the Fourth Concession, S.E.R., in the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, One Hundred Acres, more or less.

The soil is good clay loam and there is about 75 acres cleared and fenced and the balance is in bush, and upon the lands there is erected a comfortable frame house.

The lands are accessible by good roads to Church and School and Market.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid.

TERMS—10 per cent. to be paid down on the day of the sale and the balance within fifteen days thereafter.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned. COWAN & TOWERS, Solicitors for the Administrator, I. F. ELLIOT, Auctioneer, Watford, Ont. February 24, 1912. m-1-31

Advance Styles in Spring Overcoats and Waterproofs. SWIFT BROS.

IT SEEMS TO US that Spring Overcoats were never so handsome or so reasonable as they are this year. We know that never before have we shown such attractive styles and patterns. You're going to need a coat for comfort as well as for appearance. No matter what you want to pay we are prepared to furnish you with the

Dressiest, Most Stylist Your money will buy. Now is the time to make a selection when the stock is complete. Every number is a most desirable one.

SPECIAL Double Texture Paramata Waterproof Coat, fawn shade, made with special derby cuff, inserted collar, auto Prussian collar, seams sewn, cemented, made with all sizes\$7.50

F 10. Men's Double Texture Paramata Raincoat, best quality, light fawn shade, motor style, all seams sewed and cemented and strapped on inside, sizes 36 to 46.....Each \$10.00

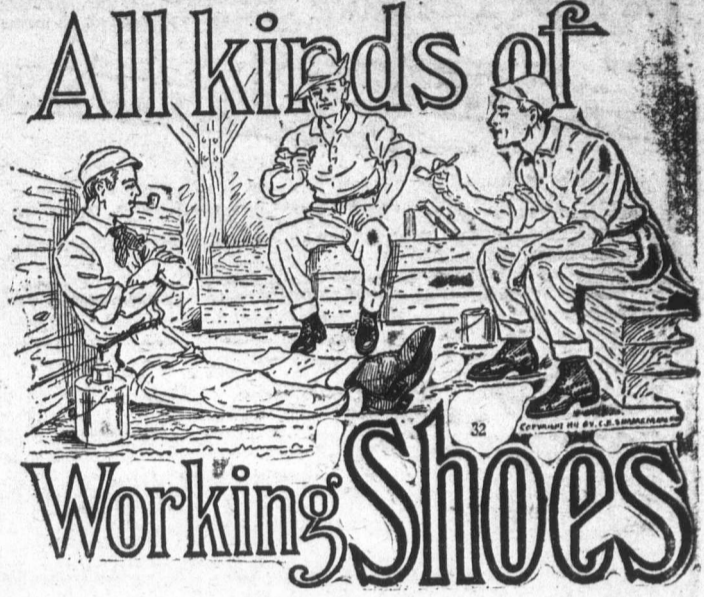
20 F. Men's Double Texture Paramata Coat, mid Fawn shade, good weight, ventilated arm pits, superior quality\$11.50

IMPORTED.—This is a grand coat for heavy wear, made from the best possible rainproof coating, all edges are piped with leather, adding a classy touch, motor style, a dandy for the money\$14.50

In our Tailoring Department we were never in a better position to supply your wants

New Tweeds, Cheviots, Cravenettes Daily.

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All kinds of Working Shoes Your kind--amongst others. For years we have specialized in working shoes— and as specialists have studied your needs. When you buy here you can therefore rely on shoes that are well made of the best leather and built for wear.

Our working shoes are made to get and retain your custom—they are therefore the best that your money can buy anywhere.

Here are some prices: Urus Calf Blucher.....\$2.00 Grain Calf Blucher.....\$3.50 Buff Blucher.....\$1.85 French Kip Bal.....\$3.75 Buff Blucher.....\$2.00 English Kip Blucher...\$2.75

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FOUR DAYS' COURSE IN FRUIT GROWING AT WATFORD March 5, 6, 7 and 8, IN THE MUSIC HALL.

A Special Four Days on the Fruits and their culture best suited to conditions around Watford. Look out for handbills describing programme.

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First Mortgage For Sale

On 160 acre farm worth \$3600.00, having 85 acres cultivated, new house, new stable, and a number of other buildings in good condition. Mortgage is for \$1600.00, and calls for annual payments of \$400.00 with interest. Buildings alone are worth more than the amount of the mortgage. This is an excellent investment and yields a high rate of interest. We receive payments when due and forward to purchaser of mortgage. For further particulars as to this and other similar securities, write

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Bring your films to be developed and printed and get the best your exposures will produce. We give careful attention to this class of photography. A trial will convince you.

Make an Appointment To-day. Aylesworth's Art Studio.

What Ails You?

Do you feel weak, tired, despondent, have frequent headaches, coated tongue, bitter or bad taste in morning, "heart-burn," belching of gas, acid risings in throat after eating, stomach gas or burp, foul breath, dizzy spells, poor or variable appetite, nausea at times and kindred symptoms?

If you have any considerable number of the above symptoms you are suffering from biliousness, torpid liver with indigestion, or dyspepsia. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made up of the most valuable medicinal principles known to medical science for the permanent cure of such abnormal conditions. It is a most efficient liver invigorator, stomach tonic, bowel regulator and nerve strengthener.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is not a patent medicine or secret nostrum, a full list of its ingredients being printed on its bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. A glance at these will show that it contains no alcohol, or harmful habit-forming drugs. It is a fluid extract made with pure, triple-refined glycerine, of proper strength, from the roots of native American medicinal forest plants. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Props., Buffalo, N. Y.



A QUEEN POTENTATE.

"Boss" of Manchuria Uses Dingy Cab for Carriage of State.

In spite of the fact that Manchuria has been declared a republic, with the viceroys as President, Jow Shoo Mo, the governor-general, long since known as the despot of Tsitsihar, has no intention of resigning his unofficial position of power behind the throne of the nominal ruler of the country. For years his word has meant life or death to the North Manchurian and he will still, despite the changed conditions, wield an almost autocratic power.

He travels about in a carriage which it is impossible to mistake. Ahead of him ride two Manchou soldiers dressed in smart khaki uniforms of European pattern. His state carriage is really an old four-wheeled cab, such as might have been banished from some American city by the incoming taxi, except that it is drawn by two unmatched horses instead of a single animal. It has two windows on each side, the front ones are wider than the rear. Through the rear ones, however, the potentate can be seen sitting tall and erect, wearing a white conical lampshade hat, from which hang tassels of red silk and the famous peacock feather of mandarin. At the back of the cab is a small platform on which stand two footmen. Without a moment's cessation one of these men stamps on a loud bell, which gives the effect of a complete Fire Department making its way through the crowded street of a big city. A single mounted soldier brings up the rear.

Attended to It.

A certain librarian was very absent-minded and also very much absorbed in his profession. As the telephone was out of order his wife asked him to attend to a few errands for her on his way to the library. On his consenting she ran to his desk and, hastily taking the nearest card—one from a list of sample library cards—made out a list, which she handed to him. He put it in his pocket and promised not to forget it.

At dinner that night she reminded him of his promise. "I was going to give you your favorite dessert, hot gingerbread with raisins in it and whipped cream," she assured him reproachfully, "but I had no ginger and not enough raisins so I couldn't. The grocer didn't bring them or anything else I ordered. You must have forgotten, after all."

"Indeed, I didn't forget," she assured her earnestly. "I am perfectly sure I attended to it."

"That's odd," was the answer. "They are not usually careless about orders. What clerk did you see?"

"Clerk?" he repeated vaguely. "I don't seem to remember seeing any clerk. Then in a flash of enlightenment he added, with a gasp, "Why, I didn't see any! I—I did attend to the list, but I am afraid I filed it in the card catalogue under 'Groceries!'" And there, indeed, he found it the next day.

Old Time Cure for Seasickness.

A curious cure for seasickness is given in an old homeopathic medical book, "The School of Salerno." "He that would cross the sea," runs the prescription, "must a few days before hee take ship mingle the sea water with his wine. This is a remedy for them that are rich; but if it be a poor man, then he must drink sea water only, that he may the easier eschew casting. The reason hereof is because the sea water is salt, and with its saltness and the stipticity that followeth saltness it closeth the mouth of the stomach, and thereby avoydeth casting or perbreacking." Some might prefer to be sick.

Contagious Diseases Among Plants.

All the fungous diseases of plants, such as mildew, scab, blight, rust, rot, etc., are contagious. The contagion is carried from year to year in the diseased part, be it leaf, fruit or branch. The presence of any of this diseased material in the orchard or vineyard increases the chance of the appearance and spread of the disease another year. Nothing is as destructive to the fungous spores as fire, and all affected plants or parts of plants should be cut out and burned.

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Family Storms In Very Exalted Circles In Europe.

The old saying "As happy as a king," has gone out of favor. A twentieth century king has to keep a tight hand not only on his wife and children, but also upon the whole of his wide circle of royal relatives.

They may not marry, make a will, even write a book, without his consent, and if they break the House Laws, it is the unlucky king's duty to make things unpleasant all round. No one can suppose for a minute that Alfonso of Spain enjoyed pitching into his aunt for publishing her very harmless little book without first letting him see the proofs. But he had to do it.

The Infanta Eulalia's book is the second royal production during the past twelve months to cause a big stir. The memoirs of Louise, ex-Crown Princess of Saxony, contained revelations which made more than one crowned head furious; but in this case the princess had already so completely ostracised herself that punishment was impossible.

The Kaiser is, as a rule, very happy in his home life, but there has more than once been friction between him and his eldest son, the Crown Prince. The first occasion was when the young prince went steeplechasing, a pastime his father detests, and rode his own horse in the race. The next was when he rode up the steps in Sans Souci Park at the head of his Guardsmen, whom he afterwards took to a circus. On both these occasions he was punished by confinement in his own quarters for forty-eight hours.

A little more than a year ago the Crown Prince appeared at a theatre in Berlin without first giving notice of his intention. The house was absolutely full, and he was turned away, seatless. He didn't mind, but his august father was furious, and talked a great deal about the thoughtlessness which had brought this "slight" upon the Hohenzollerns.

Two days' arrest was the punishment. And a similar penalty was inflicted more recently, when the Crown Prince distinguished himself by talking a too active part in German politics.

One of the worst rows in the German royal circle was caused by the conduct of Prince Joachim Albrecht of Prussia, the Kaiser's first cousin. He is a very smart man, and, besides being a major in the Guards, has considerable reputation as a composer of light operatic music.

One night he appeared at a masked ball in evening dress, accompanied by a well-known variety actress, and wearing the silver star of the great Order of the Black Eagle.

The Kaiser was furious, and ordered the young man four days' arrest. But there was worse to come. The prince announced that he was going to marry the soubrette in question, who was ten years his senior. The Kaiser at once sentenced him to active service with the colonial army in Southwest Africa.

The worst and most bitter of all royal quarrels was that which resulted in the feud between the late King Leopold of Belgium and his daughter Princess Stephanie. This led to Princess Stephanie suing her father for her portion of the property left by her mother.

The rupture between Stephanie and her father was caused by her marriage to Count Lonyay, and the bitterness of the King's feelings may be judged by the fact that he refused to be reconciled, even over the queen's dead body.

Leonardo da Vinci.

Leonardo da Vinci, the celebrated Italian painter, sculptor and architect, died in 1519. He was born in 1452 and became well versed in all the sciences and arts of his time. His most famous picture is "The Last Supper," painted on the wall of a convent at Milan. He is said to have anticipated Galilei, Kepler, Copernicus and others in their astronomical theories and also some of the discoveries of recent geologists, though his views are expressed in somewhat vague language.

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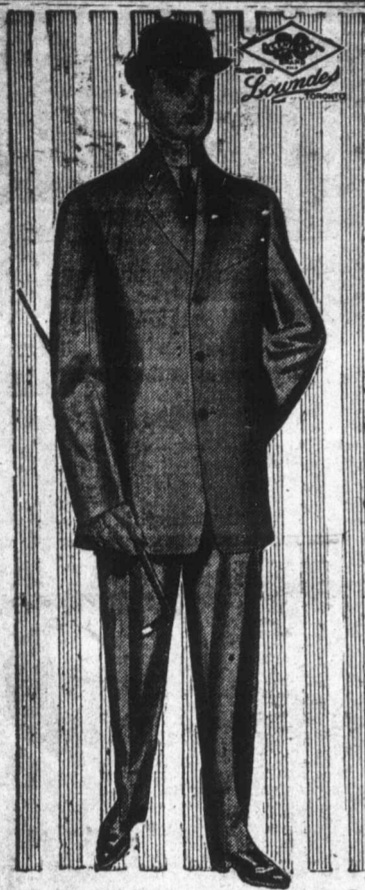
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Farmers' Institute Meeting.

It is a matter of regret that the two sessions of Farmers' Institute meetings held in the town on Feb. 14th were not more largely attended.

The speakers delegated by the Government to conduct the meeting here, were men of more than ordinary ability, and the limited number who availed themselves of the opportunity to hear them speak, obtained a rich fund of unusually valuable information.

Mr. Silcox, of Iowa, spoke on the subject, "Intensive Farming," and depicted how a farm of 150 acres was conducted within six miles of St. Thomas, so as to yield a receipts account of nearly \$4,500.

Mr. Morrison, of Sarnia, spoke in the afternoon with the subject, "Forestry, and the Preservation of the Farm Wood Lot." By statistics he showed that the wise and commendable course the several governments had pursued in following in protecting our Forest areas, and solicited the support of every individual in sustaining them in their endeavors.

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Lent in New York.

New York, Feb. 26th.—Church forms and fashions are changing rapidly, and in no respect more than in the adoption of liturgical usages and the celebration of the special days of the church year by religious bodies which a generation ago looked upon such things with abhorrence.

The very fact that this new order, which is really a development of less than two decades, excites no comment and is a commentary upon the religious liberality of the times.

Mrs. Mary Cloutier, 72 years old, was married Saturday night to Jas. Bernier, aged 55, at the St. Joachim's church in Detroit.

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