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number and variety of exhibits.

second day, the free-for-all race will

will take place during the fair.

ey, Robert Smith.
Classes B & C.—Wm. Dempster,

Class D.—Elijah Bowser, John Im-

Classes E & F .- Robert Gardiner,

lvan Wiltse, Robert Somerville.

Wm. Dargavel, Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Mc-

COUNTY NEWS-LETTERS

During the past Week.

Phillipsville.

nouse and is going to build greater.

L. N. Phelps has moved his black-

before what made him look so pleased.

Glen Buell.

his nervous system, which he experi-

rimonial calculations. He has bright-ened up considerably of late, having

pasture, near the Six-mile House, in getting a wife, he considers his

put on their sweetest smile when mak-

Mr. Geo. Griffiths has left for his

nome, New York, with our best wishes,

boys have warm jackets. Mr. James

ing a halt to pay toll.

for he's, a jolly good fellow.

was called on to attend him.

Stearns Ransom, John Forth

son, Horace Botsford.

rdson, E. C. Webster.

30th.

ointed :--

DELTA FAIR NOTES.

WORK BEGUN.

General Waking-up of Business.

HUGE PREPARATIONS FOR THE COMING SEASON'S TRADE.

Another shipment of 5 Cases, Direct Importations, Ex. S. S. Colina, comprising latest novelties in Dress Goods, Mantle Cloths, Cloakings, Wool Shawls, Velvet Shawls, Fur Trimmings, Linen and Lawn Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, Towellings, Table Linen, White Quilts, &c.

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We are determined not to be second in our business, but mean to be the first. Our goods are the best in quality and quantity, and will be sold at

first. Our goods are the best in quality and quantity, and will be sold at that the reference to personal cleanli-

where arrangements can be made. When you want any and everything in our place to get it is at

J. THOMPSON'S GROCERY.

HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL.

The ladies of the Methodist Church cess of the harvest home supper on and beautifully arranged by the young ladies having charge of the decorations. The tables were spread in the lecture room, and presented a very attractive and artistic appearance. The viands were of the best the season afforded, and many were the enconnums passed upon the skill of the Far-mersville ladies, as displayed in the the fluffy pastry, the rich and delicately flavored cakes and tempting confections, which covered the tables in such profusion. We noticed an instance of practical appreciation of the ladies' efforts which ought to flatter them. A group of young men who realling for rice pudding in five pound of natural products with the States trotting, and good sport may be expected, were observed to sit down at one instead of a money equivalent in the peeted. of the tables at the hour of eight settlement of the Fisheries question,

which would try the staying powers of the young lady who waited upon the table. Chicken after chicken disappeared; pies and cakes innumerable were demolished; but still the cry came for more, and at one time it was doubtful if the resources of the catering department would prove equal to the task of filling the aching void which seemed to oppress those young nen. At a quarter to nine o'clock. however, the attacks upon the table perceptibly weakened, and at ten minules to nine the hungry squad surrendered unconditionally, and retired from the arena, leaving several dishes untasted which they could not stow away without danger to themselves.

The programme which followed the supper was one of the best ever given in Farmersville on an occasion of this The duties of the chair were ably discharged by the pastor, the Rev. Geo. Rogers. The proceedings opened with Jackson's Te Deum, which the choir rendered commend-The chairman spoke a few words of welcome and then announced a quartette, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," by Mrs. Cornell, Miss Koyle, H. Oaten and F. Koyle. The selection was given with artistic expression, and was well received by the nudience. The Rev. D. C. Sanderson, of Addison, was called upon and responded with one of his characteristic speeches. The next number was a duet entitled "See the Pale Moon,"by Mrs. Cornell and Miss Koyle. The voices of the singers blended perfectly, and the beautiful composition was rendered in a manner to bring out its excellencies in bold relief. The sweet-ness of Mrs. Cornell's soprano and the mellow richness of Miss Koyle's contralto combined in an effect which is seldom heard. The Rev. T. C. Brown, Proprietor.

WE were compelled to improve and beautify our business stand, in order

Sendom heard. The Rev. T. C. Brown, of Erockville, then gave a short and pithy address, the theme of which was "Mind your own Business." Mr. Porter then rendered a solo, "Ashamed

which is too good to keep. Mr. Richard Arnold called at his residence and delivered the invitation personally. Upon leaving he pressed into his hand some admission tickets with the comrliments of the committee. In a subsequent inspection of the tickets the speaker was suprised to find them incribed "Wash you; be ye clean." ment is deservedly one of the most popular features of our business. Elegance and Perfect Fitting are the watchwords in hint that personal cleanliness was obligatory. Then, seeing that the tickets were Methodist quarterly tokens, he for a moment entertained the thought that the committee had taken

> \$90, will be devoted to enlarging and improving the driving sheds on the church grounds,

GENERAL NEWS SUMMARY

The Conservative pic-nic at Morris, are to be congratulated upon the suc- Manitoba, was a fizzle. It was the avowed intention of the promoters to inst., promises to outstrip its predethe eyening of the 5th inst. The John, and condemning the building church was decorated with fruit, veg- of the R. R. V. R. in the face of the etables, grain, flowers, etc., tastefully disallowance, but it was thought best and beautifully arranged by the young to omit the resolution. All the speakto omit the resolution. All the speakers but one kicked vigorously against the Dominion Government's action....The strange news comes from the North-West that Deerfoot, the North-West that Deerfoot, the the strange news comes from the North-West that Deerfoot, the three-minute race for \$15, and a three-minute race for \$25. On the three-minute r

in the recent shooting affray, was left be trotted for a purse of \$60. to roam at large by a detachment of Mounted Police, simply because he declined to be arrested It seems that Mr. Chamberlain will enter upon his duties as Fishery Commissioner with a strong bias in favor of the United States side of the question at issue. This is a blue lockout for Canada.

The London correspondent of of \$20, and on the second day a freethe Globe says that it is believed there that Canada will ask for an exchange track is in splendid condition for o'clock, standard time. Their first aste of the seductive dishes placed before them called forth expressions Wednesday last the village of Newburg was almost entirely wiped out of delight, and it soon became evident and that the British Commissioner promises to be of great interest. that they had entered upon a contest existence.....An influential meeting at Napanee passed resolutions in favor of Commercial Union....The Domin-

ion election petitions assigned to the Queen's Bench Division will be tried by Mr. Justice O'Connor. The Court assigned dates and places for three of them as follows: East Northumberland on Thursday, the 10th November, at Brighton; West Huron, on Wednesday, 16th November, at Goderich; West Middlesex, Tuesday, the 12th December, at Strathroy. The trial of the election petition against the return of Sir Charles Tupper has been set down for October 4th, before Judge McDonald, at Amherst..... The gale of the 26th of August was very destructive to the fishing fleets of Newfoundland....One of the most frightful holocausts on record took place at Excter, Eng., last week, when the new theatre caught fire during a

performance, About 150 of the audience met with terrible deaths. The Cuban insurgents are carry-ing on a deadly guerilla war, with dynamite as one of their weapons. There is great excitement in Ireland, on account of the prosecution of Wm. O'Brien. A correspondent of the Paris Temps denounces the evictions now going on as barbarous and disgraceful to the British Empire.

...Russia says that she will declare the treaty of Berlin yord, unless Prince Ferdinand departs from Bulga

NEWBORO FAIR NOTES.

We learn from the managers that a very successful show is expected at Newboro on the 20th and 21st inst. The list of judges appointed is as ollows:-

Class A .- Wm. G. Dargavel, Rich. Murphy, Wm. Smith.
Class B.—James Barlow, Rober Smith, S. Atcheson. Class C .- Oliver McNally, David

Nichols, John Gallagher. Class D.—John Shaw, Wm. Harrion, John McGonigal. Class E.—Wm. Piclow, Jos. Butler, Wm. Williams.

Class F .- Duncan Ripley, Thomas Hughes, John Tett. Class G.—Stephen R. Ripley, Henry Eaton, Wm. Bilton, sr.

Class II.-J. T. Gallagher, George

Chamberlain.
Class K.—Mrs. T. C. Singleton, Mrs.
J. T. Gallagher, John H. Singleton.
Class L.—Mrs. R. W. Leech, Mrs.
man, who lives along side of the long

EXTRAORDINARY FECUNDITY.

Wm. Dargavel, J. T. Gallagher.

A Baltimore despatch says that Mrs Charlotte Tubbs, of Caroline county has driven her husband nearly crazy a novel but effective plan to make a Methodist of him. But he finally took refuge in the idea that Mr. Arnold, in a fit of temporary aberration of mind, had substituted the quarter-ly tickets for the admission tickets.

But all ended wills the state of the facely by giving birth to a quartette of blue-eyed, red faced, bald headed babies, weighing from three to five pounds each. Mr. Benjamin Tubbs would no doubt have been delighted at this family presentation, but for the face that instance is a presentation of the face of the state we are determined not to be segond in our business, but mean to be the first. Our goods are the best in quality and quantity, and will be sold at Low Prices, for Cash, Approved Credit or Earn Produce.

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Our Specifican Rolled Oats, Granulated Oatmeal. Our Sugars are the Wheat, Rolled Oats, Granulated Oatmeal. Our Sugars are the Cheapest. Self-praise is no praise; but a trial of our Texhs will do away with any need of our praise. In Coffees we defy comparition. Half a dozen different kinds to select from, including a line imported, from Botanic Gardens; warranted purchable. The Rev. S. Sheldon, of the Battist Church, then made a few time by remarks, which concluded the programme, save an authem, Exulting Angels," which the choir rendered with precision and spirit.

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The proceeds, amounting to about the feetival, and it had been explained that the reference to personal cleanling twing to to that she gave birth to a son, at the twins and ten months previous was the mother of twins. All the twins and ten months previous was the mother of twins. All the twins and ten months previous was the mother of twins. All the twins and ten months previous was the mother of twins. All the twins and the proporties, and the only was the single birth. Nothing was thought of the rapid increase in Tub's family until the last quadruple addition, and now poor Tubbs is be side himself. He could scarcely support the five, and does not be with their best horses and best girls to see Barnum and Jumbo.

Miss Belian Davis, our former school eacher, has been very ill with typhoid fever. She is slowly recovering. There is quite a change in the appearance of our church. It has been horoughly overhauled and lathed and plastered, and new windows have been twing out very senses.

The local sporting committee that the reference to personal cleanling to the twins and ten months previous was the mother of twins. All the twins and th

Kingston races take place on the 28th and 29th.

W. G. ARISH

Building Lumber.

W. G. PARISH.

of Brockville. These gentlemen all deserve credit for their respective portions of the work. When the tower s built we will have one of the finest churches in the country. As it was The South Leeds Fair, which takes built some fifty years ago, very many place at Delta on the 27th and 28th who once used to worship in the sacred edifice have been laid away to rest, cessors in general interest and in and are numbered with the clods of

the valley.
Sugar has taken another rise on Among the special attractions will be the annual race meeting of the

Plum Hollow. LYNDHURST FAIR NOTES.

The harvest dinner here on Wednesday last was a grand success. The Lyndhurst Fair takes place on people of the vicinity, together with friends from Farmersville, Morton, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 29th and Elgin and Toledo, made up a large gathering, who in spite of the gale which blew furiously all day, filling On the first day there will be a green race on the speeding track for a purse eyes and provisions with dust, seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. Aftrack is in splendid condition for ter the dinner of chicken-pies and other delicious things too numerous to mention had been disposed of, the people assembled in the chapel and It is expected that a baseball match listened to stirring addresses from Mr. W. A. Webster will make an Reverends Betts, Pullar and Rogers, and also to splendid music by the choir. At the close of the program The following judges have been apthe pastor of the church, who acted as chairman for the occasion, announced the proceeds as \$70.68, which was afterwards increased to about \$72. Class A.—Wm. Dargavel, Thos. Ber-

Newboro and Vicinity.

John Moore's little three-year-old laughter died last week from membraneous croup,

Class G.-James Saunders, James On Saturday last, after leaving here Roddick, Walter Denaut, sr. Class H.—John Cook, Wm. Richfor Westport, the Brockville stage horses took fright and ran away, com-pletely demolishing the vehicle. Mrs. Class I .- Samuel Williams, Omar J. Murphy, of Newboro', and her two Brown, Jas. Barlow. Class J.—D. Fisher, Nelson Gilbert, hildren were passengers, and miracu-

lously escaped injury.

Misses Mason and Birdsell, with other evangelical workers, conducted a George Young.
Class K.—Jas. Gordon, Mrs. Alvin
Wiltse, Mrs. J. McArdle, Miss Ellen field meeting in Hamilton's grove, near Westport, on Sunday. They Class L.-T. P. Richardson, Mrs.

drew a large crowd. The four Scott Act cases were attended to on Saturday last. One case was dismissed, one settled, and two convictions. A very unpleasant feeling has been worked up among the Received from Our Own Gorrespondents

people here within a few weeks.

A Portland butcher makes three trips weekly up this way. Although he is always a yellen, the people do L. Brown, proprietor of the Brown not seem to mind the racket, as he couse raffled off one of his roadsters sells good meat at low prices.

House raffled off one of his roadsters Mr. S. Vickery is selling out his goods at cost. We understand he inlast Friday night, and won him back nds retiring from active by

as Old Bill, is very sick. Dr. Ackland The young gentleman who drives the white faced horse, should always Enos Pope is getting the material be sure and see that none of the hind on the ground for a house on the 5th wheels are on forward. George Alford has just completed L. Wood has pulled down one the foundation for a house, near his

blacksmith shop. L. N. Phelps has moved his black-smith tools into his new shop, where he will be prepared to do any kind of

FRANKVILLE FAIR NOTES.

work that may come.

The question has been asked: What is it? Well, it is a boy at Edgar Halladay's. We could not imagine The Directors of the Kitley Agricultural Society are making strenuous efforts for the success of their fair, the dates of which are September 29th Our deputy toll-taker has partially ecovered from the terrible shock to and 30th.

The sporting committee in connection with the fair will offer \$100 in enced last spring owing to his disappointment over the failure of his matifirst day there will be a green race for a purse of \$40, and on the second Kerr, Allen Preston.

Classes I and J.—Frank Reynolds, Wm. Poole, Thes. Leggett, William and shaved his whiskers a la long-cut.

The special of the control of the control

prizes are offered by friends of the Society, full particulars of which can be learned from the posters issued by the Directors last week

UNIONVILLE FAIR NOTES.

chances pretty good. He will be at the gate, as usual, during the fair, and any buxom widow or maid matri-monially inclined, would do well to The entries up to 11 p. m. last night (Monday) footed up over 2,000, with a large number of the largest exhibitors to hear from.

The show of stock promises to be unusually large.
W. A. Webster, of Kingston, who

spent the past season in Manitoba and the Northwest, will make a special exhibit of the products of our prairie provinces. This will be worth coming

penter work was done by Mr. Samuel Smith; the stone work and plastering by Mr. Hudson, of Lyn, and the painting and graining by Mr. Tooker, to steam 18 miles as bour.

Oh! she was the child of his old age, And she lay in his arms a-dying; The night-wind crept up the narrov But fled through the window sigh

Her yellow hair fell in sheaves of gold, fier breathing was hurried and low, Her mother had died a night like this, Just/seven long years ago,

Day by day, with a terrible love,

A love that was unavailing, He had watched the light in her blue eyes Steadily, hopelessly failing. "Spare her, good Lord, for she must not die His words were distracted and wild; God help him now—for the old man's life Is bound up in the life of his child.

"Father," she cried, with a sudden strength "Look, oh!look at it, sailing there! The good Lord has sent His silver boat— He has heard and answered my prayer.

It came last night, but you were asleep,

The windows were fastened tight; neld out my arms but it sailed away, sailed far away out of sight." The old man's eyes were blinded with tears, As they followed hers to the sky, And he saw only the crescent moon In a storm of clouds drift by.

But a light not born of earth or sky Shone now in the eyes of the maiden; "It comes, dear father, it comes!" she cried, "For the weary and heavy-laden.

"I shall sail on through the brilliant stars, To God's beautiful home on high, And He will send it again for you In a little while. Good-bye."

The moonlight strayed from the garret floor, The erescent moon sailed out of sight; ut the old man knew that his wife and child Had met in God's home that night.

—The Quiver.

SIR HUGH'S LOVES

Well, it was not such a dull evening after Well, it was not such a dull evening after all; neither of them could tell how the time had passed when Ellerton came in to say the last train had been due for some time, and, as Sir Hugh had not returned, would my lady have the house shut up; could it actually be past eleven, and Erle and she still talking about this wonderful story.

story.

Fay's cheeks were quite pink when she bade Erle good-night; her eyes shining like stars. Oh, these dear people, she thought, how strange and sad it all was, and yet how interesting; she had made Erle describe this Crystal over and over again. She must be an odd girl, she thought—so passionate and so undisciplined, nd to think she was living with the other one, with the fair hair and the pretty smile; but when she had said this had been no answering smile on Erle's

face.
"Yes," he had returned, seriously, " I have often wondered to see them such friends; they are so utterly dissimilar. Fern-Miss Trafford I mean—is gentle and yielding—more like you, Fay; and Miss Ferrers—as I suppose I ought to call her —is so high-spirited and proud. I often wonder how Percy dares to make love to her, but he seems to dare anything." Well, Fay thought about it all when she

Well, Fay thought about it all when she went to bed; she had got used to her big shadowy room by this time; she lay wide awake watching the fire-light flicker and dance on the walls; how odd that people when the days of the seements should each other so much should who loved each other so much should misunderstand each other so strangely; of course Crystal loved this grand-looking Raby, and yet of her own accord she was hiding from him; and Fay thrilled with pity and affectionate sympathy, as she pondered over the sad story. She tried to tell flugh when he returned the next day, but he was too busy, or else unwilling to listen to her. listen to her.
"Yes, I know all about it—I never cared

very much for the girl," he said, hastily and then, as Fay looked intensely surprised and then, as Fay looked he added rather irritably:

"I told you we were old friends once, and of course I saw Miss Crystal when I visited at the Grange; she was never my taste—handsome, of course, but one could see she had a bit of the devil in her—she had a temper of her own if you like; and Mr. Ferrers spoiled her; he was terribly infaturated. I develve her in the was terribly infatuated—I daresay he is still—men will be fools sometimes. There, don't keep me talking, Fay; of course every one in Sandycliffe and Singleton knows the story. I am not so sure that it was not wise of the girl to run away after all.'

angry. It is very wrong of me, I am afraid, but I cannot help longing to know why Hugh has quarrelled with them so. I don't like to vex him, but it seems to me as like to vex him, but it seems to me as though I have a right to know all that concerns my husband"-and Fay's throat swelled and her eyes grew a little dim.
"Perhaps when so. "g happens he
will think me older an cark to me more," she said; and though she was alone a rosy blush came over her face.

Fay was very sorry when the time came or Erle to go back to Belgrave House; she would miss him sadly she knew. They had resumed their old walks and drives.

had resumed their old walks and drives, and Fay paid visits to Bonnie Bess in her stable, and taught the pretty creature to follow her over the place like a dog.

Erle was sorry to go too; he had grown very much attached to his new cousin. Mr. Ferrers was to join him a little later at Belgrave House and he promised to write and give her full particulars of their visit to Beulah Place. In his heart he had, a secret longing to feel Fern's hand in his again, and to see her bright welcoming smile. "I have been here a whole month, he grumbled;" no wonder Hugh is tired of he grumbled; " no wonder Hugh is tired of me by this time

Fay was rather surprised then to receive Fay was rather surprised then to receive a letter from him two or three days after wards telling her that Mr. Ferrers' visit was indefinitely postponed.

Everything has gone wrong, 'he wrote;

"and the fates, those mischievous cross-grained old women with the one eyelet ween them, are dead against us.
"I went over to Beulah Place the first eyening just to reconnoitre, and was much evening just to reconnoitre, and was much discusted to hear that Miss Davenport Miss Ferrers I mean, only I stick to the old name from habit—was nursing one of her pupils with the measles. The lattle rakeal—it is a boy had refused to be nursed by any one else; and there she is in the curate's house kept in durance vile; and, to make matters, worse, there

Miss Ferrers answered me. Her brother would defer his visit for the present, she said, until Miss Davenport was back in afters. He was much disappointed, at this delay; but he was satisfied

ith her half the night.
Fay shook her head over this part of Erle's letter. He was an incorrigible flirt, she was afraid; but she missed him very much. The old Hall seemed very quiet. much. The old Hall seemed very quiet-without Erle's spring footsteps and merry whistle, and somehow Fay was a little quieter too

For a change was passing over Hugh's ee Withe in those early spring days. With the new hope there came a new and tender expression on her sweet face. She grew less child-like and more

well. Hugh was very gentle with her, and careful to guard he from all imprudence; but life was very difficult to him just then, and he could not always restrain was all she could say at first; and then she

on ruining his fine constitution.

His restlessness and inward struggles were making him thin and haggard; still any fatigue was better than inaction, he thought. Often, after a long day spent in riding over the Redmond and Wyngate estates, he would set out again, often fasting, to walk across ploughed lands and through miry lanes to visit some sick laborer, and then sit up half the night in his solitary study.

Years afterwards he owned that he never looked back on this part of his life without an inward shudder. What would have become of him, he said, if the hand of

ecome of him, he said, if the hand of Providence had not laid him low before he had succeeded in ruining himself, body

and soul?

No one but Hugh knew how often he had yielded to the temptation to drown his inward miseries in pernicious drugs; how in those solitary vigils, while his innocent child-wife was sleeping peacefully like an infant, his half-maddened brain conjured up delirious fancies that seemed to recolor up delirious fancies that seemed to people

the dark library with haunting faces.

But he never meant to harm himself really; he would say in his sober daylight reflections he was only so very wretched.

Margaret's influence had always kept him pure, and he was not the man

pleasure in any dissipation.

No, he would not harm himself; but he vanted more to do. If he could represent is seat last election to his neighbor colonel Dacre! If he could travel; if Fay rould only spare him! And then he shook is head as he thought of his unborn child.

"You look so ill, Hugh," Fay would say with tears in her eyes when he came up to wish her good-by, "I wish you would stay with me a little."

But Hugh would only give a forced augh and say that his "Wee Wife was becoming more fanciful that ever, and that he should not know what to do with her if she went on like this:" and then, kissing

she went on like this:" and then, kissing her hastily, and unloosening the little hands from his neck, he would go out of the room pretending to whistle.

But one evening when they were together in the library he fell asleep while she was talking to him, and looked so strange and flushed that Fay got frightened and tried to wake him.

flushed that I ay got Irightened and to wake him.

"Come, Hugh," she said, softly, " it is 11 o'clock, and I cannot leave you like this, and I am so tired and sleepy, dear," and she knelt down and put her hand under his head, and stroked back the hair from his hot forehead. But Hugh only muttered something inaudible, and turned his face

away.
And Fay, watching him anxiously, felt

And Fay, watching him anxiously, felther heart sink with some undefined fear, and presently rang for his valet.

"Saville," she said, as the man entered the room, "I do not know what is the matter with Sir Hugh to-night, he sleeps so heavily and looks so strange. If it were not so late, and I were sure that he would not mind it, I would send for Dr. Martin."

"Nowspee" avaletined by "Nonsense," exclaimed her husband drowsily, for this threat of sending for the doctor had roused him effectually, and he managed to sit up and look at them.

"Why, what a white shaking child you look, you are not fit to be up so late, Fay why don't you take more care of yourself?"
"I was so frightened, dear," she whip pered; "I could not bear to leave you." m sure you are ill, Hugh; do let Savil help you to bed."

help you to bed."

"Oh, is that Saville? I thought—I thought—well never mind. There is nothing the matter with me, Saville, is there?"

"No, Sir Hugh; only it slate, and I expect you are tired, as my laily said."

"Oh, but she said I was ill"—very querulously; "I have never had a day's illness in my life, have I, Saville? Mrs. Heron will know, ask Mrs. Heron will know.

leron will know; ask Mrs. Heronthink I may as well go to bed and have my sleep out."

And the next day he reiterated the same

And the next day he reiterated the same thing, that there was nothing the matter with him, nothing; only they had not called him at the usual time, and he had slept late; but he had no appetite, and did not care to rise.

It was foolish to have tired himself out the had not care to rise.

But if Fay were good and

girl to run away after all."

"Hugh must have been very intimate with them all," thought Fay when she was left alone. "How I wish he were not always too busy to talk to me. Etle says he is sure he is killing himself reishing about as he does and he is killing himself rushing about as ne does, and he does look terribly ill. I wish he would see Dr. Martin, but of course my saking him to do so would only make him angry. It is very wrong of me, I am afraid, have I cannot help longing to know why read; or remember a word of it. It was the shooting pain in his head, he told her; and then he laughed in a way that was hardly mirthful, and said he would try to

sleep.
But that night he never closed his eyes, and yet the next day he would not allow Fay to send for the doctor, though she begged piteously for permission. Doctors were old women, he said, and Dr. Martin sespecially. It was only the pain in his head that kept him awake and made him so feverish; but towards the evening his eyes began to shine beautifully, and he grev

quite lively and talkative.

He said he was much better, if, only his head and hands were not burning like live coals; and that he meant if it were fine t drive Fay out in the pony-carriage to morrow, and they would go and call or

Margaret, b Fay stared, as well she might. Did Hugh mean Miss Ferrers? she asked, timidly. And Hugh, speaking thickly, like a dranken man, said, "Yes, certenly! and why not?" and he would ask Margaret to why not?" and he would ask Margaret to go, with him to Shepherd's Corner to morrow, and see Tim Hartlebury, who was lying dying or dead, he did not know which; but apropos to the Sudbury politics, and the old Tory member, Lord Lyndburst of Lyndburst, at whom the Radical Marty, with the publican of the "Green Drake" at their head, had shield rotten eggs, would Lady Redmond assure him that the Grange was not infested with serpents. The old hydra-headed reptile had lived there in his fether's time, and there was a young brood left, he heard, that were nourished on Margaret's roses. No, he repeated, if there old name from habit—was nursing one of her pupils with the measles. The little rateal it is a box had refused to be nursed by any one else; and there she is in the curate's house kept in durance vile; and, to make matters, worse, there some talk of her going out of town, with them.

"I wrote off to the Grange at once, and Miss Ferrers answered me. Her brother were serients at the Grange they would drive there, for he was afraid of Raby, and he hated parsons, for even blind ones could see sometimes, and they might tell tales—lies—he said, beating wildly on the would they please take away his Wee Wiffe, for he was tired of her. And Fay, trembling the content of the content o

very much, called out to Saville to con quickly, for Sir Hugh was talking so funnil she could not make out what he meant And Saville, as he stood and held his master's hands, thought his talk so very of course, at this delay, but he was satisfied to know that she was in good hands, and he was used to disappointments. I did feel so sorry for the poor old fellow when I read that. And the rest of the letter was filled awith lively descriptions of a ball where he had met Miss Selby, and danced with her half the night.

I master's hands, thought his talk so very funny that he summoned Mrs. Heron and Ellerton at once, while the groom saddled are of the horses and galloped off for Dr. Martin arrived, and had seen his patient, the mystery was soon cleared.

Sir Hugh had brain fever and that

soon cleared.
Sir Hugh had brain fever; and that night Ellerton and Saville had to fiold him down in his bed to prevent him throwing himself from the window. He very nearly did it over in the window. did it once in the cumning of his madness, when they left him unguarded for a moment; and after that they had to strap when they teft him

him. down.

They had taken his Wee Write from him almost by force; she had clung to him so her poor mad High, as she called him. But Mrs. Heron took the distracted young

well. Hugh was very gentle with her, and careful to guard he from all imprudence; but life was very difficult to him just then, and he could not always restrain his growing irritability.

He was ill, and yet unwilling to own anything was amiss. He scoffed at the idea that his nerves were disorganized; and with the utmost recklessness seemed bent on ruining his fine constitution.

His restlessness and inward struggles were making him thin and haggard; still any fatigue was better than inaction, he thought. Often, after a long day spent in riding over the Redmond and Wyngate estates, he would set out again, often fasting to well access placetally.

ment.

If his violence had not banished Fay from the room his miserable ravings would.

The nurses were too much accustomed to such scenes to take much notice of their patient's wild talk; but the trusty

their patient's wild talk; but the trusty old servants, who knew their master's secret, shuddered as they heard him, for his talk was always of Margaret. He never even mentioned his Wee Wife.

"Oh for Margaret!" he cried, to give him water to quench his thirst; for he was in torment, and no one would give him drink. Oh for Margaret's cool hand—for Maggie—for his own love Margaret; and Maggie - for his own love Margaret; and so on, and so on, through the long hours of

that fevered dream.

How that one idea beset him! She was a star, and he went seeking her through space till he got lost and entangled in the Milky Way, and revolved madly through the infinite

hrough the infinite.

She was in Paradise, standing on the sopmost star of the golden ladder, stretching out her hands and calling to him to some to her before the door was shut; and ever as he tried to climb, the fiends came swarming from their pits of darkness, and dragged him down with endless fallings and precipitous crashings, while his Wee Wifie laughed mockingly from the

"Oh for Margaret, Margaret, Margaret!" and so on through the day and through the night, until they thought it must have killed

Those were terrible days at Redmond Those were terrible days at Redmond Hall. The very servants went carefully about the house with hushed voices, looking after their young mistress with pitying eyes, as she wandered like a lost spirit from one room to another, generally followed by the faithful Janet. Erle came down once, but Fay grew so hysterical at the sight of her old favorite that Mrs. Heron was quite frightened, and begged him to was quite frightened, and begged him to go away; and, as he could do no good, he acquiesced very sensibly in this piece of

Mrs. Heron was growing quite unhappy about my lady. Nothing she could say would make Fay cease from those aimless wanderings; she could not eat, she could not rest, and her fits of weeping seemed

only to exhaust her.

Nothing did her any good until Dr.

Martin came to her one day, and, taking the thin little hand in his, gave her his faithful promise that, if the fever abated, and she worm extent the state of the state faithful promise that, if the fever abated, and she were strong enough, she should help to nurse him by and by, but it would depend upon herself, he said, meaningly; and Fay promised to eat and sleep that she might be fit to nurse Hugh.

She meant to be good and keep her promise; but one evening the longing to

promise; but one evening the longing to see her husband was too strong for her. Saville had just gone downstairs for something and had left he dressing room door ajar. Fay, gliding down the corridor on the half. Fay glading down the corridor in her white dress, caught sight of the half opened door, and the temptation was too strong for her; the next moment she was in the dimly lighted room, with her finger on the handle of the closed door.

It yielded to her touch at once, and Fay's handry once third to since the desired.

ingry eyes tried to pierce through the mi-darkness.

It was the oriel chamber, and Sir Hugh lay on the very bed where, Mrs. Heron had solemnly assured Fay, many a Redmond had breathed his first and last breath. It had been found impossible to move him, but Fay did not remember this as she stood with beating heart, not daring to move a step.

It was very quiet and still—one of the It was very quiet and still—one of the strange nurses was sitting by the bed with her face toward the patient; she had not heard Fay's stealthy entrance; the next moment. Fay choked back a sob that threatened to rise in her throat, for she had caught sight at last of the white changed face that lay on the pillow; and then, regardless of everything but her love and longing, she glided quickly, to the bed, and kissing the wide staring eyes, laid the and kissing the wide staring eyes, laid the are the same and the same moment. Miss Ferrers stepped into the road.

"Oh, Lady Redmond," she said, and "Oh, Lady Redmond and longing, she glided quickly to the bed, and kissing the wide staring eyes, laid the shaven head tenderly upon her bosom.

"Oh, my lady!" exclaimed the nurse, in a terrified voice, "this is very wrong—very wrong indeed."

"Hush—I am his wife—I have a right be here. You know me, do you not, my

to be here. You know me, do you not, my darling Hugh?"

Poor Fay! she had her punishment then; for Hugh did not know her in the least, and seemed to shrink from her with horror; he begged her to send Margaret to him—his dear Margaret. his dear Margaret, and not stand ther ike some white horrible statue dressed

You had better go, my lady, you are nly exciting him," observed the quietly; and Fay wrung her hands and hurried from the room. Saville found her crouching against the dressing room door, with her face hidden in her hands, and fetched Mrs. Heron at once to coax her away; but Fay hardly seemed to understand their meaning; her face had a white, strained look upon it as Mrs. Heron put her arm round her and led her tenderly to her room.

CHAPTER XX.

" LITTLE JOYCE." In the craft fire of sorrow
Cast thy heart, do not faint or wail,
Let thy heart be firmand steady,
Do not let thy spirit quall;
But wait till the trial be over
And Take thy heart ragain;
For as gold is tried by fire,
A heart must be tried by pain.

Adelaide Anne Procte

"Oh, my lady, what will Dr. Martin say?" exclaimed Mrs. Heron, as she almos lifted her young mistress on to the couch and stood over her rubbing her hands. It

was a warm April evening, but Fay was shivering and her teeth chattering as though with cold.
"What does it matter what he says?" returned Fay; the girl's lips were white and there was still a scared look in he eyes. "Is that why they would not let m yes. "Is that why they would be him-because they have cut off his hair because they have cut off his hair as unlike himself, and ecause he talks so strangely ?"

"Yes, my lady, and for your own good and because—" but Fay interrupted her 'My good? as though anything could lo me good while my darling husband uffers so cruelly. Oh, Mrs. Heron, would ou believe it? he did not know me: he looked as though he were afraid of me his own wife: he told me to go away and act touch him, and to send Margaret. Oh," with a sort of restless despair in her voice, "who is this Margaret of whom he

always speaks?"

Mrs. Heron's comely face paled a little with surprise—as she told Ellerton afters, wards, she felt at that moment as though a feather would have knocked her down. "My beart wards with surprise was the content of th heart was in my mouth," she observed, feelingly, "when I heard the pretty creature say those words, "who is this was all in a tremble when I heard her, and then all at once I remembered Miss Joyce, and "came to me as a sort of inspiration."

Lo you know who he means?" continued eturned the good housekeeper, cautiously it is often the case with people in feve that they forget all about the present, an She grew less child-like and more womanly, and day by day there grew a certain modest dignity that became her soothed her as though she were a child. She will be sirely and so the little sister who died when he was a lad at school, and of whom he was so fond."

spiration.'

" Sir Hugh never told me he had had a sister," replied Fay, roused to some animation at this. "Was her name Margaret?"

tion at this. "Was her name Margaret?"
"Yes, to be sure." But Mrs Heron forebore to mention that the child had always
been called by her second name Joyce. "Ay
she was a pretty little dear, and Master
Hugh—I mean Sir Hugh—doated on her
she had the whooping-cough very badly
and Miss Joy—I mean Miss Margaret was
always delicate and it into cavid. always delicate, and it just carried he

"And my husband was fond of her? was the musing reply, "and yet it seem strange that he should go back all thos years and think of his baby sister."

years and think of his baby sister."

"I don't think Dr. Martin would say it was strange if you were to ask him, my lady," was the diplomatic answer. "We might mention it to morrow, and see what he says. You may depend upon it that folk travel backwards in their mind when the fever gets hold of their brain. Most likely he is thinking a deal of his mother and Miss Margaret, for he was always an affectionate lad was Master Hugh."

"Dear Margaret! that was what he called her."

"Ay, no doubt, precious little lamb. I can see her now, with her curly head and

can see her now, with her curly head and white frock, as she pelted Master Hugh with rose-leaves on the lawn. Now, my lady, you are only fit for bed, and there is not a morsel of color in your face, and Ellerton says you hardly touched dinner. Now, I am going to bring you up a glass of wine and a sandwich, and you will let Janet help you undress."

Fay was too weary to resist. What did it metter she thought again the resist.

Fay was too weary to resist. What did it matter, she thought again; but with her usual sweet courtesy she thanked Mrs. Heron, and tried to swallow a few mouthfuls, though they seemed to choke her, but she was glad when they left her alone. Sleep? how was she to sleep, with this nightmare of horror oppressing her? Again, the poor ahaven head was lying in her bosom. She was kissing the wide staring eyes. Why had he pushed her from him? eyes. Why had he pushed her from him?
"Oh Hugh, you ought to have known me,"
she sobbed, as she tossed wearily in the
darkness. Janet who was sleeping in the
adjoining room, heard her once and came to

her bedside. "Were you calling me, my lady ?" she asked ' No, Janet," answered the poor child.

I am only crying because I am so mhappy."

"Better go to sleep, my lady," was "Better go to sleep, my lady," was Janet's sympathising reply; "things seem always worse in the dark; most likely we shall hear the master is better to morrow. Saville says he has a deal of strength in him and will cheat the doctors yet;" and somehow this homely consolation soothed Fay, and by and by she slept the unbroken sleep of youth.

eep of youth.
Dr. Martin listened to Mrs. Heron's account with a very grave face the next morning, but he chose to make light of the whole affair to Fay. "You hardly deserve to be told that this

escapade of yours, Lady Redmond, has done our patient no harm," he observed in a half-joking voive. "Sir Hugh is quieter to-day-much quieter. I should not be surprised if there be decided imnot be surprised if there be decided im-provement in a few hours, but," as Fay's eyes filled with tears of thankfulness, " it was a very risky thing to do, and as you deserve to be punished for it, I must insist that these ponies of yours, who are eating their heads off with idleness, shall be put in harness at once, and you will please take a long drive that will not bring you within sight of Redmond Hall for the next two hours."

Fay laughed at the Doctor's grim fac-Fay laughed at the Doctor's grim face, but she was ready to promise him obedience if Hugh were better; she was quite willing to take the drive; she rang and ordered the ponies at once, and took the rains in her own hands. The fresh spring sunshine was delicious; the soft breezes seemed laden with messages of hope. Dr. Martin was right when he ordered that drive. Fay's little pale face looked been winned. was right when he ordered that drive. Fay's little pale face looked less miserable as she restrained her ponies' frolics. She found herself listening to the birds and noticing the young spring foliage with her old interest as they drove through the leafy lanes. Fay had just turned her ponies' heads towards a winding road that led straight to the above when the fight.

Perrers stepped into the road.

"Oh, Lady Redmond," she said, and Fay wondered why she was so pale. Had she been ill too? "This is a most unexpected pleasure. May I—may I"—hesitating for a moment," ask you to stop and speak to me?"

"Certainly," returned Fay; and with quick immilse she handed the reject the

"Certainly," returned Fay; and with quick impulse she handed the rains to the groom; and sprang into the road. "Take the ponies up and down, Ford, I shall not be long. Lwas just going down on the beach for a breath of sea-air," she coninued, turning to Margaret, " and I am so glad I have met you, because we can g together," for she thought Hugh woul

certainly not mind her exchanging a few courteous words with Miss Ferrers when they met face to face; besides Miss Ferrers had asked to speak to her. "I wanted to know—but of course 1 see by your face—that Sir Hugh is better," began Margaret, but her dry lips would

hardly fashion the words.
"Oh yes," returned Fay, eagerly. "Dr "Oh yes," returned Fay, eagerly. "Dr. Martin says he is quieter, much quieter, this morning, and he hopes to find decided improvement in a few hours; oh, Miss Ferrers, it has been such a terrible time, I do not know how I have lived through it."

"It must have been dreadful for you, and your are looking ill yourself, Lady Redmond," with a pitying glance at the small white face that looked smaller and thinner since she saw it last.

small white face that looked smaller and hinner since she saw it last.

"I do not know how I have beet," returned Fay, simply. "I secured to have no feeling, the time passed somehow, it was adways meal-time, and one could not cat, and then night came, but it was not all vays possible to sleen. I was always wander. possible to sleep. I was always wander-ing about, and it did not seem easy to pray, and then they came and told me it was wrong to grieve so, but how could I help

"Was there no one to come to you, to be with you, I mean? but Fay shook her head

(To be continued.) A Terrible Threat An Irish laborer in Boston was starting

An Irish laboter in Boston was starting outcome morning for his work and a small boy of 3 or 4 years insisted on trotting along after him. The father kept telling the dirty little morsel of humanity to go back, but the urchin kept steadily on, until they came to a place where it was necessary to cross the street. Here the father turned to his offspring, with an air of one speaking a great finality. "Now, Patsy," he said, sternly, "if yez don't be afther goin' straight away home this blessed minute I won't niver git yez on the police afther goin' straight away home this blessed minute I won't niver git yez on the police force." The little frish mite stopped as if a spell had arrested his footsteps. He looked up at his stalwart father, to see if t were possible that he could mean any-hing so terrible, and then, perceiving no elenting in the face above him, he turned in his tracks like a flash, and ran home with all the swiftness his little legs could

mpass .- The Argonant. Royal weddings ought to be numerou within the next few months. Recent statistics point out that there are now in Europe 108 princes and sixty six princesses f marriageable age. Only six of these are

Celery parsley, thyme, summer savery sage, etc., should be dried and pulverized and put away in glass jars for use next CULINARY RECIPES.

HUCKLEBERRY PUDDING. MICKLEBERRY PUDDING.

Make a crust as for tea biscuit. Line the bottom and sides of a pudding dish, pour in one pint of berries, strew sugar and flour over them; cut squares of the dough and lay on this; add another pint of berries, sweeten and flour as before; then put about a tablespoonful of good vinegar into this and cover with a crust with a large opening in the centre and bake one hour. Serve with cream and sugar.

A COOD BREAKFAST DISH.

A GOOD BREAKFAST DISH Cut cold boiled potatoes into small pieces, add three hard boiled eggs chopped, a table-spoon of butter, a pinch of cayonne pepper, a cup of sweet milk, season to taste. Heat thoroughly.

MINCED VEAL Take three pounds of cooked yeal, chop add three beaten eggs, four rolled crackers butter size of an egg, pepper and salt well; press into a crock and bake an hour. When cold turn out and slice down on a platter. It is very nice for lunch.

GREEN CORN PUDDING Grate a dozen ears of green corn, add or quart of sweet milk, one-quarter pound of butter, four well-beaten eggs, pepper and salt to taste. Bake one hour and a half in

POTATO SOUP.

Pare and cut into small pieces four gooded potatoes, boil tender; add a quart of good sweet milk, season with salt and pep-per, butter the size of an egg. Make a dough as for pot pie, cut into small squares, drop into the kettle while boiling. Boil for twenty minutes. Serve while hot.

FRIED TOMATOES. Select smooth, hard tomatoes, wash and Select smooth, hard tomatoes, wash and wipe but do not pare them, cut in halves and lay the cut side in flour. Melt some butter slowly and pour off-the top, in which to fry the tomatoes, being careful not to pour in the sediment. Let the butter get hot in the pan, then lay in the tomatoes, the floured side down, and watch closely that they do not have that they do not burn; turn as brown. A sauce is by some considered an addition. Put a small cup of milk in the pan after taking out the tomatoes, season with salt and thicken with a teaspoonful of corn starch; when it boils pour it over the

tomatoes. BAKED DAMSONS FOR WINTER USE. Choose some fruit not too ripe. To every ound of fruit allow six ounces of sugar. Put the fruit into large stone jars, sprink. ling the sugar amongst it; cover the jars with saucers; place in a moderate oven and pake until perfectly tender. When cold cover the jar with a piece of paper to just fit, pour over it melted suet about three-quarters an inch thick, then tie the jars down with thick brown paper. Keep in a cool, dry place.

Pare and cut in pieces large ripe toma Fare and cut in pieces large ripe tomatoes, put into a saucepan and stew briskly twenty minutes; season with salt and pepper, a teaspoon of butter and a table-spoon of sugar; stir into this a cupful of grated bread trumbs. Serve while hot

Latest from Ireland.

The Orange Hall at Plaster, near Dun-dalk, was burned to the ground on the 17th August.

Rev. Thos. Fullerton, late of Dromore county Down, is in custody charged with orging a cheque on the Belfast Bank for

At Dublin on the 13th Aug. a discharged soldier cut the throat of his sister and then his own, both dying on removal to the hos-

The minutes of the General Assembly of the Irish Presbyterian Church for 1887 show that 719 members attended the last The Ennis Board of Guardians have

The Ennis Board of Guardians have passed a resolution strongly condemning the dastardly and diabolical attempt to blow up the West Clare Railway bridge. William Carruthers, manager of the Ulster Bank at Monaghan, has been committed for trial at Armagh, charged with forwing 95 bills, amounting to the total of rging 95 bills, amounting to the total of Three persons have been drowned in

Lough Corrib while on a boating excursion, viz.: Professor Thompson, Galway; Mr. Kinkead, son of Dr. Kinkead, Galway; and Mr. Roberts, son of a clergyman at Onghterard. Oughterard. While Mr. Tweedy Scott, a Scottish genwhile air. I weedy Scott, a Scottish gen-theman visiting some friends at Belfast, was endeavoring to enter the cave of Cave Hill, near Belfast, the other day, he missed his foothold—and fell 40 feet, sustaining shocking injuries, from which he is not

likely to recover.

Erozen Meats in Siberia. precautions are required fer the reservation of beef, for it takes care of iself. Nearly all butchers kill at the eginning of cold weather a sufficient numer of animals to furnish provisions for the character and allow the meat to freeze. There is no fear of any food changing if such a temperature. The fish become so There is no tear or any 1000 changing in such a temperature. The fish become so solid and stiff that they are set up on their tails against the walls of the markets, be the tail ever so long and the fish ever so loans.

Often fruits preserved in ice are "placed" Often fruits preserved in ice are placed apon the table of the Siberian evening meal, the method of keeping them being similar to that employed with meats. As soon as the severe cold sets in they are exposed to the air, if possible toward the north, where there is no sun to reach them; they thus become completely frozen. When eaten they are found to have retained their flavor marvellously, notwithstanding When eaten they are found to have retained their flavor marvellously, notwithstanding their flavor marvellously, notwithstanding their change from a frozen rigidity to the thawed state necessary for use. At the moment of being served they are usually as more and and, if they chance to fall, moment of being served they are usually as hard as wood, and, if they chance to fall, rattle like stones upon the floor. The heat of the room gradually somens them and assume their original form,—Youth's Coni-

A Suggestion.

A Dallas lady was giving her daughter estructions in etiquette and how to acquire husband. If a gentleman enters the room etimette demands that you arise from your cat and advance a few steps to meet him, with a bright, sunny smile." But suppose no gentlemen ever come

"Then of course you don't change your position; you remain just as you are."—
Harper's Magazine. Applying a Text. Synday School Teacher—"You seem to emember what Eve was told would be the Sgnday School Teacher—"You seem to remember what Eve was told would be the penalty of her disobedience, but I don't think you quite understand it. Now, in a family, who is called the head of the house? Little Girl—Theone who does the bossing; the one who directs its affairs. Teacher—Now, who does? Little Girl—Mamma. Teacher—Well, she directs the servants; but who sometimes makes her do things she don't want to very much? Teacher—I do.—Omahe World.

Business Dull, Clergyman—How is your health this ummer? I trust you have been well durimmer? I trust you have been well du ig the sultry weather? Undertaker—Pretty well, thank you.

The Venetian gondoliers have struck, pieting to a night service lately estab-slied on the Grand Canal. Altogether the labor market in Venice is in rather a disturbed condition, for the bakers are out on strike and the waiters threaten to follow suit.

Clergyman—And how is business?

Undertaker—Poor, poor. I haven't arried a living soul for weeks.—Lowell

FALL STYLES

What will be Worn by Ladies on their charming Little Heads.

(From Galignani's Messenger, Paris. (From Galignani's Messenger, Paris.)

The milliners, as is usual, are the first to enter the field with new styles for the coming season. Despite the warm weather, which renders difficult a just appreciation of hats in felt and bonnets in velvet, and of fur bands for trimming, it must be confessed that the new winter fashions for headgear are very tasteful. Velvet, dotted with minute spangles in gold, silver or steel, or embroidered with gold thread and spangles, forms the richest material for bonnets. Bands of astrakhan or sealkin or of curled ostrich feathers will be much used bonnets. Bands of astrakhan or seakin or of curled ostrich feathers will be much used for trimming. Felt hats and bonnets in white or pale gray are shown, the former white or pale gray satin ribbon and trimmed with pale gray satin ribbon and ostrich tips of the same hue. White fel bonnets with brims in ruby or sapphire vel-vet are very successful. There is but little variation in the shapes of the winter bonvariation in the snapes of the winter bon-nets so far. The close capote form, and that with a pointed brim and with flat sides, maintain their place in popular favor.

LOW CROWNS FOR HATS. Hats will be worn with much lower crowns than they were last season. The prevailing form will be the cavalier shape, with low set crown and a wide brim raised at the back and held in place by a bow of satin ribbon. In white felt, with the inside of the brim of a delicate grey and all the trimmings in the latter hue, this style is peculiarly elegant. Toque hats, with the crown high in front and sloping downward to the brim at the back are also shown.

A bonnet with the crown and sides in black velvet, embroidered with jet and and having the front in a lattice work pattern of jet beads and bugles, was trimmed with three or four exquisite deep pink roses and buds without foliage. Pheasant and peacock plumage will be a good deal used in the construction of bonnets, the former in combination with chestnut brown velvet and the latter with dark green. Hats will be worn with much lowe

GAUZE SCARF VEILS.

Scarfs of tulle or of gauze are now a good Scarfs of tulle or of gauze are now a good deal worn with the new sailor shaped hats. One end of the scarf is attached to the inner edge of the crown at the back, and it is then wound loosely around the wearer's throat. Sometimes two long narrow scarfs instead of one wide one are employed. These are crossed under the chin and the ends are thrown over the shoulders; but the double scarf is less graceful than the single one. Cream white or pale straw single one. Cream white or pale straw color are the usual shades employed, but when the hat is in red or marine blue straw red gauze is used with very excellent effect.

PARASOLS. The gauze and tulle parasols have wholly The gauze and tulle parasols have wholly vanished, and have been replaced by those in blue taffetas, or in black and white pekin, with the stripes made up around the frame. A very elegant style of parasol is in black taffetas or black satin, painted by hand in one of its divisions with a large cluster of pale tinted roses, with buds and foliage. The parasol is finished with deep ruffles of Chantilly lace. Birds are occasionally used to decorate the apex of the parasol, but the fashion is more eccentric than elegant, especially when very large birds, such as doves or paroquets, are thus employed.

NOVELHES IN TOLLETS.

NOVELTIES IN TOILETS. A costume lately remarked at Trouville was in an entirely novel style. It was composed of a long polonaise, or rather princess cut dress in white voile, slightly draped over a plaited skirt of the same material. It was bordered all round with material. It was pordered all round with a worsted lace of a telegram blue color and of a Gothic pattern, having long points in the upper edge, which they let into the material, thus forming deep scollops bordered with the large. The sleeves were shived to the allege. shirred to the elbow, and were finished with full ruffles edged with the lace. The corsage was also shirred in front in full marrow plaits from the throat to the waist. From England comes a new and artistic dea for ladies' dress, which is to wear collets in white or in black taffetas painted

toilets in white or in black taffetas painted by hand with designs of flowers in water color. One of these dresses, which was simple in style, but elaborately painted was in white taffetas, the skirt covered with four gathered flounces pinked at the edge. Each flounce was bordered with a garland of wild roses painted in water colors. A very wide sash of the same silk gariand of wild roses painted in watercolors. A very wide sash of the same silk
was looped at the back of the skirt and
was painted to correspond, the garland
running through the centre of the sash.
The corsage was cut open in a V shape,
and had a spray of wild roses painted at
one side on the flat bias folds of silk that
edited the opening

Carnegie's Scottish Purchases.

It is announced that Mr. Andre Carnegie is about to purchase Aboyne Castle, the magnificent estate of the Marquis of Hurdly, who passed through New York about a fortnight ago on his way o England. The sale, if it does take is more likely to benent Lora manay, creditors than himself, for there is har fly a square foot of the domain which is no overburdened with heavy mortgages. Then really seems to be a kind of curse restin on this Gordon family, one of the nobles is more likely to benefit Lord Huntl on this Gordon family, one of the nobles and most ancient in Scotland. The Marquist he head of the clan. He is so persistently in the than in debt that even his father in-law, wealthy banker, Sir Cunliffe Brooks, wealthy banker, Sir Cunliffe Brooks, has refused to come forward any more to help him out of his financial difficulties. In 1881 he was the hero of a very painful scandal in London, which involved his sudden resignation of the captaincy of the Queen's Body Guard of Gentlemen-at-Arms, and a precipitate departure for the wilds of Albania in order to avoid arrest and a criminal prosecution. The matter was one in which the order to avoid arrest and a criminal prose-cution. The matter was one in which the words "fradulent signatures" and "fraud-ulent mortgages" repeatedly cropped up, and was only with difficulty compounded by his father-in-daw, who did not wish his by his father-iredaw, who did not wish his daughter's coronet to be dragged through the courts of justice. Personally, Lord Huntly is a charming fellow, extremely handsome clegant and with a very winning way about him.—His eyes, how ver, are unsatisfactory and unsettled. His sisterhas the nisfortune to be the invalid wife of the Earl of Lonsdale—of Violet Cameron fame, while his brother, Lord Granville Gordon, appeared some eighteen months. Gordon, appeared some cighteen months ago before the public as the part proprietor of a disreputable gambling hell, which had got into trouble with the police. Lady Granville Gordon is the well-known Bond

of Mme. Ivy & Co.—New York World. The Latest Dodge.

The infringers of the Scott Act are having a lively time in Stanstead, seven of them having been fined last week. Some them having been fined last week. Some difficulty was experienced in proving two of the cases, owing to a device resolved to by the liquor sellers in the place known as "The Cave." The person desiring liquer has to go through a long-corridor, when he comes to a wicket in the wall. On making known his wants a hand appears with the desired drink in a bettle, but no face or form is visible.—Missisquoi (Que.) Record.

One of the most amusing incidents of this non-copyright period, says the literary editor of the New York Tribune, is the solemn advertisement of the California adapter of Rider Haggard's "She" announcing that he has sold a share of his dramatization, has copyrighted the same and will prosecute anybody infringing and will prosecute anybody infringing upon it. So that if Mr. Haggard attempted o bring out in this country an adaptation of his own book he could legally forbidden to make use of his own property.

A ticklish position—that of the fly on the bald head.

FEMALE KLEPTOMANIACS. How Women in Polite Society Get the Best of Tradesman and Fond.

The world would be surprised to know how many kleptomaniacs there are in polite society. A well-known dry goods man' says he has a customer who steals about as regularly as she purchases. He makes out a rough estimate of her pilferings, and the bill is never disputed by her husband, who knows too well that the demands are just. There is a young married woman in one of the wealthiest families, who can spend a fortune a year on little things, and yet she will pick up and appropriate the merest trifles. She little things, and yet she will pick up and appropriate the merest trifles. She despoils her friend's parlor of small articles. A work-basket is a happy hunting ground for her. On an easy calculation she must have one hundred pairs of scissors. In any of the houses where she habitually calls, if needes, threads and thimbles are missing, ne inquiry is heard: "Has Mrs.— hee here this morning?" A Broadway baker, to whose shop it is the custom for ladies to go to luncheon, has the family of this kleptomaniac among his customers. He makes out his monthly bill for all that he leaves at the house, and then puts in the mysterious and then puts in the mysterious charge: "Lunch loss, \$25." She is in the habit of going to the Broadway establishment, eating a couple of dollars' worth, and then greeting the cashier with an inventory of 50 cents' worth. She will smilingly then greeting the cashier with an inventory of 50 cents' worth. She will smillingly point out doughnuts and crullers and an occasional ginger snap as having formed her meai; whereas, she has steadily eaten her way round the shop, munching 10 cent tarts and 15 cent eclaires. It would never do to let her loose in the wine cellars, as the trusting Dublin restaurant keepers do with their customers. There are many places in honest old Dublin where you take your glass and go by yourself to the moldy old cobwebbed cellar, surrounded by casks on whose aged head you can read the legend of their vintage. You make your selection, help yourself, go back to the simple landlord in the little tap room above stairs, tell him what you have drunk, have a settlement, and go your way. Our New York young lady would spend an afternoon sampling, come up plum full of Lachryma Christi, and tender the deluded boniface the price of one glass of cider.

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A dressmaker was telling of her troubles. A wealthy lady was shown into a parlor, the other day, and left for a few minutes to herself. Just before this visit another. the other day, and left for a few minutes to herself. Just before this visit another, customer had bought some rare lace to use in the manufacture of a ball dress. This was carelessly thrown into the upper drawer of a cabinet. When, a few minutes later, it was brought to the workroom, the forewoman sent word that the quantity was insufficient for the design, and the owner was notified. The lady came promptly. She had measured the lace herself, bought it herself, and if there were five yards to the bad, it had been taken in the house. But that was impossible, urged the dressmaker, as no one had been in the room but Mrs.—, and not one of the employees. "Say no more," laughed the owner of the lace. "We know where the lace is, if Mrs.—has been in its neighborhood." The poor dressmaker had her eyes opened to many a petty loss since the kleptomaniac had favored her with her custom, but she had a good deal of nerve. She took the remnant of lace and rode in a Fifth avenue stage to Fiftieth street. She was admitted, the langest presence on the takenges. stage to Fiftieth street. She was admitted to the august presence on that August afternoon, and she said she thought—in fact, she knew—five yards of lace belonging to Mrs. Smith had been inadvertently wrapped up with the piece of Mrs.—
dress; that Mrs.—— had carried it away
to have a hat made from, because Mathilde,
her purchase clerk, had been in the room
of the parlor and seen Mrs.—— gather up of the parlor and seen Mrs. — gather up the pieces of silk and lace, of course, wholly by mistake. So the thief, professing astonishment at her carelessness, went off and found that such an accident had really occurred, handed over the lace, and there the matter ended.—New York Letter.

An Albany correspondent of the Gardeners' Monthly gives the actual amount of timber grown on the farm of I. G. Smock, of Holmdel, N.J., one portion of which, containing thirty-seven hundreths of an acre or fifty-nine square rods, produced 1.406 five holed fence posts, which sold at 40 cents each; 159 smaller posts at 15 cents each, and 250 stakes at 5 cents, amounting to \$597.40, or at the rate of \$1,614 an acre. Other portions of the farm gave 4.000 posts at 40 cents each or \$1,600, besides smaller amounts. The cost of cutting, dressing and boring is not stated. The trees were raised on broken portions of the farm, too rough for tillage, and were cut nine years ago. They were planted at intervals since 1830, the average age of the trees being about fifty years. The manage a ment which they received is not stated. On measured portion it will be perceived the annual profit per acre on the the measured portion it will be perceived that the annual profit per acre on the growth of the trees, not including interest, was 532. As this result appears to have been obtaiged from rough land which was not subjected to celtivation, it, would be interesting to know what could be had from cond well entirested around. The great good, well cultivated ground. The area cut over him years ago is now covered with a uxulant growth of hands one young trees

hich have sprung up from the cuttings.

Advantage of Low Ceilings. The advantages of low ceilings for dwellings, on account of their being more readily and completely ventilated than dwellings that are high ceiled, are now very generally admitted by builders and sanitarians. The view taken of this matter, from the standpoint of health, is, briefly, that the leakage of air which is always are some contents. point of health, is, briefly, that the leakage of air which is always going on keeps all parts of the air in motion in such rooms, whereas, if, the ceiling is higher, only the lower part of the air is moved, and an inverted lake of foul and hot air is left floating in the space above the window tops. To have the currents of fresh air circulating only in the lower parts of the room, while the upper portion of the air is left unaffected, is really the worst way of ventilating, for the stagnant atmospheric lake under the ceiling, although motionless, keeps actively at work under the law of the diffusion of gases, fouling the fresh currents circulating beneath it. With low ceilings and high windows no such accumulation of air is possible for the remis circulating beneath it. With low ceilings and high windows no such accumulation of air is possible, for the whole height of the room is swept by the currents as the dust of the floor is swept with a broom. Again, it is urged in behalf of low ceilings that they possess the advantage of combling rooms to be warned with less expenditure of heat and less cost for fuel.

Trouble to Come.

Fashion in husbands changes same as it Fashion in husbands changes same as it does in everything else. A spell ago he had to be a coachman to be an fait. Now it is necessary for him to be a Mongolian in order to be in style. Soon the windows of Chinese laundrymen will be so darkened by fashionable girls in search of husbands that it will be necessary to light the gas so that work can go on.—Texas Siftings.

Had Only One Married.

Brown, who has married the eldest of even girls, tried to quarrel with his mother seven girls, tried to quarrel with his mother in law, the other evening. "Brown," said she, "I am not going to ruin my reputation by quarrelling with you. Wait till my other girls are married. At present, as a mother in law, I am only an amateur."

The Pittsburg Dispatch, alarmed by the number of people killed while walking upon the railroad track, calls upon some philan, through the free people will be not be a second to the control of the contr thropist to form a "Society for the couragement of Track Walking." railroads of the country should form su society and accomplish the object by abolish ing grade crossings.

TORTURED FOR THEIR MONEY. An Old Man and his Wife Set on Fire by

A special despatch from Hempstead, Texas, says: "The county officers have returned from Reid's Prairie, the scene of the late terrible outrage on John Schultz and wife, Germans, over 60 years old, and report the perpetration of a crime that would shame a savage. Soon after dark on Friday night last four men, masked and otherwise disguised, outcome the house and wise disguised, entered the house and demanded all the movey about the premises. When refused the robbers comenced pounding both the old man and his wife with pistols. They then bound their wrists, and pouring kerosene oil on the persons of both told them they would burn them alive if the money was not produced.
When refused again one of the villains set
fire to the kerosene and they were horribly burned. The muscles of the calves of th old man's legs are nearly burned as under, and little hopes of his recovery are entertained. Mrs. Schultz, although terribly beaten on the head and badly burned, will recover. Mr. Schultz was left for dead and the robbers then searched the premise and found a one dollar bill and \$30 in silver Two men are now under arrest charged with the crime, and the others implicated the officers expect soon to have in custody.

A FIND IN PICCADILLY.

Series of Mysterious Vaults Discovered -Mementos of a Bye-gone Day.

Da London cablegram gays: The excava-tions proceeding in Piccadilly, on the site of the new premises of the Junior Travel-lers' Club, have brought to light many interesting objects. The houses which are built on that portion of the thoroughfar have for their foundations a series of well-formed arches at a depth of about sixteen feet from the surface. In piercing some of these great difficulty was experience of on account of the toughness of the substance of which they are constructed. This having been overcome, a series of subterranean passages apparently conjected were dispassages apparently connected were di-These were full of foul gases and contained a vast quantity of rubbish among which numerous articles of interest have been found. Among the most remarkable are a red granite tomb dated 1509 some bronze armor, several fowling piece richly embossed, a lump and a large quantity of vellum manuscripts. The vaults have been only partly explored and further scoveries are anticipated.

FELL FIVE HUNDRED FEET. Fearful Fate of a Balloonist at a Missouri

County Fair. A Princeton, Mo., telegram says : At the A Princeton, Mo., telegram says: At the Mercer county fair yesterday afternoon, Randall Blakeslee, a half-breed Indian, made a balloon ascension hanging to a trapeze bar. In the ascent the balloon shot up suddenly, giving Blakeslee a wrench, and he was unable to pull himself on the bar, but managed to hold himself up by a loop which he had drawn around his wrist. After travelling about a mile and a half, reaching the altitudes of 2000 feet, the balreaching the altitude of 2,000 feet, the ballson began to descend, but the poor fellow's strength gave out, and when within 500 feet of the earth his grip relaxed and he fell to the earth, lighting on his feet in a counfield. His thighs were broken and 'driven into the trunk of his body.

Rescued by a Brave Woman

A New Haven, Conn., despatch says:
Miss Parkinson, of Philadel hia, who has
been spending the season at Branford
Point, is regarded as a heroine. She saved
the life of W.C. Munson, a New, York broker,
a day or two ago. The broker took Miss
Oliver of New York ant for a sail in a boat. a day or two ago. The broker took Miss Oliver, of New York, out for a sail in a boat He was not very skilful, and his awkward movements caused the boat to upset. Miss Oliver swam ashore. Mr. Munson could Oliver swam ashore. Mr. Munson could not swim, and would have drowned but for the presence of mind of Miss Parkinson, who instantly took a boat, rowed quickly out and assisted the unlucky broker into it just af he was going down for the last time. He was brought ashore, where he soon recovered.

The Escaped Convicts.

A Kingston despatch says: The steam yacht Juna by which the convicts escaped A fingsion despatch says: The steam yacht Juna by which the convicts escaped from the penitentiary, was found by a farmer early yesterday morning nine miles west of Ośwego, sunk near, the shore, with her bow out of water. Deputy Warden Sullivan left for there this morning. Nothing has been heard of the men. A horse procured from a livery-stable keeper in Oswego yesterday morning by a man who answers Schoones' description is missing. The police are on the track. The ing. The police are on the track. The yacht Juna formerly belonged to Mr Allan, of Brockville, son of Sir Hugh Allan and was traded by him for the steam yacht. Nellic, built at the prison by the convicts It is said that there was clothing on th

A Romantic Marriage.

Last week Samuel Mearns, a well-to-do bachelor of St. Joseph, Mo., left Montreal to visit relatives in Kemptyille. There he made the acquaintance of Miss Katie Wilton, a highly desteemed young lady of Brockville, aged 18 years. They met on Friday last, were engaged on Saturday, and the following Monday were quietly married at St. James' Church, in Kemptyille. They have left for a trip to the White Mountains.

A Chicago despatch says : Mrs. McGari-gle, wife of the fugitive warden, left the city last evening on the steamer Muskegon. She had with her the children of the family, and it is supposed they go to join the convicted boodler in Canada.

Everybody found smoking on the streets of Saugutuck, Mich., during the dry spell work that six men struggling for an hou have often failed to accomplish.

Clinton E. Williams was confronted by two wives at a Baltimore police station yesterday, and confesses to having three others. He is a deserter from the army, has been in prison, and is a worthless adventurer generally.

THE DECLINE OF HOOPS.

By the end of 1757 hoops had almost entirely gone out of fashion. In England I find that at the court the wearing of these precursors of crinoline, by ladies attending the Royal drawing room, was compulsory until so recently as 1814, and one of the inducements held out to the Princess Charlotte, a rare tomboy, who hated any restriction on her strong young limbs—to marry the Prince of Orange was that pet-ticoats were no longer worn at court at the Hague. Perfectly plain skirts in all but wedding dresses seemed to have been in wedding dresses seemed to have been in vogue in France in 1787-8, and the comvogue in France in 1787-8, and the comparative exiguity of the gowns led to a corresponding diminution in the quantity of material required. In December, 1787, the Queen had a gown of grand velours noir, and six yards seemed to have been the average of stuff allowed for the skirt of a dress. It must be remembered that velvets and brocades were woven much wider in the last century than is the case at present. There is one entry low. wider in the last century than is the case at present. There is one entry, however, of ten yards of green taffeta for the lining of a gown of green gauze; the taffeta was probably narrower in width than the velvet. The Marquise de Chastelux had only seven yards of white crepe for the petticoat of a grand habit with flounces. The really economical nature of the queen is shown in an invoice for September, 1787, where she is charged trifling sums for shortening the ends of three muslin crayats hortening the ends of three muslin cravats and retrimming them, and for "doing up" an old petticoat of brown poult de soie. In December, 1788, the Princesse de Lamballe paid ready money to the extent of twelve livres for a pair of court cuffs of worsted lace (known in modern times as yak), a pair of sabots and a pair of "barbes" in black worsted. Almost simultaneously a whole bevy of court ladies gave orders for "sabots," "barbes" and cuffs of worsted lace. In January, 1789, the year of the revolution, Mmc. Eloffe furnished the Princess de Solere with a sumptuous court dress of white taffeta trimmed with satin and white jet, with a rich bouquet or spray of roses and sweet peas. The distended dress cost nearly 1,400 livres.—G. A. Sala

DEATH BEFORE DISHONOR. Terrible Leap of a Country Girl in Flying

From a Villain. A Minneapolis Minn., despatch says: The experience of Mary Sylvester, who came to Minneapolis from Page's Hotel at Excelsion seeking employment, confirms the assertion that there are men in this city whose necks that there are men in this city whose necks would look better adorned with hemp than with a white collar and necktie. Miss Sylvester, a pretty country girl of nineteen years, entirely unused to life in the city, arrived in Minneapolis and applied for work at the intelligence office of Lew Murray, No. 517 Hennepin avenue. Murray made her his clerk, took her to the dime inuseum in the evening, and, on pretence of finding her a boarding house, took her into a dive, where he tried to assault her. Recoming desperate, the jumped through an open window thirty five feet to the ground below, breaking her left jaw and all the ribs on her left side. She is also internally injurned and cannot live. also internally injurned and cannot live. Excitement is running very high, and there is serious talk of lynching the cowardly villain.

James Kennedy, of the North American Hotel, Woodstock, Thursday pleaded guilty to a charge of violating the Scott Act and was fined \$50 and costs. Brant County Council refused to pay P. . Grace's salary and he entered suit for

the same. A writ was accordingly issued and served on the Warden. Since then the Council has evidently thought better of the matter, and a few days ago they paid into the court to first matter.

natter, and a few days ago they paid into the court the first quarter's salary, together with the costs of the writ.

The Halton Police Magistrate held a sittings of his court at Georgetown on Monday for the hearing of charges preferred against "Gallagher" for dispensing "long" and "short" at the camp-meeting. "Gallagher," of Acton, was fined \$50 and costs; Wm. Pittman, of the Station Hotel, Georgetown, \$100 and costs, and Elias Clark, of Clark's Hotel, sentenced to two months' imprisoment, being his third months' imprisoment, being his third

At Deseronto on Wednesday John Mc-Keegan was fined \$50 and costs or two months in jail for selling liquor to an Indian. He arrived at the Belleville jail vesterday

A petition signed by 2,800 names, asking for the repeal of the Scott Act, has been posted up in the office of the Sheriff of At Simcoe Thursday the following

At Simcoe Thursday the following persons were fined \$50 and costs each by Magistrate Brown for violation of the Scott Act: R. Stoddard, A. H. Kemp, E. Moore and O. Colver, all of Delhi, and R. Brown, of Waterford.

The Owner Came to the Door.

New Spirit-Who are you? Trumpettoned Angel—I am Fortune. "Fortune oh? On earth I heard that Fortun h? On earth I heard that Formula h? On earth I heard that knocked once at every man's door. I never saw you and I died as poor as a church mouse." "I knocked once at your door, were not at home." "Where was 'At the saloon around the con Well, why didn't you go there and knock?"
I went there." "I did not see you."
'No, but the saloon keeper did."—Omaha

Strange Restoration of Speech. Henry Saunders, of Oak Lake, Manitoba, lost his voice two years ago through ex-posure in the Northwest rebellion, and has

since been completely dumb. The physicians had given up all hopes of his recovery. One morning last week Mrs. Saunders was greatly surprised at her husbands taking part in the conversation as though nothing had occurred. Mr. Saunders was a resident of Winnipeg during the boom. The Government granted him a yearly pension of \$200, which he now prays may be continued. been completely dumb. The phys be continued.

An Embarrassment of Virtues

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A little girl, wishing to make her father a present, was very much at fault to know what to buy for the purpose. After puzzling her brain considerably and getting what suggestions she could from the other members of the family, she finally went to her mother in despar, and said: "Only think, manima, I don't know what to get papa for a Christmas present; he den't smoke, nor drink, nor nothing."—Eastern Arms.

An eccentric friend of a paragrapher of the Boston Post, who has a knack of pick-ing up-stray truths that get under other people's feet, tells him that infants are animals much more mysterious and unimals much more mysterious and "capable" than is generally supposed There is, he declares, a great deal of mag There is, no declares, a great deal of the netism or fascinating power in a baby, t which all dumb creatures are very suspensional dumb creatures are very suspensional with the netition of t tible. He is personally acquainted with one infant in continual use by its male par-ent as a kind of horse tamer. When ever the father desires to catch a particular the father desires to catch a particular Houylinhym which becomes very wij when let loose in the pasture, the baby the carriage is brought out, and his for footed friend comes up, pokes his nose end comes up, pokes his nose i the baby's lap, and is quietly secured. This infant is thus able to do with ease the

Mrs. Ross, daughter of Lady Duff Gor

-The oyster crop promises to be abundant.

MILK, WHEY AND FRUIT JUICE.

Remedies in Vogue at a Favorite Invalid Resort in Austria. Before describing the attractions of Meran as a winter residence, I shall briefly mention the other forms of cure in vogue there. Among them the milk and whey there. Among them the milk and whey cures are pre-eminent. Meran cows' milk is remarkable for its excellence; the whey made from goat's milk here is remarkably rich in sugar. The patient who is under a milk diet gets milk alone, but he gets plenty of it, the dose being nearly a quart every three hours. If after existing on milk for a week the patient longs for something more substantial, he is allowed a roll or two soaked in milk; at the end of a fortinght he is given a little meat, and after might he is given a little meat, and after three weeks' treatment he is either quite re-covered or he ought to be, the fault being his own if the cure is not complete. Milk is obtainable at different times in the year; is obtainable at different times in the year; the period of the whey cure, however, begins in April and ends with May. Whey is drank in the morning and some mineral water is often taken along with it. Those persons whose cases are not adapted for the milk or whey cure may find benefit from koumiss prepared from cows' milk. The dose at the beginning of the treatment is an imperial quart, taken in two portions daily, one in the morning, the other in the daily, one in the morning, the other in the afternoon. The quantity taken is gradually increased till the dose is three imperial quarts. All the forms of cure I have named are not peculiar to Meran, though they are pursued here in a more systematic fashion than in other places. The last I have ashion than in other places. The last I have to mention cannot be had in like per-fection elsewhere. It is a plant juice cure, and is available in the spring only, when certain plants unfold their first green leaves or the slopes of the Alps. The juice is expressed from them and the patient drinks it. It may interest the botanist to learn the names of plants so employed; they are Achillea millefolium, Nasturtium equaticum, Rumex acetosa, Ruta graviolens, Leontodon taraxacum, Urtica dioica and Menyanthes trifoliata. The decoction is green in color and bitter in taste. Cases of indigestion and poverty of blood are said to be benefited by this cure, which is practised from the middle of March to the middle of the color of of the c dle of April -London Times.

WOMEN'S SAVINGS.

High Interest Bail Security-Beware of the Younger Brother.

A writer in Cassell's Magazine treats of an interesting subject interestingly as fol-lows: Experience shows that of the women who do save a large number lose their little stores. This is chiefly by investing ther n concerns which promise large interest t cannot be too often repeated that large terest means risk. No company would go about offering high interest if it could go about offering high interest if it could get the money it needed for less, and there are so many people with money to invest that any safe concern can get as much as it wants at a low rate. Even if the grand promises of bubble companies could be realized your interest would probably be cannot by oppressing or defrauding others. But they seldom or never are realized, and it is a well-known fact that a very large proportion of their viewery large proportion of their viewery large proportion of their viewery large proportion of their viewers. very large proportion of their vic tims are women who, ignorant or business, and weary of the lengthy process of aiding little by little to their savings, hope become rich all at once, and so grasp the shadow to find that they have los substance. Again, do not be too kind to your relations. I do not say that you should be selfish or mean, but only prudent. should be selfish or mean, but only prudent. Before lending money to be used in their business see that the business is a safe one; you may have the fullest confidence in the honest intentions of the borrower, but make sure that his capability is also to be depended on. Many teachers give their savings to help in the education of their brothers. Here, too, charity should be guided by prudence. It is not true kindness to help a stupid boy to a university education; you had much better help him in some other way. It is also bad for him to take your savings without any recompense. In most cases you had better lend then give; the knowledge that he must repay what he now spends out of his future repay what he now spends out of his future earnings will help to keep him from extra

Very nearly a year ago a lady name Mrs. W. C. Lake was killed in an acciden on the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad The sorrowing husband was so deepl sued the company poultice of \$10,000, and there's no tellin but that he might have collected it had no a few facts been brought out in preliminar evidence. It seems that he has served two terms in State prison and has had fou vives. One is in the poorhouse in Winne page County, and the latest he married about ten days ago. He was not married to the one that was killed, but considered her a good enough wife to sue on. Women must be rather plentiful in some parts of Wisconsin. -Buffalo Courier.

A Farmer's Odd Experience

Four weeks ago Farmer C.S. Van Horn of Mill Point, N.Y., went home from the wheat field with a sore throat. The sore ess increased, the throat swelled and noth ng gave relief. Then the soreness disappeared from the inside and a swelling uppeared on the outside of the throat, and inally a few days ago the cause of all this discomfort was apparent when the swelling broke out and from it came a wheat beard an inch long. Van Horne had taken it into his mouth, it had lodged 'in the throat and then worked its way through.

Time Enough.

said the broken-hearted lady her sick husband, "the minister ownstairs; would you like to see him "I think it would be advisable," r ponded John, feebly.

"And John, he may suggest that you

low a chapel, or something of that sort "Don't be alarmed," responded the invalid, reassuringly, "I am not sick enoughor that yet."—Tid-Tits.

A Good Patient.

"Do you still visit old Guskins?" asked was the reply; "he's one of m

But I thought you said he was in

"So he is."

"If that's the case, how can you accept
pay for curing him?" Prince Bismarck, has been writing good advice in an English "Mees's" album The young lady petitioned the prince pathetically for his autograph, declaring that a few lines of his hand-writing would

take her happy for life. So the Chance or wrote on the front page of the book. Beware, my child, of building castles in the air, for they are buildings which we treet so easily, yet they are the most difficult to demolish."

The discovery of some bones in a barn or Mr. Reid's farm, in the Township of Thur-low, which was burned on Monday, leads to he supposition that the fire was started b a tramp who perished in the flames.

Lime is said to be a good preserver timber. Ships and barges used for the transportation of lime last longer than others. A small coasting schooner laden vith lime was cast ashore and sunk. She with time was cast alloat once more, and remained sound for thirty years. Again, a platform of pine planks was used to mix-lime on during three generations; then, being no longer required, was neglected, and at length hidden by grass that grew over it. Sixty years afterward, on clearing the ground it was discovered counders. und, it was discovered sound and well preserved.

MARK TWAIN'S COURTSHIP.

A List of Liars Furnished to His Prospective Father-in-Law. ive Father-in-Law.

Mark Twain has been the subject of many good stories in his time, and the appended one from the Indianapolis Journal, about a trying moment in his courtship, is worth

a trying moment in his courtship, is worth reproducing:
As everyone knows, Mr. Clemens first met his beautiful wife while on the famous voyage of the Quaker City, and he pursued his acquaintance after their return so closely that at last the young lady's papa one day called the ardent and devoted Mark into his private study and said, after some preamble: "Mr. Clemens, I have something to say to you which bears upon a subject of grave importance, at least to meand mine. You have been coming here for some time, and your manners leave no doubt in my mind as to your object. Now, my daughter's welfare is very dear to me, my daughter's welfare is very dear to me, and before I can-admit you to her society on the footing of a suitor to her hand I would like to know something more than I do about you, your antecedents, etc. Stop a minute! You must remember that a man a minute! You must remember that a man must be a 'good fellow' and a pleasant companion on a voyage and all that, but when it is a question as grave as this a wise father tries to take every precaution before allowing his daughter's affections to become engaged, and I ask of you, as a gentleman, that you shall give me the names of some of your friends in California to whom I may write and make such inquiries as I deem necessary. that is, if you still desire leem necessary, that is, if you still desire our friendship." It was now Mark Twain's turn. "Sir," said he, bowing profoundly, as became a young man who respects his hoped-for father-in-law, "your sentiments are in every way correct. I approve of them myself, and hasten to add that you have not been mistaken in my sentiments. have not been mistaken in my sentiments toward your daughter, whom I may tell you candidly seems to me to be the most perfect of her sex, and I honor your soliciperfect of her sex, and I honor your solicitude for her welfare. I am not only perfectly willing to give you references, but am only too glad to have an opportunity to do so, which my natural modesty would have prevented me from offering. Therefore permit me to give you the mames of a few of my friends. I will write them down. First is Lieut. General John McComb, Alexander Badlam, General Lander and lexander Badlam, General Lander and Colonel W. H. L. Barnes. They will all lie for me just as I would for them under like circumstances." This conclusion broke the old man all up, and he never

asked more references nor wrote to those gentlemen. w.

Gounod's Newest Mass. (Paris Letter to the London Telegraph.) Gounod's new mass, composed in hono of Joan of Arc and named after her, was performed for the first time yesterday in the historic Cathedral of Rheims. The work, which had been carefully rehearsed under the baton of the composer, was list-ened to by about six thousand persons, and, heard within the vast and venerable pile, it had a telling effect. It was first suggested M. Gounod by Cardinal Lavigerie, who vanted it for the festival of Pope Urban II., of Crusade memory, but the composer found that he was more inspired by the history of the peasant girl of Domremy than by that of the Pontiff. The mass is accompanied principally by the organ, with the aid of trumpets and trombones in the prelude and of harps in the Benedictus. In some parts the voices are heard with out accompaniment, and the work is mainly distinguished by its simplicity and severity, the florid effects of what are called "dramatized masses," or those with orchestra and choirs, being avoided as nuch as possible. M. Gcunod has followed he simple plain chant Palestrina school There are several soli, but no preponder ance of any particular voice or instrument, the whole of the music being written with an eye to the general ensemble, of a strictly and severely religious character, harmon being in every instance combined with sim-plicity. In the prelude the organ alternates with the trumpets and trombones; the oprano voices take up, the Kyrie, and the ullest treatment is given to the In Terra Pax, which abounds in mclodious motives, the character of simplicity being, however, well maintained. The sanctus is short, and, like the Agnus Dei, for the choir only. The mass, although it will, no doubt, b used in many foreign and Provincial churches, will hardly be popular, except, perhaps, as a temporary curiosity in Royis, where florid church music is preferred.

Latest from the Northwest. Mr. Winchester, who is going as

resbyterian missionary to China, has een married at Brandon to a daughter of Rev. Mr. Douglas. Interviews are published here with a arge number of prominent citizens on the accusation made by Manager Van Horne, that annexation sentiment promitted the present agitation in this Province. The usinuation is indignantly repudiated, and tis pointed out that no Province has been nore loyal to Confederation and British onnection than Manitoba But if thing is calculated to upset this feeling it is the line of action now being pursued by the Dominion Government and the insults of Mr. Van Horne.

The son of Chief Factor Belanger wa drowned at Cumberland House by falling off the Northcote into the river.

An Indian eye-doctor named Meerkham

has been fined for practising without a license. Some marvellous cures are attri Mr. Walter Lee, General Manager of the Western Canada Loan Company, is visit-ing this country, and says loan companies will not hesitate to invest any funds re-quired for Manitoba.

The customs duty collected at Winnipeg in August was \$46,778, against \$55,136 for

in Augus was 340,476, against 530,130 for the corresponding month last year.

A young man named Bryans was arrested to day for wholesale pilfering at the city post-office. His method was to open letter boxes from the outside and abstract those containing presentations.

containing money.

Hon, Thos. White, Minister of Interior, with his wife and daughter, have arrived at Swift Current from Battleford and will to next to Regina.

An Interesting Family.

A very remarkable group was yesterday photographed at Thomos Cook's gallery, Queen street. It consisted of six brothers, whose united ages amounted to 465 years, or an average of 77½ years each, as follows:

They are all hale and hearty and are fi pecimens of ripened manhood. With the exception of the two younger they can all ead without spectacles. They are all members of the Church of Christ on this island, Charles and John being elders .- Charlotte

Nine is an Underestimate. We feel outraged. Day after day we have been faithfully chronicling the death of the oldest Mason. He is not only not dead, but there are nine of him.—Macon Tele-

King Pomare of the Society islands is suing for a divorce from his wife, Queen Johannah. She accuses him of intoxication and he accuses her of infidelity. She is old 15 years old.

M. Naquet, who was arrested for seizing

his opponent's sword in a recent duel and then wounding him, has finally been condemned to two months' imprisonment and a fine of 150 francs, with an additional sentence of paying I franc damages to his antagonist. The court could not legally condemn him as a duelist, and the charge on which he was tried and convicted was assault and battery.

CURRENT TOPICS.

One of the new English peers is 83 years years old. He used to be a very active business man, but, of course, wasn't eligible until he got over that.

AT Bennington Center, Vt., will pre AT Bennington Center, Vt., will presently be seen a monument with this inscription: "On this spot William Lloyd Garrison edited the Journal of the Times, October 3rd, 1828—March 27th, 1830. Hither came Benjamin Lundy to enlist him in the cause of the slave. Garrison departed hence to lift up in Baltimore the banner of immediate emangination." anner of immediate emancipation."

A POPULAR fallacy, according to A. W. Hare, of the Royal Society of Edinburgh, is the belief that the water from a rushing to rent is safer for drinking purposes than water, from a sluggish stream, for the reverse is really the fact. Sewage-conaminated water contains fewer organisms after ten or twelve days than river water, for the reason that the microbes' rapid growth during the first two or three days exhausts their food supply.

About a year age a young man named Saunders, living in Huntingdon, Eng., stabbed his sweetheart in the chest with a stabbed his sweetheart in the chest with a sword cane. The girl apparently recovered, but she has always insisted that a piece of the weapon must have broken off and remained in the wound. Professor Humphrey, of Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge, has just succeeded in extracting from the girl's body a piece of the blade more than six inches long. It was taken out from her back, broken end first, showing that it had turned completely around ng that it had turned completely around ince she was stabbed. On the day of the visit of the London

letropolitan Board of Works to the Fire Department headquarters, Captain Shaw complained that he had too few horses for his engine. Just then an alarm called the department to a large fire in Southwark. "Now, gentlemen," said he, "how can I send another engine?" At that moment another the services of the services are the services and the services are the services are the services and the services are send another engine?" At that moments another alarm rang for a fire in Fore street, and as there were no horses to drag the spare engines the flames had no hindrance. It was an illustration worth a hun dred arguments, and Captain shaw will get his horses.

BRIQUETTES, or fuel bricks from coal dust, BRIQUETTES, or fuel bricks from coal dust, are growing in favor and demand in Europe. Scotland has at last fallen into the ranks of briquette making nations. One of the largest coal mining and pig iron making firms there is now erecting a plant with a capacity of 200 tons per day. In France and other continental nations the business is large and gravity. business is large and growing. Jules Chag-otolia, of France, and Carlo Raggio, of Italy, have each increased their plants by one new one annually for the last six years, till now they have a yearly capacity of nearly 350,000 tons each. Other firms have also gone into the business largely. The business is likely to get a start in this coun-

try soon, where, as coal dust costs nothing, the profits would be large. Dr. A. B. Griffiths has demonstrated that iron sulphate, or copperas, acts upon the cellulose of the microscopic fungi which prey upon plants, but does not effect that of the higher plants themselves. It is therefore a remedy for the most virulent epidemics which attack field and garden crops and destroys such parasite germs and fungi as the potato disease, wheat mildew, etc. In one English district this year's crop of winter beans has failed on account of a growth of fungus on the roots of the plants, a disease which a timely application of iron sulphate would have curied. It is also said to be an efficient remedy for poison by ivy; Dissolve a tablespoonful of copperas in two-thirds of a teacup of boiling water, and when cold apply with a cloth to the poisoned places.

Dr. Blache states, in the Bulletin de Dr. A. B. GRIFFITHS has demonstrated DR. BLACHE states, in the Bulletin de

Therapeutique, that a refiner of petroleum having been prohibited by a prefect the distribution of petroleum in medicinal doses, the fact led to an inquiry being made as to the fact led to an inquiry being made as to its utility in affections of the chest—the native petroleum from Pennsylvania and Virginia being that first experimented with. Ir. Blache states, as the result, that in chronic bronchitis, with abundant expectoration, it rapidly diminishes the amount of the secretion with the secretion. toration, it rapidly diminishes the amount of the secretion and the paroxysms of cougling, and in simple bronchitis rapid amelioration has been obtained; its employment in phthisis has been continued for too short a time, as yet, to allow of any opinion being delivered as to its efficacy, beyond the fact that it diminishes expectoration, which also loses its purulent character. The petroleum is popularly taken in doses of a teaspoonful before each meal, and, after the first day, any nausea which it may excite in some persons disap-

which it may excite in some persons disappears.

They Didn't Take to Vaccination. Two of the intermediate passengers of the Sarmatian refused to be vaccinated on their arrival at Rimouski on Sunday. As a result they were told that they must either submit to the operation or go into quarantine at Grosse Isle. They then consented to be vaccinated, threatening that they would bring an action for damages against the Canadian Government. There a little lesson in this incident. It is that anti-vaccinationists should travel first-class

A Cow's Long Fast.

The Grimsby Independent says: A valuable cow belonging to Mrs. Lally, lost on Sunday, Aug. 20th, and which was supposed Sunday, Aug. 20th, and which was supposed to have been stolen, was found on Monday, 29th, by Mr. Andrew Allan, lying in a sink hole in one of his fields. The sink hole, which was about ten feet in diameter and six deep, was covered with brush, and it is supposed the cow fell in while trying to pass over the brush. Strange to say the cow was not injured in any way, and beyond being very weak and emaciated seemed none the worse for her enforced and long the company of one the worse for her enforced and long fast of eight days.

She Was Very Much Engaged.

Since the first issue of my journal sixty our offers of marriage have been made to by parties I never saw. From such list I could undoubtedly select a curiosity worthy of mummifying. But the plain, naked truth is that a few years since I actually met a crank face to face who had the courage to vocalize his offering. I at first positively refused, directly relented, first positively refused, directly relented, shortly acquiesced. The fact is, I am married and have three youthful daughter and husband.—Lady Editor of Douglassville Ga.) Industrial.

A Mother's Devotion.

An Onna, Ill., despatch says: Mrs. Hawkins, wife of a section foreman on the Mobile & Ohio Railway near Kaolin, jumped from the station platform in front of a train, yesterday, to save the life of he infant son who had strayed upon the road-bed. She was struck by the locomotive and her skull was fractured. She may possibly recover. The child got off the track itself just in time to escape injury.

"Passing Strange." City Boarder (to farmer)—This milk seems pretty poor. Farmer—The pastur ain't what it ought to be. City Boarder— And yet I saw lots of milkweed in the fields this morning.

The Parisians have at last awakened to the great impoliteness of all Parisian offi-

Salmon are becoming very scarce in the upper Rhine. Though vast numbers of the fish go down the river to the sea, only a small portion ever return again, for the Dutch fishermen intercept the salmon on their way back by a most ingenious and complete system of nets. Lately the Dutch caught over twelve thousand salmon in a week, so that the German and Swiss fishermen higher up the river complain

WHAT FATE DID.

"There is no doubt, Ethel, but that Dr "There is no doubt, Ethel, but that Dr. Laramie is taken with you. I need not add that I hope you will encourage him. He is very rich and of good family, and I am sure any girl might be proud of such a husband."

"Well, first the man must offer and then must like him, and as far neither thing

I must like him, and so far neither thing has happened."

"Well, as you are invited to the dinner new to the large size of the large size

"Well, as you are invited to the dinner party at the Laramies' the first thing you mention may soon occur. You can wear your amber silk and some jacqueminot roses. I'll stop for you. You must wear gloves day and night until the event, for there is nothing so taking, as white hands. The colonel says mine are lovely. Now, what are you laughing about?"

"For joy, auntie," said Ethel. "I'm so glad to be married off, you knew. But, really, I can't make myself helpless for three days and nights for the sake of white hands. If I go to bed in greased gloves I

three days and nights for the sake of white hands. If I go to bed in greased gloves I shan't sleep, and if I do nothing all day I shall lose my mind."

"Then you can wear mitts, which you need not remove at the table," said the aunt. "It is the style, but I don't like it."

Ethel was dressing for the party in her room and was all ready save for the roses, when an awful sound was heard through the house, evidently some one tumbling the house, evidently some one tumbling downstairs.

Into the hall all rushed. It was cook, who had gone up to her room in a flapping pair of loose old shoes and had slipped on the polished stairs. Her ankle was sprained, the polished stairs. Her ankle was sprained, and when laid upon a lounge she uttered awful moans and sighs, until Ethel, arriving with a bottle of liniment and a towel pinned about her waist, assuaged the

anguish.
"Ethel," cried her aunt, "you'll spoil your clothes and your nails."

But Ethel never heeded. She ministered to cook, who gradually grew black and blue all over, until at last that happened which Aunt Fleming had prophesied.

Over went the bottle, and down the side breadth of the amber silk poured a greasy

flood of most unpleasant odor.

"I told you so! It is done for! What will you do?" cried Aunt Fleming. "How you look! and, oh! how you smell! I could baste black lace over it in what do-you call-lems; but the smell! And your hair is all mocked!" ood of most unpleasant odor.

hair is all crooked."

"Oh, go on applyin' of it. It don't hart when you apply it," moaned the cook, with the utter selfishness of a suffering person.
"Dut more on. There's a deary; do!" Put more on. There's a deary; do!"

Ethel put "more on" both her patient

nd her gown.

Mrs. Fleming began to cry.

"Don't do that," said Ethel, warningly. "Don't do that," said Etnei, warningly.
"The colonel won't praise your eyes if you do; and go to the dinner and say anything you like in the way of excuse for me. I do smell dreadfully of liniment. Perhaps the truth would be best; no one could eat near

me."

"More, deary—on my back," said the cook; jest below the shoulder blade."

"The colonel, mum," said Maria, the maid, looking in at the door, "and would I remind you it's getting late?"

"Go, auntie," said Ethel.

Mrs. Fleming lifted hands and eyes to heaven, but remarked:

"If you are not going I might as well take your Marechal Niel roses, with black velvet. I might mix them with the jacques, and you can't have too many flowers this winter."

The carriage rolled away; they are gone.

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The carriage rolled away; they are gone.
At the hour when fashionable dinnergoers return home Mrs. Fleming reappeared.
She looked very much as though the colonel
had been saving saving this interest. had been saying sweet things to her, and she was very amiable.

she was very amiable:
"I am sorry for you, dear," she said to
Ethel, "but I think the cleaners can take
the spots out; or, when it doesn't smell so,
black lace or a new side breadth might be
bought. Where is cook?" "In bed, asleep," said Ethel, looking very bright and sweet. "And the doctor has put her to sleep with some little pills, and—"

and—"
"I never thought that peach colored wrapper so becoming," said Mrs. Fleming.
"Or have you grown prettier? Was the liniment the clixir, of youth? Oh, the doctor! What doctor did you send for?"
"I didn't send. He came of his own accord. I thought you had sent him," said Ethel.

said Ethel. "No, I had not time," said Mrs. Flem-"No. I had not time," said Mrs. Fleming. By the way, you didn't lose much of Dr. Laramie's cociety. He went out—called away, his mother said. So—well—you laugh so at nothing. I told him you were ministering to an aged and faithful servant. We have had a cook a year and I think she's honget. Wall?"

think she's honest. Well?' "I hadn't quite finished, auntie," said Ethel. "The doctor was Dr. Laramie. He said he had heard how I was detained."

Yes?" cried Mrs. Fleming, breath-sly. "Why, what is that on your finger "It is Dr. Laramie's ring," said Ethel. We are engaged. He loves me, auntie, and as soon as he told me so I knew that

"Of all the artful creatures!" cried Mrs "But you have done it and I ent." Fate did it," said Ethel. But this her

aunt has never been quite brought to be Is This What Ails You?

Do you have dull, heavy headaches, obstruction of the nasal passages, discharges falling from the head into the throat, sometimes profuse, watery and acrid, at others thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody and putrid; eyes weak, watery and inflamed; ringing in the ears, deafness, back ing or coughing to clear the throat, expec-toration of offensive matter, together with scalb from ulcers; voice changed and nasal twang; breath offensive; smell and taste impaired : is there a sensation of dizzines with mental depression, a hacking cough and general debility? If you have all, or any considerable number of these symp-toms, you are suffering from Nasal Catarra. The more complicated your disease has become, the greater the number and diversity of symptoms. Thousands of cases annually, without manifesting half of the above symptoms, result in consumption and end in the grave. No disease is tion and end in the grave. No agease is so common, more deceptive and dangerous or less understood, or more unsuccessfull treated by physicians. The manufacturer of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy offer, is good faith, a reward of \$500 for a case o this disease which they cannot cure. The Remedy is sold by druggists at only 50 cts

A grizzly bear weighing 1,400 pounds was killed near Baker City, Oregon, a few days ago.

Thief Arrested

The news was received with the utmost satisfaction by the community that he had terrorized; but the arrest of a disease that is stealing away a loved and valued life is an achievement that should inspire heart an achievement that should inspire heartfelt gratitude. Chilliness, cold extremities
with pale, wan features, are the results of
disordered kidneys and liver. Arrest the
cause at once by taking Dr. Pierce's Golden
Medical Discovery. It is a purely vegetable
detective that will ferret out and capture
the most subtle lung or blood disorder.
Druggists. Druggists. . .

The use of the word "butterine" has een legally forbidden in Europe. It must be called "margarine."

The Wimbledon rifle range will soon taken away. It is almost a part of Londor and the houses are so thick that it is very dangerous to the neighboring inhabitants The biggest wedding in sight in Europe is that of Helen Betty de Rothschild with Baron Gustavus Van de Haar. The lady has a snug fortune of \$30,000,000.

What 10 C A 10 cent bottle of Polson's Nerviline will cure neuralgia or headache. A 10 cent bottle of Nerviline will cure toothache. A 10 cent sample bottle of Nerviline is sufficient to cure colds, diarrhea, spasms, dysentery, etc. Nerviline is just the thing to cure all pains, whether internal or external. Buy a 10 cent sample bottle of Nerviline, the great pain cure. Safe, prompt, and always effectual. Large botany drug store, only 25 cents.

Though detested by the gardener, the vine of the wild cucumber is a great beautifier of the landscape, says the Kingston Freeman. It has a handsome leaf, and its Freeman. It has a handsome leaf, and its very exuberance of growth makes it the more valuable. Wherever there is an unsightly spot, plant the wild cucumber, and in an almost incredibly short space of time the place will be covered, with a rich mantle of green that will charm the eye and completely hide the ugly object from view.

When fragile we man sight, deploring
The charms that quickly fade away,
What power, the bloom of health restoring,
Can check the progress of decay?
The only aid that's worth attention,
For pains and ills of such description,
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When you sneeze—as now you are beginning to do—it will be well to know what you are doing. According to the latest scientific authority, a sneeze is but "an affection of the state of the affection of the respiratory nervous centre, the afferent impulse of which is conveyed by the trigeminal nerve fibres."

Adrian, Mich., is threatened with union of fifty brass band players, and the people pause with their moval les balf-packed to see if the fellows are going to bring their horns.

Matthew Arnold is writing autobiographical reminiscences, many of great interest, relating to his father, the Master of Rugby.



Do you feel dull, languid, low-spirited, life-less, and indescribably miserable, both physically and mentally; experience a sense of fullness or bleating after eating, or of "gone-ness," or emptiness of stomach in the morning, toigue coated, bitter or bad taste in mouth, fire coated, bitter or bad taste in mouth, fire coated, bitter or bad taste in mouth, fire experience, dizziness, frequent headachles, blurred eyesight, "floating specks" before the eyes, nervous prostration or exhaustion, irritability of temper, hot flushes, alternating with chilly sensations, sharp, bitting transient pains here and there, cold feet, drowsiness after meals, wakefulness, or disturbed and unrefreshing sleep, constant, indescribable feeling of dread, or of impending calamity?

indescribable feeling of dread, or of impending calamity?

If you have all, or any considerable number of these symptoms, you are suffering from that most common of American maladies—Bilious Dyspepsia, or Torpid Liver, associated with Dyspepsia, or Indigestion. The more complicated your disease has become, the greater the number and diversity of symptoms. No matter what stage it has reached. toms. No matter what stage it has Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Di pr. Pierce's Golden Redical Discovery will subdue it, it takes according to directions for a reasonable for time. If not cured, complications multiply and consumption of the Lungs, Skin Discover, centr Discass, Rheumalism, Kidney Discasse, I centr Discasse, Rheumalism, Kidney Discasse, it is not become or later, induce a fatal termination or later, induce a fatal termination of the Covery acts powerfully upon the Lucy, and through that great blood-purifying origin, cleanses the system of air blood-daints and impurities, from wherever cause arising. If is equally efficacions in neiting more than the sequence of the country of the

purities, from wherever cause arising. It'is equally efficacions in acting upon the Kidneys, and other everetory organs, cleansing, strengthening, and healing their diseases. As an appetizing, restorative tonic, it promotes digestion and nutrition, thereby building up both flesh and strength. In malarial districts, this wonderful medicine has galace great celebrity in curing Feyer and Ague, Chills and Feyer, Dumb Ague, and kindred disease.

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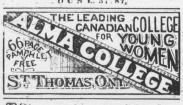
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LOCAL AND OTHER NOTES. From the Pencil of our Own News Gatherer.

Mrs. J. Percival, of Utica, N. Y., is visiting relatives here.

Duck hunting is said to be very good on the upper Delta Lake.

Mrs. F. Clow left on Monday last for a visit to friends in Brockville.

Mr. John C. Davis, of Easton's

FOR SALE — Mare—eight years old—oadster; also Top Buggy and Harness, in good cpair. All can be bought for \$150. Apply to \$5.51. ing—his last sermon before his de- is recovering.

parture west. It is said on good authority that Mr. S. Kendrick, of New Dublin, has the province.

It having been rumored that Mrs. It having been runored that bits.

Ithamer Knapp, of Plum Hollow, had contracted typhoid fever, we are requested to state that such is not the quested to state that such is not the

At a meeting of the Brockville town of his better-half. council, on the 7th inst., the Brockville and Westport Railway applied for certain lots in the town required by the Company. The Council agreed this morning. Two Irish Creek men to sell at the price suggested by Mr.

law of 1741 prohibits the kissing of allowed to do so at four o'clock in the their wives on Sundays under penalty morning, of fine and imprisonment. Few married men are guilty of the offence. lifterent," but just now there is noth-

tention to the act. be a screw loose somewhere.

Y., paid a visit to his nephews in Far- their work must be easy.

the old Tallman farm near Jasper, is a Packing about 250 lbs in a bex, he put For furgreat loser. The fire destroyed his them on the stage, but when he got Principal. great loser. The fire destroyed his them on the stage, but when he go house, barn, out-buildings and fences, home later no trace of the box was

at an afternoon appointment in a rural the second part had hard work to find district. At the close of the service, he was approached by a stalwart Vul. canite, who said "That was a good sermon you gave us, and as I don't want to take something for nothing, here's fifty cents." On sober second thought, he may repent of his generosity, but as it stands the act is

evening, surrounded by a few congen-ial spirits, he recounted his exploits by field and forest, river and lake, and begat within his hearers a desire to go forth and "slay the wild goose flying after only four days' courtship, were

the people's ways. They need mending. Walking our sidewalks in the dark of the moon is enough to make a man victions. On Saturday, a rotten than victors. On Saturday, a rotten than the control of the c plank on Victoria street proved fatal to the wardrobe and composite of a lady unacquainted with the topography of our walks, and almost every day there is some slight accident. But that mathematical that mathematical accident is subject being "Is Liquor selling a Crime?" Rev. Geo. Rogers presided,

Alease of considerable interest to larmers is set down for hearing at the ease is brought by a farmer in the ease is brought by a farmer in the Township of Clease for, named Thos.

Freen, against his neighbor, William and this will doubtless in a measure specific and the ease is brought by a farmer in the Science, against his neighbor, William and this will doubtless in a measure 101. Smith, figures the heighbor, Whitam and this win denotes in a measure Smith, figures denotes, and a loy a account for the lecture not being so fire, which we be lighted by the defendant amagnificent, as was expected. It for the purpose of clearing and which, it is alleged, was a comminated to the plaintif's properly through careless neks, destroying almost his entire 'rop.
The defendant claim that by last the right sto kindle tires upon his own property for the open of the principle of the statement of fact, and the placed the terrible curse of intemperance in a clear, strong high twhere its evil effects and consequences could be right stocking a short time to showing property for the open of the principle. property for the purpose of charing that the question asked in the subject the land and maintains that he is not of his lecture should be answered in The land and maintains, that he is not responsible for the fire communicating of his lecture should be answered in the affirmative Mr. Cook interested and the latter instructed his large problems with a conducted on both sides by the reminiscences of his possonal, experisonal experisons of his possonal experisons of the case have a fire taken in the issue of the case by the farming leaves are the issue of the case by the farming large experisons of the case by the farming large experisons. The passes a fire taken in the issue of the case by the farming large experisons of the case by the farming large experisons. The passes a fire the farming large experisons of the case by the farming large experisons of the case by the farming large experisons. The passes are large experisons of the case by the farming large experisons as the subject of the subject experisons to the case of the case by the farming large experisons. The passes are large experisons as the subject of the subject experisons to the case of the cas ably impressed it is being

Remember, the REPORTER from now Send in your quarter.

in Brockville on Sunday.

Rev. L. A. Betts, a former pastor on this circuit, now stationed at Napnee, is in town visiting friends. The Sunday School Convention in connection with the Brockville Presbytery takes place to-morrow at Kempt-

Mr. P. Graves Demming, of Gan-

Next week a cut of the Wm. Parish erring rifle. Mrs. Richards, of Frankville, and block will appear in the Reporter, Dr. Stone, of New York State, are and the following week the new shop "The business of the corporation produce taken in exchange."

Duff, Carleton Place, stumbled while Gananoque and stipulating that the

The Baptist congregation here have L. J. Cornwell as superintendent. one of the largest and best apiaries in The school has been inaugurated with gratifying success.

A man named Grenizen, of Ganancase. Mrs. Knapp is simply suffering pressure, the deserter promised to contribute \$2 weekly towards the support nuable to say."

The Recorder of Wednesday last says :- Police Magistrate Judd en joyed a somewhat novel experience charged with violating the Scott Act, came into town on the night train and Married men are warned that the wishing to confess judgment, were

but it won't do any harm to call at- ing absolutely certain about our rail-We have received many complaints about the non-delivery of Keronters during the past month or two. We are careful to see that papers are are careful to see that papers are in holding the road, their base of oppromptly and properly mailed to subscribers every week. There seems to Hitherto, the road has evinced so Mr. John Lamb, of Breckpert, N. little disposition to go, that we think

mersville last week. Though 83 years A number of North Hastings chees of age, Mr. Lamb walks with the elasticity of youth. The fact that he its forwatering their milk. One of has never used tobacco or intoxicants; the delinquents was very skilful in silver determined at \$100, was offered for the best shipping cheese. It was awarded to the Frantier factory, near Morristown, which is under the management of Mr. James Sheldon, brother of the Rev. S. Sheldon of this town.

Bush fires are range in the point. may account for his hearty appearance; evading detection, but he was finally

Bush fires are rating in the neighborhood of Easter's Corners and Cranberry Luke. Immense damage is being done. Mr. King, residing on port, and made a fine heal of fish the old Tallipan firm near Japan is a Packing about 250 lbs in a lay be put. together with, this season's erops, including forty tons of hay.

One of our local clergymen had a novel, profitable and pleasing experience on Sunday last, while officiating the second part had hard work to find

osity, but as it stands the act is most Last week's Carleton Place Heral A mighty hunter from the Low-making, the result of "love at first or Delta Lake honored this town with his presence on Eriday last. In the his presence on Friday last. In the evening, surrounded by a few congenity visiting there met a fine looking forth and "slay the wild goose flying southward, on the wing, the clamorous wa-wa." The desire is likely to be gratified about the end of the month, when the Delta ducks will have to jump creeked to escape the comprehensive, hap-hazard aim of the Farmersville sports.

Rev. Brown, of Brockville, in his speech on Tue day evening, recommended that the town fathers of menday and married on the following Monday. On the afterneon of the wedding they paid a short visit to wilding they paid a short visit to

day there is some signification. Due trime? Key. Geo. Rogers presided, we suppose that nothing but a suit for damages will secure the desired fined his position in relation to temper-timed his position

The Judge gives the following defiantil January, 1st, 1888, for 25 cents. nition, and we hasten to repeat it for end in your quarter.

The Rev. T. C. Brown preached "When a young man sits in the parlor

evenings after they're married that's labor.

Mr. Wm. Riley, of Toledo, while out hunting a few days ago, was attacked by a very large and ferocious wolverine. There was an exciting time for a few minutes, but no damage was inflicted upon man or animal. anoque, was in town last week for the from friend Billy's well known process although one would expect to hear, first time in ten years. Of course, he in the hunting field, that the wolverine succumbed to our hero's un-

The model term opened to-day, and we expect that control of the corporation came to a standstill on Tucsday evening at the regular meeting of the vill-Corners, was injured recently in a and we expect that, as usual, our runaway accident. He is recovering town will be invaded by a host of youths and maidens fair to look upon.

FOR SALE Marge cight years old—
youths and maidens fair to look upon. A mare belonging to Mr. W. H. ing to the working of the Scott Act in The Rev. S. Sheldon will preach in the Baptist Church next Sunday evensix inches from the tip. The animal of the expenses for the enforcement six inches from the tip.

Duff, Carleton Place, stumbled while decorporation would guarantee all reasonable expenses for the enforcement of the set. The Reeve Mr McIntyre of the act. The Reeve, Mr. McIntyre, was not present at that meeting, and organized a Sunday School, with Mr. when a motion was made on Tuesday evening to confirm the minutes of the previous meeting, Mr. McIntyre refused

Mr. Win. Cassidy, who formerly taught school here, won Mr. S. H. Blake's prize of \$20 for an essay on the effects of sloohol when taken into the effects of sloohol when o put the motion, giving as a reason would not allow the minutes as they as nothing could be done without the confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting. There was a good deal of cross firing at the meeting, but no satisfactory settlement was arrived

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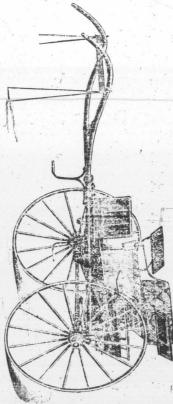
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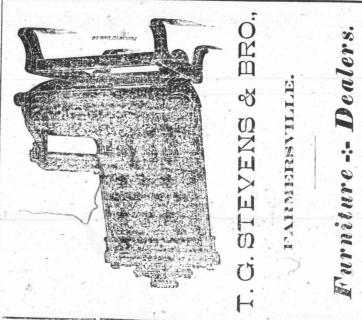
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