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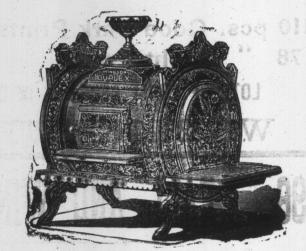
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Poetry.

The Singing Shepherd. The shepherd climbed the hill through dark

and light,
And on and on he went,
Higher and higher still,
Seeking a pasture hidden in the height.
He followed by the rill,
He followed past the rocks,
And as he went, singing, he shepherded flocks. low wide those upland pastures none

knew;
But over the wild hills
A stretch of watered grass,
reading, though half hidden from view, Invites all that may pass. He sees the weary way, Yet while the shepherd sings, how brief the toilsome day.

tand thou with me and watch his He stays not for the drought, Nor lingers in the shade, where the clover and the stream

meet;
There, quiet, unafraid,
The tender lambs may feed; While the calm noon gives rest to those who

Again I see his figure cut the sky,

Then sink, and reappear
Upon a lofter plain,

Where far beneath his feet the eagles cry.

I cannot hear his strain,
But in a moving drift,

I see the snow-white sheep follow the mus

The climbing shepherd long ago has passe
Yet in the morning air,
For those who listen well,
His song still lingers where his feet ma And where his music fell
The happy shepherds know
His song allures them yet beyond the field
of snow.

O climbing shepherd! I would follow th Over the dizzy heights, Beyond the lonely pass Thy piping leads; the path I always see! I see thee not, alas!
Because of death's rude shock,
Yet thou, dear loving shepherd, still
shepherding thy flock.

Select Titerature.

A Summer's Vacation.

BY L. ROBBINS. Miss Josephine Packard and Miss Albert Hathaway were resting from their arduous studies at the Normal School, under the great elms on the grassy slope in front of the Packard farmhouse, the one, half reclining and slowly swinging in a hammock, an close beside her in a garden chair the other, eading aloud from the latest crase in novels, sing now and then to discuss what had een read, or from pure enjoyment of the pleasant landscape, the fragrant air and the

upon, with fair hair, blue eyes, a supple form and a dainty gown. Alberta, her friend, a year older, large, dark, dignified, stylish, was also good to look upon. Both were in the enjoyment of perfect health, and each prided herself on her muscular developnent and powers of physical enduranceand intelligence.

In the farmhouse, in the kitchen, with a

very hot stove for company, was Josephine's mother, ironing a much beruffled white musn dress belonging to the aforesaid Jose

She was a plump, busy, cheerful little woman, whose greatest happiness in life was to have other people "take comfort." She had two ideals of comfort; the one for her own exclusive use, the other for the rest of the world.

The first was work; she believed, or pretended, or imagined that only in keeping everlastingly at it could she be happy. Her deal for everybody else was idleness. no! I don't need any help," she would say when anyone offered a helping hand. "Go and sit down and take comfort," and she was so emphatic in her protest that the would be helper generally went and sat down, even if he or she didn't obey the other admonition.

almost universal acquiescence, and as Mrs. Packard, having finished the muslin, began nrolling a pink cambric morning gown with a cascade of lace up and down the front and around the neck, this exception appeared in the doorway, and resting his hands high up on either side of the door, looked into the kitchen-a well built young man with a frank, pleasant face.
"Well, Aunt Elizabeth, you look as

though you were about done up. Here, let me try it-I've got ten minutes while the rses are resting. Go and sit by the win-

Mrs. Packard protested, but her nephew's will was much the stronger and he had his way. She drew a long breath as she sank into the rocking chair he placed for her, and admitted that it seemed good to sit down. The young man handled the irons with remarkable deftness, and the horses rested till the pink gown, lace and all, had received

meanwhile remonstrating with his aunt in a half joking, half vexed way, for doing the work of "those two lazy, good-for-nothing "They are much better able to do it than you are, and I have half a mind to go and

tell them so-when I get Miss Alberta's dress ironed," he ended, laughing. "Oh, well, they're young," said his aunt, indulgently. "Do let them take comfort while they can. Hard work will come to them soon enough."
"I wish it would come right now," said

Sam, as he went out of the door. "They deserve a good shaking, and I'd like to be Mrs. Packard took from the basket ched white skirt, embellished with tucks

the window.
"It's 'Sigh Willetts, coming back

and Hamburg galore, and went to work with new energy after her brief respite. She glanced at the clock. "A quarter of four," she murmured. "I guess I can get it all done to-day. Let's see—four more of these skirts, two shirt waists and that fancy waist, and Sam's bosom shirt? He told me it's little enough he'll let me do for him." Just as she finished the shirt, she heard the sound of wheels, and as it is a moral impossibility for a person in the country to let this sound pass unnoticed, she hastened to

"We will have string beans and squash and potatoes for dinner," she said, and they went and picked the beans and squash and the Center. Why, he's stopping—"
Mr. Willetts alighted and came up the alope with an envelope in his hand, which he gave to Josephine, and Mrs. Packard, hearing the word "telegram," hurried to the door.

Josephine looked over her shoulder as she read the message, which was an urgent summons to the bedside of a dying sister.

"How can I go?" exclaimed Mrs. Packlignified Alberta.

ard, in great distress of mind.

"What is to hinder your going?" cried
Josephine warmly. "I should think it was
great if Alberta and I couldn't do the housethe timid one. So they both went. work for a day or two. You must go-you

shall go."

Josephine was an only child and had early trained her mother to habits of obedience.

When she said "must" and "shall" in this positive way, therefore, Mrs. Packard began at once to plan for her own departure with-out a thought of consulting Mr. Packard, who was a pattern of docility in his family and seldom interfered in any domestic ar-

So Mrs. Packard stayed up half the night, cooking and sweeping and getting things into such shape that the dear girls might not have to hurt themselves with work in her absence, and Sam took her to the railroad station very early in the morning, speaking comfortably to the anxious little woma who felt almost like a criminal in thus spoil ing the sorely needed vacation of the two fragile maidens whom she left behind.

"Now, don't you worry, Aunt Elizabeth he said, as he bade her good-bye. "I'll keep an eye on the girls and give them a lift now and then, and if they show signs of collapse, I'll take hold and do the work myself." All that day Sam acquitted himself in a way that would have done his Aunt Elizabeth good to see. He hung about the house, and was so extremely helpful and so trans-cendently agreeable that Josephine told him she didn't know it was in his nature to be so nice, and Alberta confided to her friend that Mr. Waite was very different from what she

had thought him, and quite the reverse of Mrs. Packard was to telegraph on read ing her sister's, and after the early tea Sam harnessed the black horse into the carryall and drove the girls to the Center. They found that Mrs. Packard had arrived safely and would return on Saturday if the folks at home could get along without her until then. Her sister's illness had taken a favorable

turn, and she was likely to live after all. "Aunt Elizabeth seems to think you girls are a pretty helpless lot," observed Sam carelessly, as they drove slowly homeward,

enjoying the dewy fragrance of woods and hedge-rows and the refreshing coolness. "I know to," returned Josephine, half rexed. "I don't see but what we get along beautifully, and I believe that nine-tenthe of the complaining about housework being so hard and disagreeable is clear rubbish." "I am surprised, really, to find it so easy and pleasant," said Alberta. She always

spoke very deliberately and gave each sylla ble its full value. "I wish mother didn't make such hard work of it," continued Josephine, with pensive regret. "She keeps trotting all day long, and there isn't a bit of need of it. But of course," she added, excusingly, "she can't move or think as quickly as a younger per-

Sam turned his head to hide a very broad

"It seems a pity she should hurry home, when it is so wholly unnecessary, now doesn't it?" he questioned musingly. "She so seldom gets away, and there are a host of relatives around there that she has been waiting to visit for years."

"Why not write and tell her to stay," said "I could do that," said Josephine. "It would be great fun. Can we get the letter

to her in time?" "I'll see to that part of it," said Sam with alacrity. "I'll take it right out to the postoffice this evening, as soon as you have written it."

So the letter was written-indeed, each member of the family wrote a letter, even Mr. Packard, who detested letter writing from his very soul, and " Mother " was given to understand that everything went on swimmingly without her, and that her presence in the family circle was not desired for six weeks at the very least.

Sam posted the letter, after applying special delivery stamp, and chuckled neelf all the way home. He very kindly offered the girls the of his alarm clock, and set it for them at half-past four, for Mr. Packard was to begin on the meadows the next day, and they

would want an early breakfast. It seemed to Josephine and Alberta as though they had hardly fallen asleep, when "whir-r-r-r-r-rrrrr---r-r-ra--r-r" went the alarm clock, and it was time to get up. They rose reluctantly and with many sighs. It would have been so pleasant to

take one more nap. They set the table with warmed over food "It looks bare," said Josephine. "I be-lieve I'll have that custard pie I decided not

to have for supper."

She had taken it off a long board set across bowls that were set in plates of water, and had thoughtlessly placed it on the shelf above. She reached up now with both hands and carefully took down the pie,

which seemed strangely light.

The next instant there was a blood-curdling screech and a crash that caused the other members of the family to hasten to the

There on the floor was the broken plate and a small remnant of pie, from which enormously great black ants were scurrying in all directions, while poor Josephine, with wild eyes, was frantically ridding herself of a few real and a great many imaginary ants, to an accompaniment of little staccato "Ohs!" Alberta wrung her hands in sympathy, but

dared not approach her friend, while the two men looked on and—laughed. The agony was over in less than a minute, and every ant having disappeared, quiet was restored.
"Won't you put us up a lunch, Josep

said her father. "Doughnuts and cheese and bread and butter will do, only plenty of it. There are two men to help us, and haymaking is hungry work."
"The two men will be here to dinner," he

added casually, as they started off.

When Mr. Packard and Sam were gone the girls sat down to their breakfast, which they are very leisurely, looking over the daily paper Sam had got the night before. Then they washed and wiped the dishes leisurely, and Josephine swept up the pieces "And all we've got to show for it," said

prepared them and set them on the stove to "Now somebody will have to ride to the Center for some meat. What we have is

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spoiled. I forgot to put it down cellar," observed Josephine. "I will go and you can stay here and keep house."

"But I'm afraid of tramps," walled the finished product presented so sorry an appear-

Well, you can go, then."

"I don't know-I hadn't thought. think I'll have roast beef." The man gave her a large roasting piece and when she reached home she put it in a

pan and then in the oven and rebuilt the fire, which had gone entirely out. After that they proceeded together to do the chamber work. "Now we'll begin to set the table," said Josephine, "for father is very particular about having his meals on time."

once, but Josephine had put in more water and hoped the dreadful burnt smell would not affect the taste. The squash was literally boiled to pieces, and when Alberta at tempted to strain out the water through the colander, the squash all went through too, emerged from her retreat just as the family so there was no squash. The potatoes came

out in pieces. Promptly at twelve o'clock the four men came in to dinner, hungry as bears.
"Why—this meat isn't done," said Mr. Packard, in an aggrieved tone. "It isn't within forty miles of done.

"Dear me! what shall I do?" said Jose phine in dismay. "Boil us three or four eggs apiece," said Sam, coming to the rescue.

"Oil stove," said Sam, lace The cucumbers, which Josephine had thought of at the last minute, were good though warm, and the potato was eatab even if fragmentary, and the bread and doughnuts and cookies and gingerbread and pie that Mrs. Packard had left cooked were of the best, so the men managed to appear their voracious appetites. The beans Mr. Packard pronounced unfit to eat, and they emained uneaten.

"The fire has gone out."

osephine. "Do you know, Alberta, they've not left a single thing cooked in the house except a barrel of orackers and half a dough-

"Well, let's begin on the crackers," said Alberta, cheerfully. "I'm almost scarved."

After their repast they rested awhile and was an appalling quantity.
"Doesn't the kitchen need sweeping?" ntured Alberta.

"Dear me, I should think so! I forgot it resterday," said Josephine. "I'll do it, and ou can sweep the pantry and entry." This done, the question of what they hould have for supper arose.

"There must be pie. Father would have a fit if there wasn't pie," said Josephine.
"What kind can we have?" queried Al-

"We'll have to pick the huckleberries?" "True." heated and weary, with three pints of ber of flour, lard and water, but she didn t know

which kind of flour to use, so choose the 'Pillsbury's Best," and had an inte time rolling it out, in consequence.
"It acts like India rubber, doesn't it?" ommented Alberta.

At last the under crusts were stretched the herries and sugar put in, and the top crusts put on. "Now let me make the biscuit," said Al-

berta. "I think cooking must be great "They say bread needs to be kneaded long time, and as the dough evinced a cling-ing affection for the board and her fingers, she dredged on a plentiful amount of fle and kneaded it in. Then she divided and sub-divided the lump of dough till the pieces were quite small, and rolled each piece

around in the palms of her hands till it was quite round. "We ought to have some kind of sauce, said Joseph "Rhubarb would be nice." and

"Would it?" returned Josephine, doubtfully. "It is rather late in the season." Nevertheless she went out and pulled a quantity, and carefully removing the skin and cutting up the stalks, she put it on to ook in an iron kettle with plenty of water.

Mr. Packard and Sam were on hand at with the biscuit," said Alberta, anxiously. They didn't seem to rise at all." "What did you make them of?" inqu

Sam, eyeing the pyramid of brown balls in the plate before him. "Flour and water and cream tarts " No saleratus?"

"Why, no, they are cream tartar biscuit, you know," explained Alberta, in her slow "I beg pardon, but-did you expect that

"Why, yes, of course," returned Alberta They all tried to eat the biscuit, but the aking had been faithfully performed, and they might as well have tried to eat stones. The pie was fairly good though somewhat flat, owing to the fact that a good part of the juice had run out into the oven, but the rhubarb sauce proved to be only made to look at, having a peculiar, medicinal taste lit road.

The new course of its having been stewed in iron, and cracker and milk formed the staple of

the banquet. Immediately afterward, Sam went out and stretched himself at full length in the ham-mock, with his hands clasped behind his head. He seemed to be very much amused

something.
"Oh, dear," mouned Josephine, when her ather came in with the night's milking, "I nust skim the milk. I ought to have done it yesterday. Here are two pans all moldy. I shall have to make butter to morrow, sure." When the two girls sought their beds that night they agreed that it was the longest day they ever lived, and that they had never before felt so tired.

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worker and then to the butter mold, and the finished product presented so sorry an appear-ance that Mr. Packard, after viewing it with an inscrutable expression, advised Josephine to use all the cream she could on the table the work grew less hard, though it still took both of the girls all of the time to do with and in the cooking.

Saturday was not unlike Friday. The work dragged fearfully. Though Josephine was learning wisdom from experience in the culinary line, the food was still execrable,

mother. She had never loved he pression of settled gloom.
"I must wash the kitchen floor to-day," Josephine had said, and as she arose from ters and her insistence on that mother makher knees after this performance, late in the afternoon, Alberta who had been dusting the sitting-room, appeared with the information that the "depot carriage" from the Center

was "coming up the drive."
"Oh, it's mother!" cried Josephine, rushing to the door regardless of disheveled hair. visit to another school mate, and Mrs. Pack-ard wrote that she was homesick and was Alberta, retiring to her room for the pur-pose of making herself presentable, heard

of trunks up-stairs, the hurrying to and fro "Indeed you're not," protested Josephine indignantly. "I am going."
"You are neither of you going," declared
Mr. Packard decisively. "I shall go mywere taking their places for the evening Her friend looked so savage that Alberta

didn't venture to question her, but Sam was less timorous. "Well, Cousin Josephine," he asked cheerfully, "what has happened

Mr. Packard looked at his daughter in consternation and groaned, while Sam gave a dismayed "Whew!" and declared that Mrs. Wynne was "the worst pill in the whole box."

"And who is Mrs. Wynne?" asked Al. she said a little later, as they all sat around era in her most deliberate and pleasant | the tea table, "but it does seem so good to "Mrs. Wynne," answered Josephine quickly and crossly, "is a middle-aged semi-nicer." At which Josephine blushed and invalid, who spends all her time in visits to had expended in making it look nice.
"These biscuit, too," her mother went on; her long-suffering acquaintances and all her income on patent medicine. She talks about herself from morning till night, and needs ore waiting on than a baby. I have made

and administered to her a slice of cream toast and a cup of tea and put her to bed for the night; and she's going to stay six weeks?" After this there was a long silence. Sam came into the kitchen in great haste

we hours later, and finding it dark and still was somewhat startled, on striking a light to see his cousin lying tace downward on the ounge.
"What is the matter, Josephine?" he ask-

ed, going to her.
"Nothing," was the muffled reply. "There is something-you are crying," he "I'm disgusted with the horrid, hateful, everlasting, abominable housekeeping, then, if you must know," she exclaimed peevishly. "Oh, that's it is it? Well, I'm about to

start to the post-office—you can send for your The taunting way in which he spoke stung Josephine to the quick, and she bounced to a sitting position, her eyes blazing indigna-

"I know you think pretty meanly of me, Sam Waite," she burst forth, "but in this one instance I don't deserve your contempt. I haven't for an instant thought of sending for mother. I'm going to write to her to morrow and paint everything rose-colored, and not tell of my failures, or of Mrs. Wynne being here. And I am going to insist on her staying six weeks longer. She's been work-ing here like a slave for twenty-five years, and if I can't stand it for a few weeks, I'll-

I'll perish in the attempt!" "Josephine, you're a trump-a regular "I'm proud of you and I beg your pardon. Come now, I wouldn't cry-I don't wonder you feel a bit blue, but bless you

this isn't going to last forever. Cheer up, He had seated himself beside her and was helping her wipe away her tears. Center," he commanded. "It will do you

good to get out into the air. Where's your "Alberta! She's gone to bed with a tired "Then you can go as well as not. I'll tell

your father. "Doesn't Miss Alberta help you any?" he asked, as they rode slowly along the country "Ye-es, of course," answered Josephine little dubiously, "but-well, you know

how she talks?" Sam laughed.
"I believe I've had the ex-quis-ite pleasure of listening to her ve-ry de-light-ful conver sa-tion," he drawled in imitation of Al-

to do anything—except cook." Sam laughed again, but said nothing. He had several errands at the village. The last one was at the public library, and as he

got into the buggy he gave Josephine three "Novels?" she asked. "Cook books," he answered. "Lincoln,

"Oh, Sam!" she cried gratefully. "How good of you. I don't believe mother ever had one in the house. Let's hurry home." So Sam spoke to the horse, who pricked up his ears and went like a bird along the moon-The next day Sam sacrificed himself on the

altar of cousinly affection by devoting him-self to Mrs. Wynne, who in virtue of its be-ing Sunday, departed from her week day. custom of enlarging on her different illness-es, the medicines she had taken and their effect on her system, and described with minute particularity and at great length, her religious experiences, from infancy up. She was tall and thin and sallow, with a very large nose and near sighted eyes; she dyed her hair and endeavored in other ways day which must be done, whether you like it or not. Being forced to work, and forced to create an impression of youthfulness on the beholder; her speech and manner were martyr-like and resigned. Josephine and Alberta had been perfectly

reckless about " putting things in the wash," and as a result it required their united ef-Josephine disgustedly, "is an underdone forts and two days to do the washing that required their united efforts and two days to do the washing that week, and their united efforts and three days for the ironing, after which they decided that fastidiousness and light, cotton dresses.

The next day was Friday and bore a strong family resemblance to its predecessor, a main feature being the butter making. The cream showed a decided disposition to re-

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kirts, which of course must be changed each

difficulty and very imperfectly, what Mrs. Packard had done well and with apparent tic, but there were many nights after Josephine was abed with Alberta asieep, that she cried like a child with longing for her

But if there is no lane so long but it has its turning, so in good time Mrs. Wynne be-took herself to pastures new, and Alberta tore herself away in order to pay a promised

"I'm going to the station for her," an-counced Sam, when the auspicious day arthe murmur of strange voices, the carrying

"We might take the carryall and all go,"

foolish people did.
"I didn't expect you'd be so glad to see

"I've enjoyed every minute of my visit," get home. And how nice everything about the house looks, Josephine. It couldn't look felt well paid for the muscle and energy she "I never tasted better ones in my life.
"Don't praiseme, mother," begged Joseph

ne, "I don't deserve it." "Yes, she does," said Sam. "She's done " Mother, you little know. I could a tale

"Better not," interrupted her father; "at east, not now."
"No," added Sam, "let us 'look not mournfully into the past; it cometh not again."

Josephine, and the subject was dropped.

The next morning Mrs. Packard was up up bright and early, also, at which her mother seemed surprised, as well she might for early rising had never been one of Joseph ine's strong point's.

Mrs. Packard tolerated her daughter's as-

sistance in getting breakfast, though it evidently made her uneasy, but when it came could stand it no longer. gently, "I don't need any help. Go and sit down and rest and take comfort.

"I'm as fresh as a daisy, and I don't need rest any more than a cat," said Jo "Supposing you go and sit down and rest, and see how you enjoy it."

"Why, Josephine! you know I should be perfectly miscrable." "So should I be perfectly miscrable." "Oh, I guess you wouldn't."
"Mother, I have been looking forward almost ever since you went away, to these a perfectly lovely time we would have working together. And now you want to shut

want-my-company-"
"My child, of course I want your company!" cried her mother, in a shocked tone, "but I didn't suppose you really wanted to help me. Why, Josephine, I've always

"Always wished what?" "But I want to know. What have you always wished?' "Well-that you liked housework, and that we could take comfort working to

the shoulders and giving her an affectionate shake, while she laughed through the tears which had risen to her eyes, "you are a hum bug-a regular little humbug.

" Mother," cried Josephine, taking her by

The Potato Yield. A smaller acreage and a decreased rate of yield are resulting in a decidedly smaller ver sa-tion," he drawled in imitation of Al-berta's speech. "I suppose she works in the The New England Homestead, in its final report published last week, says that the "You mustn't make fun of her," said Josephine repreachfully, though she couldn't help laughing a little, too. "Alberta is just as good as she can be; if she had a disposition like mine, she would get mad and go bushels, a decrease of more than 50,000,000 bushels, a decrease of more than 50,000,000 bushels compared with a year ago. The total acres harvested approximates 2,865,000 acres. This report reckons the Canadian crop at 55,300,000 bushels, a decrease of nearly 13,000,000 bushels compared 1895. In view of the shortage on this side and England, the Homestead says that the outlook for prices to farmers is certainly better than a year ago. While still low nearly everywhere many markets report an advancing tendency.

Of the great sales attained and great curse accomplished by Hood's Sarasparilla is quickly told. It purifies and enriches the blood, tones the stomach and gives strength and vigor. Disease cannot enter the system fortified by the rich, red blood which comes by taking Hood's Sarasparilla.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, ndigestion, billiousness. All druggists. 25c.

The Whole Stor

get up that you have something to do that day which must be done, whether you like

-"A stitch in time, etc." Take a bott of Puttner's Emulsion at once. Fifty cen spent on that now may save much suffering and loss of time, as well as a large doctor bill, bye and bye.

At Bridgetown, Annapolis Co., N. S. Ferms: \$1.00 per annum in advance.

(13 inches), one insertion...

R. S. McCORMICK, Manager.

### The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 1896.

-WHEN arbitration was talked of last spring, between England and America, there was a feeling of relief and satisfaction. Not was a reeing of relief and satisfaction. Not only was the arbitration of the Venezuela question proposed but a general scheme whereby nearly all questions likely to arise between the two countries, might be amicably second. between the two countries, might be amicably se between the two countries, might be amicably decided, and it was hopefully anticipated that the time was approaching when as far that the time was approaching when as far ried over to the June term. "nation would no more lift up its hand against nation." Unhappily however the egotiations resulted in little or nothing at

against nation." Unhappily however the negotiations resulted in little or nothing at the time. Objections were made to the competency of any board of arbitrament that could be agreed on, and there was the further difficulty that after the dispute had been settled by such a tribunal there was no higher power to enforce the finding and therefore the reference to arbitration would be useless. Lately, however, there seems to be a prospect that negotiations will be successfully renewed and we may yet see the consummation of a general arbitration treaty between these two countries.

—If our farmers were a class of people to be easily discouraged, the returns of the first shipments of fruit to England this fall would certainly tend to depress their spirits. The farmer watches his trees in the early spring days to detect any insects that may be lurking upon the ground around the trunks ready to climb the tree and commence their work of devastation; having destroyed these and pruned and sprayed his trees he watches for the blossoms to form and indicate whether or not he is likely to have a large crop of fruit. To his great delight his trees are like a huge flower garden, and the air is redolent with pride and intense satisfaction. The trees are full of large well-blossoms; then the fruit begins to set and he watches its growth with pride and intense satisfaction. The trees are full of large well-plossoms; then the fruit begins to set and he watches its growth with pride and intense satisfaction. The trees are full of large well-plossoms; then the fruit begins to set and he watches its growth with pride and intense satisfaction. The trees are full of large well-plossoms. e watches its growth with pride and intense satisfaction. The trees are full of large well colored fruit and the imagination of the orchardist is filled with visions of promptly paid interest,—perhaps even a portion of the principal, additional comforts in the house and a happy contented winter. He sends his fine gravensteins to the old country, picely packed it have been described by the constitution of the interest of the complicated with heart trouble. Although in a condition of semi-invalidism for a number of years, and consequently living a contribution of semi-invalidism for a number of years. sends his fine gravensteins to the old country, nicely packed in barrels which have cost him twenty cents each in cash, and he finally receives the disappointing intelligence that his fruit has netted him just forty cents per barrel. This leaves him twenty cents net per barrel, in remuneration for the fruit and the expense of gathering, packing and shipping. He is told that the fruit did not arrive in good condition.

Cold storage is indicaseable in a condition of semi-invalidiam for a number of years, and consequently living a quiet in a condition of semi-invalidiam for a number of years, and consequently living a quiet and retired life, her demise is truly mourned by many in this community whose acquaintance and friendship with her extended over the period from her youth up to the present time, and who best recognized those estimated there are devoted mother and a kind neighbor and friend. To the bereaved family the Montron extends its sympathy.

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At that period all England went wild about the young queen, whom my father described as not pretty but exceedingly graceful. Her praise was in every mouth, every possible thing was named for her, and her slightest movement was chronicled and commented upon.

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Every Sunday she used to walk on the terrace at Windsor, and it was the fashion to go there and watch her. My father encountered in London a fellow townsman, an old sea captain from Yarmouth, and, by way of making his sojourn pleasant, took him to Windsor to see the light of the day. As the queen passed along she bowed to her admiring subjects, and one of these bows happening to strike the old man, he burst into tears and exclaimed, "To think the Oteen would bow med, " To think the Queen would bow

exclaimed, "Do think the Queen would bow to ME!"

Wolfville Acadian: Mr. J. R. Elliott, I was a season to the control of the work of Lawrencetown, was in town this week. Mr. Elliott has in company with one or two other gentlemen, chartered a steamer to take a cargo of apples to Manchester, Eng. She will leave Halifax next week, and will carry about 9,000 barrels, quite a large proportion of which are from Kings County. This will be the first cargo direct to Manchester—a distance of thirty-one, miles—enables shippers to get their fruit on the Manchester market much quicker and cheaper than formerly, and will be of inmense value to Nova Scotia fruit growers.

—Mr. Harvey, president of the Nova Scotia fouthern railway company, has been in town for a week, says the Schelbune Bud. get, arranging for prosecution of the work, and Chief Engineer Mitchell will be here intown for a week, says the Skelbune Bud. get, arranging for prosecution of the work, and cheeker. The contract for the entire construction has been let to the Nova Scotia foonstruction company will push the construction as rapidly as possible and expects to have the track laid to the Indian Gardens in the spring.

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From reports received from the new cruiser Osprey, it is quite evident, says the Shelburne Budget, that the great speed promised by her builder, Joseph McGill, will be more than realized. A letter received from Capt. McKenzie, who is in command of the Osprey, states that on the passage from Shelburne to Halifax she made a run of thirteen miles an hour by the wind. On the run from Halifax to Canso she logged a knot in four minutes and twenty seconds, by the wind, which is equal to nearly fourteen knots an hour, and Capt. McKenzie says that she is everything that could be desired in a vessel.

Supreme Court. The following cases are being presented before Justice Graham at the special term of

the Supreme Court which opened on Tuesday, 27th ult:—.

The suit between the Middleton Water Supply Co. and Isaiah Dodge, was an action brought by the plaintiff company against the defendant for an alleged treepass and claiming an injunction to restrain him from repeating the acts complained of, viz.—stopping the flow of water from Lily Lake to a smail pond, from which pond the company carried the water away by artificial means to the reservoir, from which the town of Middleton was supplied. Only nominal damages were claimed and the action was tried merely to determine the question of costs. Judgment has not yet been given.

The next case was an action brought by Messrs. Giles & Bent, executors of the last will and testament of the late J. Avard Morse, to recover from the defendant, David Morse, certain promissory notes. The trial

Morse, to recover from the defendant, David Morse, certain promissory notes. The trial of this cause was begun last Wednesday morning and has not yet been finished, but will probably terminate to-day. The defendant alleges the notes were given to him by the deceased with instructions to indores the name of the deceased, which defendant claims to have done. The plaintiffs seek to show by circumstantial evidence that the notes should go to the residuary legatees under the will. A great deal of testimony has been received from both sides and counsel of either party watch the progress of the case very carefully. His Lordship has expressed a desire that the closing arguments of counsel shall not be made orally but submitted to him in typewritten form.

There is another action entered on the docket between the same parties and involv-

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DORING-SKINNER.

MRS. GEORGIANA SANCTON.

Thursday's Races.

ples had cleared a dollar and a half, which is a low figure, the difference to our farmers directly and to our communities indirectly would be considerable. We must be brought within easy access of our markets, and cold storage must be had by our farmers, or in these days of keen competition they must suffer from the lack of it. Agitate this question, farmers, and your unanimous demand will be conceded.

—Mrs. J. M. Owen, of Annapolis, daughter of the late Dr. J. C. Farish of Yarmouth gives the Halifax Herald the following anecdote:

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In another column will be found the report of the meeting of Fruit Growers' Association of Kings county, at Kentville, which our farmer readers will peruse with interest. It is proposed by the board of provisional directors, appointed at the meeting, to call a public meeting in Bridgetown, in order to endeavor to secure the support of the fruitraisers of Annapolis county. The date will be announced in our next issue and it is hoped that a large and representative gathering of our farmers will be present, and that our agricultural class may be found to possess, in an equal degree with our Kings county neighbors, that enterprise and public spirit which is required, especially in regard to the questions at issue, in order to keep our agricultural interests abreast with the times.

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McKinley Elected.

The latest telegraphic reports this morning give McKinley an overwhelming majority as a result of yesterday's presidential election in the United States, withdrawal blanks are provided, to be used for the recall of a letter that has been posted if for any reason the writer does not wish it delivered. This is a practical acknowledgement that a letter is the property of the writer until it is delivered into the hands of the person to whom it is addressed. If this principle is not recognized in the Capad'an service it ought to be, for it is the corn of one,

Local and Special News.

-75 pair large heavy Blankets, opened to-day, direct from manufacturers, at only 89 cents per pair. John Lockett & Son. 32 11

—The attendance at the services of Mesers. Crossley and Hunter, in Canning, is said to number as high as 1300 on some occasions, and a remarkable interest is observable, particularly among the young. —As will be seen by advertisment elsewhere the Yarmouth Steamship Line will run only two boats a week until further notice. The Yarmouth will lay up for the

—Mrs. Stephen Thorne, of Ottawa, died of consumption, on Saturday last. Her husband who is a native of this town, and son of the late James Thorne, with three young children, survives her.

number of years, is paying a visit of a couple of weeks to his brother Mr. James Quirk, and meeting with cordial greetings from old friends and acquaintances. —Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Outhit, of Halifax, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lansdale Piggott, and other relatives in this vicinity during a portion of the past two weeks, have returned home.

-Mr. Thos. Quirk, after an absence of a

—Much damage to property and considerable loss of life is reported through cyclones and heavy snowstorms in Kansas, Minnesota and Wisconsin and others of the Western States the latter part of lest week

States, the latter part of last week. —Dairy Commissioner Robertson has been informed that a shipment of filled cheese has gone to England from the western states via Montreal. Measures will be taken to prevent further shipments of this product. --Mr. E. T. Moore, known to the travel-

—According to the government report just issued there were but twenty murder cases in Canada during the last fiscal year and only one of them was in Nova Scotia—the murder of Annie Kempton in Digby county. —I have just received, and offer for sale, Night Latches, Chest, Rim, Closet, Till, and Padlocks, Boot Protectors, Trap Door Rings, 150 gross of Screws, Blinkhorn's Axes, all at low figures. R. Shipley. 32 li -Yarmouth Telegram: The vacancy

cominion savings bank agent, caused by the death of Col. Rowley, will not be filled. The government proposes to transfer all these agencies to the post office department. —Invitations are out for an assembly to be given by the Bridgetown Quadrille Club, at the Court House, next Tuesday evening. Violin, harp and mandolin music will be fur-nished.

-W. R. Landers has just completed a cottage, that is attracting much attention, for E. E. Burke, next to the Baptist church, Paradise. Mr. Landers left for his home in Port Maitland, Yarmouth county, on Saturday last.

—The Rev. Henry Dickie, of Windsor, preached in the Gordon Memorial Church on Sunday afternoon last. On Monday evening, he and Rev. R. S. Whidden addressed a meeting beld in the same church in the interests of missions.

-It is the intention of the members of the Victoria Methodist Church, Middleton, to hold a Fancy Sale and Turkey Supper on Thanksgiving Day, in the basement of their Church. Proceeds to go towards debt incur-red by purchase of furnace and other expen-

-Preparations for the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of her Majesty's ascension of Britain's throne in June next, have been begun in England. The fetes attendant upon the occasion are to be on a magnificent scale and the Queen is taking an active part in drawing up the programme.

—A meeting under the auspices of the Nova Scotia Bible Society, will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church. The travelling agent will speak of the British and Foreign Bible Society's world wide work. A large attendance is requested, and a cheerful evening's entertainment expected. At the close of the meeting a collection will be taken up in aid of Bible circulation in every language. culation in every language.

December.

Annapolis County B. Y. P. U. Rally.

The Annapolis County B. Y. P. Union will hold its next half-yearly convention, in connection with the Annapolis County Conference of Baptist Churches, at Paradise on the afternoon and evening of Nov. 17th.

I were delegation from the Unions is expected.

J. Wers,

County B. Y. P. U. Secty.

McKinley Elected.

—It would be a matter of much satisfaction to the residents of the west end of Granville street if an electric light could be placed near the arboiteau. It must have been by an oversight that the lights are placed so far apart in this locality, as the distance here is considerably longer than between any chert wo lights. One placed before the residence of T. D. Ruggles, Esq., would be a great accommodation to pedestrians and wagoners alike, as the lights are now placed have only the undesirable effect of deepening the darkness along that portion of the road.

Local and Special News.

—Oranges and Lemons at F. G. Palfrey's.
—Dr. Calock, of Graville Ferry, left for central America on Tuesday last.
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—22 If —Mr. C. H. Harvey, of Dattmouth, visited friends in town over Sunday.
—Mass will be celebrated in St. Alphonso's church on Sunday next, at 11 o'clock a.m.
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—Dr. Marshall leaves for Boston to-day, the will be away for one week to day for a visit of a few weeks in Boston.

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—Rev. F. E. Clark, founder of the Christian Endeavor Societies, has requested that all Societies devote the second week in November to prayer for Armenia.

—Miss Rachel Williams, a young Dartmouth girl, committed suicide last Thursday evening by drowning herself. The motive actuating the decoased is unnnown.

—That wonderful prodigy, Helen Keller, blind, deaf, scentless, tasteless, has passed the entrance for Harvard College with credit, and is under the ueual age of admission.

—The great Albani is to appear at Gunn's Opera House, Truro on the 20th inst. A subscription paper is being circulated at Yarmouth with the object of inducing the prima-donna to sing there.

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EXPOSURE SEP

brings on Colds, Rheumatism, Cramps, Colic, Sore Throat and many other ills, It kills more men than bullets do in war, and bruises and injures more men in times of peace than anything else.

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To loan, on first-class real estate security, in large or small amounts, the sum of Fitteen Thousand Dollars. For particulars enquire of O. S. MILLER, Barrister. Bridgetown, Oct. 25th, 1896.

DISSOLUTION!

Bridgetown, N. S., Oct. 10th, 1896. 29 51

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why not buy it and mix it yourself

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and see it ground for yourself.

Granville Centre, Oct. 30th, 1896.

WM. B. TROOP.

and other articles too numerous to mention.

C. McLELLAN, B. KINNEY.

NOVA SCOTIA VESSEL IN DISTRESS AT CAPE TOWN—CAPTAIN OF STEAMER ISLES-WORTH DROWNED.

London, Nov. 1.—The British barque Sunny South, of Bear River, N. S., Buenos Ayres for Port Elizabeth, put into Cape Town with the loss of foretopgallant mast, spars and sails, and her deck fittings dam-

aged.

The steamer Peconic, which arrived at Gibraltar to-day from New York, landed the crew of the British barque Udshire, Bridgewater, N. S., to Port Antonio. The Udshire was previously reported abandoned at sea. W HILE cordially thanking our numerous customers for their generous patronage, we beg to notify the public that the partnership hitherto existing under the name and style of McLeLLAN & KINNEY has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in the future at the old stand by A. E. Calkin & Co., of Kentville, and we bespeak for them a continuation of the patronage bestowed on us.

All debts due the late firm are to be paid to whom all accounts against the firm should be at once rendered. at sea.

The British steamer Isleworth, Pensacola via North Sydney, C. B., arrived at Newcastle, England, to day. Her commander, Captain Matthews, was washed overboard and drowned off Dunnet Head during heavy weather experienced of that point.

Mr. Chas. W. Fitch, a respected resident of Wolfville, suddenly expired on Saturday morning, while engaged in conversation with a friend. Heart disease was the cause. An elderly man named John McGorman, of Lower Wolfville, died suddenly on Saturday. David McGibbon, an old and well-known character at Avonport, dropped dead also on Saturday.

Simla, Oct. 29.—A sepoy belonging to the British India troops stationed at Fort Sandeman ran amuck yesterday evening, and killed Lieut. Yeates of the Royal Engineers, Lieut. Downes of the Bombay Lancers and two private soldiers, besides wounding Lieut. MacLeachlan. The murderer was captured.

New Advertisements.

At a Bargain! 1 Yoke of Oxen,

1 Cow, 2 Horses. ..ALSO BALANCE OF ...

NEW WACONS on hand at great Bargains, and on terms t JOHN HALL. Lawrencetown, Nov. 3rd, 1896. 32 tf

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IN THIS TOWN BECAUSE

have got the goods and make the prices Have you seen my New Stock? If not call and inspect before buying elsewhere. SHEEHAN, The Tailor

I have just received by steamer City of St. John, from London, a quantity of choice Tea. I can give extra value for 30 and 35c.

Flannelettes, Shirts, Etc.: I have a fine stock of Flannelettes, Mens' Top Shirts, Undershirts and Drawers. Flanneletts from 6 to 15c. yd. Shirts, 50c. to \$1.00 each.

**Boots and Shoes.** I have just received my fifth lot of Boots and Shoes since Sept. 1st. and they are selling fast.

I can sell you 25 lbs. nice Sugar for \$1.00 Cash, and 4 gallons best American Oil for 95 cents cash.

Nickle-Plated and Solid Nickle Har-nesses, Rubber and Silver Har-nesses, Team Harnesses and Team Collars. I am paying 18c. lb. for good new roll Butter, 18c. dozen for fresh Eggs, 8c. lb. for Chickens, in exchange for goods. T. C. BISHOP.

Blankets from 50c. to \$6.00; Fur Robes. \$7.00 to \$14.00; Trunks & Bags. Sleigh Bells, Heavy Wood Lap Robes, fine stock of Men's Driving Gloves. Repairing a Specialty. To

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for the public inspection, and intending buyers would do well to inspect same thoroughly before making purchases elsewhere. We have now in stock a splendid opening of

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Plaids, Fancy and Plain, from 20 cents per yard upwards. Just opened to-day: another case of Fancy Sequine Trimming and Medallions to match, the second lot this fall. FURS. - FURS. - FURS

Ladies' Fur Jackets, Capes, Collars, Ruffs and Boas; also children's. Men's Fur Coats.

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Wool Blankets, Cotton Blankets. Double-Width Blanketing in Wool and Flannelet FOUR CASES FLANNELETTES FROM 6 CTS. PER YARD UPWARD.

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day.

The yearly meeting of the P. L. Society is
to be held on Thursday evening at F. W.
Bishop's. Important business is to be transacted, therefore a good representation of the
members is requested. Bishop's. Important business is to be transacted, therefore a good representation of the members is requested.

At the yearly meeting of the Wilmot Baptist Church, held on Tuesday of last week, there was quite a number present, a large proportion being women. Pastor Kinley placed his resignation in the hands of the committee, to take place three months hence. On Monday and Tuesday, 16th and 17th inst., the Ministerial Conference of Baptist churches of the county will be held in this place, at which a large attendance is a which a large attendance is large, and delegates and other attending officers and members will receive a hearty welcome from Pastor Kinley and his coworkers in the church. On Monday evening last under very favorable officers and members will receive a hearty welcome from Pastor Kinley and his coworkers in the church. On Monday evening last under very favorable officers and members will receive a hearty welcome from Pastor Kinley and his coworkers in the church. On Monday evening last under very favorable officers and members will receive a hearty welcome from Pastor Kinley and his coworkers in the church. On Monday evening last under very favorable officers in the church. On Monday evening last under very favorable officers in the church. On Monday evening last under very favorable officers and delegates and other attending Dr. Kierstead, of Acadia, will be the chief speaker; on Tuesday morning, county business will be brought on and an address by Rev. J. H. King, of Lawrencetown; B.Y.P.U. V. Salvi in the afternoon and evening, when Mr. McDonald, of Amherst, will deliver an address upon the Christian Culture course in connection with B.Y.P.U. work. An in address upon the Christian Culture course in connection with B.Y.P.U. work. An interesting and profitable conference is looked forward to.

Mrs. Isaac Goodwin is visiting her daugh-ter at Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. George W. Young is home from the United States for a brief sojourn. united States for a brief sojourn.

Mr. Walter Milbury, who has been home from sea for some time, went away last week.

Miss Lillian Troop, daughter of O. B.

Troop, Esq., went to New York last Saturday.

London, Oct. 31.—The progress of the negotiations for the holding of a conference on
the Turkish question, proposed to the powers by Prime Minister Salisbury is favorable.
The official expectation in London is that
Lord Salisbury will be able to announce at
the Lord mayor's banquet at the Guild hall
on Nov. 9th, that the conference has fixed
on terms that are likely to result in the world Troop, Beag, went to New York and conday,
Mrs. John K. Healy, who has been visiting ber parents, Riv. and Mrs. Wm. H. Eent,
Mrs. Wm. Bustin, the vederan poultry
raiser, has a flock of turkeys that numbers
forty-four, a large flock of geese and any
the state of the state of

New York, October 20.—The New York Evening Post concludes a series of articles on British Columbia mines with the following comment: "Kootenay is now possessed by Americans and their success is merited, While Canada dilly dallies about providing a railway from the main line of the Canadian Pacific through the Crow's nest pass into Kootenay, Americans own and operate at great profit three railways. Others are being built by them. If Canada did half as much—justifying to the world her faith in Kootenay—the dream of a population of 100,000 within ten years would be within the realm of possibility.

Farmer's Meeting in Kentville.

is carried from any port on this side of the Atlantic."

Under the vote passed at the late session the routes would be during winter months direct from Halifax to England and from St. John to England, steam renot being required to call at both Canadian ports. There were now two competing lines from Halifax, both subsidized, and from St. John three.

A year ago freight rates had touched bottom, now they are higher than they have been for ten years. He was sorry that freight rates went up at the same time that apples went down.

In regard to the statement that steamship lines depended on apple freight to recoup their losses on other classes of goods he would like to hear the admission made. He shought the company making it would soon forfeit its subsidy. If that were a fact not only was the county losing the subsidy but with it a goodly share of the earnings of the farmers.

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Springfield.

Rev. J. E. Downing preached in the Methodics characteristics. The proposed of th Sign bear with the company of the co

to her work as operator in Yarmouth, where

Church Services, Sunday, November 8th.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Rector. In St. James, Bridgetown: Service with celebration of Holy Communion at 11; Sunday-school at F. Evening Service at 7. Sewing Circle on Monday. Communicanticlass on Friday at 7 p.m. In St. Mary's, Belleisle: Service at 2.30; also on Thursday evening at 7. All seats free.

BAPTINT CHURCH.—Hev. F. M. Young, Pastor, Bridgetown: Bible Classe and Sabbath-school, 10 a.m.; Preaching Service at II a.m.; Evangelistic service 7.00 p.m. B.Y.P.U. Tuesday evening at 7.140 clock. General social service Friday evening at 7.150 clock. General social service Compon. Mamorial Church.—Rev. R. S. Gordon Mamorial Church.—Rev. R. S. Gordon Memorial. Current. — Rev. R. S. Whiddon. Paster. Service at 3.15 o'clock. Bible-class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Meeting Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Service at Annapolis at 11 a.m.; Bible-class and Sabbath-school at 2 p.m. General prayer-meeting at 7.30, Sapt. General General

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REV. J. WERR PASTOR. Preaching services at Springfield in the morning and afternoon, and at Falkiand Ridge in the evening. Visitors are cordially invited. BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. E. P. Coldwell, pastor. Preaching at Hampton at 10.30 a.m.; St. Croix at 3.30 p.m., Port Lorne at 7 p.m. Con-zerence at Hampton on Saturday next at 2.30.

MARSHALL.—At Cambridgeport, Mass., Oot., 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Emdon Marshall, a son. OMINEY.—At Fox Point, Lunenburg county on Friday, Oct, 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. Isaial Dominey, a daughter.

Marriages.

SANCTON.—At Bridgetown, Nov. 2nd, of pneumonia, Mrs. Georgiana Sancton, aged 61 yrs. FOULIS.—At the residence of Mr. E. Gry Morton, Kentville Oct. 2nd, Miss Euphemia Foulis, in the eighticht year of her age. NICHOLS.—At Torbrook, Oct. 24. 1886, Mrs. Mehetabel Nichols, aged 83 years, 10 months. MCINTYRE.—At Lawrencetown, on Oct. 37th. at the residence of her daughter (Mrs. A. R. Saunders). Mrs. Margaret Buckley McIntyre, of Roundhill, and sister of the late Rev. James Buckley, of Halifax, in the 80th year of her age. (Westeyan papers please copy.)

DEMORALIZATION GENERALLY.

Dennison, Tex., Oct 29.—The tornado that passed over portions of Northern Texus and Indian territory last night did thousands of dollars worth of damage. In this city houses were unroofed, including the post office. Ten miles southeast of here two persons are reported killed. A number of dwellings near here were demolished, but no one seriously injured. In Pinola county, Chickassaw Nations, considerable damage was done, farm houses being blown away. Searching parties have gone into the country to the assistance of persons injured.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 29.—A special from Hartshorne, I. T., says: A cyclone last night at mine No. 12 near Kreos, destroyed considerable property, and several people are Hartshorne, I. T., says: A cyclone last night at mine No. 12 near Kreos, destroyed considerable property, and several people are reported killed. At Weeka, Governor Brown's store, the new church and four other buildings were blown down. Several people were hurt at Weeka, but none seriously. The tornado struck Alderson, a mining town belonging to the Chocataw Coal company, eight miles distant, destroying the section house and three other buildings. No persons were seriously hurt at the latter place.

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healthy. Those things that destroy a man's habitual cheerfulness, lessen its usefulness, and ought therefore to be resisted by son drastic and efficient remedy. The duties that devolve upon the average man and wo man are invested in so much difficulty as to put a premium on hopefulness. The relation between the prevailing moods of the mind, and the health of the digestive apparatus is close and vital. Hence it is not surprising that many would-be benefactors have caught the patronage of sufferers from indigestion. Judging by results, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is a remedy unique in its success, therefore it is confidently recommended as a safe and adequate cure for acute dyspepsia. This claim is substantiated by experience as the following facts will show. Mrs. D. McCrimmon of Williamstown, Glengarry Co., suffered untold misery from a

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Origin of the Fairy Cinderella.

It has been said, "Not one girl in a thous and knows the origin of the friend of her childhood, Cinderella." Her real name was Rhodope, and she was a beautiful Egyptian maiden, who lived 670 years before the common era and during the reign of one of the 12 kings of Egypt. One day Rhodope ventured to bath in a clear stream near her home, leaving her shoes, which were very small, lying on a bank. An eagle, passing above, caught sight of the little sandals, —The following is the result of an analysis above, caught sight of the little sandals, and, mistaking them for a toothsome tidbit, pounced down and carried one off in his beak. The bird unwittingly played the part of fairy godmother, for, flying over Memphis, where the king was dispensing justice, it let the shoe fall directly at the king's feet. Its size, beauty and daintiness immediately attracted the royal eye, and the ediately attracted the royal eye, and the king determined to know the wearer of so cunning a shoe. Messengers were sent through all the kingdom in search of the foot that it would fit. Rhodope was finally discovered, the shoe placed on her foot, and she was carried in triumph to Memphis, where she became the queen of the King

Interesting Figures for Horsemen.

The following measurements were made by a competent engineer, the track measured being a half-mile track which is laid out ac-cording to rule. The first measurement was made the pole and was 2640 feet,-exactly a half mile. The succeeding measur were made twice around the course. Dis. from pole. No. ft. Ft. over a mile

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a horse trots at the pole in 2.40 a horse going twenty feet away from the pole and kept in that position throughout, finishing a close second, has trotted at a rate of speed equal the pole in 2.20 and a horse goes away at the outside forty-five feet from the pole and is kept in this position, finishing a close second, it has trotted at a rate of speed equal to 2 061 for the mile and has kept the rate of speed up for nearly an eighth of a mile farther.

How "Uncle Sam" Got His Name. The nickname "Uncle Sam," as applied to the United States Government, is said to have originated as follows: Samuel Wilson, commonly called "Uncle Sam," was a Gov-ernment inspector of beef and pork at Troy, New York, about 1812. A contractor, Rew 10rs, about 1912. A contractor, Elbert Anderson, purchased a quantity of provisions, and the barrels were marked "E. A.," Anderson's initials, and "U. S.," for United States. The latter initials were not what they meant. A facetious fellow what they meant. A facetious fellow answered: "I don't know, unless they mean 'Uncle Sam." A vast amount of property afterward passed through Wilson's hands marked in the same manner, and he was ofen joked upon the extent of his possessions he joke spread through all the department rnment, and before long the

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Microbes in Wrapping-Paper.

Up to the present time hygienists hav paid but little attention to wrapping paper, adoubtedly because it is customary to us only new and clean paper for wrapping up alimentary substances. Nevertheless, in some cases old paper is employed, such as worn out commercial books, newspapers registers and printed or manuscript works. Old paper, or paper that has been written on or used for printing, may have passed through the hands of several persons and may have become contamined with morbid germs by the contact. When laid aside and stored up it becomes covered with dust from the atmosphere, which is often rich in the germs of disease. Such paper may also have remained a certain length of time in room occupied by a person affected with some infectious disease, such as smallpox, scarlatina, cholera or typhoid fever, and may of these diseases. The danger is, therefore, not an imaginary one, and the question deserves to be seriously examined by hygien-

they are not prohibited; as a matter of fact they are relatively clean and may be used for wrapping up dry articles of food. But moist alimentary substances should only be wrapped in white paper that has neither been used for writing or printing. In conformity with the conclusions of the Municipal La-boratory the Mayor of Montpellier has is-

way the wrapping up of foodstuffs:
"The use of all colored paper, of which a
great deal is manufactured with poisonous
substances, is formally forbidden, as well as the use of any soiled paper. Printed matter old newspapers, pamphlets, books, or man-uscripts are tolerated for wrapping dried trial was eminently successful. From being only able to take stale bread and milk or soda soiled. All other food, butchers' meat, charcuterie, pastry, butter, cheese and fish can only be enveloped in new wrapping paper, either white or colored paper."

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less dreaded,, and largely belonging to the past. It is little wonder therefore that she urges the use of Dr. William' Pills upon others similarly afflicted.

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### The Mousehold.

they will pass by a piece of meat.

A thin coating made of three parts lard, melted with one part rosin, and applied to stoves and grates, will prevent their rusting. Cream or milk that has turned but is not sour, may be made sweet by stirring into it

one teaspoonful of carbonate of magnesia to each quart of milk.

To keep flatirons clean and smooth, rub them first with a piece of wax tied in a clean and stream of the magnesia to the same of the magnesia to the same of the magnesia to the same of the same the sake of a penny or two more profit. You can't cloth and afterward scour them on a paper trust that man. Get what or cloth strewn with coarse salt. If a cloth is wet in vinegar and then

wrung out as dry as possible with the hands and wrapped around cheese and then the whole put in a large paper bag and kept in a cool place the cheese will retain the mois will not mould. The severe itching and smarting, produced

by being poisoned with ivy oak or dogwood may be relieved by washing the parts affect-ed with a solution of saleratus water—two espoonfuls to a pint of water—and then applying clothes wet with extract of witch catter corn meal over it, and the meal will be absorbed. Oil that has soaked into a car-

pet may be taken out by laying a thick piece of blotting paper over it and pressing with a hot flatiron; repeat the operation, using a fresh piece of paper each time. Often a defective cover will be found mong the fruit jars and cannot be screwed down to make the fruit jars tight. Put a little putty around between the cover and rubber, and when the top is screwed down you make 'evolution' 'revolution.' You as tightly as possible press the putty in around the crevice, and when the putty beomes hard the jar will be found air tight. The best way to remove sand and grit it is to lay the fruit loosely in a clean basket nd dip the basket into fresh, clean water. It is said that if a lamp wick is soaked in vinegar 24 hours before being placed in the lamp a clearer flame will be insured. Wicks hould be changed often, as they soon become

How Children are Spoiled.

clogged and do not permit the free passage

OTHERS WHO FOSTER UGLY TRAITS BY IN "The dangers that cluster about the un tried feet of the young mother begin from the very first dawnings of her babe's intelli-gence," writes Eugenia Dunlap Potts in the October Ladies' Home Companion. "Long before she dreams of his knowing anything, or receiving mental impressions, the seeds are sowing for good or ill in his character. I have watched the growth of weeds that, with the lightest touch, might have been flipped away from the tender soil; but time passed by, and the intruder flourished apace. Get control of your child during the first three years and you are sure of him. The habit of obedience and deference firmly rooted then, he will never fail you in after years, when he has slipped the apronlesh. The trouble is too often with the parents. The other herself fosters ugly traits by injudicious managing. Her baby refuses to kiss her. She makes believe to cry about it, and thus gives a lesson that will soon have him crying for what he wants. He bumps his head, and she whips the door or whatever makes nearly all children liars and many of an old woman, who said. them thieves? They are trained to be so by he unconscious fingers that point the way The mother promises anything, everything, to keep peace and avoid a combat with the ittle creature, who even now is beyond her ontrol. She does not fulfil these promises and the child becomes her judge. Never

duence. Do not rob him of the happiness of supreme trust in you. It will cling to im through life." To Clean a Brussels Carpet.

tell a lie to a child, or in any way deceive

him, if you would hope to get the proper in

First, have the carpet well shaken, then ack it down in a room where it is to remain, and sweep it as thoroughly as possible Take a pail of hot water, put in two table spoonfuls of powdered borax, wash the car-pet all over the surface, using a flannel cloth. For grease spots or very dirty places use a crubbing brush freely, and very little soap, taking care to rinse the soap off well after scrubbing. Change the water quite often. Rub the carpet well, after washing, with a dry cloth, and open the doors and windows

o as to dry it as quickly as possible.

Tomatoes With Lemon. Peel half a dozen yellow tomatoes, ripe but firm, slice them evenly and pile the slices pyramid-wise in a pretty dish. As you pile them strew in between a dust of salt, the merest dash of white pepper and plenty of granulated sugar. Finish the top with a rounded half tomato. Then squeeze over the whole the juice of one large or two small lemons. Let stand five minutes, stick bits of green about the base, put a lump of

ice on top and send to table -Black walnut furniture is quickly cleand by rubbing with a flannel cloth moist with kerosene. Rub dry, then apply the following preparation: Mix together equal parts of linseed oil, vinegar and turpentine. Shake well, apply with flannel cloth and rub in well. Let the furniture stand a short time, then rub vigorously with dry flannel. Unless badly stained and marred, furniture will look better, treated in this way, than when coated with the heavier dressing.

A simple test for digestibility, by which one can determine easily if a solid food is one which is proper to give a sick person, If it soaks up the water rapidly the food is noderately digestive. This test was given

To Wash Red Table Linen. Use tepid water with a little powdered borax (borax sets the color). Wash the linen separately and quickly, using very little soap; rinse in tepid water containing a little boiled starch, hang to dry in the shade,

iron when almost dry. Tired Feet. Drop four tablespoonfuls of ammonia and two of bay rum into four quarts of cold water. Soak the feet in this for ten minutes, then rub well with a coarse towel.

-A hot bath taken on going to bed, even on a hot night of summer, is a better cure for insomnia than many drugs.

—One thing is certain—that if this life is all, religion is an intrusion and a delusion; but if another life overlaps this one, and if the chief purpose of this one is to prepare for the life to come, and if you believe this with all your mind and all your heart, then religion is your prime necessity. As food nonrishes the body, so religion nourishes the soul, and as physical growth is the result of taxing labor, and cannot be had without it, so spiritual growth is impossible without burdens and disappointments and tears.

### Joker's Corner.

Tit for Tat.

A young man amused himself by leaving a table in a hotel parlor the following

A young lady pencilled this retort on the back of an envelope and left it for the young

Shocking Bad Taste, "My dear, don't you intend to ask Mr.

onel Yerger. "Certainly not," replied Mrs. Yerger.
"Why not? They are very good frien

vited Mr. and Mrs. Brown." "Well, can't you invite the Greens also?" "Colonel Yerger, are you orzay? Do you imagine that I would have Green and B in my parlor? Why, you will be asking me

Managing Editor—"Jones, that editorial you handed in this morning was a splendid

piece of work."
Sub-Editor—"I am glad you like it. It took me considerable time and thought to prepare it, but I knew it would be appreciated."

New Orthography.

Mamma-"Well, Elsie, what did you learn at school to-day?"

Elsie (aged 6)—" Learned to spell."

Mamma-" And how do you spell man? Elsie (promptly)—" M-a-n, man."

Mamma—"Now, how do you spell boy?"

ineffaceably engraved on the tablets of my memory, and in my heart the love I bear for you can never die. But I am ambitious to

They Needed a Rest. "Did your rector get his usual vacation

"Yes, the vestry gave him a three-month "They realized, I suppose, that he needed

it was that hurt him, thus teaching him to be combative and spiteful. What is it that

The minister was aware that he very popular and answered. "My good woman, I am glad to hear it There are too few like you. And why do you like it when I preach?"

"Oh, sir," she replied, "when you pre I always get a good seat." Engagement Note.

Miss Eamerelda Longcoffin, of Oak Cliff, is very much a flirt, and has been engaged to a dozen different gentlemen. A few days ago she said to her father

hope you are as happy with him as you will be with the next one," replied the old man. Coming Her Way. Father (angrily-entering parlor at 12.30)

N.n.n no, sir.
Father (appeased as he leaves the room)—
That's all right, then! (Aside) Thank Heaven! Mary has caught on at last.

A Fine Time. Mistress—I am very glad to see you home in time, Margret. Did you have a good time Margret-Inhade, mum, Oi had jist an illigant toime. Oi sat in a foine coach with

"Waiter" said the tired customer, "I can't eat that steak and you may take it

away."
"Shall I charge it, sir?" "Charge it! Why, a regiment of cavalry couldn't charge that stake with drawn asores." And he made good his escape.

such as a cat on the back fence for instance."
"This powder will be effective," replied

"You don't take it. You give it to the cat in a little milk." -Judge-"Have you been punished be

"You are discharged —When Eve had so many pleasures to coupy her time in the garden of Eden, how

He must have advertised a bargain sale of She-" Since my return from Europe I'm

another woman."
Sarcastic Friend—"How delighted your

-" How does an Irishman perpose tergit ober single blessedness? Why, he perposes ter Bridget, ob co'se. Heah! yeah!

you have no idea whatever of har

will please be more careful about this in the

Elsie (after a moment's reflections way, only in littler letters."

Why He Got Left.

He-" You promised to give me an answe

She-" Dearest Harold, I love you with all

the deep devotion of my sex. Your image is

shine in society beside the jeweled queens of fashion, to dazzle all eyes with pricele fashion, to dazzle all eyes with priceless gems, and so, dear Harold, I must marry the los

this summer?" asked Gilhooly of an Episcopal

"No, but they realized that the congrega-

"Oh, sir, well do I like the day when you

"Pa, you may congratulate me on having acquired a new object of my affections." "I am very glad to hear it, Esmerelda. I

-Look here, young man! Do you stay as late as this when you call on other girls? Jack Huggard (trembling with fear)-

th' carps' husband, en' he squazed me hand an' towld me: "Troth, Margaret, an' ye're jist the belle av th' funeral."

-" Doctor," said he, "I'm a victim of inomnia. I can't sleep if there's the least noise

the physician, after compounding a pre "When do I take it, doctor?"

Prisoner—"Yes; I got five years." "In the penitentiary?"
"No. It was worse than that. I lived with my wife five years before I got a divor-

do you suppose the serpent managed to se-

-A fifty-cent piece, my son, with a hole in it, will not pass current, which show that the half is better than the hole.

You want Scott's Emul-