

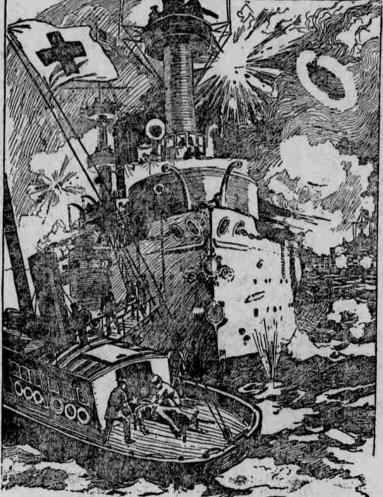
addition to the United States navy, and and statements showing that such a range. Of quick-firing guns the most craft would save the lives of 50 per wonderful is, perhaps, the Maxim, would probably die under present conditions of service. As the ambulance dier can carry it strapped on his back. ship will have to be the target of shot and shell, those in charge will have to face death in order to save life, and able to stand firing 100 times, and their rare courage will necessarily be the requisite for officers and attendants. The vessels utilized for the service will have to be swift steamers, of good capacity for sick room, and yet not so large as to prevent quick turning and rapid darting around among a fleet of

It is an unwritten law of every civilized nation that a wounded man and get hoarse, or have a cough, or a stiff the man who aids iam should both be note, or some similar complaint which protected, and it is calculated that the cannot be cured by home remedies, but crew of the ambulance ship will be insured the same treatment accorded the doctoring. Red Cross brigade. In naval conflicts

N ambulance ship to aid wound- | also has an extreme range of fourteen ed and drowning men during a miles, firing a shot weighing 1,800 naval engagement is the latest pounds and requiring 960 pounds of powder; but quick-firing guns are more Surgeon General Tryon and Secretary depended upon at the present day than Herbert both believe they have figures guns with such extreme length of cent, of the injured in a conflict who which can fire as many as 600 shots a minute, and yet is so light that a sol-Krupp's 130-ton gun and Armstrong's 111-ton proved too expensive, being unmanufacture has practically been abandoned. The gun most favored, perhans, is the twenty-two-ton Armstrong, which hurls a solid shot for a distance of twelve miles,-London News,

> They, Too, Catch the Influenza. Half the planes of this country catch withter colds exactly as we do. They

In order to prevent these avoidable



a great number of men are blown into allments a plano should be kept in a the water, and many uninjured men moderately warm room, where the fall from the rigging into the ocean. It temperature is even, say 60 or 70 deis a curious fact that three-fifths of the grees, the year round-not cold one day sailors in the different navies cannot and hot the next. The instrument swim, and therefore in many instances should not, however, be too near the to drop from the rigging or to be acci- source of heat. It should be kept dentally forced overboard during a bat- closed, and covered with a felt cloth tle is sometimes as sure death as to stop when not in use, particularly in frosty a bullet. The men on board the ambulance ship will be looking for just such accidents all the time, and boats' crews will be dispatched if such aid is needed. During the last naval battle between the Austrian and Italian fleets 30 years ago, more than 400 men were drowned who could have easily been saved had an ambulance ship been in

It is proposed that the new am bulance ships should be fitted up like naval hospitals. The ships will be controlled by "a naval ambulance association for the treatment of sick and wounded at sea," and while the government would exercise a parental guardtanship, the ambulance ship would really be a ship of mercy. The spar deck, where there is the greatest amount the vessel, while artificial ventilation congregation. will be produced by means of a steam spray, extracting apparatus, as well as a steam fan blast that will pump in an adequate supply of fresh air.

The percentage of recovery of injured. men on board an ambulance ship properly equipped would be fully half greater than at present. In a man-ofwar the sick ward is always located in the bow, although naval authorities have protested against it for years, for owing to the hawse holes this is a part of the ship most likely to be flooded in case of heavy weather. It is the "seasick" quarter of the ship also. Of course, it would be absolutely impossible for an ambulance ship to care for all the wounded during an engagement unless that engagement were simply between two vessels. The truth of this statement is shown by the fact that the ordinary battle ship, whose complement is 500 men, will have, within a few minutes of the time action begins, thirty men killed and 120 wounded.

Shot Fired Fifteen Miles.

From twelve to thirteen miles is the computed range of the most powerful guns now made, but the longest distance that a shot has been fired is a few yards over fifteen miles, which was the range of Kenpp's 130-ton steel gun, firing a shot weighing 2,000 pounds. The 111-ton Armstrong gun tillon system of measuring criminals.

THE OCEAN AMBULANCE IN ACTION.

Always place the piano against an inside wall, and a little out from it.

weather.

He Thought It Was a Fly.

She wore her hat far down over her eves. It was a very large hat, and its proudest decoration was a bunch of bird paradise tail feathers. She came into church with the most-devout air imaginable and knelt for a moment in silent prayer. The bald-headed man just in front of her twitched uneasily, His head moved from side to side. He lifted one hand and brought it smartly down on the top of his bald head andthe tips of my lady's bird of paradise feathers which had been tickling it. After that a very red-faced woman sat bolt upright in her pew, while a baldof air, will be devoted to the most seri- headed man just in front turned purous cases, and additional wards will ple, and what in any other place would be located in the remaining decks of have been a suicker ran through the

Told His Story in Latin.

At the time of the peace jubilee, Dr. C. R. Porter, of Boston, returned to his office one day, and found the slate in the hall covered with Latin words and signed O. W. Holmes. He immediately got down his dictionary, and with much effort discovered that he had been to the peace jubilee, had solled his boots so thoroughly with dirt that he dld not like to go downtown in such a plight, and had stopped and asked Mr. Porter's servant for a footbrush that he might clean up his boots; and he had dignified this rather menial performance by writing it all out in Latin and leaving it on the slate.

Too Bad for Description.

A costermonger, while trundling his apple-laden cart down a London street. was run into by a coaching party. The scattered all over the street. The driver of the coach came back to settle for the damage, and expected to come if for a volley of choice cursing. But the cos- money back, and another ter looked at his cart, looked at his apples, looked at the coach, and finally thing to do money back. gasped out: "Gnv'ner, dere eyen't no word fer it!"

Milwaukee has just adopted the Ber-

A Wife's Comfort

Knowledge saves worry in many ways. A writer in the Chicago Record professes to know a man-uot a Chicago man, but an Englishman-whose well-known constitutional tardiness once saved his wife from hours of the most terrible auxiety.

At the time of the fair there was a terrible fire in one of the buildings-I think it was the cold storage. On the afternoon of the fire the man-he was an Englishman-had an appointment on the top floor of the doomed building. The fire broke out, if I'm not mistaken, about 2 o'clock. In a short time the building was partially destroyed and several lives had been lost.

Some friends of the Englishman came to his wife at the Victoria Hotel and broke gently to her the fact that the cold-storage place was in ruins, and that Harry had on appointment on the top floor that afternoon.

"What time did the fire break out?" she asked.

They told her at 2 o'clock. "And for what hour was Harry's appointment?"

Two o'clock, also. "Oh, then I'm not in the least alarmed!" she said, and serenely continued

to knit. little white. "By Jove, Dora," he reafternoon.

She kissed his placidly. "You were

ing at 2 o'clock, dear, and you didn't get there till nearly 3. Wasn't that it?" He gave a wondering assent. which requires tedious and expensive

"What a comfort it is, Harry, that you're always late!"

Then she resumed her knitting.

Father's Domestic Headship. Dr. Charles H. Parkburst, D. D., in the Ladies' Home Journal writes concerning "The Father's Domestic Hendship:" While, perforce of ordinary circumstances, the father's duties will hold him considerably apart from the contacts of home l.fe, yet whatever successes he may achieve outside will not atone for any fallure on his part to regard his home as the prime sphere of his obligation and the point around which his devotements will cluster in

distinguished earnestness and constarcy. Whatever he may have achieved in his art, trade, profession or other engagement, the man who stands at the head of a household has been in the broad sense of the term a failure if he has not been a true husband and a wise, strong and devoted father. It cannot be a successful home where the mother looks after the children and the father looks after his business. The most productive services rendered are always personal, and any amount of exertion expended outside in providing take the place of that tuitional ministry which comes only by the direct and continuous contact of father with child. However complete a woman may be as a mother there are qualities of character which the father will communicate to his children that the mother will be less able to do as well as less intended to do.

Whatever the new order of things may be in tariff and taxes, business is already better, and there are sure signs of its being rapidly improved. Infirmities and ailments are the tariff and taxes on physical ments are the tariff and taxes on physical sprength. Lumbago is a complaint that thxes our best endurance. It cripples and units one for anything like active exertion. It is a sudden backache, but no matter how sudden, St. Jacobs Oil is quick and sure enough in its prompt cure to break it up and restore strength. In paying the taxes on our health the best currency is the best remedy for pain, and its prompt use the surest way of getting back to business.

All true internal parasites are blind, being very safe and without necessity

TO PAY A PENALTY FOR DINING

Is rather hard, isn't it? Yet how many are compelled to do this after every meal. Dyspepsia, that inexorable persecutor, never ceases to forment of its own voiltion, and rarely yields to ordinary medication. But tranquility of the stomach is in store for those who pursue a course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This fine corrective also remedies malarial and kidney complaints, rheumatism, constipation, billousness and nervousness.

A codfish recently caught off Flamborough Head, England, had inside it fifty-nine fish hooks.

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Three copies of the Bible, written on leaves of the fan palm, are in the British museum.

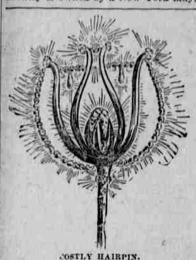
Schilling's Best tea-grocoster's cart got the worst of it, losing cer gives your money back a wheel and its ruddy freight being if you don't like it.

It's one thing to say

We say it, and your grocer does it; and we pay him FORTUNE IN A HAIRPIN.

One Cost \$11,500 and Is Worn by a New York Girl.

Costly hairpins are fast becoming he proper caper, and the girl who wears the most expensive one is the envy of her many companions. These hairplus cost any amount from \$10 to \$15,000. The handsomest worn in this country is owned by a New York lady,



About 5 o'clock Harry turned up, and cost \$11,500. In length it is just having been delayed by the difficulty six inches, while the upper, or ornaof getting transportation. He looked a mental part of it measures two inches across. It is not a pronged affair, marked, "I had a marrow shave this like the old-fashioned pins, but is what a yachtsman might call a single sticker. The great cost of this trinket is to have been in the cold-storage build- due not only to the profusion of the gems with which it is set, but also to their rare and brilliant quality. The upper part of this hirsute adornment is shaped like a lyre, with a single string across it. This string, the sides of the lyre, and the bar, or pin proper, are all of solid gold, and quite broad and heavy. The sides of the lyre are studded with diamonds and cubies, the latter of a quality that makes them vie in value with their more sparkling neighbors. The string is similarly inlaid, and at each tip of the lyre is a superb diamond set about with rubies. In the bottom part or bowl of the lyre is a golden lotus bud, with and most valuable diamond of the ornament. The effect of the whole design is heightened by two flexible of gold that run from the horns of the device to where the bar begins.

LAWYERS' CLUB HOUSE

Handsome Structure-Erected by the Bar Association of New York City. The Bar Association of New York has built itself a new home in that city. It is very proud of its new home, and pardonably so, for it is not only useful, but very pretty, too. All the big for the necessities of the home will not awyers in New York participated in



HOME FOR THE BAR ASSOCIATION

the formal opening of the building. The new-building is located at 42 West 44th street and runs right through the block to 43d street. The first floor is taken up with a long marble corridor, with reading-rooms, coatrooms and offices on either side. On the second floor is the assembly-room, decorated in white and red. On this floor, too, is a large reception-room. The library and reference-room is on the third floor. The interior of the building is richly decorated.

The Menotherm.

A simple apparatus, called the "Menotherm," has been devised, for applying steady and continuous heat to any part of the surface of the body, where it is required for medical purposes. It consists of a flat rubber and connected to a small copper cylinder or heater by two rubber tubes, the whole being filled with water, and hermetically sealed. In use, the cylinder is placed in a can of water over a lamp. The water in the cylinder is thus heated and caused to circulate through the pad, the temperature being regulated by the height of the lamp flame.

Queer Astronomical Facts.

The speculative astronomers have given us some queer calculations and odd comparisons. One of the most curious of these is one in which the relative size of the sun and some of the IN SARANTEED ORDER..... planets is shown. They tell us that if the sun could be represented by a globe two feet in diameter the earth would be represented, proportionately, by a pea, Mars by a pinhead and Mercury by a mustard seed.

Exactly Expressed It. "How did you sleep, Fred?" asked a gentleman of a friend who was "roughing it" with him. "Well," said Fred. who was new to that amusement, "I've had a quantity of inferior sleep."

Wife-If I thought a thing was wicked. I'd die before I'd do it. Husband -So would I. Wife-Huh! I think smoking cigars is a wicked waste; an implous defilement, in fact. Husband -Then you should not spicke. Hand me a match, please, New York Weekly;

Australia is a country without orphans or an orphanage. Every waif is taken to a receiving house, where it is kept until a country home is found for it. CHILL TON

A Happy Gouple.

'Squire Moore and His Estimable Wife Interest a Reporter.

From Tribune, Greeley, Colorado. Among the many good people residing in Greeley, Colorado, 'Squire Moore and his amiable wife are the best known and the most respected. This happy couple were born in West Riding, of York, England, in 1820. In 1848 they emigrated to this country and settled in Derby, Conn., where they resided for a number of years. While respected by his neighbors, was elected

A reporter called on them recently and was received cordially and in response to his inquiries, Mrs. Moore said: "For four years I was miserable, hardly a week passed during that time but what I suffered from extreme lassitude. The least exertion fatigued me. At times when I was sewing or reading, I would be troubled with tingling sensations, like the pricking of pins in hands, feet, arms and legs. Occasionally I would suffer from profuse perspiration, the water fairly running from my face and hands. Then for days it would seem impossible for me to enjoy a minute of warmth. I would sit in a rocking chair alongside a roaring fire in the stove wrapped up in blankets, yet while my face would be scrorched, the rest of my body would be chilled.

"Finally, despite my opposition, my husband called in a physician, who attributed my ailment to rheumatism and prescribed for that complaint. A day or two afterwards he changed his opinion, saying I was attacked with la grippe; also changed his medicine, but to no purpose. I was going from bad 5 per cent of water in the first three to worse. The tingling sensations days, and will continue to absorb it unwere resumed. At times I would be til it reaches from 14 to 16 per cent as incapable of doing anything with my hands and my husband was fearful that ating above and below this standard

New York Triubne, he read to me a statement of a wonderful cure perfected 212 degrees, F., the loss of weight equalby Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He and ed 45 per cent; and, further, on exposopening leaves, that reveal the largest I had at times read similar testimoni- ing small prisms of wood one-half inch als describing the great powers and square and eight inches long, cut out virtue of these pills. But this night of billets that had been stored for two in particular, I was impressed with years, to the action of superheated strings of diamonds, ingeniously con- what he read and told him it wouldn't steam for two hours, their loss of weight nected by delicate settings and threads do any harm to try a box. The next | was found to be from 15 to 45 per cent, morning he purchased a box of the Pink Pills and I commenced taking! them according to directions, three times a day. Within a week I felt SURE CURE FOR PILES better, and when I had finished that box I asked my husband to get me another

and he laughingly complied, saying, 'conceit is as bad as consumption, but even if you think they are doing you some good there is a great relief ex-perienced." After that he purchased for me about a dozen more boxes, and for nearly two years I continued taking them. The result was I regained my strength, the tingling in arms and legs, hands and feet ceased and the frequent sweats which I had been subject to left me. In all truth, I am forced to state that the Pink Pills made a new woman of me. That is," she laughingly remarked, "as new as you can make a woman who is now in her 76th year." there Mr. Moore, who was highly And in truth, Mrs. Moore's closing remarks are well founded, for she is as a member of the state legislature in hale and healthy looking as any woman

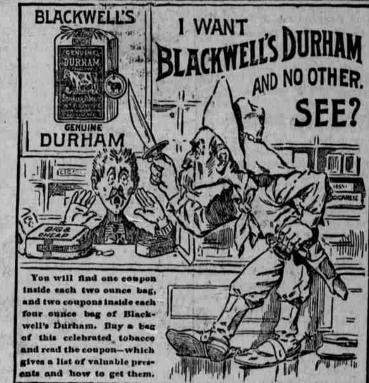
could be who has lived her great age. ANNA MOORE. (Signed) Subscribed and sworn to before me, a notary public, this 23d day of May,

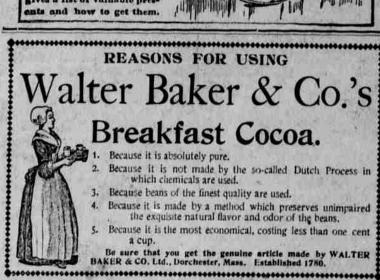
My commission expires May 14th,

Milton A. Lyons, Notary Public. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50 (they are never sold in bulk, or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenece

tady, N. Y. Water in Wood.

It has commonly been estimated that green wood, when cut down, contains about 45 per cent of its weight in moisture, but in the forests of central Europe wood cut down in winter is said to hold more than 40 per cent of water at the end of the following summer. Kept for several years in a dry place, wood retains from 15 to 20 per cent of water, while that which has been thoroughly desiccated will, when exposed to air under ordinary circumstances, absorb a normal standard-the amount fluctu-I was suffering from partial paralysis. according to the state of the atmos-'One evening, while reading the phere. It has been found that, by exposing green wood to a temperature of according to the temperature of the steam





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