

When Your Throat Rattles.

A quack doctor stood on his wagon in Chamberley, selling his cure-all. A group of people gathered about him, and he undertook to explain to them the construction of the throat. "My dear friends," he began, "perhaps you don't know it, but there are two passages in the throat. One is called the esophagus, and the other the esophagi. Now, the solid victuals go down the first, the liquids down the second. Over the top of the passage is a cover, with a hinge down the middle, and when you swallow a piece of meat, the little door over the esophagus flies open and the little door over the other drops down, and vice versa when you take a drink of coffee."

This description proved too much for the farmer, who, shaking with laughter, called out in a loud voice: "Gosh! but those doors go flipper-flopper when a fellow eats bread and milk!"

For Better or for Worse.

There was a curious scene at Workington recently. A wedding ceremony proceeded without interruption until the bridegroom had to pledge himself to take the woman "for better or for worse." He refused to repeat these words. The persuasion and entreaties of the minister and the bride-elect failed to alter his resolution, and when the minister said he could not proceed with the ceremony the man left the church, to the evident disappointment of the wife "that was to be." In the afternoon the pair attended church again, and this time the ceremony passed off successfully.

Guernsey's Centenarian.

Mrs. Neeve, the famous Guernsey centenarian, who attained her hundred and fifth birthday recently, is still hale and hearty, but has announced that in future she can only see visitors on her birthday. The old lady still pursues her knitting. She was very disappointed at not receiving a telegram of congratulation from the Queen on May 24, it having been Queen Victoria's custom to send an annual message to her oldest subject in the Channel Isles on the date of Her Majesty's birthday. Mrs. Neeve cherishes the hope that the telegram will still come from Queen Alexandra.

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Wouldn't Punish Brave Boys.

The recent abolition of the royal boards has brought to light an anecdote of Queen Victoria and two Eton boys who secretly undertook a pig sticking expedition among the herd of wild animals in Windsor Great Park and succeeded in killing one. Inquiries were made for the culprits, and on the youths honestly owning up the head master sent to the Queen for her commands as to their punishment. "Punishment!" said the Queen. "Why, not even the keepers dare enter those pens. I do not want them punished. Brave boys! I am proud of them." Both heroes of this escapade have served in the South African war. One has fallen with honor, the other has returned safe to England.

Austin Reappointed Laureate.

The Official Gazette at London announces that Alfred Austin has been reappointed poet laureate.

The statement is made that the land sales of the Canadian Pacific railway for September last are three times as large as those made in September, 1900, and that the sales of the Northwest Land company have increased fourfold. There is every indication that western Canada has entered on a period of rapid growth. The census showed that Manitoba and the Territories had in ten years increased their population from 219,305 to 392,464. The same rate of increase would mean a population of 700,000 in 1911.

CONVINCED BY PRINTED TESTIMONY of the hundreds of the cured, Mrs. Benz, of 418 E. 8th street, New York, who was for years a great sufferer from Catarrh, procured two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Catarrh Powder and it effected an absolute cure in a very short while. One puff through the blower will clear the head and stop headache.—S. Sold by W. H. Carter.

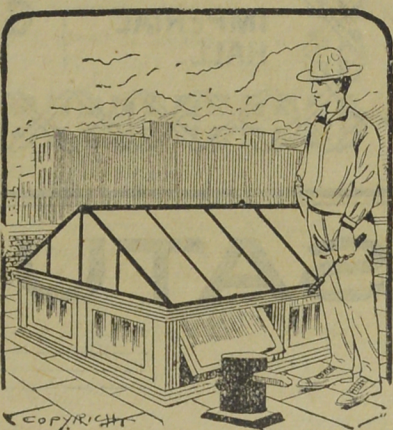
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