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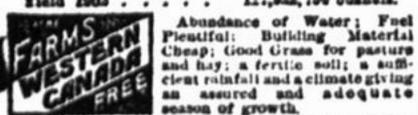
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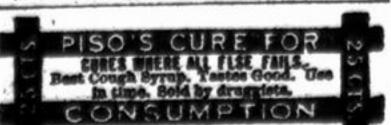
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Stoker is Found Dead, His Remains Being Scattered in All Directions-Victims Are Frightfully Mangled in Explosion at Woolwich Arsenal.

London cablegram: An explosion, which it is supposed was caused by the bursting of a lyddite shell, occurred in the magazine building of Woolwich arsenal. Fifteen persons were killed putright, and four were so seriously wounded that three of them are not expected to live. Twenty others were injured slightly. Five buildings were destroyed. Thousands of relatives of the killed and injured surrounded the gates of the arsenal after the explosion, and the most distressing scenes were witnessed.

Collect Remains in Pail. The lyddite shop, where the explosion occurred, looked like a slaughter house after the explosion. Human remains were collected in pails by the people who rushed to the rescue.

After the first rush for life a number of men approached the lyddite shops, and as the smoke cleared off a ghastly sight met their eyes. Over an area of several yards there was nothing to be seen but a mass of mangled remains.

Bodies Are Dismembered.

The body of a man of the name of Edwards, which was found close to the spot where the shell had stood, was found with the head blown off. A stoker of the name of Cage, who was killed, had a leg blown away. One of his arms was picked up in another

There were other shocking sights which are too horrible to describe. As none of the four men in the filling chamber, where the shell burst, sur vived, it can only be a matter of conjecture as to how the disaster happened. The roar of the explosion was heard for miles down the river and the entire population of Woolwich was stricken with fear.

Frightfully Manglod.

An eye witness of the explosion says that he heard a fearful noise, and upon looking in the direction whence it came, he saw a hat rising in the air and a number of men being hurled yards away. The bodies of these men were frightfully mangled, and fell to the ground in "a shower of frag-

The war office issued a statement in regard to the explosion. It says fifteen persons were killed, three seriously and fourteen sightly injured. One man is missing.

The cause of the explosion has not yet been ascertained. Of the thirty ten-inch lyddite shells, which were filled and were in the building where the explosion occurred, seven are miss

GEN. YOUNG IS CHIEF OF STAFF

Corbin and Carter Also Get Places or New Army Board.

Washington dispatch: Secretary Root has issued an order assigning Major General S. B. M. Young as chief of staff, with Major General Henry C Corbin and Brigadier General William H. Carter as the other general staff officers. Brigadier General Tasker H. Bliss is to become president of the War College. The order will take effeet August 15.

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Boy Attempts Suicide. Chicago dispatch: Near the curbstone in Jackson boulevard at Morgan street pedestrians found John Gleason, seventeen years old, who had taken carbolic acid. He was unconscious. Despondency over losing a small sum of money drove him to the act.

Fatal Auto Accident.

Marion, Ind., special: S. S. Tuttle and J. Morgan, physicians from Van Wert, Ohio, on their way to Indianapolis in an automobile, went over an embankment east of Marion, and both were mortally hurt.

Building Collapses. New York dispatch: Four persons are missing and seven are more or less severely injured as the result of the collapse of the interior of the factory building at 49 Bowery.

THOSE SEA-HORSE SHIRTS.

How Haberdasher Succeeded in Selling Atrocious Patterns. Women invaded a haberdasher's

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manding the refunding of money for highly colored shirts that husbands or brothers had purchased. The shop is next door to a barroom noted for its "old-fashioned cocktails." Said one woman: "Robert came home with flushed face and unsteady gait the hurry along." other night. Under his arm he had a bundle of shirts. They were a sight, with huge stripes and checks, and one had the most absurd sea horses in dresses?" apple green. I said nothing until Robert recovered. Then I told him ! several years ago, did you?" should return them. He approved feebly, so I went there. I think there must have been seventeen other women demanding money for seahorse shirts. While I was waiting for my \$6 I heard one woman whisper: They got it next door. That's where they make those famous cocktails. Then her companion said: "A good plant all of my chestnuts." idea to sell those atrocious shirts next door to that kind of place. Naturally, a man buys anything at such time.' "-New York Press.

A Cure for Dropsy. Sedgwick, Ark., June 22d .- Mr. W.

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Memorial to Author.

The money has all been collected for a proposed memorial to the late R. W. Blackmore, the author of "Lorna Doone." Exeter cathedral has been selected as the place for the memorial, which is to take the form of a threelight stained glass window and a sculptured tablet.

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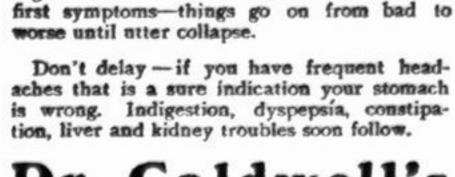
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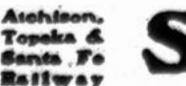
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