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THE MOSQUITO AS A PHYSI CIAN.

Some one has discovered that the mosquito is not the unmitigated nuisance that he has generally been thought, but is a volunteer inoculator against malaria. He simply lances the patient and inserts his "lymph," singing the while from sheer joy at his unappreciated philanthropy. He does not even, we are told, collect a fee in the form of blood, the redness that is noticeable when a successful "spat" spreads himself out over the epidermis of the ingrate he is doctoring, being due to the discoloration of his healing lymph in contact with the blood. It is, moreover, asserted that he never makes a mistake by vaccinating a person who is not susceptible to an attack of malaria. Says the authority we quote -the Boston Transcript.

In this respect its sense is more accurate than the most skilled and experi- rowly escaped death by exposure and enced pathologist. This also proves not only its unerring instinct, but that it never wounds unnecessarily. Its thrusts are those of a skilled and humane surgeon, and even more unselfish, for hope of a fee never quickens him, nor does the malediction of his patient deter him in the fulfilment of his duty.

This, it must be confessed, is a new view of the bird. He is not generally regarded as an unselfish benefactor among the children of men. He is blessed however, with not understanding their speech; for the feelings of the most persistent philanthropist would be wounded by the rasty things that are said of the mosquito to his very face, or, at least, within the zone of his unsoothing lullaby. But it is a great pity that his motives are so sadly misunderstood. The licensed physician, who goes about in a gig, is often as disagreeable as he; but he takes fewer risks-for himself-for he makes it plain that his intentions are the best. The mosquito should not be so reticient about his purposes. He might well waive professional etiquette and advertise, or he might send in a bill occasionally-instead of merely inserting it without waiting for a reply, as he does now. He ought to do something to show that he is being taken "formedicinal purposes only"; for the great mass of humanity do not mind tormenting themselves for their own good. If he would only let us know that we are sick before he cures us, we would not feel so badly about it. Then, too, he might have the decency to call in professional hours, and to respect another mosquito's patient. Professional style is what he needs. He should shut off his drum attachment and apply cocaine before he operates. The up-to-date civilized practise of medicine has some points in its favor after all.

Where one's faith in this new discovery respecting the character of the mosquito is most severely tried, is in the apparent absence of motive for the insect's charitable behavor. Why should he live laborious days and keep himself awake nights by beating a gong, just to look after the health of people who are strangers to him and who never by any chance seek his acquaintance. We do not worry about his health; we are only concerned about his death. Then if he does not feed on us, where does he feed? He comes to us thin and he goes away fat, he comes to us colorless and he goes away red, he is frequently caught in the act of boring his way into the very place where we keep our blood; he may be as innocent as an alderman-says he is-but even so wooden-headed an insect as he seems to be, would admit that appearances are against him. Then why don't he stop when the patient is already inoculated at every visible point? He seems too reckless for a doctor, too indiscriminate for a philanthropist, too eager for an altruist. It is likely that mankind generally will continue to distrust him and assist at his obsequies whenever possible.—Ex.

## ST. JOHN LETTER.

"Tis Greece, but Living Greece no More"-The News in Brief-The Markets, etc.

Both Spain and Turkey are in such financial straits that neither can raise any more loans without pledging their customs receipts in advance, yet Spain is able to bully the United States and indulge in murder and papine almost within ear shot of her forts, without remonstrance, and Turkey; with the blood of 200,000 Armenian Christians crying for vengenance, has the support of all Europe in crushing the Greeks because they sympathized with the Cretan Christians whom the Turks were massacreing as they the last decade of this century to prove only a short time in the vicinity. The that there is no Christianity in so-called | chapel at Sy-Lin has also been threatened Christian governments-to range the by the marauders, and it is feared will battle ships of Christian England on the | meet a similar fate.

side of the Moslem against Christian Greece, "The mills of the gods grind slow but they grind exceeding small." Because of its teloration and support of human slavery a generation ago the north lost a million lives and hundreds of millions of money; because of its toleration of the Armenian massacres and hostility to Greece and the progress of civilization, the losses of Europe will be a hundred

The funerals occurred last week of four men whose names are intimately associated with the history of the city. They were Henry U. Miller, of the firm of Miller & Woodman, aged 70 years; William Kennedy, a King street grocer, aged 84 years; John Armstrong, a Prince William street dry goods merchant, aged 83 years; and J. Walter Scammell, of Scammell Brothers, aged 55. Mr. Scammell died in New York, where he had been in business for several years.

Last Tuesday, Loyalist day, a salute was fired from Fort Dufferin and some of the descendants of the founders of the city held a meeting in Centenary church

A lady and gentleman were knocked down by teams driven by incompetents, last Wednesday. An evample should be made of the owners of the teams.

Some of the boats in the harbor are bringing in from 2,000 to 3,000 gaspereaux per day.

Mrs. George Crane, of South Bay, while looking for gum in the woods near her home on the 16th inst., lost her way and was not found until the 18th, when she was discovered by a searching party utterly exhausted and asleep several miles distant from the Bay. She narstarvation.

Flour is weaker; millers generally have dropped prices 5 cents per barrel. Molasses is weak; latest cables quote a decline of one cent per gallon. Cheese is arriving freely; choice new stock sells at 11 cents per pound. New butter is in better supply. The best grades are quoted at 15 to 17 cents per pound. Stocks of barreled beef are light in the western markets and packers have advanced prices 50 cents all round. Eggs are arriving freely and sell at 9 cents for choice fresh fruit. McDonald's tobacco factory has resumed operations and prices have advanced 14 cents per pound for all grades.

There are now in port uncleared five steamers, five barques and 26 schooners. Caterpillars are in the orchards, potato bugs in the potato fields and rowdies have taken possession of the new public park. Salmon are beoming plentiful in the

Hon. G. W. Ross of Toronto supplies a preface to "Victoria, sixty years a Queen," by R. T. Lancefield, of Hamilton, which has been published in a magnificent volume by G. M. Ross & Sons of Toronto. The book is well written and contains a complete history of Britain and her colonies from the birth of the Queen to the present time, with more than 160 fine illustration including about a dozen portraits of the Queen taken in as many different periods in her life. Agents in the maritime provinces are supplied by R. A. H. Morrow of this city. It is no wonder that its sale in this jubilee year is something enormous.

EDWARD EDWARDS. St. John, May 24.

## FAVORITES FOR LONG YEARS

For long years Diamond Dyes have been the favorite family dyes in the Dominion of Canada; and although imitation package dyes have been plentifully offered for sale, their great inferiority to the "Diamond" in strength, fastness, beauty of color and brilliancy was known to the great majority of women, and they were condemned and avoided by all who valued good and bright colors. No sensible woman can afford to risk her goods with poor dyes when the "Diamond" are admittedly the world's best.

A most important point to remember is that the Diamond Dyes cost no more than the crude and common dyes sold by some dealers for the sake of large profits. Ask your dealer for the "Diamond"; if he values your trade he will be in a position to supply you.

## Gone up in Smoke.

TORONTO, May 20.—The John Eaton Co's big department store, corner of Yonge and Temperance streets, was destroyed by fire early this morning. When the first reel reached the scene, at 3.30, the building was in a mass of flames. The fire threathed to take in the whole block and the firemen directed their efforts to save the other buildings. The roof of the other building fell in a very short time and before long the front wall on Yonge street collapsed. About 30 firemen narrowly escaped being buried under the debris. The loss of the Eaton Company is estimated at \$250,000. All the plate glass on the opposite side of the street was broken by the heat.

## Missionary Murdered.

VANCOUVER, May 20.—Word has been received in Hong Kong, from Kweishen Kwangsi, that the French mission at Lo-Li has been pillaged by robbers or fanatics, and a young missionary named Rev-Mr. Mason killed. The murdered man had the Armenians. It was reserved for is about 25 years of age, and had been

## TURKEY AND GREECE

Turkish Commander to Negotiate Terms of Peace.

Larissa, May 23.—Fdbem Pasha, the Furkish commander, has disbanded and sent to their homes most of the Albanians in his army.

Paris, May 33.—Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria had a long conference to-day with M. Honotaux, the minister of foreign affairs. It is understood that the Greco-Turkish armistice will be prolonged if, at its expiration, the peace negotiations should not be finished.

CANEA, May 23.—Col. Stauios with Payne Theological Seminary. the last detachment of the Greek expeditionary force embarked for Greece this morning.

ATHENS, May 23.—It is reported here semi-officially that Edhem Pasha, commander of the Turkish army in Thessaly, has informed the Greek officers who, in conjunction with Turkish officers, are arranging the neutral zone, that he is empowered to negotiate the terms of peace with Greece direct.

ATHENS, May 23.—The officers appointed to fix the neutral zone on the frontier have completed their work. is announced that both armies are to fall back and leave a neutral zone 800 metres in width. All of the passes are included in this zone except Phurka, which the

Turks hold. ATHENS, May 23.—It is again semiofficially asserted that Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander in chief, has repeated his statement that peace must be negotiated with him, and is now pressing for the appointment of a Greek plentipotentiary to conduct the settlement of terms.

M. Deligorgis, a former foreign minister, has been elected president of the Cretan central committee.

Gen. Smolenski has sent telegrams to the Athenian newspapers denying that he ordered a retreat except in pursuance of the commands of the Crown Prince Constantine.

The Berthet column (Italian) insisted for several years. on coming here, several of the volunteers refusing to return to Italy on the ground that they are liable to arrest as deserters. The government has decided that the column must return to Italian territory and will undertake to board and lodge only these liable to arrest.

London, May 24.—According to a despatch to the Daily Graphic from Corfu, it is reported that Col. Manos attempted suicide while in jail. He has been sent handcuffed with his entire staff to Athens for trial by court martial.

London, May 24.—The Athens correspondent of the time says: "Owing to the city of large bodies of volunteers, the government has hastily recalled the force of gend'armes sent to Arta, and will take measures to deport these dangerous allies to their various countries at the earliest possible date.

London, May 24.—The correspondent of the Times at Constantinople says: "The powers have instructed their ambassadors to act as their representatives in mediating between Turkey and Greece. A collective note will be sent to the porte forwith. Palace circles now realize that great maladresse has been displayed or the Turkish side. The question is how to retreat from the present situation without humiliation, and a change of ministry is being discussed as the best

way to save appearances." London, May 24.—The correspondent of the Standard at Constantinople says: 'The peace negotiations continue. It is asserted that the amount of indemnity will be reduced to 8,000,000 lires, two million to be paid in cash to Turkey and six millon to be accepted by Russia as part payment of the indemnity owed her y Turkey.

## Spain Refused.

Washington, D. C., May 20.—The secret archives of the State Department, which have held the consular reports in the Cuban war from the public, were partially disclosed yesterday in the Senate by Senator Foraker, of Ohio. Especi- good night's sleep. ally startling was the letter from Secretary Olney, in which this country offered mediation to Spain, and the refusal of that country to accept the proffered aid. While one of the consular reports was read without the name of the author being disclosed, it is stated to be a communication from Consul-General Lee, which fully sets forth his idea of the condition that exists in Cuba. He could not understand the truth of the claim that all the provinces of the island were pacified, except that of Santiago de Cuba.

Summing up this report stated: "I conclude that the war will drag its weary length along so long as the insurgents can dig sustenance from the ground the other."

The sufferings of the inhabitants consequent upon the situation are described.

The letter from Secretary Olney to Spanish Minister De Lome, under date of April 4, 1896, is the one in which intervention is suggested. In opening Mr. Olney said: "It might be well deemed a dereliction of duty to the Government of the United States, as well as censurable want of candor to Spain, if were longer to defer official expresssion as well of the anxiety with which the President regards the existing situation in Cuba, also his earnest desire for the prompt and permanent pacification of that island."

The Secretary points out the interests endangered, the capital squandered and, in short, the state of Anarchy existing. The United States was interested financially, but at this stage he would not suggest intervention He would like to suggest co-operation with Spain to pacify the island, on the basis of self-Gov-

ernment for its people. Mr. Foraker read the following extract from the Spanish Minister, Mr. De-Lome's reply, which was dated June 4, 1896: 'In brief there is no effectual way messenger who diappeared Tuesday with to pacify Cuba, unless it begins with the \$30,000 of the bank's money, was arrestactual submission of the armed rebels to ed here just before noon to-day. King

the Mother Country.' efforts to subdue the rebels.

## Bishop B. W. Arnettt

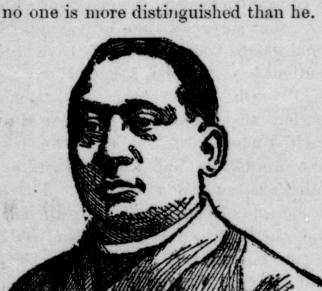
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Before being elected bishop he was a leading minister in his church and also a very prominent Republican. He represented his county in the Ohio Legislature

Having given this sketch of the bishop, the following testimonial from him will pe found very interesting reading and fully explains itself.

To whom it may concern:

"In April, 1894, while on my way home from Philadelphia I caught a very severe cold, which soon developed into rheumatism. It was impossible for me to rest by day or sleep by night. About the first of June I was compelled to take to my bed, where I remained for somethe disquietude caused by the presence in time. When I was able to get up, could only get about by the use of

"The fall came on and the rheumatism grew worse, lasting all through the winter of '94 and '95. I suffered as I never suffered before. I thought that the spring would bring me relief, but it did not, consequently I was forced to cancel a number of engagements to speak.

"One day in June, 1895, my wife said Bishop, I read so much about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, suppose you try them and see if they will not help you?"

"I said, 'No, there is no use of getting them for we have tried almost everything that has been recommended to us, and none of the remedies suggested seem to help my case.

"She said no more, but went to Xenia, Ohio; and bought a box of the pills. On her return she gave me a dose at noon and another at night. She was only called one time to attend to me during that night.

"For months previous she had been called three or four times during the night. The next day I took three doses of the pills, and the second night I was not disturbed. My wife, for the first time in more than ten months, had a

"I have not lost a night's sleep since that time on account of the rheumatism. I carry a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in my pocket wherever I go.

"I cheerfully bear testimony and hope that others may find relief as I did. have recommended Dr. Williams' Pind Pills to several people.

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## Bank Messenger Missing.

Boston, Mass., May 19.—Alpert M. King, the ninteen-year-old messenger of Boyleton National bank, at the corner of Washington and Essex streets, is missing with about \$20,000 in cash and a \$10,000 United States certificate, not negotiable except between banks. King started for the clearing house at 10.15 a. m. today to settle the balance existing there against the bank, and on the way, according to instructions, transacted other buiness involving something like \$45,000. As he did not return to the bank by 1 o'clock the officials grew anxious and made a search for the messenger besides invoking the aid of the police, but up to the present hour they have been unable to ascertain his whereabouts.

Manchester, N. H., May 20.—It is believed Albert M. King, the missing messenger of the Boylston National bank, who had \$20,000 on his person is travelling toward the maritime provinces. It is thought he boarded a train at South Lawrence this afternoon.

FARMINGTON, Me., May 22.—Albert M. King, the 19-year-old Boston bank reached here on a train from the Rangely The letter further argued, that the lake region at 11.15. When searched at Cubans were wrong as to motive and me- the jail all the money which was missing thod, and that Spain would continue her from the bank was found in packages in King's pockets.

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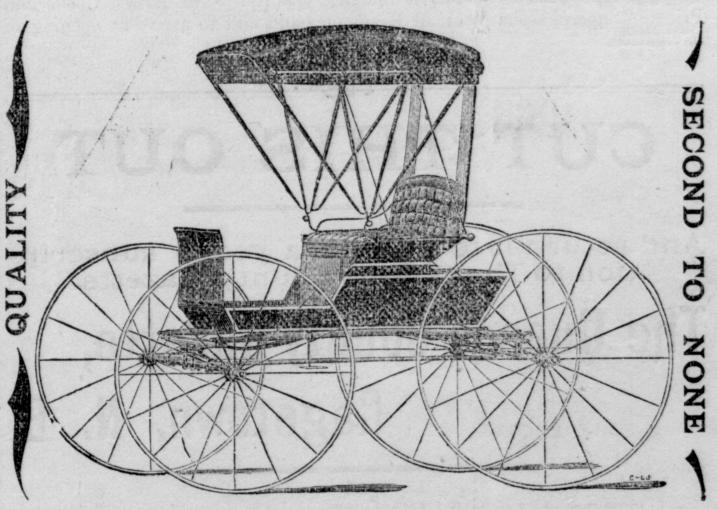
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