Why He Did Not Enlist, Chief Big Nose of the Assiniboine Indians stopped a Government inspector passing over the reservation to explain why he had not volunteered to fight for the "Great Father." He had always expected to help Uncle Sam if war over came, but the runner who brought him the news that hostilities had been begun also said that all fighting was to be on the water. This was entirely unexpected to Big Nose, and seemed very strange to him, and as he had never learned to swim he did not

Beauty Is Blood Deep. Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking

volunter, -Baltimore American,

Cascarets, -beauty for ten cents. All drug-gists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

It costs over \$15 a minute to fire the Maxim gun at the rate of 750 shots a min-

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LUCAS COUNTY,

FRANK J. CHENKY makes oath that he is the
senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENKY &
Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County
and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay
the sum of one hundred not lark for each
and every case of CATARRH that cannot be

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, seal. A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON.

Neigry Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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Kandy, the old capital of Ceylon, and Singapore are about to install the electric light.

Coughs Lead to Consumption. Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dan-

Queen Mary used the first side saddle with a pommel ever seen in Scotland.

Happy Children Are they who take Hoxsle's Croup Cure for croup and whooping cough. It cures quicker than any remedy known, 50 cents.

Blind men outnumber blind women by

### Catarrh In the Head

Is an inflammation of the mucous membranelining the nasal passages. It is caused by a cold or succession of colds, combined with impure blood. Catarrh is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which eradicates from the blood all serofulous taints, rebuilds the delicate tissues and builds up the system.

#### Hood's Sarsaparilla Is America's Greatest Medicine. \$1; six for \$5

Hood's Pills cure all Liver Ills. 25 cents. It Didn't Apply to Him.

During the latter part of September, says the Sau Francisco News Letter, Mr. Willis Polk was a member of a house party being entertained at a country place not so very far from San Francisco. At dinner one night the subject of art was broached, and the discussion soon became general. The hostess, however, threw a damper on the topic by a frankly expressed dislike of wielders of the pencil and

"I can't stand artists," she said, petulantly, and when every one looked surprised she added: "They are always so dirty, you know."

Polk leaned impulsively toward his hostess, with a deprecating gesture. "My dear madam-" he began, in polite but emphatic protest.

"Why, Mr. Polk," replied the lady. answering his unspoken exception with airy frankness, "you are not an

#### AN OPERATION AVOIDED.

Mrs. Rosa Gaum Writes to Mrs. Pinkham About it. She Says:

DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:-I take pleasure in writing you a few lines to inform you of the good your Vegetable Compound has done me. I cannot thank you enough for what your media eine has done for me; it has, indeed, helped me wonderfully.

For years I was troubled with an ovarian tumor, each year growing worse, until at last I was compelled to consult with a physician. He said

nothing could y be done for me but to go under an operation. In speaking with a friend of mine about it, she recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, saying she knew it would cure me. I then sent for your medicine, and after taking three bottles of it, the tumor disappeared. Oh! you do not know how much good your medicine has done me. I shall recommend it to all suffer-

ing women.-Mrs. Rosa Gaun, 720 Wall St., Los Angeles, Cal. The great and unvarying success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in relieving every derangement of the female organs, demonstrates it to be the modern safeguard of woman's happiness and bodily strength. More than a million women have been

benefited by it. > Every woman who needs advice about her health is invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham. at Lynn, Mass.

"After I was induced to try CASCA-RETS, I will never be without them in the house. My liver was in a very bad shape, and my head ached and I had stomach trouble. Now, since tak-ing Cascarets, I feel fine. My wife has also used them with beneficial results for nour stomach." JOS. KHEHLANG, 1921 Congress St., St. Louis, Mo.



CURE CONSTIPATION. ... ing Remody Company, Chicago, Musteral, Rew York. 113

NO-TO-BAC Sold and guaranteed by all drug-

#### AGRICULTURAL TOPICS

Pruning Currants. The main object of pruning current bushes is to properly develop every portion of the plant. To obtain this, t is necessary to cut out occasionally the old wood and shorten the most rigorous of the young growth. Onehalf dozen large vigorous shoots will give more and larger fruit than twice that number of weak and immature

Value of Concentrating Manure. Concentrating the manure on a small area may appear as a waste, but results have always been in favor of so loing. The Massachusetts Board of Agriculture calls attention to the fact that the keeper of a livery stable applied the manure from fifteen horses on an acre and a half of land for several years and harvested two and three props of hay each year, the aggregate being seven and a half tons each season, or more than three times as much as the land would have produced without such treatment.

#### Milk and Meat For Poultry.

The impression is more or less general that milk, either pure or skimmed, will take the place of meat in the poultry ration. While no one will question the value of milk as a poultry food it should be remembered that it contains but ten per cent, of solids after it is skimmed, as against sighty-nine per cent, of solids in meat, of which four per cent. is mineral matter absolutely essential to egg production. In the consumption of milk in place of meat the fowl is compelled to drink too much water contained therein in order to obtain the required solids. When milk is fed in connection with meat we have a combination making a most profitable feeding. The milk may be either whole or skimmed, but it should at no time be fed when very sour, as it then decomposes. A very small amount of cooked fat meat is not objectionable, but the best is lean meat with the bone, the latter run through a bone cutter.

#### Use and Cost of Land Plaster.

Land plaster is sold very cheaply in places where the rock suitable for grinding it from is abundant. It is there, too, that it appears to do most good, probably in part because the gypsum rock has always enough holes through it to make good drainage. There is no use putting plaster on land that is most of the year full of water. Its best effect is always found on light and dry soils, for one of the properties of plaster is to attract moisture, which such soil usually needs. We have known plaster sold at the mills as low as \$2 per ton in winter when most of the rock grinding is done. Ten or fifteen miles away and in summer, when farmers want to use it for crops, the price would jump up to \$4.50 and \$5 per ton. So those who used much plaster generally went with sleighs during a run of good sleighing, when they would sometimes draw two tons or more on a load. A half bushel of plaster weighs pretty near 100 pounds. so that a good deal can be put in an ordinary sleigh box, and drawn by a smart team when the sleighing was at its best, -American Cultivator.

#### Feeding Cattle For Market.

All who are interested have doubtless noticed the fact that the market now furnishes only the small or medium sized animals. The heavy steer and the fat hog are rarely seen. The market demands the small animals, for consumers have learned that the flesh is more tender and juicy than in large animals. Heifer beef is taking the place of steer beef, for the former, equally well fattened at the same age, is of much better quality.

It is a fact worthy of record that the producer fought for a long time against this demand for young market stock, especially in beef. The demand had to be met or no sale, so he swallowed his choler and has now discovered the astounding fact that he can make a pound of meat cheaper and of better quality on the young animal than the older one, and that when the animal gets beyond a certain weight feeding cannot be continued profitably. Thus it is certain that the pre-conceived ideas are being daily upset and often times, as in this case, forced changes are made contrary to out better judgment only to find later that had they taken place sooner we would have been money in pocket.

#### Keeping Eggs For Winter.

I have tried many different methods of packing eggs, but have found that keeping them in brine is more satisfactory than any method of dry packing that I have had any experience with. I use jars in which to keep the brine, although kegs or any watertight vessels will answer the purpose. The recipe for making the brine is as follows: To three gallons of water, half a pint of water-slacked lime, of the consistency of thick cream, and one pint of common salt. Stir until both lime and salt are dissolved; then drop the eggs carefully to prevent cracking, as a cracked egg will soon spoil. The eggs must sink gently, not rapidly, and must almost float, but if they float on the top the brine is too strong and more water can be added. Eggs must be entirely fresh and each day's supply deposited in the brine as soon as gathered. If these directions are followed eggs will be fresh in appearance and quality after being in the brine a year. Of course, a fresh-laid egg is preferable for table use or cake icing to any packed egg, but there are many ways of using eggs in which a packed egg answers equally as well, and there is a time in the life of a hen, when moulting, that she does not seem to have the interest of the housewife at heart, but is looking after her own comfort. Eggs then become scarce and high and a store of packed ones from which to draw is very acceptable. -Rural World.

Sand Removed From the Mersey. Since September, 1890, 20,500, 0 tons of sand have been removed from the bar at the mouth of the Mersey, leaving a depth of twenty-six feet at low tide in the dredged channel, where eight years ago there was only eleven feet. Liverpool was driven to make the improvement by the recent growth of Southampton as a port.

House of Commons Reporters. Ninety reporters are employed in the gallery of the House of Commons.

### A TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

THE DRINK EVIL MADE MANIFESY IN MANY WAYS

Shun the Cider-A Tale of Success That Shows How the Great Cities Invite Missienary Effort-Drunkard's Walf

Becomes a Tectotal Governor,

I wouldn't touch the cider, Oh, no, I'd let it be, It is the safest way, boys,

As you will clearly see. For if you stand for temperance And never taste the stuff,

It surely cannot harm you, That fact is plain enough.

I wouldn't sip the elder, Although it may be sweet, Nor suck it through a straw, boys, When with your mates you meet; For soon, before you know it,

It may be sour instead; There have been cider drunkards. About them I have read,

And if you start with eider, You'll soon be taking beer; Then something even stronger, Till friends for you will fear;

So better be abstainers.

The temperance pledge now sign,
And never, never daily With cider, beer and wine.

—The National Advocate.

## A Governor Found in a Hogshead. A good-natured philanthropist was walk-ing along the docks one Sunday morning, when he found a boy asleep in a hogshead. He shook him till he was wide awake, and

then opened the following conversation:
"What are you doing here, boy?" "I slept here all night, sir, for I had no other place to sleep in."
"How is that? Have you no father or

mother? Who takes care of you?"
"My father drinks, sir, and I don't know where he is. I have to take care of myself, for my mother is dead; she died not long ago." And at the mention of her name the boy's eyes filled with tears.
"Well, come along with me. I'll give
you a home, and look after you as well as

The child thus adopted on the whart was taken to a happy home. He was sent to a common school, and afterwards employed as a clerk in the store of his benefactor. When he became of age, his friend and benefactor said to him: "You have been a faithful and honest boy and man, and if you will make three promises I will furnish you with letters of credit, so that you can start business at the West on your own ac-count."

"What promises do you wish me to make?" inquired the young man.
"First, that you will not drink intoxicating liquors of any kind,"
"I agree to that."

"Second, that you will not use profune speech."
"I agree to that."

"Third, that you will not become a poli-

"I agree to that." The young man started in business at the West, and, by minding his own business, in a few years he became a rich man. At the close of the war he came East, and called upon his friend and accepted father. In the course of a happy interview the philanthropist asked his adopted son if he had kept his total abstinence pledge. "Yes, sir," was the answer.

"Have you abstained from the use of profane speech?" 'Yes, sir," said the man with emphasis. "Have you had anything to do with

The visitor—the adopted son perhaps I should have said—blushed and said, "Without my consent I was nominated for Governor of my State and elected. I am

now on my way to Washington to transact important business for the State." Did ever a hogshead turn out so good a thing as a tectotal Governor before? It had to be emptied of its wine before it could be a shelter for the little Arab whran wild in that wilderness of marble and mortar, the great city of New York.

The streets and wharves of the great metropolis of commerce invite missionary

effort, and the writer hopes that the little waifs affoat on the wave of outward will not be neglected .- George W. Bungay.

#### Denounces Liquor Traffic.

The fourth sermon of the "Under the Flag" series was preached recently by Rov. Melbourne P. Boynton at Woodlawn Baptist Church, Chicago. His subject was: "Slaves." He said, among other things: All the race is in bondage. When our

colored brethren marched out under the flag, freed men, all our slaves were not liberated. Many are still in bondage, a thralldom worse than that which held the negro, for this present day slavery is both body and soul. Political slaves abound who care more for party than purity. Commercial slaves are everywhere—poor girls whose lives are ground out under the heel of a satunic greed. So-called merchant princes, whose silly souls are spent in hoarding coined dust. Social bondmen, whose exterior is silk and interior in rags, who dress like queens and live like paupers. Ecclesiastical slaves, living in little grooves,

with a copyright on heaven.

A nation can be a slave as well as an in-A nation can be a slave as well as an individual. Columbia stands with chains upon her glorious form, and the flag that should typify her graces and shed her glory is the protector of her masters. Years ago she invited the world to come to her home and abide. She expected angels, but a devil came as well. Poor Columbia willingly accepted him, and now, protected by her armies and upheld by her laws this her armies and upheld by her laws, this giant places the chains of thralldom upon her fair wrists that she might not perform her God-giving mission, and ties her ankles that she might not run in the paths marked out by Providence. This prince of demons, this cruel master of our land is the liquor traffic of the United States, which cost us in money in 1896 \$1,196,878,-422. This is our tribute for one year to the savage who thrives on broken hearts, ruined homes, a debauched people and

#### dammed souls.

College Drinking on the Increase. The Interior makes this startling state-ment: "The evil of college drinking is on the increase, and not only so, but the col-lege system of drinking is descending into the academics and high schools. This fact we know to be true. There are so-cleties of boys in educational institutions —and they are increasing—in which, while a half is on a spree, the other half abstains to take care of them, the abstainers taking their turn at the bowl when their companions have sohered up." Nor is this confined to State schools. This statement of the Interior's was called out through a reference to Princeton University, in which is a Presbyterian theo-logical seminary. True temperance is a live subject to-day. It is present truth still, as a part of the faith, equally with righteousness and judgment to come.

#### What Drunkennes Will Do.

"Drunkenness," says one writer on the vice, "will make a pauper, an invalid, a lunatic. It will send you an empty purse, an empty wardrobe, and an empty shelf. It gives you a taste for swearing, obscenity, and impurity. It inclines you to choose begging for a profession rather than inde-pendence. It qualifies you to become an undutiful child, an unnatural parent, a cruel husband or a disgusting wife. These are but a little of what drunkenness does."

Stray Arrows. The blackest devil in the world to-day is the drink devil.

Old men are drunkards because young men take drink.

A warm welcome to your fireside may wean some boy from the saloon. It is better to have faith than fear, and much better to buy bread than beer. The man who drinks only one drink a

day is on the side of the drinking customs. The young man is wise who keeps as far as possible away from the liquor den. Faith in God and hard work will not only mately drive the devil out of the world.

The American people have celebrated another "Independence Day," and still are as dependent as ever for revenue, in peace and in war, upon King Alcohol, a worse tyrant than King George ever was.

Hardships of Army Life.

From the Press, Milroy, Ind. One of the first to offer their services for the country in the Civil War was A. R. Seftion, of Milroy, Rush Co., Ind. He made a good record. The life of every soldier is a hard one, and Mr. Sefton's case was no exception. "We were in Tennessee, penned in on all sides. Our rations were very scarce," said he, "and we had begun to go on quarter allowance, and as the rain was not enough to replenish the wells or streams, our canteens went smott. We was hurour canteens went empty. We were hur-ried on, and the only way to quench our thirst was to go down on our hands and knees and drink from the hoof tracks made



Our Canteens Were Empty. "Some of us were taken sick from the offects of this. I was laid up several weeks in a field hospital from fever. From that time I was always afflicted more or less.

"About four years ago I became much worse. Our family doctor seemed puzzled over my case, and it began to look as if there was no hope for my recovery, and that the inevitable end was near.

"Last November I was advised to try Dr. William, Pink Dill." Williams' Pink Pills. The physicians said they were an excellent medicine, but would do no good in my case. But I tried them, and am glad I did, for I became better at once. Eight boxes taken according to di-

rections cured me. I used the last of the pills about a year ago, and have not been troubled with my aliments since."

The power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People in the vast number of diseases due to impure or poisoned blood has been demonstrated in thousands of instances as remarkable as the one related

World's annual coffee production is 1,-000,000,000 pounds.

#### Five Cents.

Everybody knows that Dobbins' Electric Soan is the best in the world, and for Si years it has sold at the highest price. Its price is now 5 cents, same as common brown soap. Barsfull size and quality. Order of grocer. Adv

### Little Girl Caused a Delay.

The President's visit to the Omaha Exposition was the cause of a pretty bit of by-play. While Mr. McKinley was passing through the buildings the immense crowd was lined up on either side, and super-abundant enthusiasm was restrained-as usual-by ropes. But there was one who was not to be kept back. As the Chief Executive of the Nation entered the Manufactures Building a little girl, with tawny hair, slipped under the ropes, and before the vigilant arm of a burly policeman could obey the warning of his more vigilant eye she had gripped the Presidential coat-tails.

"Please, Mr. McKinley," said a small voice with a childish lisp, "Please, Mr. McKinley, won't you wear my rose in your buttonhole?"

The President paused, smiling. "Certainly, my dear," he said. "We'll exchange." Taking from the lapel of his coat the red carnation that he always wears, he gave it to the little girl and put the rose in its place.

Then, and not until then, was the long procession of Cabinet Ministers, diplomats, Governors, Senators and ldiers allowed to pass what could have been the cause of this delay. - Philadelphia Press.

#### The Anti-Germ Barber Shops. Even barbering is becoming scientific. The germ theory now comes to the aid of a man who is getting his

chin reaped or his hair cut. Chicago barbers are introducing "antiseptic shaves" and "sterilized razors" and "hygienic" brushes. In many of the first-class shops all the towels, shears, razors, combs and brushes used on a customer are subjected first to a bath in an antiseptic fluid. The operator likewise washes his hands in a solution warranted to destroy germs. Every customer is furnished with a separate cup, which

is kept for his individual use. It is claimed that by this method infection is impossible. Under the old system germs throve and were transmitted from face to face by the barber's tools,-Chicago Inter-Ocean.

#### An Elizabethan Letter.

I have sent the a letle provision agen this time, but I cold wish it were much beter. Ther is a goose pye, a netes tounge pye, and a mutton pastie for standers for thy table this Crismas, for a nede, I knowe they will last tell twelftide, for they are now newe baked. I have sent the a goose and ij capens alive for feare they wold not last tell ye holy daies if they had been killed, but I wish the to kill them [on Saterday at ye furdest lest they growe worse. \* \* I prethe doe so much as bestoe for me vid or viijd in sume oringes or lemons or ij pouns siterns and sende them downe nowe by Hale . . and so with my best wishes to thee and Kitt I rest. THY MOTHER, S. D.

Exchequer.

-Antiquities and Curiosities of the

#### Hawaii's Liabilities and Assets.

The total liabilities of the Republic of Hawaii are \$3,914,608.35, while its assets as represented in Government lands, which include the old crown lands; harbor improvements, water works, public buildings and cash in hand, are about double that amount. Hawaii is not a pauper country. It is probably wealthier in resources developed and undeveloped than any locality in the United States, and, instead of being a drag and expense on the United States, it is well able to take financial care of herself and will pay its just proportion of the country's expense and thereby enrich rather than (as some would make it appear) impoverish the home Government by just that much.-Chicago Inter-Ocean.

#### An Old Maid's Chart.

The Government has just published an old maid's chart, which is expected to be of the greatest value to unmarried women all over the country. It is a map, printed in colors, and shows at a glance just in what localities bachelors are thickest, and in what regions spinsters are most dense per square mile .- New York Journal.

A Dutch chemist claims that he has discovered a way of making sugar from starch, which will reduce its price one-half.

Why Insects Visit Flowers.

Some experiments recently made in delgium tend to throw doubt on the ruth of the assumption that insects re guided to flowers by the brightess of their colors. Brilliantly colred dahlias were covered so as to show only the disks, and butterflies and bees sought these flowers with the mme cagerness and frequency as those which were fully exposed. The conilusion reached, that the insects were guided by the sense of smell rather than by their sight, seems convincing.

#### The Mesozole Age.

In the latter prrt of the mesozoic tgo there was a great inland ocean. preading over a large part of the resent continent. The lands then shove water were covered with a flora seculiar to the times and were inhabted by some of the animals which later distinguished the cenozoic age. In the cas were reptiles, fishes and turtles of gigantic proportions, armed for offense or defense. There were also pyster-like bivalves, with enormous hells, three or four feet in diameter, the meat of which would have fed many people.

In time this great ocean, swarming with vigorous life, disappeared. Mountain ranges and plains gradually arose, casting forth the waters and leaving the monsters to die and bleach in tertiary suns. As the water remained divided into smaller tracts they gradually lost their saline stability. The stronger monsters gorged on the weaker tribes until they, too, stranded on rising sand bars or lost vitality and perished as the water freshened. In imagination we can picture the strongest, bereft of their food supply at last and floundering in the shallow pools until all remaining mired or starved. It would be interesting to know how much of the great cretaceous ocean forms a part, if any, of the vast oceaus of to-day. - Popular

#### A Strange Animal Group.

There is an interesting animal group in the Zoological Garden at Leipsic. A dog is bringing up a baby beaver and a baby hyens. At first the young animals were fed on the bottle. This not proving satisfactory, the keeper of the garden cast about for a substitute and finally made a trial of a kind dog as a mother for the baby beaver and the baby hyena. The experiment was a success and now the wee-wees are flourishing. The little beaver is a diligent bather and the little hyena is an eager devourer of chopped meat. Notwithstanding their diverse natures, the beaver and hyena babies get along capitally together. - New York Herald.

Most Artistic.

"That's not an art store; that's a bank," protested the native.

"Certainly, certainly," replied the visitor. "I see the sign on the door. Nevertheless, it is where one would go for a thing of beauty, and you must concede that a thing of beauty is usually somewhat in the line of art." "Thing of beauty, nonsense!" ex-

claimed the native. "That's where they deal in money." 'Precisely," assented the visitor. 'And money is a joy forever. There

you have it as plain as day. 'A thing of beauty is a joy--"-Chicago Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be mag-netic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaran-Booklet and sample free. ned. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York

Physicians declare that the most nutritious article of diet is butter. Lane's Family Medicine. Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick head-

sche. Price 25 and 50c. A lady's foot should equal in length one

#### seventh of her height. Winter Exentsion Rates.

The Southern Railway announces, effective November 1st, excursion tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates for the winter resorts of the South. The service this year will be perfect in every respect. The trains operated by this system are most luxuriously furnished, operating dining, sleeping, drawing-room cars. For full particulars call on or address Alex. S. Thweatt, Eastern Passenger Agent, 271 Broadway, New York.

No less than five systems of law are in

use in Germany. Fits permanently cured. No fits or nervous-ness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer, Stirial bottle and treatise free Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., Wil Arch St., Phila., Pa. There are now about 350 public libraries in Great Britain.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Suaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure 50c. \$1. All druggists. There are only 136,000 Jews in all France; 40,000 of them live in Paris.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tableta. Al-Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. Sc.

The United States sent 73,000 pounds of butter to Japan in 1897.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c, a bottle The proper distance between the eyes is the width of one eye.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 26.

If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money. Fally twenty-five hundred persons commit suicide in Russia every year.

I am entirely cured of hemorrhage of lungs by Piso's Cure for Consumption.—Louisa Lindaman, Bethany, Mo., January 8, 1894. The number of medical periodicals published in the United States is 275.

Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer is the best medicine in use for La Grippe.—A. H. Mc-CAULEY, Battle Creek, Mich., Sept. 28, 1898. The cent consists of ninety-five per cent. of ecpper and five per cent. tin and zinc.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. fall, druggists refund money. It is estimated that there are 700,000 cats in London.

SOMEHOW AND SOMEWHERE AMONG THE MUSCLES AND JOINTS The Pains and Aches of

RHEUMATISM CREEP IN. Right on its track

St. Jacobs Oil CREEPS IN. II Penetrales, Searches, Drives Out.

Paper Made Out of Aluminum, Experiments with aluminum as a way in France. It is well known that the paper used to-day in the manufacture of books is not durable. It is port." "That is right. Has any now possible to roll aluminum into other State two capitals?" "Yes, sheets four-thousandths of an inch in ma'am." "Name the State or States,

To furnish shoes for the army would counting the soles and boels.

cally fire and water proof, and is in-

destructible by the jaws of worms,

on With Two Capitals. "What State has two capitals?" said substitute for paper are now under the teacher. "Rhode Island, ma'am," thickness, in which form it weighs please." "West Virginia, North Carless than paper. By the adoption of olina, South Carolina, North Dakota, suitable machinery these sheets can | South—" "Hold an there, Benny, be made even thinner still, and can and tell me the names of West Virbe used for book and writing paper. ginia's two capitals before you go The metal will not oxidize, is practifurther." "W and 'V,' ma'am," replied Benny very promptly .- Philadelphia Press.

There are 15,000 people in London require the skins of 34,625 calves, not whose professional occupation is writing for publication.



Never let blankets remain in service after they are soiled. Dirt rots the fibre and invites moths.

Never wash a blanket with any other than Ivory Soap. Use warm (not hot) water and dry in a place where there is no exposure to wind, sun, or too hot or cold air. Blankets that have been improperly washed are hard

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