The Donng Folks.

PROMOTED. I entered once a school room filled with nois Of twice a score of happy girls and boys; Orie face so passing lovely seemed to me It stamped itself upon my memory. But when I went again it was not there. In slead, I saw a little ompty chair. The teacher in my face the question read. "I'romoted to the room above," he said.

Within my house there stands an empty chair The child it held is now no longer there; The dimpled hands and face I used to kiss, The clinging arms, the fend embrace, I miss. No voice I hear, from more till night in play, No little footsteps in my home all day, The child I love is gone -but oh, not dead, "Promoted to the room above" instead ! -GERTHUDE DENEDICT CURTIS.

THE SALOON A SOCIAL CENTER. Why is the saloon so hard to banish from society? Because it is more than a place for the sale of intoxicating liquors. It is a social centre which offers various attractions to average human nature. Man is not naturally a consumer of alcohol. Taste for water, milk, and other potable fluids

acquired. But man is naturally a social being; and the saloon, taking advantage of man's social nature, opens a pleasant place for men to come together, strives to create an atmosphere of jolly good fellowship, quickens conviviality by the stimulation of alcohol, and men congregate therein not to get drunk-at least not intentionally-but to have a good time.

An article in the American Journal Socialogy declares that primarily the saloon is a social center. There is much truth in this. It is the democratic club of the workingman. There hefinds light, warmth in winter, and coolness in summer, music in some saloons, amusements of various kinds in all of them, papers, a free lunch, and there he meets acquaintances and strangers who are in a social mood, Hohears stories and songs which are broad rather than high, but like the pickles and pretzels of the free lunch they seem to fit the place and the company. The saloon welcomes him when his hours of labor are ended; it is much better fornished than his own home; and there, too often, he finds company which is more attractive his jaded powers than the company which he finds in his own bome. Not that he does not love his family, but the saloon is a forum where he finds that zestful variety which his social nature craves.

To all of this alcohol adds its subtle and dangerous zest. "The first action of ethylic alcohol," says Dr. Kerr, "is vascular relaxation, commonly called exhibitation or stimulation, when a glow of warmth spreads over the whole system, when the heart beats faster, when "happy thoughts" crowd in upon the brain, when all seems light and life and joy, when everything without and within wears a roseate hue. Through the nervous system the social feelinge are stimulated until, when "the wine is in," and "the wit is out," in sufficient degree, almost any drinking companion, however dull and foolish naturally, is, for the time, "a jolly good fellow."-Exchange.

SPRAYING FRUIT TREES.

For five weeks agents of the Ontario De instructions in the spraying of fruit trees | clear fieldat different parts of the province. Reports sent to Mr. Orr, superintendant in charge of this work, have just been received at the department, to the effect that fungus is now appearing upon apple and pear trees and threatens to do extonsive injury these crops, unless checked at once by pleased at the slow progress that has been spraying, Insect enemies also are more numerous than usual this year. Apples, with the exception of the spy, have set well, and where properly cared for there is promise of a good crop. In spraying cigarette. The physicians report that outapple trees to check or prevent the spot, use the Bordeaux mixture, made asfollows

DORDEAUX MIXTURE. Copper Sulphate, 4 pounds. Lime, (fresh) 4 pounds.

hanging it so as to be covered by the water. Slake the lime in about the same quantity of water. Then mix the two and add the remainder of the forty gallons of water. Warm water will dissolve the copper

the lime is at all dirty strain the lime system.

STERILIZE THE NEEDLE.

In discoursing to a woman's club recently a physician, dwelling upon how to treat to sterilize a needle that was to be used to equal it for sprains, bruises, rheumatism, pick out a splinter or other foreign sub- stiff joints, sore muscles, etc. stances often jabbed into small boys' hands or knees through their reckloss falling. If flame or boiling water, and used without | worth while to consult a doctor. touching the point with the fingers, it is Dr. Low's Worm Syrupis a safe sure and conceded all that is required of her, but the Low's. surgeon, keen to the dangers of germ contamiluation, knows that a step further is necessary. The lecturer also spoke of the | got true religion is the fact that it does not value in the mother's medicine chest of a | sour with age. litt le gutta percha tissue such as every one who has had a tooth filled will recognize. This will be found of great service in covering any moist dressing of wounds, as itprojects the clothing from the wet and also retains the moisture which is needed to preserve the dressing.

IF YOU HIRE A HORSE AT A LIVERY STABLE

You ought to treat him as if he were no cold snaps when it once lets up. your own. If you drive out ten miles, you ought not to attend to your own wants until you see him properly cared for. If an honest man, you will understand that you are under a two-fold obligation to that animal-an obligation to its owner and an' obligation to the animal. You are debtor of both, and although you pay the price of, the horse, yet no money can release you from the duty and moral claim involved in owner. To neglect the poor speechless have taken a pall till it is all. tion of a passer-by, is simply unpardonable, and the man who is guilty of such neglest is worse than a man.

A REASONABLE REFUSAL Lady enters barber shop with Skyo harvest.

New York Evening World.

"Mr. Barber, can you out my doggie's "No, I cau't; or, rather, I won't," "Indeed! You seem to hold yourself | 100., 10 powders 250. retty high for one in your position. "Perhaps I do but I'm no Skye-scraper."

IT PUZZLED HER.

"Eleszar," she said as she hung ber snaconneton a nail and began peeling potatous, "there's a heap of strange things in this "So I've heard."

and husbands ain't the least strangest among 'em.' He looked up suspiciously.

"Anything particular in that remark ?" he inquirod.

"I didn't mean any harm by it. Of course you can't help formin' your ideas of | ed to go in and investigate. things in general by the cases you happen to know about by experience. Of course my own fam'ly."

water with a splash and started to work on I though his action was not as showy and another without stopping to observe his sensational as some of the desperate deeds dubious expression of countenance. sayin' to Ike Gavins last night," she went ship, and by fear of disgrace; but when a

" 'Bout the United States ?" "Yes, you said you and him was goin' to of duty, he must have a brave heart."

cut your way through every obstacle." "Of course I did'ut mean we was goin in on our own account. I meant me and him and the rest of the population,"

which nature furnishes in large quantities ponsibility. You said you was goin' to this 'ere ain't all." is natural, but alcohol has to be manufacplow your way through theisthmus of Panama and wade through prejudices and board sir, replied the captain. tured, and confirmed taste for it has to be barbarism and attain a height of civilizaapproached. You was goin to clean tyranny off the face of the earth."

> complacently. think I was harborin' old grudges. The

life of me I can't see why anybody with | combe." such a power of outtin' and plowin' and | "Them's um! blow it" I be exclaimed. wadin' and cleanin' in him could have held back so last winter when it come to makin' a little path of snow down to the front

NOBLESSE OBLIGE.

'Here, boy, let me have a Sun."

"Can't nohow, mister." "Why not? You've got them I heard ou a minute ago cry them loud snough to

be heard to the city hall." "Yes, but that was down t'other block, e know, where I hollered." "What does that matter ? Come now.

"Couldn't sell you no paper in this here block, mister, cos it b'longs to Limpy. He's just up to de furder end now, you'll

"And who is Limpy, pray? And why does he have this especial block?" "Cos us other kids agreed to let him have it. Ye'see, its'a good run on 'court of the offices all along an' the poor chap is that lame he can't get round like the rest of us, so we agreed that the first one caught sellin' on his beat should be lit on an' thrashed. See?"

"Yes, I do see. Ho you newsboys have sort of brotherhood among yourselves? "Well, we're goin' to look out for a little cove what's lame, anyhow, you bet? "There comes Limpy now, he's a fortun-

ate boy to have such kind friends." partment of Agriculture have been giving give a weak, halting brother a chance in a Gilbert, N. S.

CIGARETTES HAVE DONE IT.

The raising of the volunteer army Inited States has led to some interesting velations. The authorities have not been made. Now it appears that the delay has been due largely to the number of volunteers rejected, and the rejections have been mainly caused by the effects of the deadly side of the ranks of smokers the number rejected is even fewer than in the days of the Civil War, but that among the habitual users of digarettes the rejections are about ninety per cent. These have weak hearts or lack the vitality necessary to make good soldiers. This is a strong Suspend the copper sulphate in five gal- testimony. It only confirms what physilone of water. This may be done by cans and scientists have all along been putting it in a bag of coarse material, and declaring, that the eigerette habit leads unerringly to physical and mental decay.

Grave's Worm Exterminator. Worms are complaints, dyspepsis, costiveness, head- where people can have their dinners and sulphate more readily than cold water. If children and should be expelled from the secretions and remove all billous matter.

> Every man spends about half his time doing things he forgot to do in their

Pain of all kinds quickly relived by th children's bruises, told of a simple method | use of Hagyard's Yellow Oil. Nothing to

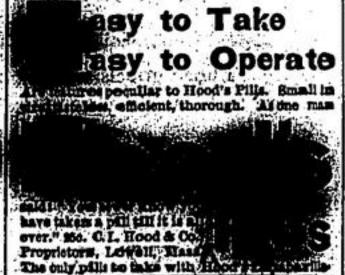
Nothing is so pathetic as an old man the needle is passed through an alcohol when he says he is so old that it isn't

safe. The average mother thinks that if reliable worm expeller. Acts equally well she uses a needle instead of a pin sho has on children or adults. Be sure you get

One of the best proofs that a man has

Money saved and pain relieved by the leading household remedy, Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil-a small quantity of which usually suffices to oure a cough, heal a sore, out, broise or sprain, relieve lumbago, rhoumatism, neuralgia, excoriated nipples or inflamed breast.

A late, cold spring is disagrecable, and It is no comfort to say that there will be



When a rich young man comes into hi estate, folks who have things to sell have a

Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders cure the worst beadache in from five to twenty minuted, and leave no bad after effects. One powder, o cents., 8 powders

THE INSPIRATION OF DUTY.

Secretary Alger was once asked to tell of the most conspicuous instance of bravery that ever came under his observation. He said: "I think the greatest display of personal bravery that I over saw was at Petersburg. A mine had been made under the Confederate earthworks. The fuse had been fixed and lighted, but after waiting sometime without any result, it was apparent that something had gone wrong inside of the mine. Two men instantly volunteer-

"Now each perfectly understood that he: was taking his life in his hand by so doing. when I say husbands is strange I ain't They went in and came out after relighting assumin' any responsibilities outside of the fuse; neither man was injured in the slightest degree, but each deserved the very She let the potato fall into a pan of highest commendation for true courage, done in battle. In the field, soldiers are "I can't help thinkin' over what you was nerved up by excitement, by companionman steps forward and fuces a terrible death deliberately, with no motive but that

> HE HAD FORGOTTEN SOMETHING "I say, capn" said a little oyed man, as he landed from a Mersey steamboat on the

"Maybo, but you was assumin' the res- Birkenhead side of the river, "I say, dap'n That's all the luggige you brought on

"Wull, see now, it's accordin to listtion such as had never before been four boxes, three chests, two ban' boxes, a portmanty, two hams, one part cut, three ropes of injune and a toa kettle, but I'm "Oh, thoughts like them ain't anything dubersum: I feel there's something short out of the common with me," he remarked | though, I've counted 'em nine times, and never took my eyes off ,em while on board. "I know it. I wouldn't like to have you There's something not right, somehow. .

Well, sir, time's up. There's all 1 know warm, mild summer is here and I s'pose of; so bring up your wife and five children bygones ought to be bygones. But for the out of the cabin, and we're off for Sea-

> "I knowed I'd forgot something." Thin in flesh? Perhapsit'

natural. If perfectly well, this is probably the case.

But many are suffering from frequent colds, nervous debility, pallor, and a hundred aches and pains, simply no fooling, hand me out a paper. I'm in because they are not fleshy

> Scott's Emulsion of Codliver Oil with Hypophosphites strengthens the digestion, gives new force to the nerves, and makes rich, red blood. It is a food in itself.

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Character is power; it makes friends creates friends; draws, patronage and support; and opens a sure and easy way to wealth, honor and happiness .- J. Hawes. Death to Worms.

"My little girl 7 years old used to grind The gentleman bought two papers of her teeth at night and had pain in her him, and went on his way down town, stomach. I gave her Dr. Low's Pleasant wondering how many men in business | Worm Syrup and it acted promptly and would refuse to sell their wares in order to | with good effect." Mrs. Joe Doty, Port

· An exchange says that whon a man worried about the money market, his wife is apt to be worried about the market

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For Infants and Children.

The softest pillow for human pain is "God knows."

They Never Fail .- Mr. S. M. Boughner, oured, and although four years have clap- stays, too. sed since then they have not returned." Parmelee's Pills are anti-bilious and a

Every evil habit conquerel is a step

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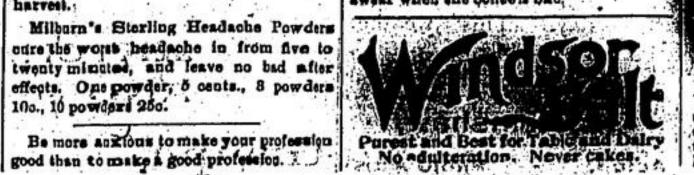
10 to 30 drops for children. Add the water yourself.

The art of being able to make a good use of moderate abilities wins esteem and often confers more reputation than real merit .-Rochefoucsuld.

Dyspersia.

"For some time my stomach has troubled me and I tried most everything, but nothing did me any good till I started taking Burdook Blood Bitters. Two bo tles have made me quite well." Mr. Lizzie Sanboin, Baldwin's Mille, Que.

"I wonder why it is that all these summer resort people advertale for refined boarders ?" "That's no mystery ; they want to get a class of people who won't swear when the coffee is bad,"



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APPEARS ON EVERY WRAPPER.

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He has not answered yet. Donn Cures Backache: I have been troubled for several years with kidney disease, pains in the back, dizziness and eleeplessness, and at times I could not work. Doan's Kidney Pills which I started taking about two months ago have made me all O. K." P. J. Me-Ginnis, Belleville, Ont.

If the devil should lose his tail where would be go to get another? Ans .- To the grog-shop where they re-tail spirits.

A HEALTHY WOMAN.



disease in the world comes from the kidneys. Yet how saw people there are who akeanycarcofthese Backache, larne essness, all signs of almost universal.

Doan's Kidney Pills Tone and regulate the kidneys and help them to throw off the poisons from the

Mrs. A. Brown, P. O. Box 200, Dresden, Ont., says: "For years I suffered from frepsical trouble which caused me much listress. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box of them at Switzer's Drug Store. Before commencing to take them I was unable to button my shots on account of my swollen condition but by the time I had finished the first box I could dothis without inconvenience. I have now taken a second box and have no healtancy in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills for any Kidney or Dropsical trouble." Price 50c. a box, 3 for \$1.25, all Druggists. The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Out.

"Gran'ma," said little four-year-old as she twined her arms lovingly around her grandmother's neck, "You'll never know how much I love you till you have a child Paint Your Cheeks.

Not with paint on the outside that is Langton, writes: "For about two years I casily washed off." Put the color on from was troubled with inward piles, but by within. Scott's Emulsion fills the cheeks using Parmelee's Pills, I was completely with rich, red blood. It is a color that

Public ovens are established on most of Pale sickly children should use Mother specific for the cure of liver and kidney the residential streets of Japanese cities, one of the principal causes of suffering in sche, Piles, etc., and will regulate the suppers cooked for them at tri fling Bleeplessness is due to nervous excite-

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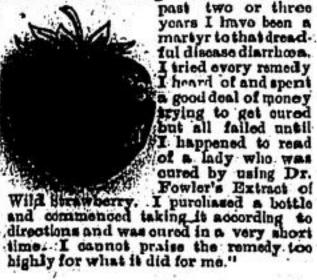
doal may rouse you to remove what a little

will only accustom you to enduro .-

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bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burne, scalds contusions, etc. Price 25c. Those who have few affairs to attend to

are great speakers. The less men think

the more they talk .- Montesquieu. MOTHER DAUGHTER

CURED.

Mrs. Lydia A. Fowler, Electric Street, Amherst, N.S., testifies to the good effects of the new specific for all heart and nerve troubles: "For some time past I have been troubled with a fluttering sensation the region of my heart, followed by noute pains which gave me great distress and weakened me at times so that I could scarcely breathe. I was very much run down and felt nervous and irritable.

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doing me great good; so I continued their use and now-fool all right. I can heartily recommend Milburn's 'Heart and Nervo Mrs. Fowler adds: "My daughter, now fifteen years of age, was pale, weak and run down, and sho also took Milburn's Heart and Norve l'ills for some time, and s now strong, healthy and vigorous." Milburn's Heart and Nervo Pills cure

palpitation, smothering sensation, dizzy and faint spells, nervousness, weakness, female troubles, etc. Price 50c. a box or three boxes for \$1.25. Sold by all druggists. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont. Mr. Molvillo Miller, Bonsfort, Ontarlo, says: "Laxa-Liver Pills made a new man of me. I was troubled with indigedtion and pains in the small of my back,

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Every spark of mercy is from God's

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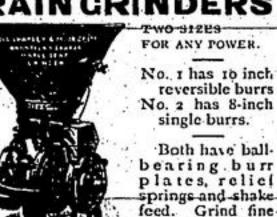
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