

GOOD TIMES IN SIGHT.

(Chicago Tribune.) In industry, and trade the improvement has continued. The foreign export figures for January are satisfactory; domestic business is growing in volume; the western railroads are reporting good business; the situation in the south is decidedly better than it was a few weeks ago, as cotton is moving to market and commanding a fairer price; the railroads are becoming more active buyers of rails and equipment; the labor market, while still far from normal, reports decreasing idleness here and there. Some mills and factories have returned to a high, of not full, capacity. Thousands of men have returned to work and more thousands may expect the welcome summons.

Finally, the entire business community, is confidently looking forward not backward. A convention of insurance men from all over the country, recently held in New York, was marked by real optimist, and salesmen in every line are reporting simflar "psychological conditions." Slight recessions and reactions hardly matter. The general trend is upward and

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> AN AGE OF SELF. (Brantford Expositor)

Has the age become so commerical that people are too apsorbed in business problems of their own to care to give their time to work for the public weal, or have people become so self-centred that they have little thought or care for anything but their own self-indulgence. Even in the churches, though the auditorium may have grawded on the beautiful the services. have little but their own self-induigency the churches though the auditorium may the crowded on the the the conduct the responsition of church entire department little active deavor to the few, taking but little active interest themselves. The trouble seems to be that in the past age in which we have been living, "self" has become such a dominating factor in people's lives that the inclination to expend either time or energy for anything but personal welfare and pleasure has almost disappeared. This is food for serious thought.

Minara's Liniment Cures Distemper.

WATCH BUSINESS CONDITIONS. (Montreal Evening News)

Is not one of the main things wrong about business this—that nearry overybody is waiting for it to get good of itself. Many are standing around waitself. ing for somebody else to make business

good.
Each day conditions, domestic and foreign, are arguring a condition favorable to business in Carada. The pesable to business in Carada. simist cannont prevent things getting

right.

It is those who buy now, build now and hire work done now who will be in position to reap the best profits when the harvest of business does come, as it must

#### BETTER THAN SPANKING Spanking does not cure children of

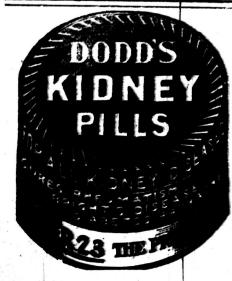
bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. 8 Windsor, Ont, will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

MARRIED EDITOR'S VIEW. (Exchange)

In Cleveland several bache In Cleveland several bache ors have been put on a committee to investigate child conditions. Bosh! The average bachelor can't tell a stomach tooth from a carpet tack. And if a youngster was rolling its eyes in sleep and smiling they'd probably think it was talking to the angels, whereas it only needs a little patting on the back to bring up the wind off its stummick.

GERMAN MUSIC

(Toronto Star.) Music accords with order and orderly progress. German music has no connection with German militarism. To object to music because it is German would be as absurd as to discard Protestantism because Luther was Ger-



## VALUE OF ELASTICITY.

Shown in the Sand Blast as Well as in Catching a Rall

A sand blast consists of a stream of sand and compressed air shot from a nozzle and is used for polishing or cutting hard materials or cleaning paint off metals, etc. It is also used for etching figures on glass. Now the question arises as to what the glass is covered with in those parts that are to remain free from etching.

A thin sheet of rubber is used, it having been found that the sharp sand particles will rebound from the rubber, although cutting deeply into the glass. As rubber is much softer than glass it seems more or less peculiar. The explanation lies in the fact that the sand particles striking the rubber take a longer time to stop than those striking the glass, and it is a law of mechanics that the longer it takes a given body to stop the smaller the force exerted on the object struck.

This is a well known phenomenon in other ways. A player catches a baseball with a backward swing of his hand instead of holding it rigid. The mitt itself allows the ball some time to stop before the stuffing is compressed sufficiently to become rigid. A pair of eyeglasses dropped on a carpet do not break, but do dropped on a cement sidewalk from the same height. They have the same amount of energy to be destroyed by the body that stops them, for they fall from the same height, but the carpet took longer to

stop them than the cement. The same reasoning applies when a man is hit on the jaw and on the fleshy part of the arm with the same amount of force in each blow. Damage is done to the jaw, but not to the arm. Thus, if a fat man be kicked, nothing in the world is hurt but his dignity. Chicago Herald

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

LEGEND OF THE TEAPOT.

Origin of the Beverage as the Tale is Told in China.

The Uninese claim to be the first users of tea as a drink, and how it originated is told in a pretty little legend that dates from 2,000 years betore the coming of Christ.

A daughter of the then reigning sovereign fell in love with a young nobleman whose humble birth excluded him from marrying her. They managed to exchange glances, and he occasionally gathered a few blossoms and had them conveyed to her.

One day in the palace garden the sweetnearts met, and the young man endeavored to give her a few flowers, but so keen was the watchfulness of her attendants that all she could grasp was a little twig with green leaves. On reaching her room she put the twig in water, and toward evening she drank the water in which the twig nad been kept. So agreeacie was the taste that she even ate the leaves and staiks. Every day afterward she hau bunches of the tea tree brought to her,

which she treated in the same way. imitation being the sincerest form of flattery, the ladies of the court tried the experiment and with such pleasing results that the custom spread inrougnout the kingdom-and the great Chinese tea industry became on of the greatest businesses in the world. -London Tit-Bits.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

# Long Sleeves, High Neck; That's 1915 Style



By its sleeves you may know the lingerie gown of 1915. The new eleeve not merely covers the arm, but it slips down over the hand and leaves only the finger tips exposed. The neck of the 1915 maid will be as carefully concealed as her hands, for the collar of the lingerie gown reaches right up to the chin.

In the model illustrated, white net and filet lace are combined. The girdle, the collar and the sleeves are e of pink messaline

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Old English and Aliens.

Medieval England had a rough and ready way of insuring the good behavior of aliens. According to the Saxon law of frank pledge, which remained in force until 1370, no hosteler might entertain a foreigner more than a day and a night unless he undertook to answer for his guest's behavior. No foreigners were allowed to keep hostels in London. Some became naturalized in order to qualify for this privilege. Even these were not suffered to compete on equal terms with the natives, being required to keep their houses "in the heart of the city" and being rigidly excluded from the more profitable regions on the banks of the Thames. -London Chronicle.

Mrs. H. Laich, Cannington Manor, Sask, writes: - "You will remember me writing you last, spring. Well, I gave up my dector and began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This treatment cured me rapidly and I was soon myself again. I was pale, thin and weak, suffered from stomach troubles and liver complaint, and frequently had sick, nervous headaches. "I was surprised to find that in a few weeks' time I had gained 30 pounds in weight. I never felt so strong and well in all my life. Headaches never bother me any more, and fire quickly.

I am grateful for the cure. If people would only give this medicine a fair trial they would certainly be cured." Everywhere people are talking about this great food cure, which cures in Nature's way, by supplying the ingredients to form new blood, and so overcome weakness and disease by an abundance of vitality. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box, 6 for

FREE "PUFFS."

(Toronto News) Pertaps complaint is ungracious, especial as the Lord loveth a cheerful giver, but there are limits to all things. No one doubts the spirit of a grocer who sells goods for actual coast to a poor family. But no one would ask him to give the goods away and then oblige sells goods for actuar coast to a poor family. But no one would ask him to give the goods away and then oblige further with a cash contribution. A newspaper is as much a business as a grocery shop.

Truly it is a servant of the community but there is no reason the community, but there is no reason that it should be an unprofitable ser-

The attitude of editors towards all desirable prospects, patriotic, charitable. religious, municipal, even political, is perhaps too easy. Probably as long as time shall last newspapers will give up their space in a manner which will do more honor to their hearts than to their heads. But honorary secretaries, presidents, general managers should be considerate.



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### An Egg Race.

To play this game two empty egg shells and a couple of strips of white tane, each two yards long, are required. There is also a little fan, which is of use in the game.

To play this mark out two goals by pinning down the pieces of tape at opposite sides of the room, leaving plenty of space behind each for a child to crouch down at the outset of the race.

Place an empty eggshell in the cenrections to fan her egg over her barboundary as quickly as possible. The boy player meantime has to rely on his lungs to make his egg travel, and the player whose egg first crosses the tape of the enemy wins the game.

### First Fiction Known.

The "Tale of Two Brothers," written 3,206 years ago by the Theban scribe Ennana, librarian of the palace to King Merenptah, the supposed Pharach of the Exedus, is the oldest work of fiction extant.

The tale was written apparently for the entertainment of the crown prince. who subsequently reigned as Seti II. His name appears in two places on the manuscript, probably the only surviving autograph signatures of an Egyptian king.

This piece of antique fiction, written on nineteen sheets of papyrus in a hold hieratic hand, was purchased in Italy by Mme. d'Orbiney, who sold it in 1857 to the authorities of the British museum, where it is now known as the D'Orbiney papyrus.

### Rust-Proof Ironwork.

A simple method of making ironwork proof against rust is to heat it until it is almost red-hot, and then brush it over with linseed oil. This makes a varnish which, unlike ordinary paint or enunel, does not chip

CUSTOMS CHANGE, NOT MEN.

(Detroit Free Press) In an age of rapid progress in science, invention and thought it is well to bear in mind the sharp distinction between customs and men. Customs change swiftly. Men change so slowly that the story of a street riot in Rome in the days of Julius Caesar reads much like a similar one from Petrograd or Budapest in 1915. In an age of rapid progress in science.

"So Jack is engaged, is he? And is Fanny the bride-to-be?" "No. She's the tried-to-ce.' Boston Transcript. ward the grave.—Crebillion.

### TIFFS OF THE MARRIED.

(Lendon Advertiser.)

Perhaps after all, these little "tiffs" can be made helpful. With the right kind of a man and weman, and fortrnately for the world the majority of men and women are that kind, a little FAR SUPERIOR unselfishness, a little tact, will smooth things over and it is a grand training for those occasional big crises that come into the lives of most married people. As somebody has pointtre of each line of tape and choose ed out, a blaring discord in the playa boy and a girl to play against each ing of a symphony brings out in other. Give the girl the fan and greater relief the beauty of harmony. place her behind her barrier with di- Instead of leading to separation, legal or otherwise, these differences should cerning them Mrs. A. Sauve, Sheerrier and across her opponents's lead to better understandings. There should be a giving and taking, mutual Own Tablets for my three children. Applied in

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### THAT LITTLE "IF."

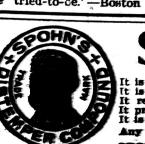
(Kingston Standard.)

What is going to happen? Mr. Rockefeller, junior, says that "warfare between capital and labor is undescribable, unchristian, and uneconomic, and it should be brought an end to." If his family had thought this long ago and not amassed huge capital by grinding the faces of the poor, there would not have been so much of this warfare.

#### PREACHER SHOULD GINGER UP. (Guelph Mercury.)

What is there about going to sleep in church that seems to be so conducive to snoring? It seems to invariably happen that when a person slides off for 40 winks, his head bobs forward and the sound of timber sawing commences. What an inspiration a preacher must gather from half a dozen rich, well developed snores!

Every moment of life is a step to



# Spohn's 5 Points

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Here is a fact worth knowing when you cook eggs. A spoonful of flour added to the grease in which eggs are to be fried will prevent them from breaking or sticking to the pan.

A solution of ammonia, applied three or four times to a cold sore, will remove it, if done when first felt.

Pickles may be kept from moulding over by laying a bag of mustard on top of them.

A tablespoonful of salt, sprinkled over the coals, will brighten the range After the dust is wiped off a mirror,

little camphor on a cloth will brighten it. If eggs are scarce and you are mak-

ing a pumpkin pie, use a tablespoonful of flour in place of one of the eggs you would have used, and you will never know the difference, at least, others will never notice the difference.

To raise the pile of plush, sponge with chloroform.

To keep nickel ornaments on stoves and various articles bright, use ammonia and whiting. Mix together in a bottle and apply with a cloth. A very little gives a fine lustre.

It is a good plan to pepper a carpet thickly just where any heavy piece of furniture has to rest on it, as this helps to keep the moths and other insects away. Nuts when bought ready shelled

should be scalded, dried in the oven and put away in glass jars. When next making griddle cakes add

a little brown sugar or molasses to the batter, the cakes will brown better and more easily. When boiling turnips add a little sugar to the water; it improves the

flavor of the vegetable and lessens the odor in the cooking. The work of cleaning white paint should be divided between two people, one doing the washing and the other

the polishing. The washing should be done with soap and warm water and a piece of flannel, the drying with a piece of old linen, and the polishing should be done immediately with a coft duster. Cold slaw is greatly improved by the

additio nof a few leaves of parsley chopped fine with the cabbage or two or three stalks of celery channel with the cabbage. A rich mayonnaise should always be used for slaw unless a French boiled dressing is preferred

Breaking a Bad Habit.

A customer had come to purchase a beef roast. Now, it seems that Bill ence, thought seme of his patrons, electric current was generated

As was stated, the customer was ouying a beef roast, and Bill slyly was helping cut the work of the scales with one pudgy fist when before a shopful of people the buver said:

"Take your hand off that scale, Bill. I'm buying beef, not pork." Since then no one has had to chide Bill for a similar act.—Exchange.

# TO CASTOR OIL

Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine a mother can give her little ones. They are absolutely safe, pleasant to take and never fail to cure stomach and bowel disorders. Conway, Que., writes: 'I have used Baby's

The value of meat as a food depends chiefly, of course, on its protein and fat, which are valuable in building and repairing the tissues of the system. Yet the government experts report that there is uniformity in the propertion of "building material" in the expensive and inexpensive cuts. The high priced cuts of beef coming from those parts of the animent of the dominion being about \$80 where the per capital debt of the United by the coming from those parts of the animent with the properties of the parts of the animent with the per capital debt of the United by the comparison of the animent with the per capital debt of the United by the comparison of the per capital debt of the united by the comparison of the united by the per capital debt of the dominion being about \$80 where the per capital debt of the united by the united by the per capital debt of the dominion being about \$80 where the per capital debt of the united by the uni coming from those parts of the ani- nearly half as much as does the mal where there is litle motion, have short fibres, making tender meat. while the cheaper cuts have long, coarse fibres, which need long, slow cooking to make them tender enough to be digested easily. This is where the cook shows her skill, for the different cuts need different treatment. -Woman's Home Companion.

#### COUNTRY BOYS AND ENLISTING. (Stratford Beacon.)

There is a reason why few young men from the rural districts of Ontario have been enlisting for the service at the front, besides that of not feeling the urgency of the call to the same extent as do the young men in the towns and cities, that is they are not there to enlist, as they were to enlist and did for service against the Fenians in 1866. Another reason is that where there are young men on the farm it is difficult to get help to replace them, in some cases it would be impossible. On some farms there are no young men, on others there may be one, and in others more. Where the latter is the case there would not seem to be much excuse. When all feel that the call is imperative they will readily respond.

THESE DEGENERATE DAYS. (Ottawa Citizen)

Somehow the old-time is convinced that mentally, morally, socially and every other way the old days and nights were hest, when the tango was unknown and the younger generation not only asw but took an active and healthy part in nature's great moving picture. Will the eld times ever come again?

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#### A Battery in Your Mouth.

A dead frog, kicking convulsively as hung from the iron railing of an talian balcony-this was the first clectric battery!

Luigi Galvani, a scientist born in used to have a most anneying habit frog on the balcony by a copper wire. (to the patrons), of bearing down. He noticed that every time the legs with a heavy hand upon the scales, touched the iron the frog kicked. He This high cost of fiving thing and all believed this proved the frog's body that were bad enough in all consci- contained electricity, but modcause the copper and iron were in contact above, while they were connected by the body of the which had been soaked in a solution of salt and water. It is on this principle, of two metals joined at one edge and immersed in an acid solution, that scientists have invented the "ganvanic cell," and it is called after Gal-

You can make a primitive electric battery in your own mouth, if you wish, by placing a small piece of zinc and a piece of copper on your tongue and letting their edges touch. You will note at once a peculiar bitter taste. This proves that the metals, together with the salty saliva on the tongue, have made an electric cell of your mouth!

#### OUR BIG DEBT. (Detroit Free Press)

should be a giving and taking, concession, if married life is to be the sweet, beautiful condition the unmarried believe it to be. A mixture of common sense and a frank admission of dissimilarities of taste and desires, with a willingness to compromise will help greatly to solve the domestic should be desired by medicine to equal them. They are far superior to Castor Oil and I would not be without them. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. With fifty million dollars already ap-

e increased.
When this situation arises warnings that went unheeded a few years ago should recur to the minds of our cousins across the line. They have been going into debt impulsively. Although a young people as a confederation, their borrowings mount up to a conspicuous States with close to a hundred million

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Something Really Important.

"I wonder if you could find out exactly how I stand with your father?" "What difference does it make?" responded the heiress. "I'll marry you whether he likes you or not." "I wasn't thinking of that, my love. He gave me a tip on the stock market just now. Is it safe to play it.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget In

or is it not?"-Pittsburgh Post.

DEAF AND DUMB. (Pittsburg Gazette-Times) Many European warriors have be dered permanently deaf of caunon. And then dum-dum bullets, too.

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