

PRINCE PATRICK OF YORK.

LONDON, April 5.—It is said that, by the desire of Queen Victoria, the son that was born to the Duke and Duchess of York, Saturday, will be christened Patrick.

O, Paddy, dear, and did you hear
The news that's going round?
The shamrock blooms as ne'er before
All o'er the Irish ground;
The Queen has come to Dublin town
And right o' top of that,
She telegraphs the Duke of York,
To call the baby Pat!

She might have given to the Duke
The choice of several names;
For instance Matthew, Mark and Luke
And John and Joe and James;
And Jacob, Isaac, Abraham,
But no—instead of that,
She telegraphs the Duke of York
To call the baby Pat!

She might have wished the boy to bear
Some Scotch or English name,
Some chieftain's of the mighty past
That fills the trumpet of fame;
But Scottish names she put aside,
And English—think o' that—
And turning to the Emerald Isle,
She says: "let's call him Pat!"

O, Paddy, dear, 'tis very clear
The shamrock's blooming right,
So let's be wearing of the green
And dance a jig tonight;
The Queen has come to Dublin town
And right o' top of that,
She telegraphs the Duke of York
To call the baby Pat!
—New York Mail and Express.

MR. GOSCHEN ON THE NAVY.

First Lord of the British Admiralty Gives Views on Queen's Ships.

George F. Goschen, First Lord of the Admiralty, presents the following views on "England's Navy and Powers":—

"There has been some comment upon the new navy estimate of England along the line that it is in direct opposition to the proposals of the peace conference. This may be so, but it is in line with the tendency of France and even Russia herself, not to mention Germany and the United States. When The Hague conference was about to meet Her Majesty's Government suggested that the laying down of further battleships should be suspended till the decision of the conference was known. The proposal was not acted on. The conference met, and it was found that not only disarmament but even reduction of armaments was too Utopian. In the succeeding six months more gigantic programmes, covering eight, sixteen and twenty years, have been elaborated than ever before. Therefore Her Majesty's Government commenced its programme of last year. In this fourteen battleships and fourteen armored cruisers are provided for and are being built, while the programme for the coming year includes two battleships, six armored cruisers and one protected cruiser. The expenditure on these and other vessels will be £8,460,000, against £4,300,000 to be spent by Russia and £4,154,000 by France.

"The expenditure of Germany will be about three millions and a half. An additional fact in our favor is that in France and Russia shipbuilding costs about 20 per cent. more than in England. If we spent the same sum as France and Russia, and took advantage of this 20 per cent., we have an advantage of no less than £1,700,000 with which money we can build an additional ironclad and an additional cruiser. France will have under construction this year three ironclads, and probably, if her new programme be carried out, she will lay down two more toward the end of the year.

"With reference to the new programmes of France and Germany, the latter power is starting one for sixteen years, which reaches the appalling figure of £70,000,000. France has a programme, spread over eight years, of £28,000,000. These figures are for programmes spread over a large number of years. If England were to act on the German principle and have a programme extending over sixteen years, at our present rate the expenditure would be £124,000,000 instead of the

£70,000,000 of Germany, and compared with France they would find our expenditure would be one of £64,000,000 instead of £28,000,000.

"France intends to lay down six battleships and five armored cruisers. I am interested to see what class of battleships and armored cruisers they will be. However, England's estimate of £8,000,000 for constructive purposes is quite equivalent to the large programmes of other countries.

"It requires great vigilance and constant sacrifice and attention to keep abreast of the great development of naval power not only in France and Russia and Germany, but also in the United States and Japan. The tendency may appear to be to restrict the new construction to first-class battleships and cruisers. This is accidental. I think it would be wrong to give up the construction of second-class cruisers. However, I think that opinion, both here and abroad, is rather coming to the point of having a large number of ships of each class and diminishing the number of the classes, and of having as much homogeneity in the classes as possible."

Mrs. Thos. Tracy, Byrnedale, Ont., writes: We have used Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup and find it to be better than any other remedy. It is easy to take and always effectual.

Highland Regiment's Flags.

The colors carried by the 93rd Highlanders throughout the Crimean campaign, and which had been presented to the regiment by the Duke of Wellington, have now received an honored place in Glasgow Cathedral. The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders (the old 93rd) have contributed their quota to the South African war, inasmuch as the 1st battalion is in South Africa with Major-General Pole-Carew's brigade under Lord Methuen. It is the only infantry regiment entitled to record the name of Balacava on its colors. As the Russian cavalry advanced to the attack in heavy columns, Sir Colin Campbell called to the Highlanders, "There is no retreat from here men! You must die where you stand!" and the answer came back, "Aye, aye, Sir Colin, and needs be we'll do that!" They did not alter their formation, but received and repulsed the charge standing only two deep—the "thin red line." From the frost and snows of the Crimean they were soon to find themselves under the burning sun of India, making forced marches with the same general in command, to bring relief to beleaguered Lucknow. And it was another Scottish regiment, the 78th (the Ross-shire Buffs), which received the name of the "Saviors of India." They also marched to Lucknow in the vanguard of Sir Henry Havelock's relief column, and the colors they carried through that splendid advance are still to be seen in the Town Hall at Dingwall. But there is not one of the Highland regiments the name of which does not recall some heroic story to the mind, and it is but a few weeks since the Black Watch (42nd Highlanders) have been added fresh honor to the roll. They will ever be remembered as having followed their beloved Wauchope up the trenches at Magersfontein, and to have stood unflinchingly before the withering hail of bullets which decimated their ranks.—The Strand.

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thing is all right, but it takes a wise man, a level-headed man, to get along and not worry nor become nervous when everything is all wrong.—April Ladies' Home Journal.

MRS. BERRY'S CASE.

Story of a Common Mistake in Every Day Life.

Thought one Box of Dodd's Kidney Pills would cure her—A Trouble of Eight Year's Standing—In the end Twelve Boxes were Needed

HALIFAX, N. S., April 23.—The story of Mrs. Berry's case, despatched recently from Bear River, Digby County, is the story of a common mistake the world over. Many people seem to think that because they are not cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills on the first dose, they are incurable. They give up so easily. It is no use expecting great results from half hearted effort. Persevere and Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure you.

It is a mistake to expect to get cured of an ailment like Chronic Kidney Disease in a hurry. Mrs. Berry, of Bear River, had kidney trouble for over eight years before she started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. Then on a friend's advice she bought a box. After taking that first box she was not cured. She had had that disease for eight years. But she left off taking Dodd's Kidney Pills because the first box didn't cure her.

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The increase in the number of medical women in Great Britain is held by the medical men to be astonishing. In London alone there are now eighty-five registered and qualified medical women, almost all of whom are in practice.

Piles for 15 Years.

Mr. Jas. Bowles, Councillor, Embro, Ont., writes: "For over 15 years I suffered the misery of bleeding, protruding piles. The many remedies I tried all failed. I was advised to use Dr. Chase's Ointment, and must say that the first application gave relief, after the third day the bleeding stopped and two boxes cured me completely."

A Dundee shopkeeper asked an Irishman who was standing at the street corner, if he wanted a job. "Yes sur," replied the Irishman. "Well, now, what would you take to clear the snow away from my premises?" "A shovel, sur," was the sharp and unexpected reply of the Irishman. He got the job.

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In effect October 2nd, 1899.

DEPARTURES—Eastern Standard Time.

(QUEEN STREET STATION).

6.20 A. MIXED—Week days—for McAdam Jc.
M. St. Stephen, St. Andrew, Fredericton,
Saint John and East, Bangor, Portland, Boston.
8.35 A. MIXED—Week days—for Aroostook
M. Junction, Presque Isle, etc.
11.28 A. EXPRESS—Week days—for Presque
M. Isle, Edmundston, and all points
North.
1.55 P. MIXED—Week days—for Fredericton,
M. etc., via Gibson Branch.
3.20 P. MIXED—Week days—for Bath and
M. intermediate points.
4.18 P. EXPRESS—Week days—for Saint
John and East, Vancoboro, Sherbrooke, Montreal,
and there with IMPERIAL LIMITED for all points
West, Northwest, and on the Pacific Coast, Bangor,
Portland, Boston, etc.
8.05 P. MIXED—Week days—for Debec June
M. tion and Houlton.

ARRIVALS.

7.40 A. M.—MIXED—Week days, from McAdam Jc.
Junction.
11.28 A. M.—EXPRESS—Week days, from Saint
John, St. Stephen, St. Andrew, Boston, Montreal,
etc.
12.15 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Fredericton,
etc., via Gibson Branch.
1.30 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Presque
Isle.
4.18 P. M.—EXPRESS—Week days, from Presque
Isle, Caribou, Edmundston, etc.
5.40 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Houlton,
7.47 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Bath and
intermediate points.
9.40 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from St. John,
Portland, St. Stephen, etc.

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