THE ADVANCE.

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Devious Definitions.

Whistling-The transformation of a popular air into an ill wind. Abuse-The penalty an eminent man is

compelled to pay the public. Love-Something that makes the heart flutter and the tongue flatter.

Critic-A man who can see no merit in | 254.

anything he doesn't do himself. Anxiety-The cause of more brain trou-

ble than anything else except love. Logician-An individual who can figure out anything to his own sa isfaction.

Language-Something used by lawyers to conceal the thoughts of their clients.

Timetable-The one you acquire by paying for it on the weekly installment plant

A Sure Cure for Headache.-Bilious headache to which women are more subject than men, becomes so acute in some subjects that they are utterly prostrated. The stomach refuses food, and there is a constant and distressing effort to free the stomach from bile which has become unduly secreted there. Parmelees Vegetable Pills are a speedy alterative, and in neutralizing the effects of the intruding bile relieves the pressure on the nerves which cause the headache. Try them.

Origin of Cometeries.

In ancient times burials were always outside the walls of a city or town. Indeed, before the time of Christianity it was not lawful to bury the dead within the limits. Abou the end of the sixth century. St. Augustine obtained of King Ethelbert a temple of idols-used by the king before his conversion-and made a burying place of it. and St. Cuthbert afterwards obtained leave of the Pope (A.D. 752) to have yards made to the churches, suitable for the burial of the

To Those of Sedentary Occupation .-Men who follow sedentary occupations, which deprive them of fresh air and exercise, are more prone to disorders of the liver and kidneys than those who lead active, outdoor lives. The former will find in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills a restorative without question the most efficacious on the market. They are easily procurable, easily taken, act expeditious. ly, and they are surprisingly cheap considering their excellence.

Beautifying the Home.

A page of the Ladies' Home Journal shows photographs of "Fifteen Good Halls and Stairways." a most interesting and useful group of pictures, and of value for their wealth of suggestions to the home-maker. On another page a e presented quite as attractively the interiors of some "Pretty Room: of Girls," which give admirable hints for the furnishing and decoration of the sleeping-room.

"I was weak, scarcely able to drag myself about, easily worried, and quite discouraged; Miller's Compound Iron Pills rapidly brought about a change; I never felt better in my life than I do now;" this is frequently heard.

Purest Lives.

The purest lives I have known have been those carefully screened from the world, but which, coming up in it, have kept themselves unspotted. The sweetest, and truest have grown and ripened under conditions, you would say, most hostile, but which have been wrought into the means of a grandly elevat d faith and

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

How It Happened.

"Did you ever hear the story of the living

skeleton ?" "No; what is it?"

"He was an India rubber boy when young. One day he stretched violently, and you see the result."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufacturec by F. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, act ng directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

Discriminating.

"Do you mean to assert that you never saw an honest horse race?" inquired the

sportsman. "Well," answered Mr. Corntossel, " reckon the hoss was honest enough. But I allers will have my s'picions about the jockeys."

Holloway's Corn Cure is a specific for the removal of corns and warts. We have never heard of its failing to remove even the worst kind.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure, 25c

Strategy.

Jimmy-But what do you do when you git real sleepy? You don't own up to it, do you?

Tommy-Now-I go to askin' paw fool questions and he makes me go to bed.

New life for a quarter. Miller's Com-

pound Iron Pills. Boston claims to have the longest paved street of one name in the world, Washington street, which is 171/2 miles in length.

Miller's Worm Powders make the children healthy.

DOINGS OF THE WEEK

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM AROUND THE WORLD

Pruned, Punctuated and Preserved in

Pithy Paragraphs for the Perusal of Practical People - Personal, Political and Profitable.

THE WEATHER.

The thermometer was 38 below at West Superior, Wis., Friday night.

POLITICS-CANADIAN. Allan's majoirty in North Hastings is

Mr. Guite, M.P. for Bonaventure, has

withdrawn his resignation. THE FIRE RECORD.

Fire destroyed \$30,000 worth of propstreet, Victoria, B.C. The main loss was on the three-storey office building of Thomas A. Grant, tailor.

CASUALTIES.

At Washington Court House, Ohio, Carry Roby and Frank Brown, boys, were burned to death in Albert Brown's house, which was burned in the absence of the parents. Three other children escaped.

Mrs. Cornelius Wilson of Galt, wife of Mr. Cornelius Wilson, who travelled for Goldie & McCulloch, tell down the cellar at her home Wednesday evening, and died Thursday morning as a result. Deceased was about 50 years old, and leaves a grown-up family, besides her husband.

THE RELIGIOUS WORLD. Father Walsh, a Catholic priest of Chicago, has been elected a member of the Knights of Pythias. He will endeavor to secure the approval of Archbishops Feehan and Ireland before being finally initiated.

A delegation representing Protestant churches waited upon President McKinley on Thursday with a petition asking for a reduction of armaments, and also for arbitration in settling international disputes. The petitioners, however, congratulated the President on the "rightful war recently waged by the American people in the cause of justice and humanity." The President replied cordially, but promised nothing.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Lord Strathcona has a slight attack of grip, necessitating a delay in his departure for England.

Actor Seabrooke is dead broke and he owes \$39,075. He has filed a petition in bankruptcy in New York.

Chevalier Baillange, F.R.S.C., on account of his advancing years, it is said, has resigned the post of city engineer of

Mr. W. A. Charlton, M.P.P., South Norfolk, had two ribs fractured three weeks ago in Simcoe, a cutter shaft inflicting a blow in the breast. However, he is now able to be out and is visiting friends out of town.

Mrs. Ethyl Comyns-Leneer, editress of The Feathered World. London, Eng., the most notable pet stock journal in the By the Extraordinary Statement world, is making a special trip across the Atlantic to attend the great triangular poultry show of American, Ontario and Toronto Poultry Associations in Toronto | He Proves the Truth of His Claim - Says from Jan. 9 to 13. From present indications the show will be the greatest ever held in the world.

FOR MEN OF WAR

The British cruiser Bonaventure has gone from Manila to Iloilo to protect British interests at the latter place.

The Spanish garrison at Panope, Caroline Islands, is said to have been massacred by the combined native forces.

The Spanish Cabinet will send additional funds to Cuba for the repatriation

of the Spanish troops remaining there. It is reported that the Duke of York is to be made a rear admiral in time to take part in the reception of the U. S. war-

ships at Spithead. The U.S. War Department has issued steel." orders for a 1,200-ton cable ship and 166 miles of marine cable to connect the

Philippine Islands with each other. America, have reported in Panama that the fortress of Tulcan has fallen into the hands of the revolutionists. The news is

confirmed from Guayaquil. Bodies of the United States officers and soldiers who were killed and buried at Santiago, Cuba, Ponce, P.R., Manila and Honolulu, are to be removed to the United States and reinterred, by order of

the War Department. There is some anxiety at Washington lest the Philippine insurgents may rebel against the American military government, and show fight. There are said to be 10,000 insurgent troops in and about Iloilo, while the Americans number only 2,500.

THE DEAD.

Dr. E. R. Woods of Galt is dead, after a lengthened illness, in his 38th year. Rapbi Schachne of New York has been

daughter. He died at prayer. Herr Christian Diden, one of the oldest members of the German Reichstag, died

on Thursday at Berlin, in his 89th year. Rev. Dr. Bartholomew Price, master

of Pembroke College, Oxford, and Canon of Gloucester, Eng., died on Thursday in his 81st year. Mr. C. E. St. Clair Simpson, account-

ant of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at St. Mary's, died there on Friday from pneumonia after a week's illness. Robert V. Robertson, formerly a wellknown Chicago newspaper man

founder of The Nugget of Placerville, Cal., is dead. He was one of the most widely known journalists on the Pacific

Captain Alexander Bowie of the Ottawa River Navigation Co., and one of the leading citizens in the capital, died years of age, and leaves a widow and four filmy ball gown's embrace. children.

John Williams of Amaranth Township. who was found frozen to death a day or the kalsomined wail. two ago, was a miser. He had got to-

gether \$40,000. The coroner's jury found that the miser died from exposure and want of food.

Mrs. Lewis, wife of A. E. Lewis, the Montrealer who disappeared so mysteriously early this year, is in Vancouver, and will leave on the Oriental steamship next month to join her husband, who is now residing in China.

Col. von Egidy, a retired officer of the Imperial army, is dead at Berlin. He was at the head of the German movement for the purification of the practical application of Christian doctrine, and was the founder of the "Socio-Christian" political

Rev. John Stewart, a retired Presby terian clergyman, for years a resident of Kincardine, Ont., died suddenly on Thursday night, due to a chill taken while returning home after marrying a couple out in the country. He was born at Loch Gilphead, Scotland, 73 years ago.

Rev. David Mitchell, D.D., is dead at erty on Friday night in Government his home in Jersey City, N.J., from kidney disease. He was born at Glasgow. Scotland, in 1838, and graduated from the academic and theological departments of Glasgow University. He was pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church of Toronto and the Presbyterian Church in Belleville, Ont., and the Scotch Presbyterian Church in Jersey City. His illness was the development of an injury by a fall at Belleville. A widow and three daughters survive him.

CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

Jean Carlone, the most noted bandit of Corsica, and for six years the terror of Soceia and Vico cantons, has been cap-

"Babe" Jackson, a concert hall performer, has just tried to end her life by taking laudanum at Rochester, N.Y. She is 22 years old. Burglars made a haul at the residence

night, silverware and jewelry valued at \$1,200 being carried off. Dominique Krathopski was hanged at Springfield, Mass., on Friday, for the murder of his little stepdaughter, Vic-

Seventeen convicts paving a street in Havana have escaped and are still at large. Senor Luis Rodriguez was stabbed fatally because he refused to shout "Long Live Free Cuba."

toria Pinkos, on Jan. 17, 1897.

John Barkworth, alias John Wilson, formerly a cook in the Salvation Army farm near Toronto, was arrested at Hamilton on Thursday on a charge of theft. He was taken to Toronto for trial.

Herr von Paledski, editor of The Gazetta Gdanska, published in Dantsic, has been sentenced to six weeks imprisonment because in an article he insulted the memory of the late Prince Bismarck.

At Cincinnati on Friday Frank Wehr, a moulder, who had been drinking heavily, grabbed his 12-year-old son's bank to get money for whiskey. The boy objected, and the father struck him on the head with a hammer, killing him.

of a Resident.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Absolutely Care Diabetes-Gives Facts to Prove

His Contention. PAISLEY, Jan. 2.-This most extraordinary and startling statement was made in public by one of our most widely known and prosperous men of business to-day:

"I walk about protected from the attacks of Diabetes just as securely as a suit of steel would protect me from the stings of a mosquito."

"What do you mean?" asked one of his friends.

"I mean that I am as safe from the agonies of Diabetes, so long as I use Dodd's Kidney Pills, as I would be from the sting of a mosquito if I wore garments made of

"That is quite true," put in another gentleman who was standing close by. "Let me prove it to you by telling you of Political exiles from Ecuadar, Central a case that occurred a few doors from my own house in this town.

"Mr. James Thompson, who is well known to most of us, suffered from an extreme case of Diabetes for several years. He was so ill he could scarcely move. He tried nearly every remedy in the market without effect. Noticing an advertisement claiming that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Diabetes, he began using them. Two boxes made a marked improvement in his condition, and, continuing the use of the medicine, he was fully restored to

"Now, when Dodd's Kidney Pills cured this case they will cure any other case of Diabetes. I say this in all sincerity.

"If every person who is afflicted with Kidney Disease would use Dodd's Kidney Pills they would recover health strength so quickly and completely that they would hardly know themselves."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cost only fifty cents tound dead in his synagogue by his a box, at all drug stores.

Makes the Table Revolve.

A Chicago man has invented a machine for making dining tables revolve. It consists of a large lever which falls on a button, which causes a flange to work up and down, which caus s a plug to drop out, which makes a hook clasp the table and bring about the desired results.

Severe colds are easily cured by the use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, a medicine of extraordinary penetrating and healing properties. It is acknowledged by those who have used it as being the best medicine sold for coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs, and all affections of the throat and chest. Its agreeableness to the taste makes it a favourite with ladies and children.

The Same Taste.

At parting he had tenderly kissed the on Friday from pneumonia. He was 65 gleaming shoulders that rose out of the

That night while sweetly sleeping in his narrow bed, by chance his lips touched

"Darling!" he murmured.

Generally

A Sprain and Bruise

will come together. All the same, together or separate,

ST. **JACOBS** OIL

will promptly cure the pain and wipe out the bruised spot.



Treatment of Prisoners.

The term of a prisoner in Mexico is divided anto three periods. The first is occupied with penal labor, the second is pay, and the third is preparatory to freedom, with paid work and many privi

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

The first train across Siberia has for children. reached Irkutski, and was welcomed by a religious ceremony.

Health for the children. Miller's Worm Powders.

C. C. RICHARDS & CO. Dear Sirs, - Your MINARD'S LINI-MENT is our remedy for sore throat, colds, and all ordinary ailments. It never fails to relieve and cure

promptly. CHARLES WHOOTTEN, Port Mulgrave.

Where the Blunder Came In. "Tom, dear, do you think I made a mistake in naming the baby after your rich

"No, my love, your mistake was telling WIND him the baby looked like him."

That tired, languid feeling, and indisposition to effort of any sort will be rapidly removed by the use of Miller's Compound Iron Pills.

As Frost Approaches.

"Did I see you comin' out o' my white folks' backyard late last night?" inquired Miss Miami Brown.

"I dunno," answered Mr. Erastus Pinkley. "Mebbe you mig it have."

"Is you got any possessions dar?" "No; I ain't got no regular possessions; only jes' a coalin' station."

Pale sickly children should use Mother Grave's Worm Exterminator. Worms are one of the principal causes of suffering in children and should be expelled from the

A new back for 50 cents. Miller's Kidney Pills and Plaster.

Faith alone can interpret life, and the heart that aches and bleeds with the stigma Of pain, alone bears the likeness of Christ, and can comprehend its dark enigma.

Shooting Through Glass. A musk it bill may be fired through a pane of glass, making a hole the size of

the ball, without cracking the glas. If the glass be suspended by a hread it will make no difference, and the thread will not even vibrate.



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Miller's Worm Powders the medicine

Character Study. "I rather think she prefers a pensive, thoughtful man."

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