WHAT THE FLOWERS SAY. The calla lily is emblematic of femin-

ine beauty. The arbour vitae is indicative of unchanging friendship.

The primrose is in England an emblem of inconstancy. The China aster is set down as in-

dicative of remembrance. The oat plant is in Italy regarded

as emblematic of music. The red carnation is regarded in Spain as an emblem of despair.

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The Southern Railway and the Florida Central and Peninsular Railroad are now operating the famous New York and Florida Limited, between New York and Jacksonville, and St. Augustine. This train is composed of Pullman's latest improved compartment cars, dining cars, drawing room sleeping cars and library observation, cars, leaving New York daily, except Sundays, at 12.10 noon, and Washington 6.20 p.m., running solid through to Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine, via., Lynchburg, Charlotte, and Columbia, reaching Savannah at 11.20 a.m., Jacksonville, 3.30 p.m., and St. Augustine, 4.43 p.m., the next day. This train also carries through sleeper New York to Augusta, Ga., with connection at Trenton, S. C., for Aiken, S. C.

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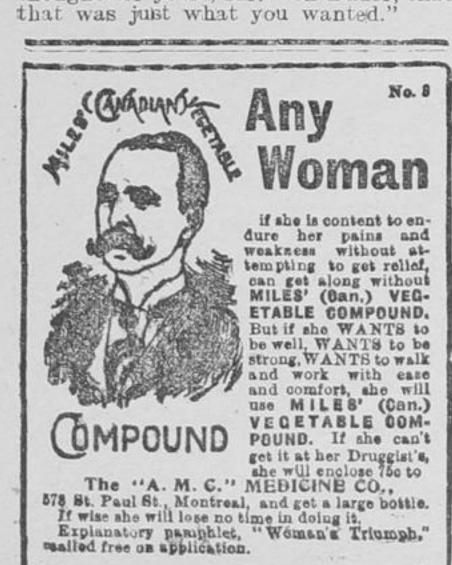
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4. In what year did Quebec City sured French rule in Canada.

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The competition will remain open from now till last day of April next. Ten days will be allowed after date of closing for letters to reach the Journal office from distant points, but Cosmetics And Powders to Hide the 30th April, '97. The decision of the publishers of The Ladies Journal must must not bear later post-mark than

Full names and addresses of winners the Healthful Rosy Bloom and Peach of prizes will be given in the April number of the Journal. No winner's

SCENTS AND PERFUMES.

To be highly perfumed is most vulgar, no matter how dainty the perfume may be; but a faint, sweet scent or just a suspicion of perfume adds materially to the daintiness of a woman's attire. To a great many people strong perfume is most offensive, and too many people use it to conceal other odors. which possibly arise from uncleanliness. It is a pretty idea to select one's favorite perfume and use only that, making it characteristic, so to speak. Sachets are dainty things to have, and one does not need other perfume. If made of good size and generously filled with the sachet powder and cotton, they may be laid among the clothes, and handkerchiefs in trunks and bureau draw-

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From the Cornwall Standard,

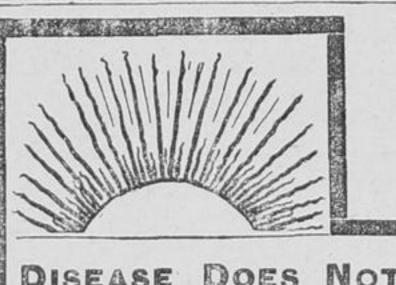
The science and art of medication holds a unique place in the esteem of the entire civilized world, because by 1. In what year was Victoria made a judicious application of progressive science relative to the art of healing innumerable triumphs are won in the struggle for health. The profession of medicine we may sagely say, is no sinehearsed daily by the million. Those who | Corn Extractor act in this way. It makes are in the vanguard of this movement no some spots, acts speedily, removing render to the English-which end- are our greatest benefactors. Their the worst corn in twenty-four hours. discoveries are a boon to humanity; Putnam's Corn Extractor, the only sure 5. In what year was the British North | they have given relief to thousands who | corn cure. would have dragged out a miserable and more or less brief existence. Dr. untold numbers who were on the verge ones." of isolation or death, because their case defied the skill of the ordinary medical practitioner. The ruthless hand of nature permits only the survival of the He Failed in Health and Strength-His strongest, but the tender ministrations of medical science, as exemplified Number one.—A handsome up-to-date, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, secure the survival of the weakest, which is in maker, (ladies' or gentleman's wheel harmony with the divine injunction. "We then that are strong ought to Two to Seven .- Each Ten Dollars in bear the infirmities of the weak and not please ourselves."

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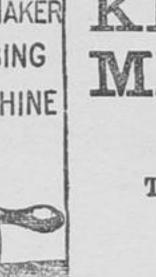
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