PENERAL NEWS.

Maine are growling about the deition of the sardine market, and it is said that not half of the "sardine factories" in the State will be run during niece of her immediate predecessor on the cases have been permanently cured. I shall the present year.

Adelar Fascette, sitting on the bank of the river at Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, was taken with an apoplectic fit, rolled into the river, and was drowned before the eyes of the friends with whom he had been chatting.

John Healy, at Columbus, O., going in swimming with some companions, dived into twenty feet of water and never came to the surface. When his body was recovered it was found entangled in the meshes of a lot of loose wire, into which he had plunged and which had held him down.

At High Ridge, near Stamford, Conn. there is a wife who is the mother of fourteen children, all living, and none of them twins. All but two live at home, and these two, catching the scarlet fever, went home to be nursed. They gave it to the other dozen, and the whole fourteen were sick at once, and medicine had to be mixed in pitchers and bread pans.

Zollo, the little dog of Dr. Watson of Macon, Ga., was accustomed to accompany | Edward III., who was the son of Edward the Doctor everywhere. When the Doctor died and was put in the coffin Zollo was held up to take a last look at him. He went to John, who was the brother of Richard I., the cemetery with the coffin, refused for a long while to come away, and now goes to the grave every morning and night and re- William Rufus, who was the son of William mains sitting upon it for some time.

George Rust, conductor of an electric street car at Wheeling, W. Va., went on top of his car to adjust the running pullies connecting it with the wire, and slipping, grasped the wire to steady himself. He got | gloves the explanation of economy seems, on a shock that laid him senseless, and was reflection, hardly a satisfactory one. Gloves about to be taken down for dead when his will split occasionally, as we all know, to face was accidentally touched by the wire, our misery, but loose ones are by no means and he was brought to life again, little the durable and the unsightly wrinkles and worse for his experience.

of Cruelty to Animals directed its officers to | wearing they look only fit for an area sneak. observe the "thoughtlessness, heedlessness, It seems more likely that ladies' hands may or cruelty" of coachmen who keep their have kept in proportion with their general horses checked while waiting outside of stature, which is certainly on the increase. theatres and public places. At the last One can scarcely mix in any crowd, especialdrawing room the duration of waiting was ly of the well-to-do class, without remarking three hours and a quarter, and out of 230 giantesses in the hand-fine, well-grown coachmen 29 only had loosened the check vigorous creatures, who, judging by com-

The improved manufacture of rust proof paper, for wrapping metallic articles liable to become tarnished, consists in incorporating with the paper or applying to its surface a fine metallic powder in such a manner that it will adhere. By this means, when silver, copper, brass, or iron articles are wrapped in the paper; they are preserved from rusting or tarnishing by reason of the greater affinity of the zinc for sulphureted hydrogen, chloride or acid gases or vapors, and preventing them from injuring articles of such materials.

The first of a number of large shipments of wheat, which will be made from this country to Australia to supply the demand made by the partial failure of the Australian crops, was made the other day when the American ship Reaper left San Francisco for Sydney, carrying 70,000 bushels of wheat. Besides the American ships Reaper and Gatherer, the British ship Brenhilda and the Oceanic Steamship Company's steamers, which have contracted to carry large cargoes to Australia, negotiations are pending for the chartering of a number of other grain vessels for the same purpose.

Fencing for Women.

Fencing is now as much a young lady's pastime as tennis or horseback riding, and everybody who knows how beneficial this Remedy. 50 cents, by druggists. exercise is to the temale system is glad it is Its votaries, in fact, say it is a lady's sport par excellence, as it needs quickness and skill more than strength and daring, and develops those qualities which are so essential to a lady, viz., a graceful carriage and easy motion. On the days given up to nounced incurables, find rosy cheeked health the ladies the large hall of the Fencers' Club | and robust strength. The whole organism resounds with the stamping of feet and is perfected drinking from Nature's fount, clinking of blades. The instructor gives till sweeter life and heights of pleasure each pupil a lesson, which generally lasts never before experienced are enjoyed. St. about fifteen minutes. Then two friends Leon is safe and effects permanent cures. may challenge each other and put in prac- Firstly absorbing all deadly waste, blood tice the thrusts and guards they have just poisons, &c., &c. Toning the blood, stimulearned. The weaker sex makes up in praculating and regulating the digestive organs. tice the thrusts and guards they have just -Even Diabetes and Bright's Disease, those learned. The weaker sex makes up in cun twin terrors, are alleved as water quenches ning what it lacks in strength. Women are fire, "St. Leon is a mitable, unapproachmuch more artful than men. In no case is able by art, impossible and to much in this evidenced more clearly than in fencing. its praise." So say learned ectors, Profes-A man will make a bold open attack, which | sors, Analysts, &z., &z. Send orders to St. his opponent will parry if he keeps cool. A Leon Mineral Water Co. Lt'd, either at the woman waits apparently with no fixed pur head office, St. Leon, Quebec, or the branch pose until she sees her opportunity; then offices at Montreal or Toronto. with a quickness of eye and hand which defies parrying she makes her thrust, and succeeds if she can keep her point straight. A parry would come too late; retreat is the only safeguard.

The Panier Doomed.

No one can have any doubt to-day but that the panier is doomed, and yet it is Paradise. A Treatise especially written amusing to see how gradually fashionables on Diseases of Man, containing Facts For are reconciled by their customers to its | Men of All Ages! Should be read by Old, absence. Ah! Fashion and her employes | Middle Aged and Young Men. Proven by are alike wary, and rarely indeed spring | the Sale of Half a Million to be the most upon the world a new thing. Little by little, popular, because written in language plain, by one imperceptible step after another, are forcible and instructive. Practical present we lured across the debatable land, and be- ation of Medical Common Sense. Valuable fore we are aware are we landed in "a newe to Invalids who are weak, nervous and excountrie," where fashions surrounded us of | hausted, showing new means by which they which we have rever more than dreamed. | may be cured. Approved by editors, critics, Said Mr. -- (you would all know him too and the people. Sanitary, Social, Science well if Mam'selle told his name)' " Now, Subjects. Also gives a description of Speci madame, of course you want to discard that | fic No. 8, The Great Health Renewer; extension in the back of your dress, but I'd Marvel of Healing and Koh-i noor of Medihardly advise you to do it at once-let-me cines. It largely explains the mysteries of -see- Ah! I have it. I will make a life. By its teachings, health may be maindemi-season costume for you, and it shall tained. The Book will teach you how to have a small pad and one very short hoop; make life worth living. If every adult in then I'll make your Indias, crepes and sum- the civilized world would read, understand mer things without the sign of a panier, and follow our views, there would be a and so you can gradually spring it on your world of Physicial, intellectual and moral friends that you are bound to have your giants. This Book will be found a truthful gowns cling as closely as your grandmother's presentation of facts, calculated to do good.

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to the English throne: "Queen Victoria is the niece of William IV., who was the brother of George IV., who was the son of George III., who was grandson of George II., who was the son of George I., who was the cousin of Anne, who was the sister in-law of William III., who was the son-in-law of James II., who was the brother of Charles II., who was the son of Charles I., who was the son of James I., who was the cousin of E izabeth, who was the sister of Mary, who was the sister of Ed. ward VI, who was the son of Henry VIII., who was the son of Henry VII., who was the cousin of Richard III., who was the uncle of Edward V., who was the son of Edward IV., who was the cousin of Henry IV., who was the son of Henry V., who was the son of Henry IV., who was the cousin of Richard II., who was the grandson of II., who was the son of Edward I., who was the son of Henry III., who was the son of who was the son of Henry II., who was the cousin of Henry I., who was the brother of the Corqueror, 800 years ago."

Are Women Increasing in Size?

With regard to the increased size of ladies' flaby fingertips, soiled and frayed, are The London Society for the Prevention terrible, so that after half a dezen times parison, seemed to have developed all the height and strength which ought to have been their brothers'. The happy change in public openion, too, which enables women of all ranks to work with their hands and take pride in doing so, may also not be without effect in enlarging those members.

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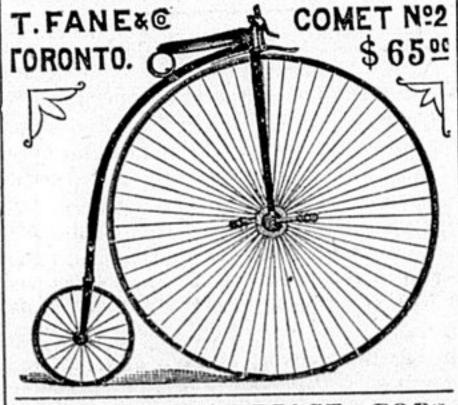


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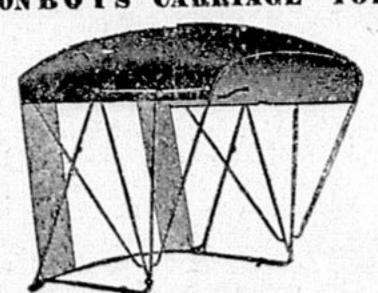
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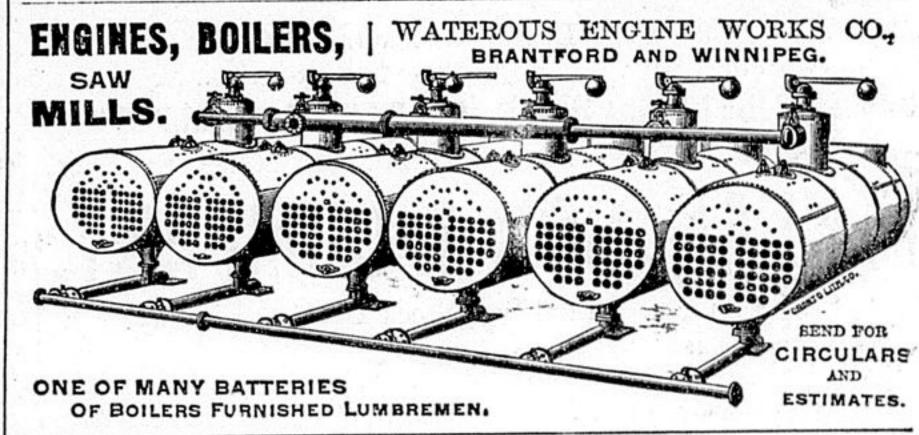
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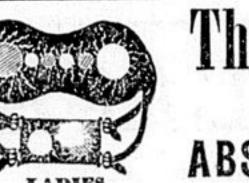
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