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### So Like Its Dad.

"Isn't it a darling," said all the ladies at once, as the little two-year-old baby was brought into the room.

"Takes after its dear mother," said all the ladies, when they looked at its little goggle eyes and its button of a nose.

"What a dear little staggering walk it has," said all the ladies, as the little thing tried to toddle.

"Takes after its father in that," said the mother, drily.

### GENDRON'S GRATITUDE.

Why an Ottawa Man Visited a Newspaper Office.

THE MARVELLOUS STORY HE TOLD OF HIS ESCAPE FROM DEATH AND THE SOLEMN DECLARATION HE MADE BEFORE A NOTARY.

On September 20, 1895, the editor of "Le Canada," published in the capital of Canada, received a visit from F. A. Gendron, and the reason for that visit was of such a nature as to be rare even to the point of uniqueness. The interesting story Mr. Gendron told is here reproduced from "Le Canada."

Mr. F. A. Gendron, lumber measurer, well known in this city and at Hull, and who has suffered for the last three years from a painful malady reputed to be incurable, has recovered in a marvellous manner during the past month. Many celebrated doctors had treated the patient, and one after another had abandoned the case in despair. Mr. Gendron suffered from a terrible malady of the kidneys which had brought on locomotor ataxia—really a softening of the spinal marrow. Lying helpless upon a bed of sickness, his case seemed to be really incurable. Indeed, those who looked upon him in that state believed him to be at the end of his life, and it was with difficulty that they could believe their eyes yesterday when they saw him out walking around to our office. To what is to be attributed this cure? Mr. Gendron states it himself in the following affidavit, deposited and sworn before a Notary:

OTTAWA, Sept. 20, 1895.—I declare solemnly that, after having suffered more than two years from complicated malady of the kidneys, which reduced me to the most complete helplessness, I was cured perfectly by using Dr. Ryckman's new remedy called Kootenay cure. I recommend this medicine to the attention of all, especially of those who are suffering from diseases of the kidneys.

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### The Lady and the Actor.

The approaching season at Drury Lane has set folks yarning ament Hermann Vezin, says an English contemporary. We are reminded of a quaint episode in connection with his earlier life as an elocution teacher.

An American lady with a voice like an ungreased steam engine (4000 h-p.), and that sweet intonation which the Yanks will insist "shows that you can't tell an Amurkan from an Englishman," turned up for lesson, with a view to play acting.

"My dear lady," cooed the gentle V., after ten minutes of torture from The Merchant of Venice, "you need not trouble to continue. It will be waste of time and money for me to come here, as it is quite impossible for me to give you any assistance." Whereupon she departed with great joy and told all her friends.

### It Saved Our Child.

"My little daughter, three and a half years old, suffered three years with Eczema. Her little body was covered with the itching rash, and doctors did no good. Four boxes of Chase's Ointment have entirely cured and saved our child. Her skin is clear and not a sign of rash is to be seen." Andrew Alton, Hartland, N. B. Mr. Alton is one of thousands benefitted by this unflinching cure for piles and skin diseases.

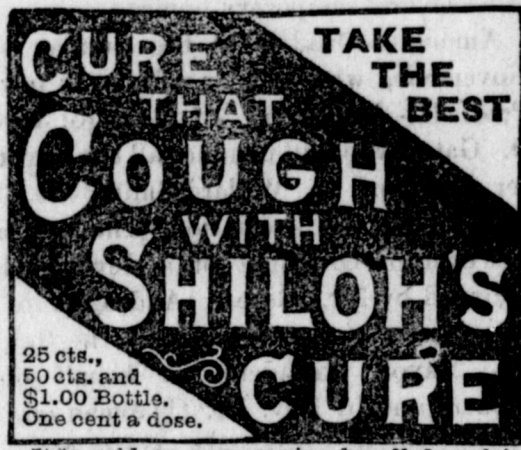
### Lord Rosebery's Success.

In deer-stalking with the Duke of Sutherland this week, no fewer than five stags fell to the rifle of Lord Rosebery. His Lordship's aim was as unerring as it was astonishing, and we have been told the secret of it. Every time a deer was sighted a name was given to it, "There's Labby," whispered the

gillie. Crack! went Lord Rosebery's rifle, and down went the animal. "Uncommonly like Harcourt, that one," whispered the Duke, of a big fellow that had "brow, bay, tray and tine," and scarcely were the words uttered, than "Harcourt" was seen to roll over, and "Ey, Mr. Station Master, it was bonny wark!"—Sporting Times.

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Good Workmanship, Good Trimmings, and Perfect Fit Guaranteed.

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### THE MUSINGS OF THE IMP.



DuMaurier, the famous writer and comic artist, was cremated. He evidently expressed a preference for that means of disposal of his remains, and such a wish not at all interfering with other people's happiness

was unobtrusively acquiesced in. I think I agree with DuMaurier. Some people have an altogether mistaken idea as to what cremation means. They think that the body is put in a funeral pyre, as was done in olden days, and publicly burned. Such, however is not the case. There is nothing horrible about the modern system of cremation. The remains are placed in a receptacle where the heat is so intense, that in a moment they are consumed. Sentimental considerations will always have a large place in our affairs, and we will hang tenaciously to the idea of committing our departed to the grave, because our fathers have done so before us. As a matter of fact, our modern funerals are not unfit subjects for the pen of the cynic as well the moralist. There is really more that is hollow, and formal and worldly about them, than is sound and spontaneous and heartfelt. Professional mourners too often take the place of real mourners, and the littleness of all our actions is never more strikingly shown than in the funeral trappings and fuss and feathers that we put on when one of us passes out of sight. Let sensible people ask themselves the question whether it appears more reasonable to bury the dead six feet in the ground and leave them there, or, by an instantaneous process of cremation to transform the lifeless clay into the ashes, which under the interring process it must take centuries to bring it to. From a religious point of view the objection may seem strong, but sentiment comes in here and displaces reason. The doctrine of the resurrection of the body, even, is not intertered with, for by far the greater part of the dead since creation are now but dust and ashes. Sanitary reasons strongly point to cremation as the proper mode for the disposal of our dead, and like all other genuine reforms it must come, though it come slowly.

I notice that our politicians are very cunning about doing the bribery act. They always try to look pious however much they may resemble the whitened sepulchre, fine to see outside, but within, full of dead men's bones. We never admit that we would give a man a dollar for his vote till the courts prove it. In this we go on the principle of believing ourselves innocent till somebody proves we are guilty. The New York World has a very capable correspondent, who follows Mr. Bryan around and reports his speeches, and the impression the correspondent forms of the campaign as it effects Mr. Bryan's chances. Here is a paragraph that is frank enough for anybody: "Virginia will give her twelve electoral votes to Bryan by a majority of 12,000 or 15,000, unless the Republicans succeed in buying the election officers of something like fifteen counties." Now there is nothing behind the barn or under the hip about that. The possibility of the election officers being bought is very clear. Who will money not buy, anyway?

How much all dramas resemble each other and how utterly unlike they are to the life they profess to portray. You find the same stock characters in them all. The low-browed villain whom you always suspect carries a pistol on one hip and probably a bottle on the other. Then comes the hero a charming and lady-like young man, who you think must be fearfully and wonderfully blind not to see the job the villain is putting up on him. Then we have the heroine. The hero wants to marry her and she wants him in the very worst way, but the low-browed, deep-dyed scoundrel comes between them. The other characters are the low comedians who are only there for a laugh. Of course the hero and heroine after many vicissitudes appear in the last act and fall into each others arms. This sort of thing doesn't go in real life. The villain gets there in great shape. He knows more, he pulls wires and the lady-like young hero keeps pegging away at a couple of shekels a week while Mr. Villian swipes much boodle and lives happily ever afterwards.

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### NOTICE.

The undersigned was by Resolution of Council held Sept. 8th inst, "instructed to notify, by publication in the newspapers, all those living along the line of the Sewers that they are required to make connection with the sewers this fall, and if they do not the law will be enforced to compel them to enter" and of which those interested will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly. Rates and forms of applications can be had on application to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of September 1896.  
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- " Light Boots,
- " Heavy Shoes,
- " Slippers.
- Ladies' Button Boots,
- " Laced Boots,
- Children's Boots & Shoes.

All Sizes, Qualities and Styles of Men's, Women's and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers.

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