

The urine was much disordered, containing sediment, and my rest was broken at night. Relief from these troubles came soon after I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and continued treatment entirely freed me from kidney trouble. The cure has been permanent."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

BRINGING HIM OUT.



Asker-How is it you never speak to Duffly? I'm sure he's a diamond in the rough

Miss Trimm-Yes: I think so, toothat's why I'm cutting him.

IN AGONY WITH ECZEMA.

Whole Body a Mass of Raw, Bleeding, Torturing Humor - Hoped Death Would End Fearful Suffering.

In Despair; Cured by Cuticura.

"Words cannot describe the terrible eczema I suffered with. It broke out on my head and kept spreading until it covered my whole body. I head to foot. I looked more like a piece of raw beef than a human be-The pain and agony endured seemed more than I could bear. Blood and pus oozed from the great sore on my scalp, from under my finger nails, and nearly all over my body. My ears were so crusted and swollen I Austria and France and England are was afraid they would break off. busy safeguarding their status quo. Every hair in my head fell out. I could not sit down, for my clothes would stick to the raw and bleeding flesh, making me cry out from the pain. My family doctor did all he could, but I got worse and worse. My condition was awful. I did not think I could live, and wanted death to

come and end my frightful sufferings. "In this condition my mother-in-law begged me to try the Cuticura Remedies. I said I would, but had no hope of recovery. But oh, what blessed relief I experienced after applying Cuticura Ointment. It cooled the bleeding and itching flesh and brought me the first real sleep I had had in weeks. It was as grateful as ice to a burning tongue. I would bathe with warm water and Cuticura Soap, then apply the Ointment freely. I also took Cuticura Resolvent for the blood. In a short time the sores stopped running, the flesh began to heal, and I knew I was to get well again. Then the hair on my head began to grow, and in a short time I was completely cured. I wish I could tell everybody who has eczema to use Cuticura. Mrs. Wm. Hunt, 135 Thomas St., Newark, N. J., Sept. 28, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

His Sole Limitation. "Do you know what I'd laik to be?" asked Rastus of the commercial traveler who was stopping at the wayside hotel.

"No." said the commercial traveler. "What? A millionaire?"

"No, sah," said Rastus. "A lawyer?"

"Oh, no, sah. Not dat."

"A doctor?" "No. sah."

"What then?" asked the commercial

"I'd laik to be a preacher, sah," Rastus said.

"Well, then, why don't you?" asked the commercial traveler.

"I can't, sah," replied Rastus, "because I ain't got no frock coat."

Overdoing It.

A young Englishman, after he had been in Devil's valley for a couple of months, began to grow thin. Wyoming cooking did not appeal to him. Besides his squeamish appetite there was another thing that the natives held against him-his outlandish custom of taking a bath every morning. One day his landlady was discussing him with a friend.

"I tell ye what, Sal," said the visitor, "he's jest a-wastin' away a-grievin' for some gal back east thar."

"Nothin' o' the kind," said the landlady, contemptuously. "You mark my words, now-that young feller he's jest a washin' hisself away."-Everybody's Magazine.

> GOOD CHANGE Coffee to Postum.

The large army of persons who have found relief from many chronic ailments by changing from coffee to Postum as a daily beverage, is growing each day.

It is only a simple question of trying it for oneself in order to know the joy of leturning health as realized by an Ills. young lady. She writes:

"I had been a coffee drinker nearly all my life and it affected my stomach -caused insomnia and I was seldom without a headache. I had heard about Postum and how beneficial it was, so concluded to quit coffee and try it.

"I was delighted with the change. I can now sleep well and seldom ever have headache. My stomach has gotten strong and I can eat without suffering afterwards. I think my whole system greatly benefited by Postum.

"My brother also suffered from stomach trouble while he drank coffee, but now, since using Postum he feels so much better he would not go back to

coffee for anything." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human

STAGE SEEMS TO BE SET FOR EUROPEAN WAR IN THE SPRING

ONDON, Eng.-If Europe is | might well tolerate from a Servian Catholic crusade. Other critics con- Queen Draga. The assassins, indeed, to be saved from a general tongue what she could not possibly clude that while the act of Bulgaria in spite of the protests of foreign powinternational convulsion in tolerate from Russia, France or Ger- in putting her foot through the treaty ers, are among those who still hold the coming spring, her many, for instance a little more con- of Berlin when she declared her inde- high office in the kingdom, a fact that chief statesmen will de sideration for the exingencies of the pendence in October last and Austria's lends some color to the rumor that serve the praise of history | Servian minister's surroundings might | formal incorporation of Bosnia and | the present king was privy to the horand the thanks of the whole world. It is have led the government of Vienna to Herzegovina, may have been dramatic, rible crime of the palace. Neverthein the spring that things happen in the regard the Servian minister's speech nobody in Europe considered Bulgaria less, Servia has had the support of Balkan region—that present center of as intended less for foreign than for or Bosnia and Herzegovina parts the western powers in her claims for the continent wherein may be struck home consumption. But Austria is not of the Turkish empire except compensation from Austria. The the vital spark of European flame. The inclined to be lenient. As a matter of in name. Austria created order Crown Prince George is a wild, harum-Balkans are extremely mountainous, fact, consideration for the weaker na- in the two provinces and atmin- scarum youth, whose chief faculty is and the country, difficult of communi- tion in general never has been a charistered and civilized them for 30 years that of getting into scrapes which discation in most parts at any time, is acteristic of the policy of Vienna. The and probably no historian ever will tress the Servian authorities. impassable in the winter, when snow whole trend of events during the past say that Europe contemplated their Prince Nicholas of Montenegro sucand drift and glacier block the rugged few weeks points to this fact-that being handed back to Turkey with- ceeded to the throne in 1860, after way, writes A. Francis Walker in the the ties which maintain certain of the out protest. For all practical purthe murder of Danilo I. His court is New York Press. It is a country of unrest, of strife are of the very slenderest nature and and turmoil. Year after year the that the slightest indiscretion of word

the spring." The world has been see. fooled so many times by this rumor that it has become skeptical, but the time for skepticism is past. If ever ever arise at one juncture. The Serb two great races are obeying that instates seem bent upon fight; Bulgaria, stinct-the Teuton and the Slav. in her ambitions toward Macedonia, From west to east, or southeast, the was almost a solid mass of sores from | no longer feels her interests bound up | Teuton, represented by Austria, with with Austria; Russia cannot afford to the driving power of Germany behind disregard Slav feeling, however much her, is heading for Salonika. From she may cry peace; and whichever north to south, or southwest, the Slav

All Signs Point to War.

The announcement that Austria had bone of contention. decided to pay the sum of \$10,000,000 | Through Bosnia and Herzegovina, potent influences that have been at or thereabouts to Turkey as compen- also through Servia herself, Austria

European powers in a state of peace world has been told each winter or deed may precipitate a struggle the There will be war in the Balkans in end of which no living man can for-

Is Contest of Races.

The fundamental, basic fact back of all the negotiations between the varithe rumor is going to find develop- ous powers, principally Austria and ment in actual fact, it surely will find Turkey, Russia and the Balkan provit in the spring of 1909. According inces proper, is the collision of two to Sir Edward Grey, the British min- opposing forces, whose natural trend, ister for foreign affairs, the present respectively, is east and west, north Balkan troubles have caused "the and south. Kinglake in his masterly greatest diplomatic complications of analysis of the Crimean war has noted modern history." Never were so many the inevitable tendency of the northinternational interests involved, nor ern peoples to the south and the dit so many territorial complications warm water. At the present moment way the pendulum swings, it an out- is equally bent upon linking up the break should occur, Austria and Tur- dismembered fragments of his race poses, whatever they were in theory, poverty-stricken, partly owing to the key must find themselves involved. and making his way down to the Bosnia and Herzegovina were prov- prince's own extravagances and mania Germany has promised to stand by Adriatic. And the geographical and inces of Austria-Hungary, and Bul- for gambling. One of his daughters political point at which the lines of garia was an independent principality. is the present queen of Italy. these movements intersect lies in the Undoubtedly the irresistible racial amtwo provinces which form the present bitions of the peoples, referred to in



INTERESTED PERSONAGES.

settlement have been written down. jealousy of Teutonic ambitions.

eign minister, practically said "Hands wood is found. off!" to Austria. He bluntly declared that the balance of power and the lib-

archy and the Balkans.

sation for the annexation of Bosnia hopes to force her way southward. and Herzegovina cleared the air for a Through that same territory, inhab. tria and Germany. Great Britain is selves there has been no real peace time, but already difficulties have ited by the men of his own race and concerned for her control of the Bos- for years past. The Bulgars, the Turks arisen concerning the actual amount tongue, and largely of his own re phorus and the Dardanelles, and and the Greeks have lived in a state to be paid in cash, the terms of pay- ligion, the Slav intends to find his way France has her border interests as of turmoil. ment and the refusal of Turkey to to the sea, and thereby to unite those well as her entente with Great Britain For all The Haugue peace conferstop the boycott of Austrian trade un kindred racial elements which are ani. to consider. til the final signatures to the financial mated by the most intense hatred and The sovereign houses of the Balkan trations, Europe looks out upon the

That is only part of the trouble any- It would seem as if, in the presence if not the tragedy, of present-day his- a-tingle. The jealousies of races and way. Servia and Montenegro are of these two tremendous opposing tory. The most powerful and most nations scatter treaties and paper more defiant than ever. The recent forces, the petty details of interna- universally respected of the Balkan bonds to the four winds. How long speech of the Servian minister for tional politics from day to day have rulers to-day is King Charles of Ru- before the clash? The Turk in his foreign affairs in his own parliament only that importance which belongs mania. He is nearly 70 years old, and mad fanaticism, guarding religion and was a flat defiance of Austrian de- to them in their relation to those in poor health. In his 40 years' reign race in the manner in which he enjoys. forces. Yet it is in the petty details he has developed the country into the the greatest fighting unit in the world. M. Milovanovitch, the Servian for- of political strife that the kindling most prosperous and powerful of the perhaps, though always lacking lead-

Disagree as to Motives. There seems to be no doubt that the house was furnished by Prince Couza | campaign second to none, the Greek erties of the Balkan peoples could be personal influence of the Emperor the present king's predecessor, whose safeguarded only by Austria ceasing Francis Joseph had a great deal to do profligacies shocked his people so to be a Balkan power. Further, he with the avoidance of rupture a few much that they compelled him to abformulated a demand for the auton- months ago. The emperor, sometimes dicate. King Charles was a German | 3axon, with little chance for the Latin omy of Bosnia and Herzgovina under called the "father-in-law of Europe," prince and did not take the title of to escape, if Italy sees fit to keep faith European control and for the recogni- is the oldest of European sovereigns, king until after the Russo-Turkish war with her allies-all likely to b intion of the Save and the Danube rivers He is 78 years old, and he has reigned of 1877, when he aided the Muscovite volved in setting the Old World as the frontier between the dual mon- for 61 years. And it is fairly certain forces. that the emperor's desire for peace A great power like Austria-Hungary and his anxiety to see a quiet sunset could afford to remain passive under of a reign that had such a cyclonic up on account of her Macedonian in- "the balance of power!" How long? provocation from a minor state, and sunrise in 1848 has had much to do terests, and also because the declara- The spring may tell.

> pound, having, of course, first tested a number of them having once gauged dollars a pair, and has proved herself a family's social standing. And every a very live business woman by mak-

Three Monarchs Interested.

ingly, and offered to make good any bed. Maine, it appears, is, or was, them. The beds weigh from 19 to 15 loss the society might incur through

> narm was done, and inclosed a hand bill, which read as follows: "As the Rev. Mr. Blank is unable to give his advertised lecture as announced, a

with Austria's recent concession to tion of Cretan independence gave an-Many a man forgets what he ought noyance to Turkey at a very critical to know and knows what he ought to There are critics who trace the ori- moment. King George is one of the gin of the present European trouble most interesting figures of Southern

mainly to the aspirations of Francis Europe. His government has been It is self-evident that the lawyer Joseph's heir, the Archduke Franz wise and sober, and he and Queen who questions a witness doesn't know be partly Federalist—the change of King Peter of Servia has been called the dual monarchy into a federal sys- "the boycotted monarch," because,

Ferdinand, whose aim is believed to Olga are immensely popular.

tem, of which a Slav state will form with the exception of Emperor Francis

an important constituent-partly Cler- Joseph, all the rulers of Europe have

ical at home and abroad. This would refused to visit him or to accept visits

mean pushing Austrian rule forward from him. This because King Peter

into the Balkans in the spirit and has refused to dissociate himself from

with the aim of a twentieth century the assassin of King Alexander and

THE PROBABLE SCENE OF ACTION.

diers, worthy descendants of the men map of Europe. Truly, in the event

who, fighting in the phalanx of Alex. of general hostilities, some historic

Bulgarian massacres following them, a memory of wars of the past; one

brought on the last Russo-Turkish can scarcely tread a square mile of

war, which was closed provisionally ground without putting one's foot

by the treaty of San Stefano. That upon some battlefield of a bygone

formed the majority of the inhabit. the diplomatic negotiations over the

est element among the inhabitants of ment in the work of killing of 13,560-

Macedonia, and Bulgaria has been in- 000 men, or a grand total of 21,959,000

tent upon regaining the province. The men in land forces alone. The employ-

recent Turkish revolution, and es ment of the navies of the same na-

strengthen the neglected army, ap- 1,802 other vessels of war and 362,561

fought nearly all her greatest wars outbreak since the Russo-Turkish war

since the time of Peter the Great and of 1877-8, though for several years be

Catherine II., and some critics fore fore that Europe had known little

see a combination of Russia and Tur- peace. The Franco-German war of

key, supported by Great Britain, 1870, the Crimean war of 1856 and the

against Bulgarian aggression, which Austro-Prussian war of 1866 are all

they say, would be supported by Aus- near memories. In the Balkans them-

states have furnished the melodrama, spring with quivering eye and nerves

Balkan states. His wife is "Carmen ership and discipline; the Bulgar no

Sylva." The melodrama of this royal less warlike and capable of a guerrilla

Greece comes into the present mix- place which dipiomats choose to term

a previous paragraph, are the most

work. These instincts are finding

frank and open expression at this

Bulgaria has been a powerful em-

pire in the past, possessing something

of a glorious history. Many of the

greatest victories and conquests of

Turkey were due to the devotions and

reckless courage of her Bulgarian sol-

ander the Great, conquered the world.

treaty created Greater Bulgaria, to in- time.

peared to stimulate Bulgaria to action. | men.

Great Powers Involved.

Bulgaria has two mighty neighbors,

and to conquer and hold Macedonia

she had to have the backing of a first-

class power. For that support she

turned to Austria-Hungary, having lost

the support of Russia when she re-

jected Russia's tutelage, refused to

Russianize her army and to convert

Bulgaria into a Russian protectorate.

There are those who believe that a

Turko-Bulgarian quarrel would be only

one act in a great European struggle

for the control of Constantinople. It

is for Constantinople that Russia has

clude Rumelia and Macedonia, those

parts of Turkey in which Bulgarians

juncture.

RUSSIA

War Would Mean Change,

need be said. During his reign of 32

years he has lost most of his domin-

ions in Europe, and as the regenerated

Turkey, under constitutional rule, has

shorn him of most of his govern-

mental power, he becomes a much less

dominant figure than before in the

If there should be war there surely

will be some radical changes in the

battlefields would be trampled again.

The total war strength of the Euro-

pean nations at present concerned in

The total wealth of these same na-

tions is represented in gigantic fig-

all the European powers, France is

best able financially to face a war.

The individual wealth of France is

greater than that of any of her rivals,

and her internal financial responsibil-

ities are less. Germany is not in a

healthy financial state. Turkey has

been financially corrupt for ages, but,

somehow, she always can get the

Always Prepared for War.

ences and talks of treaties and arbi-

and all the mixed bloods of the Ori-

ent combined; the Teuton and the

Slav, the Norman and the Anglo-

ablaze! A continent of peoples clash-

ing and strugging for that pride of

There has been no serious European

money to fight.

ruling of the Ottoman empire.

Of Abdul Hamid II. of Turkey little

It's difficult for some people to understand how other people understand

The average woman has a mania for the kind of clothes that are more ornamental than useful.

About the first thing a new cook expects the mistress to learn is to keep out of the culinary department.

A woman's idea of economy is to buy five cents' worth of anything on two separate occasions instead of blowing in a dime all at once.

WANTED.

Springs for the ocean's bed.

Plaster to mend the break of day. A barber to shave the face of the

A dentist to work on the jaws of

A pair of suspenders for breaches of

KNEW WHAT HE NEEDED.



where I kin get a-Kid-Nothin' doin', pop! De barber

shops is all closed on Sundays!

MIX FOR LAME BACK To one-half pint good whiskey, add

ounce Toris compound, which can be procured from any druggist. Take in teaspoonful doses before each meal and before retiring. This recipe is never-failing. Leading specialists pre-

one ounce syrup sarsaparilla, and one

Her Extreme Goodness. The husband of a beloved deceased wife came to see her bust.

"Look at it well," said the sculptor, "and as it is only in clay I can alter it if necessary."

The widower looked at it carefully with the most tender interest. "It is her very self," he said. "Her large -the sign of goodness!" Then, bursting into tears, he added: "She was so good! Make the nose a little The revolt of the Bulgarians and the The entire area of central Europe is larger!"-Lippincott's.

STATE OF ORIO CITY OF TOLEDO, 1 SS.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE EUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, its 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. ants. The treaty of San Stefano was Balkans is represented by a total of A. W. GLEASON. revised by the powers at the congress 8,399,000 troops, which includes en-SEAL } of Berlin and Bulgaria had the two listed men and reserves. But reckon-NOTARY PUBLIC. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. sub-territories taken away from her. ing the number of men actually avail-She regained Rumelia, but not Mace. able for duty, though unorganized, a F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O donia. The Bulgarians are the strong. European war could mean the employ-

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pilis for constipation. Comfort Still.

A little fellow of five years fell and cut his upper lip so badly that a docpecially the intention of the Young tions could mean the engagement of tor had to be summoned to sew up the Turk party to immediately reform and a total of 122 modern battleships, wound. In her distress the mother could not refrain from saying: "Oh, doctor. I fear it will leave a disfiguring scar.'

Tommy looked up into her tearful ures, no less than \$215,000,000,000. Of face, and said: "Never mind, mamma, my mustache will cover it."-Harper's Weekly.

I nundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

Perquisites.

Hy Whittlesticks (perched on a barrel in Dupay's store, munching a cracker and reaching for a piece of cheese)-I do think that if that thar Andy Carniggy 'ud give our town a lib'ry it 'ud become right smart pop'lar with th' boys. Don't you think so, Cy?

Cy Dupay-I cal'late would-providin' he kept it right well supplied with crackers and cheese.

There are four advantages in taking Munyon's Homeopathic Remedies. First, they are positively harmless. Second, they are pleasant to take. Third, they relieve quickly. Fourth, they cost nothing unless they give satisfaction. Prof. Munyon has just issued a Mag-

azine-Almanac, which will be sent free to any person who addresses The Munyon Company, Philadelphia.

Too Much Gravity a Bad Sign. There is a false gravity which is a very ill symptom; and it may be said that as rivers which run very slowly have always the most mud at the bottom, so a solid stiffness in the constant course of a man's life is a sign of a thick bed of mud at the bottom of his brain.-Saville.

With a smooth iron and Defiance Starch, you can launder your shirtwaist just as well at home as the steam laundry can; it will have the proper stiffness and finish, there will be less wear and tear of the goods, and it will be a positive pleasure to use a Starch that does not stick to the

Who Wouldn't? "We need a man to play the part of a millionaire; would you care to as-

sume the role?" "I'd rather assume the roll." Expresses in England.

The Great Western railway, England, is famous for its express trains. During the season of American travel there are three expresses which rua daily from London to Exeter, a distance of 173 2-3 miles, without a stop, in three hours, at an average speed of just 58 miles an hour. A fourth express makes the same run at an average speed of 56 1-3 miles an hour. It is not unusual for the total load back of the tender and expresses to reach

Powerful English Dredge.

An unusually powerful dredge is being built for the docks and harbor board of Mersey. It has an over-all length of 487 feet, a beam of 69 feet and a depth of 30 feet 7 inches, and its hoppers will carry 10,000 tons of sand. The two suction pipes are 42 inches in diameter and 90 feet long, and each is connected to a pair of centrifugal pumps, each driven by a triple expansion engine. The suction pipes can dredge down to 70 feet below the water surface.

Largest Friction Saws.

The largest friction saws in the world are used in one of Chicago's huge construction plants, says Popular Mechanics. They cut through a teninch steel I-beam in 14 seconds. These saws or disks are so made that they generate enough heat at the point of contact literally to melt their way through the metal being cut. The cutting edge of the disks is roughened by simply hacking with a fishtail chisel.

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

Some people spend so much time in counting the mileposts they miss all the scenery.

Unknown to Science. The eight-year-old son of a scientist

showed a sudden interest in photography. "Dad," he said, "they photograph

comets and meteors and flying birds and lightning flashes and all sorts of moving things without any trouble, don't they?" "Yes, my scn."

"Then how is it they can't pho-

tograph a boy without putting his head in an iron frame?"

The Secret of Poverty.

Dr. Woods Hutchinson of New York unlocked the secret of general poverty in an address at the American Museum of Natural History in New York early this month, when he said: "What is killing the people of this city may be stated as overwork, feeding and overcrowding; and two of these may be included under the one word 'underpaid.' The message of the church and of medicine to-day to the community is not 'Give to the poor,' but 'Don't take so much away from them.'-The Public.

Starch, like everything else, is being constantly improved, the patent Starches put on the market 25 years ago are very different and inferior to those of the present day. In the latest discovery-Defiance Starch-all injurious chemicals are omitted, while the addition of another ingredient, invented by us, gives to the Starch a arrength and smoothness never approached by other brands.

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Maine Widow Evidently Endowed with full of feather beds, the possession of pounds. She sells the pillows for five his delinquency. Good Business Instinct.

has supported herself and three chil- plucked by hand from the breast of dren, sending two boys to college, by a living goose, then washed in amconverting feather beds into pillows. | monia and soapsuds and dried in the ing something, her great need arising the wind.

about the time the spring and mat- This woman has bought as many as afterward discovered that he had a lecture can have it exchanged to this tress superseded the classic feather 12 of these fine pre-revolutionary beds prior engagement on the same date. on payment of ten cents extra."

A clergyman's widow up in Maine fluffy particle in those fat ticks was ing from \$40 to \$50 a week at times.

Minstrels at a Premium.

MADE LIVING FROM FEATHERS in one house, paying one dollar a so he notified the committee accord-

In reply the secretary said that no A well-known minister of Philadel- negro minstrel troupe has kindly vol-Hunger and pride drove her to do- sunshine in muslin bags fluttering in phia accepted an invitation to lecture unteered to give a performance. Any in a small town in New Jersey, but person who has bought a ticket for his