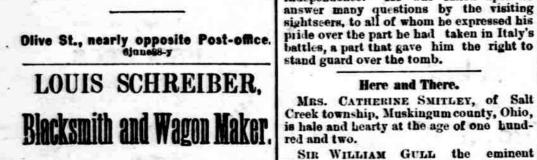
TWO VALENTIRES. path. They made life worth the living. Sen PREDERICE ABSL recently deliv-S'JACOBS OT NEBRASKA Charten man's Trink. improvement on Ramie. Col. Wade, of Missouri, familiarly known as "Farmer Bill" Wade, congratu-lates himself on the fact that he has a just-told story that illustrates, they think, the goodness of the late Bishop Lightfoot. It is that in early life he fell in love with a more than in early life he fell ENGLISH churchme Mark Hazard had proven the saying of BT FRANK DEMPSTER SHE SMAN. sture on smokeless powder at the sitution in London. He said that A new fiber plant has been discovered on the Isle of Trinidad which promises Love, at your door young Cupici stands And knocks for you to come : The frost is in his fost and hands, his old neighbors, that he was narrowthe smokaless powder now being manufac-tured in Europe will a gelatinous sub-stance shaped into threads and strips under on the laie of Trinidad which promises to be an improvement on ramie. It was found by an agriculturist named T. J. St. Hill, who has called it "maholtine," but whose scientific nomenclature is Abutilon periplocifolium. The great thing with this plant is that the ribbons at nearly all times of the year are easily detached from the wooden portion by simply stripping CURES PERMANENTLY FAMILY : JOURNAL minded and small-souled, to be literally in love with a woman who rejected him and bleved a committee chair use he now has a clerk to RHEUMATISM true, and to no one were these traits married another clergyman. After Dr. Lightfoot became bishop he found his old sweetheart and her husband struggling along on a poor living in his diocese, whereupon he took every occasion to ad-vance his rival until the latter and his fampressure. It is made by dissolving gan cotton or some similar material with compound, when properly prepared, through perforated diss. His lips with cold are numb. Suffered far Nearly 50 Tears 167 H. Chester Ht., Inkinsore, For nearly 50 years I suffered with th time in arm and shoulder; could not I arm. Less than two bottliss of F. Jaco sured me. W. H. BIER more apparent than to his wife. e. The law cont Grant him admittance, sweatheart m And by your cheering fire. His lips shall loosen as with wine his clerk in the act of devoting It was on a sultry spring afternoon exclusively to the pressing that a double carriage paused in front of the committee on labor, but Col. A Weekly Newspaper issued every And speak forth my desire. Wade views him more frequently in the act of attending to the congressional afof the large, unfinished, almost unfurthe wooden portion by simply stripping them with the hand, and therefore a de-corticating machine is not required as for Wednesday. act of attending to the congressional af-fairs of William Wade of Missonri. This ily were in very comfortable circum-By Years' Sta nished house known as the "Hazard He left me not an hour ago, NEW YORK receives more than one-third of the merchandise exported from Bahis, Brazil, but in return it furnishes only a stances. And when the rascal went Place." and a well-dressed gentleman, relieves the colonel of much of the petty drudgery of congressional work and leaves him free to relate to his fellow members Barefooted out into the snow Florence, Ala. alighting and stepping to the open I asked him whither bent. When it is known how readily the stems million and a half out of a total importa-tion of thirteen and a half millions. Engmost everything without relief. St. Dil finally cured me. FRED. RO allow themselves to be deprived of their coating of tark and fiber it will be seen The personally conducted excursions t Quoth he: "To her whose face is lik door, asked for accommodations for his this rapidly growing city have been so suc-cessful that the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad (Evansville Route) will run one on the side-splitting anecdotes for which he is famous. Col. Wade never had a private 32 Columns of reading matter, con A garden full of flowers, land, France and Germany supply the rest. From this country flour, kerosene, lard, party of four. AT DEUGGIETS AND DEALERS. coating of tark and inper it will be seen what advantage this simple fact gives the new product over many of the fiber pro-ducing plants. All that is required is to cut the stems, which are fully ten feet long, split the bark at the larger end and strip off the bark from end to end without stemping as fortunately the stemp have To her whose smiles like sunlight strike THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., Buildinero, M sisting of Nebraska State News Poor woman, she had been washing, and, with dinner just over, she was warm and tired. The flushed face, with damp curls clustering about it, Poor woman, she had been washing, Across the winter hours." each of the following dates: Feb. 4, 11, 1 and blue drillings are shipped; from Eu-rope everything else is shipped, even to Christmas trees. and 25. For copy of "Alabama as It I-" and further information, send to William Hill, Gen. Pass. Agent, Chicago, Ill. Items, Selected Stories and No more he said, nor need of more Stop that Miscellany. Had I to know. I knew His path lay straight unto your door-That face belongs to you. CHRONIC COUGH NOW A DUDISH bird that lines its nest with stopping, as fortunately the stems have no side branches. Samples submitted to London brokers were favorably reported on and were valued at from \$17 to \$20 per ton looked far more like Kittie Deane's, A ST. LOUIS physician thinks it just A ST. LOUIS physician thinks it just as important that the ears of railroad em-ployes, and particularly that the ears of locomotive engineers, should be scien-tifically tested for natural or acquired de-fects as that their eyes should be tested for color-blindness. There is a trouble known to medical men who practice largely among milboxed employee as whistle deefness "Godspeed," I cried, "and give her this the down of certain flowers is the lanceo however, than did the usual pale coun-This clerk was a man who lived in Col. When you her face shall see:" late honeyeater. The nest is shared like tenance and plainly drawn hair of Mrs. Mark Hazard. Wade s district for hand y function there than Mr. Wade. He volunteered his services for a hammock suspended from twigs, and is very deep. The groundwork is of grass and wood. And os his lips I set a kiss, Bample copies sent free to any address." sumptive. For Consumption, Serofu General Debility and Wasting Discas here is nothing like A vilentine from me! certain hours in the evening to write let-ters. Col. Wade was about to absent him-The French Woman Suffragist. "Yes, you can stay but the accom-AN OLD VALENTINE. SCOTT'S Mme. Olympe Audouard, a famous French champion of woman's rights, has just died at Nice. She was fifty-nine Clover Seed. modations are poor," she answered self from the halls of legislation and from Medium clover seed, \$3.50 per bushel; sacks, 20c. Send money with otder. H. C. Wheeler, Odebolt, Sac county, Iowa. hesitatingly, lifting her eyes for the first the national capital, with a view railroad employes as whistle deafness. Subscription price time to the occupants of the carriage. A to transacting some private business BY VEL MA CALDWELL-MELVILLE. A TRIAL in the harbor of Portsmout years old, and had been married early in The suggestion came to him oppor-tunely. He would go away, leaving England, recently showed that a modern torpedo boat can mount any boom yet de-vised to protect a roadstead or harbor. brief glance took in the well dressed \$1 a year, in Advance. ife to a Marseilles notary, from whom she LARGE numbers of Americans, "Oh. mother! isn't it lovely?" cried separated after a few months, and spent ladies in the back seat, and was met by ecially from the Pacific coast, are now isiting Japan. They generally remain a pretty bit of femininity as she held his correspondence in the hands of the exsome time in traveling about Europe. Afthe startled, troubled gaze of the gentle-Missourian. The ex-Missourian woul The structure tested it was supposed would terward she wrote a book and started a up a wonderful creation in flowers, lace, Address: lew months, and thus acquire a wide familwith much adroitness write in the colonel's man holding the reins. instantly stop and hold fast any boat atreview, which became so lively that the M. K. TURNER & Co., name non-committal answers to the letters iarity with Japanese manners and institu nottoes, etc imperial government intertered with a prohibition of any political writing in it. She then came to America and was sometempting to pass it, but the boat, driven at full speed, went over without that were received and the colonel on his return would follow up his assistant's let-One little gasping cry, and the flush "Ralph's valentine," she added, turn-Of Pure Cod Liver Oil and Columbus, was gone from the sweet face and the ifficulty or damage. Platte Co., Neb ng her blushing face aside. ters with something appropriate, explain-ing the pressure of business which had oc-casioned, the hasty reply previously for-HYPOPHOSPHITES . "landlady" lay in a pitiful heap on the what conspicuous here, delivered lectures, "It is indeed a beautiful thing," was Of Lime and Bods Put on the Brakes and wrote a book on Utah and the Morrough flour. the reply, and so different from the ones It is almost as palatable as milk. Far etter than other so-called Emuisions. wonderful flesh producer. A. DUSSELL, If you find you are going down hill in point of nons. After her zeturn to France she "Poor thing, tired out!" cried the copted spiritualism as a hobby. sent in my day." health. Failing strength, impaired digestion The situation was explained to the ex ladies in unison, while the gentleman and assimiliation are the marks of decline "Did you ever get a valentine, When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, Missourian. He took it in smiling and ason the front seat, with an exclamation -DEALER IN-Check these and other indications of premature serted a thorough comprehension of it. So When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. Shearing by Electricity. nother?" Scott's Emulsion they did not understand, flung the reins locay with the grand vitalizer and restrainin Col. Wade went away with a light heart. Sheep are now sheared by electricity in When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, "Yes, dear, many a one." Had th SILIN onic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Beginnin It was a day or two after his return before ustralia, Frederick Wolseley, a brother to his companion on the ground, and When she had Children, she gave them Castoria oung girl been less occupied she would at the fountain head, the stomach, the Bitter be realized the wreck to which his political of Lord Wolseley, having inventing a maspringing out, was, a moment later. remedies its inefficiency, corrects its errors, and hopes and prospects had well-nigh been brought. Said the colonel, tearfully, exhave noticed an unusual flush on the carrying the limp little body into a room sets it vigcrously at work. The digestive organ using the shears is very simple, the operwithered cheek, and a far-away look in is thus enabled to thoroughly separate from the laining the situation to a colleague after-Ely's Cream Balm through the open door of which he saw ator having merely to throw a friction food its nutritive principles, which the blood as-similating, is enriched. Thus is the system nourished, and being nourished, strengthened, and abnormal waste of its tissues stayed. Ap-petite, the power to rest well, a regular habit are also re-established, and the various func-tions move once more in their natural and healthful groove. The Bitters, moreover, is a specific for and preventive of malarial com-plaints, rheumatism, billousness, and kidney the kindly blue eyes. As it was, she Kinds WIND wheel into adjustment by means of a a home-made lounge. The ladies fol-"That man wrote to all the people in my thought of naught but the dainty thing handle, and then push the comb into the lowed, and a girl of some fourteen years, listrict that I was out of town-just the in her hand and the lover who had sent wool, pressing it continuously forward THE sanitary commission of Vienna rec and keeping it as closely as possible to the body of the animal being operated upon. From one to one hundred shears can be thing I did not want them to know. But entered carrying a sleeping babe. mmend electricity instead of hanging for e did more than that. Instead of ad-2 In the midst of the confusion which Price 50 Conts. executions. Late that Valentine eve the same ressing my warm political friends in conensued, one of the ladies cried out: ciliatory phrase; instead of implying that DUPLEX Smoke the best-Tansill's "Punch Cigar. Pump operated at one time. By this mode the gentle-faced woman softly turned the pply Balm into each no "Why, Harry Sewell, you look as if you I was the dust of the earth and that they laints, rheumatism, shearing is done more mercifully than key of an old trunk in a remote closet, were the people, he fell on them and smote them hip and thigh. Reading between the lines of his letters these were about the ideas A NEW YORK lady recently had on he when done by hand shears. were going to faint." and putting the lamp down beside it. dinner table 150 orchids that cost \$1.50 THOMAS A. DEBLOIS, of Portland, says OPIUM and easy cure. Dr. J. The man made no reply but his hande the Lewiston Journal, was one of the witty | each. lifted the lid. **A Soldier Priest.** trembled as he sprinkled water on the Maine lawyers of whom interesting stories Ever and anon she glanced furtively Among the veterans detailed as a guard are told. At one time Judge Nicholas that would appear to my correspondent: thin, up-turned face of the--to the others 'Look here, you d- scoundrel, don't you know who I am? I am Bill Wade, conof honor over Victor Emmanuel's tomb in about her, as with faltering fingers she Emery, who was particular sensitive to -unconscious stranger. Presently the

PUMPS REPAIRED ON SHORT NOTICE.



But the lid was open now and she "Here, Maggie," she continued to the was nervously pushing aside the yelgirl, "give baby here and show them to lowed tissue paper that concealed the the east room. Take up fresh water."

white lids fluttered, and the blue eves

opened upon the anxious face of Harry

Sewell. A momentary flush, a quick

contraction of the features as if in, vain,

then Mark Hazard's wife struggled to a

"I was so tired," she remarked in a

weak, apologetic tone, keeping her

eves averted from the face opposite.

sitting posture.

A PHILADELPHIA bon vivant has kept a ubful of terrapin alive in his cellar all winter, so as to have them handy. THE Mexican government is encouraging the cultivation of rubber trees. A com-

gressman, and I own the XIIIth district,

together with all the live stock, two-legged

myself right with my people," continued Col. Wade with a groan, "and it is a won-der I ever got back to congress."—New

Personal und General.

"It took me the rest of my term to set

or four-legged, in or about it!"

York Tribune.

The struggle's o'er; the man is dead **Golden Medical Discovery.**

usually is."

A slower walk; a quickened breath; A frequent talk of coming death. No strength to rise from day to day; From loving eyes ho fades away. Now lifts no more the weary head, Such is the intal progress of consumption. How often is repeated the old, old story. Yet not hall so often as it was before the knowledge came to mankind that there was a discovery in medical science by which the dread disease could be arrested in its early stages and the patient restored to health. This wonderful remedy is Dr. Pierce's

jokes at his own expense, had repeatedly

rebuked Deblois for alleged departure from the rules of propriety. He being specially

pointed at one time the councilor retorted:

I beg your honor's pardon. Your honor

is right and I was wrong, as your honor

The Old, Old Story.

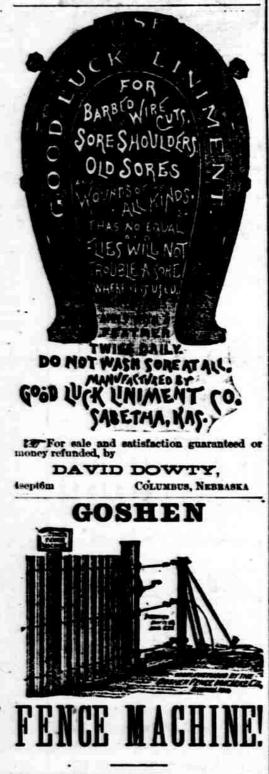
A little cough ; a feeling ill ; A headache oft ; a daily chill

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London physician, who died a few days contents. An indulgent smile at he ago, had little faith in drugs, and didn't own weakness flitted over her face, and hesitate to say so. then she relinquished herself to the Two centenarians living in the neighborsweets of stolen reminiscence.

hood of Alton, England, have been great First she took up a well-thumbed smokers and moderate drinkers all their vellow card, in the center of which was AUNT MARY FLAREITY, of Jonesboro, a bunch of faded pink roses fastened, Me., aged ninety-one, has solved the servant girl problem. She refuses to have apparently, by a green gauze knot; and inderneath were the words in a

the Pantheon at Rome, on the occasion o

the anniversary of the king's death, was a

priest wearing the medal of the war for

independence. He was called upon to

Here and There.

lives.

ever.

deep.

public houses.

man is vile."

and, Oregon.

roads in Brooklyn.

elp and does her own work. cramped boyish hand: A FREMONT, MICh., man owns a hen which lays at night, a proceeding which he "The rose is red, the violet's blue, claims is as phenomenal as though she ate Sugar's sweet and so are you. hay like a horse. "My first valentine," she mused, "and

TWENTY-ONE tramps met in Decatur, from Robbie, dear little fellow, how Neb., and ordered meals at a restaurant many, many years he has been at rest. After they had eaten they compelled the proprietor to accept 10 cents as payment Wasn't I proud and happy when I found

it in my dinner pail wrapped in a leaf A LONDON confectionery store gives to from his old copy book. And here is every purchaser of a shilling's worth a the next one I received, sent from ticket entitling the purchaser to have one Toledo by the boy who boarded at our photograph of herself taken at an estabouse one summer. Stinson, was his ishment up-stairs. A **OUANTITY** of fish shipped to Reading name; be got to be a senator or some from Maryland were found to be alive big thing I heard. And here is the one when unpacked, and when thrown into a tank of water darted around as lively as Billy Shaw sent me after I mittened

There is another one Stinson sent, and THE chain gang of Bibb county, Ga., is eighty three strong. The convicts are di--dear me!" Her fingers trembled a vided into two squads, and the public roads little as she picked up a large envelope of that county are classed among the best addressed in a bold, round hand to in Georgia.

THE largest shaft in Africa has just been "Miss Kittie Deane." This she laid ppened in the Kimberly diamond fields. It quickly aside, smiling, nodding and measures twenty-three feet three inches by musing over the others till the stock seven nine inches and 1s to be 1,000 feet was exhausted. Carefully she replaced

them all but the big envelope. "It AN Anglo-Roman company has under-taken a contract to light Rome by electricreally seems as if I can't open it, and ity. The plant is to be set up at Tivoli, it vet-and yet it is all so long past, and is caid, and power supplied by water there, I'm an old woman, a mother, and grandthe current then being transmitted by overhead wires to the city itself, and throughmother. God forgive me, I'm dreadful out the city by overhead wires for public foolish, dreadful foolish, but it can be lighting, and by subways for lighting of no harm this once, and like as not I'll

lifted out a small, flat box.

see what has come over me.'

"It's dreadful foolish of me."

murmured. "but some way Nellie's val-

entine kind of made me think of old

times; but it's dreadful foolish."

Slowly she untied the bit of faded pink

ribbon that held the cover on. "It's

dreadful foolish," she repeated, "don't

MANY a clergyman who can preach a burn this one then, and give the rest to capital sermon is very unhappy as a speaker Nan's baby to play with." out of the pulpit. The Philadelphia Times

has heard of a clergyman whose duty it touches a curl cut from the dead baby's was to introduce to an audience a missionary from Ceylon and did so as follows; head, she drew the card from the en-This faithful missionary of the cross velope, and then, swayed by some sudomes from Ceylon, a land where, as you all know, 'every prospect pleases and only | den and over-powering emotion, pressed it to her lips.

IN a court at Drogheda, Ireland, a Mr. "Heaven forgive me! oh Harry, Kenny, being sued for rent due on a house Harry !"

that he had leased, pleaded that his wife Letting it fall in her lap, she covered had been frightened by a ghost that apreared at their bed and threw something her face with her hands, and wept half upon them during the night, and that the in sorrow, over some grave of the past. place was on that account uninhabitable. half in repentance because she could the court held that the fact that a house was haunted was no defense in such a suit, not forget. and gave a verdict for the plaintiff.

Oregon, the Paradise of Farmers. nothing to excite emotion about the Mild, equable climate, certain and abundant, erops. Best fruit, grain, grass and stock country in the world. Full information free, Address the Oregon Immigration Board, Portqueer, old-fashioned valentine with its heterogeneous collection of flowers and brief inscription, "Mizpah;" but to her it conjured up a picture of a fair young A COLORED man now has control of all

he news stands on the principal elevated

engaged, and he had gone West to make home for her.

has recently planted 300,000 The table was set for the strangers Chiapas in a big, unfinished parlor room; and as A 'METEOR that cast a shadow and ap-

Maggie served them they did not see peared as large as the full moon was seen their hostess again that day. Mark by Noblesville, Ind., people the other evening. Hazard met the men strolling about in A. S. CLOUGH, of Prescott, A. T., drives the evening, and talked with them of

a team of males that are 33 and 35 years the weather, crops and country, as with old. They are still good workers. other travelers, and passed on none the A BOSTON woman has had her shroud

wiser. Kittie, drawing water from the deep up in her wealth. well in the gathering twilight, heard a voice and a step beside her. "Let me draw it, Kittie."

in art an l antiquity. She drew back as if he had struck

"Harry Sewell, how dare you come into my presence. Is it to taunt me?" 'To 'taunt' you, Kittie Deane-beg pardon, Mrs. Hazard. Strange words from one so utterly false, one who arged her betrothed lover to go West that she might marry his rival."

"Me false?" her voice quivered, "what can you mean? Did you expect me to him at spelling school. Wasn't he mad? be true to one who never wrote a single word, but corresponded with others?"

> "Never wrote vou? Great Heavens!" During the brief explanations that followed, the part played by Mark Hazard, postmaster, came out in its true colors. Evidently he had destroved Harry's letters in order to win his affianced.

The latter had received a paper containing the marriage notice; and had been forced to believe his sweetheart

Slowly they walked back to the house together. In the shadowy kitchen they paused, and taking both her little toil-worn hands in his, he go by. kissed them reverently. "Heaven help

us both, Kittie, to endure and do right, Farewell." She stood mute and motionless while

he filled a pitcher from the pail and, without another word, quitted the room. "Why, Harry, what a time you've been gone," cried his wife as he en-

tered the apartment. "Landlady fainted again"" she added

banteringly. "We must be off early," was the

Breakfast was served as the supper

had been, and Harry and Kittie did not meet again; and he never knew that for long weeks thereafter the wronged woman struggled with death. Perhaps Mark Hazard was wiser for her wild ravings during the fevers delirium, per-

Long years had intervened between that morning and the one on which pretty Nellie Hazard showed her mother "Ralph's Valentine." The struggling little village has become an important town, and the Hazard home is as "comfortable and beautiful as money can make it. Sons and daughters have gone out from it, and only eighteenyear-old Nellie-the baby-remains. All that we have told, and much more passes in array before the mind of the a valentine and a fond little note so soon. How thoughtful of him! But woman crouching beside the old trunk. that was all. Vainly she waited for the Much more, we say, because she alone promised letters. They never came. can open and read the volume of the and what added to her misery,-if such years, to her alone are the pages visia thing was possible, -every one in the ble on which are written what she has village seemed to know of his inconsuffered. And how little anyone stancy. Oh, the agonizing suspense guesses that back of mother's and and unrest. Soon she heard that he grandmother's calm, patient smile, was corresponding with some one else. ready sympathy, and all-sufficientness Maddened to desperation, she never there is a genuine romance and a questioned the truth of the rumor, but woman's wounded heart. blindly accepted an offer of marriage -----WANTED TO MAKE SURE OF HIM. from Mark Hazard, the young postmaster. They were married in less George-The ring doesn't seem to fit than a year after Harry Sewell's de- very well, Clara? Hadn't I better take parture. A change of administration it back and have it made smaller? about this time threw young Hazard out | Clara-No, George; an engagement of employment, and he, too, decided to ring is an engagement ring, even if I seek his fortune in the West; and have to wear it around my neck .-Judge. Stopping in a new town just spring JOEL HIPPERT, a shoamaker, three ing into existence in the lead regions of miles north of Lititz, Pa., has just fin-Wisconsin, he started a small grocery, ished a pair of shoes 14 inches long, 54 while his wife kept boarders-chiefly inches wide, and weighing over 7 pounds. The shoes were made for a German tramp, who is a veritable giant in size.

THOUSANDS of cures follow the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. 50 cents.

HENRY STRATFORD, of Kingston, Oot made at a cost of \$20,000. This will cerhas received a letter from England which tainly be a case where a woman is wrapt went into the sea whea the steamship Dregon was wrecke ! and sunk in 1886 THE British museum is so little in touch The letter in question was found buried in the sands of the beach near Cape Hatteras, with the multitude that popular illustrated ectures are to be given on its treasures N. C. The mail bag containing the missive drifted 400 miles from the scene of the wreck.

A MAN in Saratoga, N. Y., who fought in the war without being regularly enlisted

THERE is more Catarrh in this section of th now finds his name on the list of desert. country than all other diseases put together ers. The congressman from his district has introduced a bill to relieve him of the and until the last few years was supposed to be neurable. For a great many years Doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed JOHN LUNCE TALBOT, of North Midlocal remedies, and by constantly failing to cure dletown, Ky., aged 116, is very ill with the with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. prevailing disease, la grippe. Owing to Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional his extreme age his friends are very anxions disease, and therefore requires constitutiona about him, but it is thought he will pull through.

treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only THE bishop of Rochester, addressing the students of the Royal Female School onstitutional cure on the market. It is take ful. It acts directly upon the blood and much surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send fou circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. So Sold by Drug cista 750 of Arts, in London, on the occasion of the annual prize giving, remarked: "I am struck with the lovely taste displayed in your hats, they are so quiet and ladylike." That ists, 75c. pleased the girls more than all the prizes

THE Essex institute, at Salem, Mass., THERE is a terrible row going on at the has received from Robert C. Winthrop, jr., Theatre Francais, and though the manage ment is doing all it can to keep it dark two original deeds from Masconomet, sagamore, of Agawam, to John Winthrop, jr. rumors of it keep leaking out. The other of lands in Ipswich and Chebacco. actors are disgusted that Coquelin has been taken back. They say that he is instruments are in the handwriting of John Winthrop, jr., and are dated June 28, 1638. intolerably conceited with himself that i is impossible for them to play with him. Two lovers of a young woman in Bir-

mingham, Conn., got into a quarrel the other day and went to the railroad trestle ALL who use Dobbins' Electric Soa praise it as the best, cheapest and mo bridge over the Naugatuck river to settle economical family soap made; but if you will try it once it will tell a still stronge One hit the other a stunning blow under the ear and then pushed him off the tale of its morits itself. Please try it. bridge into the river. The victor barely

THE latest English fancy is to wear had time to step aside to let a freight train with a tailor-made gown a small fancy watch of iron, or oxidized to resemble iron, JAMES COLLINS, who lives near Galeswith elaborate gold initials, fastened with a broach on the left front of the basque, burg, Ill., while searching for hogs in the

woods Tuesday, noticed bees flying around as a medal or other decoration would be a large sycamore tree. Securing help, he worn. shopped the tree down. As surmised, it SUDDEN CHANGES OF WEATHER CAUSE turned out to be a bee tree of the richest Throat Diseases. There is no more effectua kind. It was a mere shell, and when it remedy for Coughs. Colds. etc., than BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES. Sold only in struck the frozen ground split open, show-ing a section of honey thirty feet long. In

ozes. Price 25 ets. all he secured 1,100 pounds. Mr. Collins thought the bees would have filled a large barrel, but he had no way of hiving them. ELI CIRCLES, of Carroll county, Mo. won a \$35 sewing 'machine by producing twelve ears of corn that weighed eighteen A BOY in the employ of the Lincoln Dis-

trict Telegraph company, at Lincoln, Neb., stands out somewhat conspicuously. Havpounds eleven ounces. BRONCHITIS Is cured by frequent small ing been sent to the depot with a message doses of Piso's Cure for Consumption. for a gentleman about to leave on

train, he arrived just as the train was null-IN SCOTLAND it is said that to rock the ing out. He did not propose, however, to lose his man, so jumping on the rear car he pulled the bell rope, stopped the train, found his man and got off the train while empty cradle will insure the coming of other occupants for it.

THE tooth extracted from a 13-year-old horse at Towsontown, Pa., weighed the brakeman was looking for the cause quarter of a pound. of the alarm.



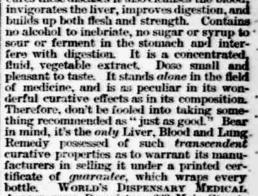
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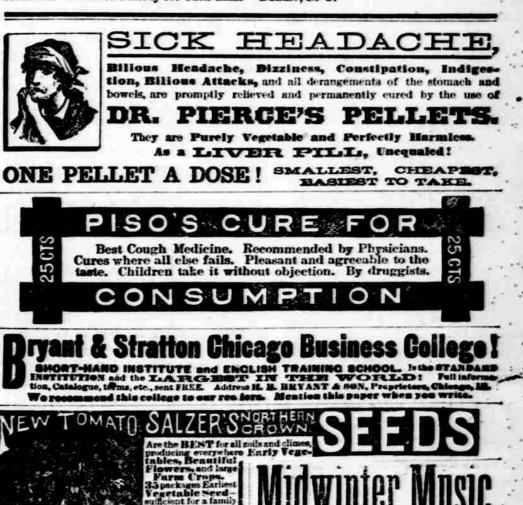


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