tually cures even the worst cases of itching, bleeding and protruding piles we know for a certainty, because of experience with thousands of cases. To prove this to you we shall send you a sample box free, if you enclose a two-cent stamp to pay postage, and mention Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Dr.Chase's 0intment

DRUGS AND POISONS.

Popular Delusion of the Safety of the "Purely Vegetable.

"Of all peculiar delusions as to drugs and chemical compounds," said a preminent chemist, "perhaps the most harmful is that concerning medicines that are 'purely vegetable.' There seems to be almost a universal impression among even the educated classes that such medicines as are composed entirely of vegetable compounds are on that account harmless, while on the other hand any mineral compound is of necessity poisonous.

"Now, as a matter of fact, not only has the question of whether a medicine is vegetable or mineral not the slightest relation to its poisonous or nonpoisonous qualities, but in practical have certainly worked wonders with medicine it would seem that most of our baby. She was troubled with and wards off the pangs of hunthe common poisons are vegetable. Look at the poisons most commonly known and note their composition. Take strychnine, aconite, opium, alcohol. digitalis, hyoscine and cocaine. Every single one of these is 'purely vegetable,' yet most of the deaths by chronic poisoning come from one of these. The most powerful poison known, 'ricine Kobert," one five-thousandth of a grain of which will kill a grown man, is made entirely from the castor oil bean.

"On the other hand, many minerals, so far from being poisonous, are not only harmless, but soothing. Bismuth. a pure mineral, is given in quite large quantities even to small babies for the purpose of allaying inflammation. while iron is one of the most common tonics.

"Soda is not only one of the most universal and harmless of minerals, but it is also largely used in our foods. Salt is a pure mineral, yet it is not only necessary to life, but one of the Fall Wheat-\$11,158 acres yielded greatest cleansers and preservatives 24,737,011 bush., or 30.5 per acre for known. Without it bacon and ham 34 years was 21.3. would be impossible and the luscious dill pickle unknown.

Of course, there are minerals that 'are highly poisonous, such as mercury, arsenic and potassium in certain combinations, but they are neither more deadly or more numerous than the vegetable poisons. This also may be said in favor of the mineral poison. It is considered by many physicians that its vegetable brother; rather, vegetable poisons are much more uncertain in their action upon the human system. Hence death by overdose is more likely to occur from a vegetable than a mineral poison when taken medicinally.

"Just how the public ever got the delusion that the 'purely vegetable' was a badge of harmlessness I do not know, but the fact remains that such is the common belief."-Washington

### TORONTO FAT STOCK SHOW

Boy readers can earn a little Christmas money by winning special classes limited to boy readers at the Toronto Fat Stock Show. This show also carries classes limited to farmers. The secretary will be pleased to mail prize list on application.

BANG!

Oh, why should the spirit of mortal be proud? He thinks his new car is a fast flying He goeth joy riding with fuss and with honk: He casteth a tire, and he lands on his

-Cincinnati Enquirer. Still, why should the joy rider's spirit be sad

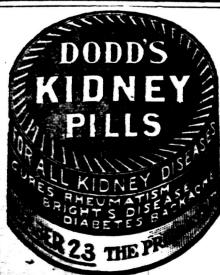
If a fall on his conk is the worse he has had? dollars to doughnuts his ivory

Will never sustain any harm from the -Springfield, Mass., Union.

Advice From Mark Twain. There is a gem in a letter from Mark

Twain to Will M. Clemens, who wanted some advice:
"How can I advise another man wisewith mistakes? Advise him how to avoid the like? No, for opportunities to make the same mistakes do not hap-

pen to any two men. Your own experiences may possibly teach you, but another man's can't. I do not know anything for a person to do but just peg along, doing the things that differ and regretting them the next day. It is m wav and everybody's.—New York Mail.



# Housekeeper

Ammonia shaken around in the vin egar or oil cruet will remove its stains. Kerosene oil cleans the enamel sink better than anything else

To remove the smell of orions from the hands, rub them on a stick of celery, and the odor will be entirely dissipated. For muffins and gems the iron

moulds should be used, as the bread will thus have a crust on all sides, while the centre is soft. The moulds should be heated hissing hot before the batter is poured in, and no greasing is necessary, as the minute the dough touches the iron the crust is formed, which prevents it from adher-

ing.
Skimmed milk and water with a bit of glue in it, made scalding hot, is excellent to restore old rusty black crepe; if well squeezed and pulled dry like muslin it will look as well as or better than new.

To clean white enameled furniture remove all dirty marks with a flannel dipped in methylated spirits. Then wash at once with tepid water to which has been added a little fine oatmeal. Never use soap or soda.

My chamois gloves have been washed many times and are as soft as when new. Each time I wash them I put a teaspoonful of olive oil in the basin of water, and use a little white soap. A teaspoonful of olive oil is also put in the rinsing water.

#### A VALUABLE MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

Mrs. G. Morgan, Huntsville, Ont., writes: "I wish every mother and especially young mothers knew the value of Baby's Own Tablets. They colic and constipation and cried all the time, but the tablets soon put her right and she is now a fine healthy child." The Tablets are sold by meditine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## FIELD CROPS

Area and Yield of Ontario's Principal Ones for 1915.

The following statement give the area and yields of the principal field crops of Ontario for 1915. The areas have been compiled from individual returns of farmers and the yields by a special staff in each township in ad-

dition to regular crop correspondents:

Spring Wheat-162,142 acres yielded 3,439,949 bush., or 212 per acre as compared with 2,169,425 and 18.3 in 1914. 1914. Average 16.1.

Barley-552,318 acres yielded 19,893,-129 husn., or 36.0 per acre as compared with 18,096,754 and 31.2 in 1914. Aver-

age, 28.1. Oats-2,871,755 acres yielded 120,its action is much more certain than 217,952 bush., or 41.9 per acre, as compared with 103,564,322 and 37.3 in 1914, Average, 35.9.

Rye-173,736 acres yielded 3,210,512 bush., or 18.5 per acre as compared with 2,315,532, and 16.7 in 1914. Average, 16.5.

Buckwheat-193,497 acres yielded 4,-278,366 bush., or 22.1 per acre, as compared with 4,251,421 and 24.0 in 1914. Average 20.7.

Peas-126,943 acres vielded 2.043.049 bush., or 16.1 per acre, as compared with 2,609,585 and 14.7 in 1914. Aver-

with 835,895, and 16.3 in 1914. Average, 17.0.

Mixed Grains-175,738 acres yielded 19.461,609 bush., or 40.9 per acre, as compared with 16,854,550, and 36.9 in 1914. Average, 35.3.

Potatoes-173,934 acres yielded 13,-267,023 bush, or 76. per acre, as compared with 26,717,587 and 159 in 1914. Average, 116.

Mangels-50,799 acres yielded 25,-302,323 bush., or 498 per acre, as compared with 25,439,520 and 502 in 1914. Average, 459. Carrots-2,439 acres yielded 686,232

bush., or 281 per acre, as compared with 767,070, and 313 in 1914. Average,

Sugar Beets-22,890 acres yielded 8.-556,281 bush., or 374 per acre as compared with 7,466,819, and 403 in 1914. Average, 388.

Turnips-97,451 acres yielded 46,598.-851 bush., or 478 per acre, as compared with 46,336,708 and 486 in 1914 Average 423.

Corn for husking-309.773 acres yielded 21,760,496 bush., (in the es-70.2 per acre, as compared with 23,232,330 and 80 in 914. Av-

Corn for Silo-443.736 acres yielded 4,874,77 tons (green), or 10.98 per acre as compared with 4,751,223 and 11.36 in 1914. Average, 11.27

Hay and Clover (including Alfalfa) -2,231,752, acres yielded 4,253,763 tons, or 1.32 per acre, as compared with 3,842,544, and 1.13 in 1914. Average, 1.43

The "Nit" Nott Got.

John Nott could not kint, so he invented a knitter which would knit and which Nott called the "Nor tnitter." But the "Nott knitter" could not knit the knots which the "Nott knitter" could not knit. But one day Nott while not tying knots for the "Nott knitter," invented an attachment for the "Nott knitter," invented an attachment for the "Nott knitter," invented and attachment for the "Nott knitter," invented and attachment for the "Nott knitter," invented and attachment for the "Nott knitter," and which he called the "Nott knotter." and which he caned the Nott knotter" was attached to the "Nott knitter" the "Nott knotter" would knit the knots which the "Nott knitter" could not knit. And not a knitter could knit knots like the knots that Nott knit with the "Nott knotter" for the "Nott knitter." for the "Nott knitter."

Then Nott fell in love with a knitter who knitted knots with the "Nott knot-ter" for the "Nott knitter," and he ask-ed her not to knit knots any more, but be a Nott forever. But the knitter said "Nia."—Ladies' Home Journal.

## ACHING BACK GETS RELIEF QUICK! ONE RUB WITH "NERVILINE" CURES

Every Bit of Stiffness and you have ever used. You might pay a dollar, ten dollars, a hundred for Soreness Goes When "Nervitine" Is Used.

Pain in back or side is awful hard to reach. Deep in the tissue is a congested or strained muscle. It is a long way for a liniment to go. Liniments you have used have not reached it, and the pain bothers you, whether moving or lying down.

What a pity you haven't tried Nerviline! Penetrating, you ask? Yes, and powerful, too. Nerviline strikes in far deeper than any application Kingston, Canada.

Odds and Ends. One victim of infectious tumors dies every ten minutes in Germany.

It is said that only one woman is liable to sudden death to every eight Licorice growing is a new industry in California. The source of supply

has been Asiatic Turkey. The wind pressure on wires strung on piles is estimated at half of that on flat plates of equal area.

French scientists have found the spectroscope a valuable and speedy instrument for analyzing mineral waters.

The matching of colors has been brought down to an exact science by the invention of a machine for the Stockings first came into use in

the eleventh century, before which it was customary to swathe the feet in bandages. The Turkish empire is composed of many mixed races. It includes

Greeks, Slavs, Albanians, Armenians, Jews and Circassians It has been suggested in England that chewing gum, which allays thirst

ger, is a suitable present for the According to La Razon, the number of domestic animals in Argentina at the end of 1914 was as follows: Horned cattle, 29,000,000; horses,

9,700,000; mules 508,000; asses, 340.-000; sheep, 80.000,000; gcats, 4,520, 000; pigs, 3,050,000. Axel Swanson, of West Concord, N.H., a granite cutter, possesses two peculiar characteristics. His hands work in unison—that is, a movement of one involuntarily causes the other hand to perform the same function.

and, while he has an abundance of hair on his head, he has never had to use a razor on his face.—Exchange.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

## THE GUELPH WINTER FAIR

The Largest Live Stock Show Hold in the Dominion.

From a small start in 1884 as a fat stock show for Guelph and vicinity there has developed the biggest purely agricultural exhibition in the Domin-

At first only fat cattle were provided for. The classification has been enlarged from year to year, including first sheep, then swine; later a dairy test and poultry were added. In 1909 a horse show was added, and this year a start is being nade with breeding sections for cattle, sheep and swine.

The judging of poultry will be comleted by Monday morning, Dec. 6, and prizes placed on the coops so that visitors will be able to note the prize winners. The dairy test will be completed and cards showing the result posted on Monday. As each class of horses, beef cattle, sheep and swine is judged, cards showing the catalogue number and the prize awarded will be put up on the stall or pen so that the ideals of the judges can be followed by the visitors. All beef cattle and Beans-62,863 acres yielded 882,819 dairy cattle will be stabled according of a baby annoyingly interrupted their bush., or 14.0 per acre, as compared to classes, and sheep and swine accord-

ing to breeds. The comfort of visitors has received considerable attention at the hands of the Fair board, seating accommodation suffuse the charming checks of his for seven hundred more people than

in any former year. There will be judging of horses every night from Saturday to Thursday. In addition, on Tuesday and Thursday evenings there will be a competition for officers' chargers, and a riding exhibition by the 29th Bat-

tery, which is stationed in Guelph. A series of lectures will be delivered each day of the show upon live stock, hue it seemed to shadow her chic, poultry or seeds, and will be so arranged that the visitors will be able to hear the lecture and see all of the

A new feature this year is a judging competition between the different counties of the province, each county

#### by the district representative. THE "DEFECTIVE."

(New York Sun) The moral responsibility of the young

Chicago doctor is the same whether he influenced the decision of the parents to whether his inaction was the result of their solicitation. result of their solicitation.

His responsibility was the same whether he acted to save the baby from what he believed would be a miserable existence in the future or to spare the ecommunity what he believed would be an undesirable member. In either case he assumed to that extent the functions that belong to Divine Province.

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His responsibility for the negative inaction which cut short a human life
was not morally different from that was not morally different from that which would have rested upon him if the actionshad been positive. For if it is the moral duty of the physician to prevent future misery to the individual, or future convenience of harm to society, by withholding the relief that might possibly save life, why is it not his moral duty just as well to forestall, under similar conditions, the same calamities has direct interposition?

similar conditions, the same calamities by direct interposition?
And if it is right to let the "defective" go to his early grave on the strength of a prognois of wretchedness, resting on the judgment of an individual or a number of individuals, who is to guarantee the infallibility of the judgment that pronounces the death sentence? Who is to define the degree of "deficiency" that thus dooms beyond appear?"

The fellow who goes on a toot doesn't always cultivate the horn of plenty or the trump of fame.

you can get your money back.

If you think this too much to say for Nerviline, try it and be convinced. If you receive from Nerviline even a little less relief from pain than this advertisement induces you to expect, The only pain remedy in the world sold under a guarantee is Nerviline

that matter, but you could not equal

Nerviline, either in strength, quickness

of action or permanency of relief.

surely it is safe to try it. Nerviline is sold by druggists everywhere, 25 cents or 50 cents a bottle, or direct from The Catarrhozone Co.,

BITS OF KNOWLEDGE.

Portugal will import 3.674,000 bushels of wheat this year.

United States last year.

King George's cousins, first and second, number close to 300. Champagne, Chablis wine and cider are the Kaiser's favorite crinks.

The "ocean to ocean" telephone line makes use of 2,960 tons of copper. Canada yearly spends \$800,000 on canes. The heart pulsates 4,200 times an

hour, 100,800 times a day, 36,792,000 times a year. More than \$5,000,000,000 for luxuries was the record of expenditures in the

The earliest work in shorthand writing was compiled by Dr. Timothy Bright, of Cambridge, in 1598. The richest man in the world is Czar Nicholas of Russia. He once gave

\$1,000,000,000 from his private treasury to Russia's war fund. The discovery of fish glue is attri buted to a Massachusettts man, who, while making chowder, found that it

stuck to his fingers. The population of Ireland at the present time is 4,500,000. That of Scotland is about the same. The pouulation of England and Wales is 34,-000,000.

The first steam fire engine which, by the way, was a failure, was made in 1829 in London from the designs of Captain John Ericsson, the designer of the Monitor. Both the heaviest and lightest woods

grow in the United States, the former being Florida ironwood, and the latter the so-called cork of Southwestern Missouri. Of the 1,500 hotels of New York City.

25 represent more than \$5,000,000 each in land lease and construction. In one of these there are more than 1.800 telephones. The total production of whale oil in

1912 was 1,200,000 barrels, more than half of which came from Norway. the body. It was a sight—and also Ten years ago the cost of producing a fright—which I do not wish to exa ton of oil was less than half what it perience again. The sword was event-

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

HIS DISCOVERY.

They had pased successfully tarougn the trying ordeal of the severe questioning of the eugenic marriage license application; they had prayely and unconcernedly turned their backs on ever-critical relatives and friends friends while they were pronounced man and wife. Yes, man and wife! How sweet these world-old words had sounded to their young ears! He had sworn to love, honor and, of course obey. She had sworn to love, honor

and—but, of course, not to obey in this topsy-turvy day. And now they were off on a glorious honeymoon-'twas the "third day out." Unfortunately business compelled them to make the trip a practical one as well as a time of romantic fancies. For she must be back to London to lead her suffering suffra-

gettes to the front. During the few minutes on this third morning of their new evistence their conversation drifted to the fooish. They discussed Schopenhauer. In the midst of this frivolity the cries of a baby annoyingly interrupted their During the few minutes on this performance. Then the young husband noticed a deep blush gradually darling wife, for, despite her training in modern feminingly she had failed

miserably to overcome this old-fashioned habit. "What is it, Comrade?" he asked: "tell me at once. I besecch you." His

tones were anxiously pleading. "I had had a terrible thought, one that a wife should not tell a husband," she whispered, haltingly. The red of her cheeks became so deep a

white hat. "Go on, please go on," he urged. "Why. I just thought," this time even more haltingly, "should we ever have -oh, I can't go on." he urged.

An instant's hesitation, then sheer desperation: "I hope it's a being represented by three men picked wouldn't baby." The last words chased after one another in wild fashion. "A wooden baby!" repeated the surprised husband, stuned by her words,

his brain reeling. What was this his wife was saying? A wooden baby! Had she suddenly lost her senses? Had the strain of the wedding been too much for her exceptionally strong mind? Oh. perish such a disloyal thought, had she lied in swearing to the license application that she had not been insane nor confined to an asylum during the last five years? Was this the return symptom of such a former mental

malady?" "A wooden baby," he repeated again. so mechanicaly the words might have come from a talking machine. "Yes, dear." she said, softly, "a baby

that wouldn't cry." She smiled. "In other words, a wouldn't baby" And then, oh, then, in that glorious moment when all his terrible fears were allayed, he knew complete happiness. He had found his wife DID have a sense of humor.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

BIG JOB. (Life)

"What has he been doing since graduated from college?"
"We has been trying to find out w

MINIATURE TREES.

Simple Plan by Which Plants May be Dwarfed in the Growing.

closely guarded the secret of growin miniature trees. Indeed, until recently they did not allow the trees to be taken they did not allow the trees to be taken out of the country; wealthy people keep them as art treasurers. Now, in America dwarf trees bring a good price and are used as house plants and table decorations. By following the plan here described almost any one can raise diminutive trees with little trouble.

Get a few large, thick skinned oranges and half them. Remove the pulp and cover the outside of the skin with thick shellac. That will keep the skins from shriveling. Fill the skins with fine, rich soil, and plant therein a seed of whatever tree you wish to raise or rather two or three seeds to insure at least one good specimen.

three seeds to insure at least one good specimen.

Make a stand of some kind so that the growing tree can be kept in an unright position and set the plants where they will get plenty of sun, but do not keep them in a room that is likely to become overheated. Water them regularly, but not too profusely. After a time the roots will begin to come through the orange peel. When that happens cut the roots off flush with the outer surface or the orange peel, but be careful not to injure the film of shellac.

It is the cutting of the roots that stunts the plant. When the tree has reached maturity you can transfer it to a more attractive holder. Conifers such as cedars, pines and cryptomerias can be readily stunted; so also can other evergreens, as ilex and Citrux trifoliata. Some dwarf cedar have been known to live more than 500 years. Fruit trees, such as the orange and plum, blossom and bear perfect fruit.—Youth's Companion

USE ANY HOUSEHOLD RECIPE

with Dr. Jackson's Roman Meal, and bake anything from it. If you like, eat hot from the oven. It won't ferment. It makes most delicious baking, prevents indigestion, is very nutritious, relieves constipation, or "money back." That's why a leading leans the more his tail comes into acphysician says it's a godsend to humanity. Especially try it in porridge, pancakes, and gems, but carefully possible, try to work for elasticity as follow directions on package for making porridge. For an early break- of the rigid in nature, and little trees fast, cook the night before in a double boiler without stirring and warm in the merning by setting in boiling water while dressing. At grocers', 10 by Roman Meal Co., Toronto.

#### What the Diver Saw.

While serving on a naval vessel stationed at China an old time seaman had an uncanny experience. He says: "Our ship's company had been ashore for a route march, and on returning one of our officers in stepping on the ship's gangway let his sword fall overboard. Being a diver, I was sent down to try and recover it, but as I touched the bottom I saw the corpse of a lady dressed in light material gradually rise from her resting place of mud. She faced me as natarally as if she had been a living person. The disturbing of the water by my descending had no doubt moved ually recovered by another diver, for I can assure you I made a record trip to the surface without seeking further."-London Globe.

Sirs—I have used your MINARD'S LINIMENT for the past 25 years and whilst I have occasionally used other liniments I can safely say that I have never used any equal to yours. If rubbed between the hands and inhaled frequently it will never fail to cure cold in the head in 24 hours.

> Yours truly. J. G. LESLIE.

Dartmouth.

THE MEASURE OF NEWS VALUES (St. John, Mo., News-Press) Twenty years ago news apers regarded a hanging as the most important of the day. Elaborate preparations made to cover the event with the g

of a baby annoyingly interrupted their light chatter. Both stopped, decidedIy vexed by the infant's unmannerly performance. Then the young husforever graced. forever graced.

Nowadays in the newscaper, metropolitan or rural, you will see only a orief mention of a hanging—if you see any at all. The papers have found other news o give their readers, and ions grow. At the present es, twenty years hence th ease than it now feels to tails of a hanging. It will ers other and cleaner new

have more readers than ever before. Cows.

## NAMES FOR STATIONS

The problem of finding new names for stations has been solved by the many thousands, and when George IL Kettle Valley Railway on its section lought at Dettingen 25 per cent. was through the Hope Mountains, construction of which is almost com- latilve insurances were, however, pleted. Well known characters from largely checked by the gambling act Shakespeare have been selected, their of 1774 which made insurable interest melodious names having a romantic a necessary condition far a valid polcharacter in keeping with the pic- icy. turesque nature of the country. One station just north of the Coquahalla River Canyon is col Othello, another Lear, a third sisica, a fourth Portia, followed by lago. Romeo, another station, is eternally separated from Juliet by Coquahalla Summit, which is 3,300 feet above sea level. and not likely to be removed by anything short of an earthquake.

Early Use of Gunpowder.

Reference is made to the first definite use of gun powder in battle by Ernest Protneroe in his book. "The British Navy." The author says: tle by Ernest The British and the missiles were of stone scarcely larger than cricket bails. Doubtless this rude artillery made far more noise than rude artillery made far more noise than it effected damage. It was the long bow and the broad-sword that won the battle, but nevertheless gunpowder was henceforth to play an ever increasing part in the strife of nations. Explosives wrought a vast change in fighting methods on land, for many of the old time weapons were rendered quite useless in face of death dealing ball and shot. Warfare afloat, too, would be revolutionized. Hitherto the fighting ships had been largely carriers of soldiers in order to board and fight as on land, whereas the time was at hand when ships could be riddled with cannon balls without the crews coming into actual contact.

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HELD WARTED MALE

AGERITS WANTED

GENTS WANTED MALE OF FE-male household goods free sam-s and catalogues. Don't apply unless a need money: references required. C. Rand, Lennoxville, Que.

FOR SALE

F OR SALE—FANCT PIGEONS AND
flying homers; prices reasonable. L.
J. Holton, & Caroline street south, Hamilton, Ont.

NATURE DESIGNER.

If You Need a Model of Eq. brium Study the Kangard

There was a certain college professor of machine design who was as original in his views as he was able in his subject. One of his pet theories was the interrelation between nature and correct design.

been only one designer who never made a mistake, and the more we study his work the better machines. we will build. When you put legs: under a machine think of a horse or a cow, and get them as far apart as you can. Don't get too much everhang at either end. "And, speaking of a counterbalance, study the kangaroo. There is

"Boys," he would say, "there has

no prettier example of equillibrium in all positions. The further over he tion off the ground. And again, in speaking of general design, wherever against rigidity. You find very little often survive a gale by bending, where

big ones are blown down." All of which was undoubtedly very true, and made more of an impression. and 25 cents. Roman Meal is made on his hearers than some of the more complicated mathematical demonstrations that followed .- John H. Van Deventer in Engineering Magazine.

## A WOMAN'S MESSAGE TO WOMEN

If you are troubled with weak, tired feelings, neadache, backache, bearing down sensations, bladder weakness, constipation, catarrhal conditions, pain in the sides regularly or irregularly, bloating or unnaturel enlargements, sense of falling or misplacement of internal organs, nervousness, desire to cav, palpitation, hot flashes, dark rings under the eyes, or a loss of interest in life, I invite you to write and ask for my simple method of home treatment with ten days' trial entirely free and postpaid, also references to Canadian ladies who gladly tell how they have regained health, strength, and happiness by this method. Write to-day, Address: Mrs. M. Summers, Box & Windsor Ont.

The Periscope. Permit me to introduce myself the public generally. Modest and tiring both by nature and occupation I have hitherto refrained from obtruding myself upon the attention, of the

multitude. My name is Periscope. My principal object in life is to rise to every necessary occasion. When this demands my more or less immediate presence I occupy myself by holding up the mirror, not to nature, but to the enemy. It is also the best for bruises, sprains, Like an occasional idea which renders superfluous old systems of philosopsy, I have come to render superfluous an entire cycle of invention. I am the last triumph of mind over matter. I reflect, and a thousand men go down to their fate. Within the blue zone of my horizon, subject to my orders, flits.

the angel of death. I am the naval eye that put



Speculative Life Insurance. A mania for speculative insurances on the lives of public personages prevailed in England during the eightcenth century. Warren Hastings, the pretender, the rebel lord or the unfortunate Admiral Byng answered equal-Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in there were also regular quotations on ly the purpose of speculation, and the lives of notorious highwaymen. Sir Robert Walpole at one period of his caree, when his life was endangered by popular tumults, was insured for paid against his return. Such specu-

## Spanish Boys' Game.

Spanish lacs have a game which they call "hobbybull," and it is something on the American kiddles hobbyhorse. The boys of Malaga and other Spanish cities find an immense amount of excitement and amusement in mock encounters with the hobbybbull, which is merely a framework mounted on wooden wheels and has a pair of horns lashed to its forward end. Armed with a scarlet cloth, one of the boys infuriates the bobbybull, Navy." The author says:

"Of all the world's great battle Crecy possesses a unique interest. The English only used three pieces of field ordinance. They were small cannon made of trees, bored and bound with iron hoops.

If the matador has talent in the art of trees, bored and bound with iron hoops. lad is spirited the game may become serious. Boys in training to become matadors practice regularly with the hobbybuil and consider such play a part of their training.—Phidadelphia North American.

> EVADING THE RULE. (Woman's Home Companion)

A mother told her small son she would punish him if he ever asked for any thing to eat while at a neighbor's house. The next time he went over to a call on the neighbor he sat still for a few minutes, then he said:

Thou I must so. Do you know why have to go? Well, I'm hungry, that's

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