Or, The Sign of the

CHAPTER XXXIV. Janson went to Scotland Yard. He wanted a couple of plain-clothes men on hand for the Frenchman's arrest. The man he intended making prisoner was of an excitable nation. Any hot-tempered man with a weapon is best encountered with as tance-level things up. One of London's gondolas landed all three officers at the corner of Dean Street, later. and they walked along till they came to No. 66A-a private house. A card depended from the latch of the ground-floor window : "Apartments." One of the officers was reading newspaper, and he seemed so ab- am plunked. The game's up; I throw sorbed in its contents that he leant up my cards.

against the wall of No. 66 and continued to peruse it, whilst Janson at the door.

ing of the door, Janson said: "You have some apartments to "Yus, sir. Will yer come inside, sir? Set down, and I'll send the

missus to you. next the street on the ground floor. Janson stood by the apen door, listeming, as the gil clattered along the passage. A hoarse whisper reach-

"Who is it, 'Liza?" "Two gents, mum, arter the

There was a creaking of stairs, as of a heavy body ascending them.

temperance man, that did not upset her dead. rim. His business brought him into frequent contact with big drinkers. character?" The odor of gin was no novelty to him. He closed the door behind the landlady, and, putting his back to herself." "We told your servant we had come about the rooms, because it is

fact, we have a duty to perfor-" The landlady groaned, and then "What is it ?- the queen's or the water? It don't seem a week or so

ago since I paid 'em.' Janeon smi ed. "Neither," he answered. "This is not a civil matter, but a criminal

"Griminal !" "We have a warrant for the arrest

you in any way. In fact, we hope to carry it out so that none of your other lodgers will know a word about it. That's why we want your assistance." "Who is It?"

"The Frenchman! "The French! There's two lodging "I mean the one who came home

last night after midnight." "Mr. Dubois?" "That's the man." "What do you want me to do?" "Is he at home now?" "Yee. He only had his breakfast Again the pigeon nodded, then hur-

about half an hour ago. He's been ried away in search of a fourin bed or asleep all the day." "Which is his room?" "He's got two-the two front rooms on the top floor. You can't make a mistake—the door faces you

when you get on the top landing. "Now, take my advice, Mrs .--orter's my name.' "Mrs. Shorter, and go downstairs.

"All right !" The two men wont upstairs.

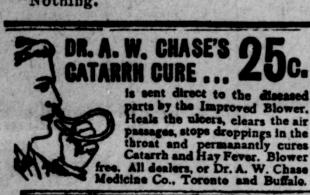
We don't want holes in use.'

The other man understood, and "Dear old Dick,whispered to the other man:

to try. Are you ready?" vol e from within said :

"Is that you, Mrs. Shor--' ping him tightly by the arms. men were, and their object.

run him over."



Then the prisoner spoke. "Who are you?" "Detectives.

"For what?" "Murde -Graynewood, last night. "I was right then-I was seen?" "What do you mean?"

"Why, some one saw me stab-"Hold on ! It is my duty to inform you that whatever you say may be used in evidence against you

"Deesn't much matter. You have got the body, I suppose?" "I have warned you that what- lim his due." ever you say-"That is all right. I know when I

f you will talk-"Silence would do me no good; hand against lim." and the other officer knocked gently you've got it straight enough against

me, I expect. I guessed when I ran A slatternly maid-servant respond- away you would soon be on my er officer. ed, and after planting his foot in the track; it was only deferring the matopening, to prevent the sudden closter a few hours. "Sooner or later, I suppose, we were bound to have you.'

"If I had had the courage to stop, you might rever have suspected me." deny it. "Oh yes, I think so. We had your blood-stained kmife. Besides, the paper reports that Reginald was She had shown them into the room police always suspect bad characters, found with the knife in his hand?" you know,' "Bad charao-

> "Well, you didn't come away from Dartmoor with a good one, cil men-people will pick them up." "Dart- You know that! How

"The woman tell me." "The red-haired traitress!"

That puzzled Janson. (His assis- tance to this?" and presently a stout, dirty, frowsy, tant was going through the prison- "Personally I don't, but you will London lodging-housekeeper type of er's belongings.) The gipsy girl was find the mags. will, and, if it comes woman entered. There was nothing dark-dark as the night. It did not to a jury, so will the jurymen. I about 200 feet long and less than their surprise and delight when untioned States. This Republic has sus i ious about l'er except her for the moment occur to the detechave seen so much of this idiotic la let under this treatment the child began an area of thirty-three square miles breath, and as Janson was not a tive that the Frenchman supposed picking up of weapons that I am

> "No," replied Janson slowly, feelnot Westcar-

just as well not to let servants detective has his moment of sur-don't seem able to help it.'

him, after !"

of one of your lodgers; we want to of cobweb surrounded him. All he son seen by two witnesses near dead execute it quietly, so as not to hurt had to do was to put out his hand man with knife in hand-ran awayand clutch the threads.

> Jim went to the window and whistled shrilly, after the manner of a confessed at the last moment." man calling pigeons. His particular "That's it. Dead man had infurmusic-hall song: "I say, cabby!" The pigeon nodded, and then Jim held up the four fingers of his hand. wood.

CHAPTER XXXV.

wheeled cab.

er it is done the better for you, isn't now, but a year after, the news of as cool as ice over the matter."

considerably. He was a frequent visitor at Gray-"Go quietly, Jim," whispered Jan- newood, and a close friend of the other. He won't object." son. "He's a Frenchman, and car- Graynes, and of no member of it "Are you sure of that?" ries weapons. If the door is open, more closely than of Reggie's. When "Pe fectly. As a matter of fact. both of us dart in. If it's fastened, he saw by the report that Reggie that is why I have not sent a lawthe lock'll have to yield to my boot. was in custody, he was amaged. And yer in to him. He asked me to. We'll rush him. It is a murder case, whilst he was pondering the matter, We don't usually do this sort of this, and with life or death in front the postman brought him a letter thing for prisoners, but he is such

nodded. He himself was possessed "You did not expect to hear from in a lawyer, I said I would." of no ambition to figure as a target me in gaol, did you? I am here, "I un estand." reckon it isn't fastened. I'm going before the magistrates to-day; but have turned up, why not take on cloths and speedily removed to a trouble to alter its Constitution. and turned it. The door opened. A I feel that I made a fool of myself. Graynewood?" The next moment there was a man me a hand? I don't really think the going to the same place." The prisoner did not speak for a am confirmed in the belief that I Scotland Yard. moment; he seemed to guess who the have really nothing to fear, from the fact that although the local police "I'll hold his arms behind, Jim; look upon me as a ruffian of the deepest dye, the London detective Jim quickly "ran him over"-that (Janson, Scotland Yard) believes me It Drives a Murderer Crazy Aiter is to may, searched him for weapons, innocent, and has told me so. Just before sitting down to write to you. The chief justice of enquiry in Aus-

I had a telegram f om him to tell me tria, Mathias Lauesik, died on the that he had arrested a Frenchman eve of a scandal provoked by his who had been staying at the Hall, third-degree practices. His last

Anxious Mothers of Sick Children with which the old shep- to the great joy of the little sufferer, Charles Albert of Sardinia to the to restore it." Binks (to himself, links) to the great it may be. You know now umbrellas change hands. Permit me to the great joy of the little sufferer, Charles Albert of Sardinia to the to restore it." Binks (to himself, links) to restore it."

Appreciate the Relief and Cure Which Comes he said, "I just had a terrible dream. its fullest pitch. From the account great Powers objected when the is- thoughts of mine are simply inspira-With the Use of

Turpentine popular.

They told of their anxiety when their children were suddenly seized with croup or severe colds.

superiority of this great medicine velop into consumption. A friend not to disturb me again." over ordinary cough medicines, and advised me to use Dr. Chase's Syrup "You shall have your night's rest ed by the drollness of the clown. In In their enthusiasm told their friends of Linseed and Turpentine, and one bereafter, as far as I am concerned. his excitement he made an effort to

had not used this medicine."

healing influence of this preparation. signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the gling me," he cried. every bottle

Promptly the telegraph wires caried a message to the gaol. "Shall be with you without fail.

Rely on me. Causton.' Then Dick went to Scotland Yard. him who he was, and read him a tract, and the prisoner went insane. portion of Reggie's letter.

"Quite right, Mr. Causton. I saw your client, and knew directly that he was innocent. I told him so. It cheered him up a little, and that pretty little girl he's engaged to. Ah! you know her. As to the Frenchman, yes, he is arrested. He confessed everything the moment we put our hands on his shoulder. "Then there will be no trouble at Graynewood? Reginald Grayne will be released on the remand?" "If you had asked me that ques-

ed 'Yes.' Now things are a bit different. "What has haprered?" "When we formally charged the Frenchman le pretended to be the most surprised man on earth, and

he certainly acted well: I will "Why sur-" "Said he was innocent of the crime! That the last time he had seen Sir George he was alive and

well. That he had never raised a "Yet be com'e sed---" "To me, in the presence of anoth-

"Well, they certainly won't let him run loose at the rext remand." "No. I suppose not. Tre weap-

"Was the Frenchman's. He doesn't "But I understand f om the news-"Yes, that was the damring feature. There seems a kind of magne-

"It is a nasty feature, though." "I agree. It is open to the Frenchman to say that the knife was stolen from him, or that he lost it." "Yes. You attach some impor-

"Did she tell you of ler own good find a man with one in his hand water's edge, where, at a cepth of a dose, the swelling was gone and Council of sixty life-members, selfthat he is innocent.

"You are joking." ing his way. "She did not speak of "Well, perhaps I am exaggerating "Then let me tell you her name is could be placed on evidence of that the rays of the sun. "I understand."

"She was my mistress. Three "Have you read that detective who rounded on me !-who laid her- ing thing he can lay hold of, it gives the narrow shelf or sandy beach self out to marry Sir George Grayne, him such a romantic version of his get lis money, and probably murder own unromantic calling. They are phur. usually so novel! Well, this parri-This was a day full of surprises to cide story of Delannoy's was found-Janson. He had not had such a ed on fact; I gave him the details. time for months! The air seemed to A son with a bad father, always be full of clues of all kinds; a sort quarreling with lim-son's knifepursued-blood on hands; that was "Finished, Jim? Throw up the enough to hang a man, and that son window and signal Smyth for a four- had the narrowest escape from the

gallows any man ever had." "I remember it now; the mother nigeon was reading a paper below, lated her, she picked up the first but the call made him look up. weapon that came to hand, and it Then Jim whistled a few bars of a happened to be the son's knife. Howtune—the tune of a once popular ever. that has nothing to do with our prisoner, has it?'

"I am going down to Grayne-"Defending Grayne?"

"Yes." "Why don't you defend the French-

"I don't understand you." "He wants a lawyer-asked me to Mr. Dick Causton was one of the send him in one. Oh, he is friendly most surprised lawyers in Lincoln's enough. Of course I know he is Inn Fields when he read the account guilty, and I reckon on proving it of the murder at Graynewood. He up to the hilt; on the other hand, had been so closely identified with he persists in his innocence, and is

both men. "Why not? One may help the

speaking for yourself and for some both defences?

He gripped the handle of the door one else are widely different matters.

If the door opened, A I feel that I made a fool of myself. Graynewood?"

speaking for yourself and for some both defences?

warm place, where it was rubbed and mountain-top, which is so steep that returning if not satisfactory.

Speaking for yourself and for some both defences?

The door opened, A I feel that I made a fool of myself. Graynewood?" Dear old Dick, come down the day "No, not yet. If you are ready to means the man was restored to life. after to-morrow, will you, and give see him now, come with me. I am

on either side of the speaker, grip- case is serious, but it's serious Five minutes after a hansom was mother of Sweden, who afterwards the face of the rock, and the coffin is (To be Continued.)

A JUDGE'S THIRD DEGREE.

Confession.

and that his prisoner had confested, exploit was to drive a murderer crazy All the same, come down and give and thus, against his calculations, ible whisper. Otherwise she enjoyed the shallest Republican State in ony's ould man prasinted her wid me a hand, dear old boy; this is too saved him from the gallows. It appeared to population is Tavolara, a silver taypot." Mrs. Murphy is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stope droppings in the throat and permanantly cures Catarrh and flay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Modeleine Co., Toronte and Buffalo.

me a hand, dear old boy; this is too saved lim from the gallows. It appears that a certain Janos, accused form such parts of the school exertions a matter to leave to chance pears that a certain Janos, accused form such parts of the school exertions as her infirmity did not interfere with. All attempts to effect a fere with. All attempts to e

pender with me."

and neighbors of the benefits of this would have proved very serious if I sleep, too, and because I want to supprise and iou found his sleep, I must ask you to wear this restored.

come back night after night unless Janos begged and pleaded, but the ford, England, overheated himself judge ordered his hands bound and while in pursuit of cattle on the

Turpentine, 25 cents a bottle, family ready to confess," he said. He was any nourishment. Croup, bronchitis, asthma, whoop- size (three times as much) 60 cents, again conducted to the subterranean The proprietor of the estate on ing cough, throat irritation, severe at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates chamber, where he threw himself up- which the man's father was a tenant chest colds and pheumonia soon & Co., Toronto. To protect you on his knees, howling with fright had Ferguson removed to his own yield to the extraordinary soothing, against imitations the portrait and "Take the halter away; it is stran- house, and shut him up in a room Mr. John Clark, coachman, Port famous receipt book author, are on | "I will not," arswered the judge. he was supplied with nothing except "That necktie suits you exceedingly, water, and precautions were taken to

fessed that he killed Simandi and tient with food, yet at the end of his son, and signed papers to that that time the man was restored to effect, having first obtained the perfect health, and had lost none of judge's promise that the halter his former vigor. Janson was away, but would be would be taken off his neck when the A case is recorded by Dr. Pinel of back at a given hour. At that hour forms had been complied with. His a man who was so greatly affected Causton returned, and had an inter- honor, however, did not keep his by some losses in trade that he was

BOILING LAKE.

In Dominca a Curiosity That is Little Known. Mr. Sterns-Fadelle, of Dominica, ing some interesting information recently obtained about a curious natural phenomenon in Dominica, one of the Lesser Antilles.

This island is only 291 square miles in area. It was colonized by the Spariards in the seventeenth cention yesterday I should have answertury and peopled later by French emigrants, who controlled the island uninterruptedly until the eighteenth century, and its resources have since been exploited by English and French; and yet its natural curi sity in the northern part of the island had never been seen or heard of until twenty-eight years ago.

This can be explained only by the fact that the neighborhood of the boiling lake of Domirica is difficult of access. The lake was discovered by an Englishman, Dr. Nichols, who organized an expedition to explore the unknown part of the island. Ore day his little party was clambering up a mountain. They sudtown into a crater which was filled with bei ing water.

Stiffing vapors rore from the agi-

meters above sea level. In form it of their child.

ment. At certain times the surface child again. As a matter of fact, no reliance is calm and glistens brilliantly under big teakettle. But, instead of the what form it is found. singing that accompanies the ebullitions in the kettle, the boiling fluid SOME vears ago she and I stood in the story of Delannoy's? Oh yes, I in this cauldron is accompanied by dock at the Old Bailey. She got two read them; a policeman finds a de- the gruffest and most unpleasant deyears; I, five. That is the woman tective story about the most amust tonations. Little waves roll up on TOM THUMB STATES OF WHICH STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, 186.

THE SENSIBLE MOTHER.

which is covered with a scum of sul-

son, Sarsfield, Ont., says :- "I have a credit to any State. soon puts her right."

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HER VOICE RESTORED. such an extent that she could only thousand years through a

ly before 12, while seated in a sub-terranean chamber, dimly lit by two her school fellows singing a hymn, she was seized with an intense desire tallow dips, between which a crucifix she was seized with an intense desire about seventy inhabitants, who are had been placed. To make the thing to join them in their devotions. She their own rulers. still more grotesque, the prisoner whispered to one of her companions The people of Tavolara declared think you have my umbrella there." herd had been strangled. "Janos," her voice was at once restored to Bartoleoni family. None of the walking away)—"Those happy Two dead men, an old and a young- she afterwards gave of the sensation land threw off the yoke of monarchy, er one, appeared before me in their she experienced during her illness it and during the last seventeen years shrouds, claiming that you killed appeared that her throat had been the inhabitants have lived at peace Dr. Chase's syrup Linseed and Turpentine them, and in proof they left this sus- closed by a lump or gathering, and with the world. They elect a Preit was conjectured that this had been sident every six years, and a Coun-"What have I got to do with your broken by the force of the shout. cil of six members, all of whom serve prostration and nervous debility no one can It is the mothers who have made, "Last winter I was so bad with a worship's dreams?" replied the pri- A similar case is recorded of a sai- the State without payment. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and cold that I could not speak above a soner, doggedly. "The law provides lor, who had lost his voice from some Jealousy between Belgium and whisper, and had great pains in the that I be allowed to sleep at night; illness, suddenly recovering it in a They are quick to recognize the chest. At last I feared it would de- and I beg your worship most humbly theatre. Having gone to this place

of entertainment he was highly amus-VIGOR RESTORED BY WATER. John Ferguson, residing in Kilmel-

for twenty days, during which time

Janos, mad with fright, then cop- prevent any one supplying the pa-

view with the detective. He told word, for fear that Janos might re- instantly deprived of all his mental faculties. In this condition he remained for five years. During that period he took no notice of anything, never expressed a desire for food and only partook of it when it was actually placed in his mouth. An attendant dressed him and then led has just published a little book giv- him to his sitting room. After such a lengthened period of idiocy he completely recovered, and that as suddenly as he had been afflicted.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED LITTLE EDITH HARRIS' DROPSY.

Hers was a Terrible Case - It ment of the Republic is vested. of Kidney Disease.

and a moment later stood looking ris, the two-year old daughter of down by the great river during Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harris of this flood. Since then Austria and Ser-

The little girl had dropsy in its possession. tated surface, rumblings of thunder worst form. She was swollen from At low water the island is almost ion. came from the subterranean regions, worst form. She was swollen to be connected with the Servian shore by where the water was most violently that the doctor was afraid one of a narrow tongue of sand, while at disturbed, the furious boiling lifted her feet would burst. Her natural high water it lies nearer tre Austhe sprface ten or twelve feet above waist measure was eighteen inches, tism about weapors beside dead the spriace ten or twelve feet above was eighteen inches, quently, no one can decide to whom the mean people will rich the general level. The lake was con- but when the disease was at its it really belonger and as the ideast stantly fed by several small brooks worst, she measured thirty-four inchthat poured from the lights above es. Two doctors attended her, but after three months struggle with the Mr. Sterns-Fadelle says that the disease the child was gradually grow- its possession, the inhabitants are lake is still boiling. It has been ing worse and the parents had about left entirely to themselves. found to be at an altitude of 2,490 given up all hope of saving the life | San Marino, a queer little Italian

known. An attempt to touch bot- to rapidly improve. By the time she and a population of nearly 8,000. 195 feet, no bottom was reported. the helpless little invalid was trans- elected, of whom one-third are The water is not always in move- formed into a merry laughing healthy nobles. From this number are sel- perty of the Peninsular & Oriental

SMALL REPUBLICS however, is that of acting as policemen.

YOU SELDOM HEAR. One of Them Is a Square Mile in Area With a Population of

When little ones are ill the sensi- are a number of flourishing, indeble mother no longer doses them pendent Republics in existence at with nauseous, griping purgatives, the present time, which are practicalnor puts them to sleep with the so- ly unknown to the outside world, my presence, this 6th day of December, development of certain family for-called "soothing" preparations which will doubtless seem almost incredia. called "soothing" preparations which will doubtless seem almost incredialways contain harmful opiates. ble. There are, however, tiny States Baby's Own Tablets have been used in various parts of Europe so comby thousands of mothers who cheer- pletely isolated from the rest of the fully testify that they are gentle in world that it is very few maps on their action, absolutely safe, and which any trace of them can be make little ones sleep soundly and found. But in spite of this they Send for testimonials, free. naturally, because they remove the are very important communities in trouble that made baby irritable and themselves, and can boast of wakeful. On this point Mrs. T. Wat- prosperous existence which would be

used Baby's Own Tablets and find One of the most interesting of these them a very valuable medicine for Tom Thumb Republi's is Andorra. young children. When baby is cross an almost inaccessible State of about or fretful I give her a Tablet, and it 6,800 inhabitants, situated in the Eastern Pyrenees. Andorra was de-These Tablets cure all the minor clared a free State as long ago as ailments of the little ones. They are the ninth century by Charlemagne, good for all children from birth on- and at the present time holds a kind ward. Sold by medicine dealers or of semi-independent position between sent by mail at 25 cents a box by France and Spain. The Republic, writing Tre Dr. Williams Medicine however, is governed by its own representatives, who constitute a sovereign council of twenty-four "Mrs. Shorter, and go downstairs. had been so closely identified with he persists in his innocence, and is REMARKABLE RECOVERIES members, which council elects a President every four years.

nce less to say, are

of him he'll let fly if he's got a tool. from the man his thoughts were full a cool sort of devil that he fairly experience of a Swedish gardener About 150 miles from Andorra, in father and son are enthusiastic adwon my admiration; and when he who, while attempting to rescue a the Basses Pyrenees, is to be found mirers of Canada, and are well able Binder. as ed me to oblige him by sending companion who had fallen into the another miniature Republic, which to speak authoritatively and intelliwater under the ice, had the misfor- so far as area is concerned, has the gently as to Canadian products. tune to fall in himself and was distinction of being the smallest selfand they quietly reached the top as you will have seen, on the charge "He had heard about the other drowned. A search was made for governed State in the world. It is ly spent some months in Canada, It is larger than the canada, and they quietly reached the top as you will have seen, on the charge about the other discovers and is hardly a landing; a door faced them. Janson of murdering my poor old uncle. arrest, and, as I was leaving, he has paid a just tribute to Massey ed you most in life)" And after a dropped to his knee and peered You know me better than to supurged me if possible to send in the before it was found. When discovernumbers about 130 souls, who rule the before it was found. When discovernumbers about 130 souls, who rule thoughtful pause the great man aneered You know me better than to sup- urged me it possible to send in the below it was found. When discover and pose me guilty; I am sure I need same lawyer who was acting for the ed it was in an upright position, numbers about 130 souls, who rule ing cablegram: not enter into that. Being a barris- Graynewood prisoner. I don't know with the feet resting upon the themselves, mairly owing to the fact "He's sitting by the window. ter, I was foolish enough to think that I should have taken any trou- ground. On being drawn up the body that the little State is so hard to There's no key in the lock, so I I was capable of defending myself ble over the matter, but now you was wrapped closely in woolen get at that no one will take the said formers need to be said formers. St. Goust is situated on a rocky that Mr. Chamberlain's policy would can Rheumatic Cure strikes the root of the brought to the notice of the queen inhabitants have cut a groove into would be no duty upon it." Pecklin and afterwards fully corrob- and marriages are performed. The -"Because I saw he meant to stay orated by the famous Dr. Langelot. President of St. Goust, who, by-the- there till he got it.' bye, is also tax-collector, assessor, Elizabeth Sellers, a scholar in the and judge, is elected by a Council of Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfect-Girls' Charity school at Sheffield, twelve, who are chosen for five years ant Soap Powder dusted in the

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who elect their own President and Council of five, in whom the govern-It is also owing to a disagreement Proves that the Great Kidney between Austria and Servia that the Remedy is good for Old and folk who have taken up their resi-Young alike and Cures all Forms dence on a certain little island in the Danube pay no taxes and acknowledge allegiance to nobody. Tre is Weyburn, Assa., N.W.T., Dec. 21 .- land, which has very appropriately (Special) .- No more remarkable cure been called Nobody's Island, was of Dropsy has ever been put on re- formed many years ago by the acdenly came upon evidences of sulphur cord than that of little Edith Har- cumulation of mud and sand carried

> via have been quarrelling about its trian island of Ostrovaer. Conseis not worth enough to make it advisable for the Servian or the Austrian Government to fight over

Republic situated among the eastern At the same time they determined spurs of the Apennines, is somewhat

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switch.'

shut whin its open."

CANADA MAKES THE BEST. A BRITISHER'S TRIBUTE. Sir Thomas Brassey, M.P., and The chief occupations of the Andor- his eldest son, the Hon. T. A. Brasthe husband's murder startled him "I don't see that I can act for DROWNED 16 HOURS, BUT IS rance are agriculture, cattle-breeding sey, are well known throughout the their awards, amongst other points, trade in wood, charcoal, and wool, British Empire. The former owns a also took into consideration the and especially smuggling. At the large estate in England, was Gover- length of the stubble and the tight-A Swede's Experience Proves The same time they are good-natured, nor of Victoria, Australia, from 1895 ness and compactness with which the hard-working, hospitable people, and, to 1900, and was President of the sheaves were bound. British Boards of Trade Congress. which met last summer in Montreal. as in bygone days, judging from the with a standing army of 1,100 men. lands in our own Northwest. Both

"London, Nov. 28th .- Hon. T. A. said farmers need not be anxious

were then administered, and by these sible to have an ordinary funeral. A world is made by the Massey-Harris great sufferer from rheumatism, couldn't wash coffin could not be carried down the Company of Toronto, and by other himself, feed himself or dress himself. After This remarkable instance was mountain-side, and consequently the companies in Ontario, and there using six bottles was able to go to work, and enough to upset me considerably. I carrying the lawyer and detective to took a great interest in the garden- made fast to a rope and allowed to Belle-"Why did you reject him last er and gave him a yearly pension. slide down to the cemetery in Ossan evening when he was willing to wait She is a real pearl." "Ah, yes; but their selections. The facts were first recorded by Dr. Valley below, where all baptisms till to-day for his answer?" Blanche I don't like mother-of-pearl.

was, at the age of 13, suddenly de- by the people, the little Republic bath, softens the water and disin-

express herself in an almost inaudible whisper. Otherwise she enjoyed ible whisper. Otherwise she enjoyed it is in in it. Toyolor is Tayolor in Tayolor in

Binks-"Beg pardon, sir; but I was ushered in at the stroke of mid- a request that she should shout vio- their independence as recently as Stranger—"Your umbrella, sir? Of blames all the rest of us because he night, and as he walked toward the lently down her throat. Her wish 1886, the island having previously course it may be. You know how eats too much." judg's table his honor held up the was immediately complied with, and, been made over in 1836 by King umbrellas change hands. Permit me tions. My umbrella-ha! ha- ha!"

> Under the Nerve Lash .- The "Not me pick, but me shovel," retorture and torment of the victim of nervous plied Mike. rightly estimate who has not been under the ruthless lash of these relentless human foes. M. firmed it .- 28

farms with the soil only six to eight father."

DEEP PLOWING.

with good depths of rich, dark loam that have never been properly worked. Such lands need rever be called worn out until thorough plowing Of Aversion and Pity, Cure Your Eggs, and harrowing again and again have enabled the plant roots to get at some of the locked up fertility in the bottom layers. Simply to bring up the lower soil and then to turn it down again the following season is not needed so much as to thoroughly twist and fibe the soil, exposing it to air and sun. For pota-toes and root crops deep plewing is first application. desirable, also to loosen the soil

for root and tuber growth.

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SENTENCE SERMONS.

Sin sharpens sorrow. All things are easy to the earnest. her cook, a buxon young woman A leader is never afraid of being from the Emerald Isle, with more

Burden bearing brings blessing and readiness of retort. Self-indulgence is the secret of digence. outlook. There are no rights without re-

sponsibilities. Honor is too big a price to pay for any honor. Blows from the bellows of ridicule leave no bruises. The best cure of a bad habit is the

culture of a good one. Where vulgarity passes for virtue passes for folly. The man who has time to burn has she interviewed Bridget. to borrow a match to start it. is to get your sympathies busy. The man who needs a place should look for the place that needs him. It is folly to boast of your frills features, "yez wouldn't have an unbefore you have built your founda- married lady be sittin' with only wan

No man thinks of his life as a mum, the other wan was the chapergrind who has any grist worth grind- on!" He best expresses his own gratitude who causes another to be grateful.

It does not take much of a saint to denounce the sins he cannot digest. The man who hasn't enough religion to last till he gets home from meeting hasn't enough to take him

through to heaven.

A STICKLER FOR RANK. It is not in this country alone that

ected the Council of Twelve, who Company, was steaming into Southcould be placed on evidence of that sort, because nine persons out of ten would pick up a weapon—ther the superintend agriculture and, with the ampton harbor, a grimy coal-lighter brilliantly under bodd's Kidney Pills cure old and superintend agriculture and, with the ampton harbor, a grimy coal-lighter spring.—Mrs. James Srigley, Pelce spring of the superintend agriculture and, with the ampton harbor, a grimy coal-lighter spring.—Mrs. James Srigley, Pelce spring of the superintend agriculture and, with the ampton harbor, a grimy coal-lighter spring.—Mrs. James Srigley, Pelce spring of the superintend agriculture and, with the ampton harbor, a grimy coal-lighter spring.—Mrs. James Srigley, Pelce spring of the superintend agriculture and, with the superintend agriculture and, with the spring of the superintend agriculture and, with the superintend agriculture and, with the spring of the superintend agriculture and, with the superintend agriculture and superintend agriculture and, with the superintend agriculture and, with the superintend agriculture and superinte Janson started slightly, even a ten would pick up a weapon—they tated and boils away, exactly like a standing army of 150 men is ing this shouted:

At other times, it is violently agi
ten would pick up a weapon—they tated and boils away, exactly like a standing army of 150 men is ing this shouted: "Clear out of the way with that the heart trouble with Dr. Agnew's Cure maintained, whose chief employment,

> Emerald Isle, shouted in reply, "Are ye the captain of that vessel?' "No," answered the officer. "Then spake to ver equals." said the lighterman. "I'm the captain o'

The lighterman, a native of the

NEGOTIATING A LOAN. A story is told of a shopkeeper

He was a dry-goods merchant in a small town in Buckinghamshire. As he was standing one day at the door

"Please, sir, I'm Maggie Quayle, and mother says will you give her change for half a crown? She will send the half-crown on Monday." "Can't do it," replied the shop-

A SOUTH AFRICAN TRIBUTE. Cassidy-"Ay, 'tis a pity some wan At a practical test of self binders don't invint a switch thot'll stay

held at Mooreesburg, Cape Colony, South Africa, on Nov. 5th last, under the auspices of the Western Province Agricultural Society, the Massey-Harris Binder was awarded the First Prize of £10. There were seven competitors, three Massey-Harris, three McCormick, and one Champion. The judges in determining

About six hundred agriculturists, some of whom came from a consideroccur with the same frequency now which they are prepared to defend He also owns large tracts of farm able distance, witnessed the interesting competition, which was a complete victory for the Massey-Harris

> "Would you oblige me," said the reporter who gets novel interviews, swered, "My bank-book.

Helpless as a Baby.—South Amerisays: "I think pain has left me forever."-26

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper-

"Katie got the first prize at the TALLIO cooking competition." "How proud she must be! What was the prize?" Mrs. Casey-"Yistiddy Mrs. Mal- "A very useful book-"First Aid to -

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"Pa, what is a dyspeptic?" "A dyspeptic, my son, is a person who

They were gazing at the gorgeous stock in the jeweller's shop window. "Where's your pick?" asked Pat.

Counsel-"You say you had called Williams, of Fordwich, Ont., was for four years to see Miss Swete at the time the a nervous wreck. Six bottles of South American burglary was committed?" Witness Nervine worked a miracle, and his doctor conthat when the prisoner dashed into the room and assaulted you, you RIDOUT & ATTENTION TO PATENT leapt through the window, making Much of the advice in favor of no effort to defend the lady or give MAYBEE deep plowing is out of place on hill the alarm?" "I thought it was her

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than her share of the Celt's humor The cook, like most of her kind, in- bad designs on the policeman on the beat, and frequently enticed him into Faith's forelook brighters to-day's her kitchen with tempting dainties. This state of affairs went on unheeded by the mistress for some time, but one night a circumstance

arose which prompted her to remonstrate with Bridget. In passing along the lobby, the mistress happened to look into the kitchen when she saw not one, but wit two gentlemen in buttons. This she felt was too much. Next morning

"Cook." she said, "I saw two The best way to bury your sorrows policemen sitting in the kitchen last "Well, mum," replied Bridget, with an unabashed smile overspreading her

> Many a good woman can see where she might have been better looking. An act of heroism is but temporary, while an act of charity is ever-

policeman, would yez, now? Shure,

Minard's Liniment Cures Tilobtherla "What's the matter?" she asked. the notion of equality prevails. The "Nothing," replied the departing calalmost coming to the belief when I tom was made thirty feet from the had taken three boxes, half a pill at San Marino is governed by a Grand London Figaro reports the following ler severely, "except that your dog has bitten me!" "Oh," she ex-

> As a magnificent steamer, the pro- claimed, "poor Fido!" Her Heart like a Poliuted for the Heart, and the other ailments vanished like mist. Had relief in half an hour after the first dose,"-27

> > Wife-"You haven't used any of those cigars I bought for you." Husband-"No, I am keeping them for Tommy when he wants to learn to

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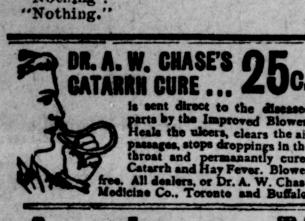
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